



WIRELESS DEVICES AND SERVICE PLANS

MANDATORY FOR EXECUTIVE BRANCH STATE AGENCIES

NOT AVAILABLE TO POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

The State of Alaska, Department of Administration, Office of Information Technology (OIT), has established a contract for wireless devices and services plans throughout Alaska. This includes smartphones with unlimited data, basic phones with no data, air cards, and tablets.

Contractor	State Contract Number
GCI	2015-0200-2960 (Master Agreement #160000027 in IRIS)

Contract Term: July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021

Renewals: Final renewal option

The following outlines the costs for each category under the contract and the price per wireless customer for the life of the contract. Additional information is also available at the following OIT and GCI websites:

OIT: <https://oit.alaska.gov/mobile-devices/>

GCI: <http://www.gci.com/soawireless>

CATEGORY 1: SMART PHONES

\$35.99 Monthly per Wireless Customer

Cost for 0-250 nationwide anytime minutes per month pooled plans, with unlimited data, as described in RFP 2015-0200-2960. Cost includes new service or free hardware refresh every 12 months upon request.

Due to Covid-19, GCI will provide the following smart phones:

- iPhone 8 or SE (9)
- Samsung Galaxy A10e

CATEGORY 2: BASIC PHONES

\$4.99 Monthly per Wireless Customer

Cost for 0-250 nationwide anytime minutes per month pooled plans, with no data, as described in RFP 2015-0200-2960. Cost includes new service or free hardware refresh every 12 months upon request.

GCI will provide the following basic phone:

- Maxwest Ranger

CATEGORY 3: AIR CARDS

\$29.99 Monthly per Wireless Customer

Cost for nationwide access, with unlimited data, as described in RFP 2015-0200-2960. Cost includes new service or free hardware refresh every 12 months upon request.

GCI will provide the following Air Card:

- Novatel MiFi 7000

TABLETS AND IPADS

*(Tablets and iPads are not subject to the mandatory requirement of this contract. Agency may procure these outside of this contract).

GCI will provide the following devices as “data only” plans under the Air Cards service plans:

iPads

- 11” iPad Pro / 64 GB: **\$949.00**
- 11” iPad Pro / 256 GB: **\$1099.00**
- 11” iPad Pro / 512 GB: **\$1299.00**
- 11” iPad Pro / 1 TB: **\$1699.00**
- 12.9” iPad Pro / 64 GB: **\$1149.00**
- 12.9” iPad Pro / 256 GB: **\$1299.00**
- 12.9” iPad Pro / 512 GB: **\$1499.00**
- 12.9” iPad Pro / 1 TB GB: **\$1899.00**

OPTIONAL / ADDITIONAL COSTS

Optional Services

- AppleCare+: \$129.00 one-time fee
- GCI Mobile Device Protection: \$9.99 per month

*When a specified device is no longer available, GCI will replace it with a like or better model.

Rate Plan Details

250 Nationwide Pooled Minutes	Every phone on the State of Alaska contract adds 0-250 minutes to a pool that departments pull from.
Unused minutes carry over to the next month	If there are any unused minutes at the end of the billing period, they will be carried over to the next billing period. This adds even more minutes to the pool. These minutes that carry over will not expire until used.
Unlimited Text and Multimedia Messages	Every phone on the State of Alaska contract has unlimited text and multimedia messages.
Unlimited Incoming Messages	Voicemail service is included with your service. Information on how to set this service up is found in your product brochure.
Nationwide Coverage	All State of Alaska phones will have the ability to make and receive calls in all 50 states without incurring additional charges.

Unlimited Mobile-to-Mobile calling	All State of Alaska phones have unlimited calling to any wireless phone
Unlimited Nights & Weekends	All State of Alaska phones enjoy unlimited calling between 9pm and 5:59am Mon – Fri, and all day Sat & Sun.
Unlimited Long Distance	You are not charged any additional fees for making domestic long distance calls.

Wireless device accessories are available at GCI’s advertised retail price. Accessories include Bluetooth headphones, vehicle power adapters, cases, clips, and more. All orders for equipment and services must be submitted via the state’s SDM system, and must be approved by an authorized state financial approver prior to initiation and equipment pick-up or delivery. The state reserves the right to initiate service, upgrade, downgrade, hibernate, or cancel services as necessary without any activation, de-activation fees, limits, or penalties.

Note that this contract is mandatory in the Anchorage (including Fort Richardson and Elmendorf Air Force Base), Fairbanks, and Juneau areas. In order to purchase a non-GCI device or service in these areas, a customer must demonstrate why a GCI device or service/coverage does not meet their needs. A waiver form has been developed and must be submitted and approved prior to purchasing a non-GCI device or service in the above areas. Coverage maps are available here:

<https://oit.alaska.gov/mobile-devices/>

All wireless device purchases outside of the above areas do not require a waiver. However, agencies must solicit all available competition. If GCI is the successful bidder, please submit an ESO. Note that the state has agreements with AT&T and Verizon which provides wireless device/service options in areas throughout Alaska:

<http://doa.alaska.gov/dgs/cam/docs/15-Wireless-Devices.pdf>

GCI also offers a state employee discount for personal wireless services plans. For more information, visit the following link. Note that you do not need to complete any enrollment, simply visit a GCI store and provide the required information (recent paycheck stub, government issued ID) to get started:

<https://www.gci.com/-/media/files/gci/business/soa/epic-employee-discount-program.pdf>

If you have questions regarding this contract or need the waiver form, please contact the following contracting officer:

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