



STATE OF WASHINGTON

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September 19, 2017

Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW
P. O. Box 47250
Olympia, Washington 98504-7250

RE: *Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. Cheney Care Foundation*
d/b/a Cheney Care Center
Commission Staff's Response to Proposed Payment Schedule
Docket TN-170808

Dear Mr. King:

On September 14, 2017, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued Order 01 in docket TN-170808 which assessed a penalty of \$7,550 against Cheney Care Center for violations of Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-31-100 Equipment – Safety and WAC 480-31-139 Operation of Motor Vehicles. The Commission further suspended \$5,000 of the penalty on conditions outlined in the order. This left a balance of \$2,550 due and payable to the Commission.

On September 18, 2017, Keith A. Fauerso, Executive Director and Administrator of Cheney Care Center contacted staff and proposed a payment plan. The plan consists of one payment of \$150, followed by 12 monthly payments of \$200. Mr. Fauerso proposed making the first payment before the end of this month.

Staff supports the payment plan proposed by Mr. Fauerso on behalf of Cheney Care Center, under the following conditions:

1. The company will make one payment of \$150, followed by 12 payments of \$200, for a total of \$2,500.
2. Each payment will be due and payable on the last business day of each month, beginning with a payment of \$150 due September 29, 2017.

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3. If the carrier fails to pay any installment by the due date, or fails to pay at least the minimum amount due, the entire remaining balance of payments will become immediately due and payable.

The proposed payment scheduled is depicted below:

September 29, 2017	\$150
October 31, 2017	\$200
November 30, 2017	\$200
December 29, 2017	\$200
January 31, 2018	\$200
February 28, 2018	\$200
March 30, 2018	\$200
April 30, 2018	\$200
May 31, 2018	\$200
June 29, 2018	\$200
July 31, 2018	\$200
August 31, 2018	\$200
September 28, 2018	\$200

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Turcott, Compliance Investigations Supervisor, Consumer Protection, at 360-664-1174, or by e-mail at miturcot@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



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