

Chairman Rod Johnson called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Gerald Vap present and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused. Chairman Johnson invited the public to address the Commission and announced that a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room. No announcements were made.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Notice was duly published May 29 on Page 4 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held on May 30, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Attention was called to the following proceedings:

Wednesday, May 30, 2012 through Thursday, May 31, 2012:

1:30 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln. Commissioner Frank Landis presiding as Hearing Officer. NOTE: The hearings on Wednesday will start at 1:30 and Thursday at 10:00.

NUSF-77.01 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommunications Association for investigation and review of processes and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP) received from Mobius Communications Company.
PO #5

NUSF-77.02 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommunications Association for investigation and review of processes and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP) received from Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska d/b/a Frontier Communications of NE.
PO #5

NUSF-77.03 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommunications Association for investigation and review of processes and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP) received from Nyecome Teleservices Inc.,/ Plainview Telephone Company.
PO #5

NUSF-77.04 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommunications Association for investigation and review of processes and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP) received from Great Plains Communications.
PO #5

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (Cont.)

NUSF-77.05 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommuni-
PO #5 cations Association for investigation and review of pro-
cesses and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal
Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot
Program (NEBP) received from Consolidated Telephone Com-
pany.

NUSF-77.06 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommuni-
PO #5 cations Association for investigation and review of pro-
cesses and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal
Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot
Program (NEBP) received from N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc.,
d/b/a Viaero Wireless.

NUSF-77.07 In the Matter of the Petition of the Nebraska Telecommuni-
PO #5 cations Association for investigation and review of pro-
cesses and procedures regarding the Nebraska Universal
Service Fund: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Pilot
Program (NEBP) received from CenturyLink.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

C-4459/ In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on
PI-185 its own motion, to investigate and monitor compliance with
federally mandated intercarrier compensation reform: Gene
Hand informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer's order was
entered on May 30, 2012 adopting a process and timeline for filing
intrastate access charge reductions in compliance with the Federal
Communications Commission (FCC) USF/ICC Transformation Order adopted
October 27, 2011.

Mike Hybl reported on the May 22 State Broadband Initiative
(SBI) grantee workshop and the May 23 and 24 "Creating Sustainable
Broadband Solutions for Communities and Anchor Institutions" Confer-
ence held in Arlington, Virginia.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

911-018/ In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on
PI-117 its own motion, seeking to establish audit requirements
related to the Wireless Enhanced 911 Fund: Motion made by
Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to enter
an order seeking comments due July 13 and scheduling a hearing for
July 17 at 1:30 p.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln. Motion
passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and
Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.
Commissioner Jerry Vap was appointed as Hearing Officer.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

911-020.06/ In the Matter of Sue Vanicek, Director of the Nebraska
DC-82 Telephone Infrastructure and Public Safety Department of
the Nebraska Public Service Commission, Complainant, v.
Cable USA III, LLC; Covista, Inc.; Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.;
DIECA Communications, Inc.; DSLNet Communications, LLC; Geneva Broad-
band, LLC; Ionex Communications North, Inc.; LH Telecom; Long Lines
Siouxland, LLC; Midwestern Telecommunications, Inc.; NetTalk.Com,
Inc.; Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC; New Edge Network, Inc.; NOS Com-
munications, Inc.; Reliant Communications, Inc.; inContact, Inc.;
Velocity the Greatest Phone Company Ever, Inc.; Wholesale Carrier
Services, Inc.; XO Communications, LLC, Respondent(s): Motion made by
Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to
enter a Nunc Pro Tunc order. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod
Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Com-
missioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

NUSF-2, In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on
PO #10 its own Motion, seeking to establish guidelines for the
administration of the Nebraska Telephone Assistance Pro-
gram: Motion made by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commis-
sioner Tim Schram, to enter an order adopting findings. Motion passed
with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry
Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

NUSF-4 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
to determine the level of the fund necessary to carry out
the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund Act to be
effective fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999: Motion made by Commis-
sioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to enter an
order setting the surcharge rate for FY 2012/2013. Motion passed with
Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap
voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

NATURAL GAS DEPARTMENT

OP-0001/ In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
PI-183 to establish guidelines for prosecution of applications
under the Major Oil Pipeline Siting Act. Commissioner Jerry
Vap presiding as Hearing Officer: Laura Demman discussed an order
entered by the Hearing Officer on May 25, 2012 establishing a schedule
of June 11, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. to file written comments.

Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commis-
sioner Tim Schram, to enter Assessment Orders in Dockets NG-0067 and
NG-0071. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis,
Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle
excused not voting.

NATURAL GAS DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

NG-0067 In the Matter of SourceGas Distribution LLC, Lakewood,
CA-002 Colorado, seeking approval of a general rate increase. Com-
DR-002 missioner Jerry Vap presiding as Hearing Office.

NG-0071 In the Matter of gas supply cost adjustment schedules
CA-001 implemented by NorthWestern Corporation, D/B/A NorthWestern
Energy, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, pursuant to *Neb. Rev.
Stat. sec. 66-1854*. Commissioner Rod Johnson presiding as
Hearing Officer.

RULES & REGULATIONS

Rule and In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
Regulation to amend Title 291, Chapter 9, Natural Gas and Pipeline
#183 Rules and Regulations, to adopt rules regarding pipelines
and to implement the provisions of the Major Oil Pipeline
Siting Act. Commissioner Jerry Vap presiding as Hearing Officer: The
Commission was informed that a Hearing Officer Order was entered on
May 25 establishing a schedule for written comments.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Commissioner Frank Landis was appointed as Hearing Offi-cer
in the following dockets:

B-1628 In the Matter of OMALiNK, Inc., Lincoln, seeking to extend
Supp. 4 its authority in the transportation of passengers by taxi-
cab in a 100 mile radius of Lincoln, Nebraska, over irregu-
lar routes:.

B-1718 In the Matter of Leisure Limousine and Sedan, Inc., Lincoln
Supp. 3 seeking to extend its authority in the transportation of
passengers by taxicab between points in Lancaster County,
and points within said county, on the one hand, and, on the
other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. HHS
Designation: Yes: Commissioner Frank Landis was appointed
as Hearing Officer.

B-1817 In the Matter of Medics At Home, Inc., Omaha, seeking to
acquire, through transfer, the authority granted to
American Ambulance Service, Inc. in Certificate B-1246: Motion made by
Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Tim Schram, to enter
an order granting temporary operating authority. Motion passed with
Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap
voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

M-14218 In the Matter of Kwik But Careful Movers of Omaha, Inc., seeking to acquire, through transfer, the authority of George vonRentzell dba Servant Moving Company, Greenwood, in Certificate M-14169: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to enter an order granting temporary authority. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

Rate Division

MR-930 In the Matter of Movers and Warehouse Division, Nebraska Motor Carriers Association, Lincoln, seeking authority to establish a fuel surcharge in Nebraska Official Goods Tariff 7F and Tariff 22: The Tariff 7F fuel surcharge was decreased to \$1.06 per mile and the Tariff 22 fuel surcharge to \$7.00 per truck per trip.

GRAIN WAREHOUSE DEPARTMENT

GD-2983 In the Matter of the Application of Consolidated Grain and Barge Co, Carroll, IL, seeking authority as a grain dealer under Neb. Rev. Stat. Section 75-903 (Reissue 1996): Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Tim Schram, to enter an order granting a grain dealer license. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Motion made by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve Commission invoices. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

AS Central Services-Network Services	\$	2,950.83
Donald Gray		923.56
Michael Hybl		954.81

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to authorize Kent Pribyl to travel to Wardcraft Homes, Inc. in Clay Center, Kansas for a modular housing unit factory inspection with all expenses, including time, to be reimbursed to the Commission by Wardcraft Homes, Inc. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Jerry Vap voting AYE, and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused not voting.

The meeting adjourned at 10:14 a.m. with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram, and Gerald Vap present and Commissioner Anne Boyle excused. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on June 5, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on June 4, 2012.

Chairman

Executive Director