AMERICAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS GUILD

Public Charter

The mission, permanent commitments, and boundaries of the Guild.

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This reading guide summarizes ATG's supplied documents. The program is in development; descriptions of intended services are not announcements that enrollment or delivery has begun.

The purpose

The Public Charter sets out ATG's mission to connect workforce development, safety, traceability, and responsible infrastructure delivery. It places standards before scale and treats workforce development as a long-term investment.

Commitments that protect the worker

The Charter prohibits apprentice participation charges, dues to maintain earned standing, personal advancement-evaluation charges, deductions from wages to fund ATG, and placement fees. It also commits ATG to independent evaluation and an appeal process separate from the original decision.

Independence must be visible

The Charter requires disclosure and independent review of related-party arrangements. The Board of Directors holds governing authority. The Education Board and Standards Board exercise only the responsibilities delegated to them.

Founding-stage status

The Public Charter describes the institution being established. Apprenticeship registration and IRS recognition are still being pursued. The Governance Map controls the current seat record and explains which committee responsibilities the Board is presently carrying.

Some source passages describe a registered or operating program. Current website status remains: registration pursued, pilot in preparation, enrollment not open. The Public Charter is a public explanation; the Founding Charter and Bylaws remain the governing instruments.

Original source reference: ATG-Charter-Public-v3.docx

Original planning edition. This source is preserved as supplied. Statements about registration, funding, credentials and delivery partners may describe intended arrangements rather than current operations. Enrollment is not open; use this reading guide for current status.

Current web guide: https://atguild.net/library-charter