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Audience:	IXC, Wireless, ILEC, CLEC, Reseller, ISP
Subject:	Area Code Overlay for the Alabama 334 NPA
Date Effective:	Permissive 10-Digit Dialing Begins 07/23/2025 Mandatory 10-Digit Dialing Begins 01/23/2026

As previously [communicated](#), the Alabama Public Service Commission has approved the addition of the new 483 area code to the geographic area served by the 334 area code. This process is known as an area code overlay.

Beginning January 23, 2026:

10-digit signaling is required for all calls terminating in all Frontier Communications end offices, access tandems, and intraLATA tandems in the existing 334 NPA. Failure to comply with the required 10-digit signaling will result in call failures.

A [sample](#) customer letter has been developed in both to assist with communicating permissive and mandatory dialing time frames to end user customers. Please adjust the contact information accordingly.

The 334/483 overlay will not affect existing local calling areas or rates. No existing 334 NPA numbers will be changed and all existing 334 NPA numbers will retain the existing NPA.