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March 22, 2020

TO: WPS District Staff & Students

RE: Home Internet Options

For staff and students who do not currently have access to internet in their homes during this time of distance learning. I have put together this list of options for you and/or your students. Internet services greatly depends on where you live. Each internet service provider serves limited and dedicated areas of our school district footprint throughout the area. It is important to call the internet service provider to ensure your home address has service available.

For someone looking to sign-up for traditional internet service:

City of Wahpeton:					
Midco	1-800-888-1300	www.midco.com			
CenturyLink	1-800-407-5411	www.centurylink.com			
Rural Wahpeton, Dwight, Mooreton, & Tyler Areas:					
CenturyLink	1-800-407-5411	www.centurylink.com			
Ag Wireless	1-701-553-8309	www.redrivercomm.com/agwireless/			
Abercrombie, Great Ber	nd, Wyndmere, Hanki	nson, & Fairmount Areas:			
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Some of the companies listed above are offering special offers to new customers amid our current situation. This list not a complete list of all internet service providers in the area. This list is designed to help provide information for those looking.

Some families may qualify for a reduced price or the potential for free internet service in their home. Please see the following page for more information.

If you are having difficulty getting internet service or need additional information please email wps.helpdesk@k12.nd.us or call 701-642-0384 for more assistance.

Sincerely,

Scott Albertson **Technology Coordinator** Wahpeton Public Schools



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RE: Low Income or Financially Distressed Families Home Internet Options

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For someone looking to sign-up for low income or financially distressed internet service:

You may qualify for greatly reduced of free internet services.

Please call the internet service provider directly to learn more about availability.

City of Wahpeton:			
Midco Distressed Families	1-833-338-4638	<u>www.midco.com</u>	(FREE SERVICE UNTIL 6-15-20)
			MIDCO Reference Code: MIBEDU20
Midco Lifeline	1-800-888-1300	www.midco.com/lifeline/	
CenturyLink Lifeline	1-855-954-6546	www.centurylink.com/	

Rural Wahpeton, Dwight, Mooreton, & Tyler Areas:

CenturyLink Lifeline	1-855-954-6546	www.centurylink.com
Ag Wireless	1-701-553-8309	www.redrivercomm.com/agwireless/

Abercrombie, Great Bend, Wyndmere, Hankinson, & Fairmount Areas:

Red River Telephone	1-701-553-8309	www.redrivercomm.com	(FREE SERVICE UNTIL 6-15-20)
Ag Wireless	1-701-553-8309	www.redrivercomm.com/	agwireless/

Some restriction may apply. Not everyone will qualify for the services listed above. Some companies offering "Free" internet services, are designed to provide critical internet for the students to do their school work, however may restrict or block non-educational websites. To see if you qualify for the Lifeline program, it requires an application through the national lifeline verifier program. You can apply online at https://nationalverifier.service-now.com/lifeline or you can fill out a paper application for consideration. Contact the Wahpeton School District's Technology Department and we can get you a paper application.

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