

Chairman Frank Landis called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Gerald Vap and Tim Schram present. Chairman Landis 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 February 11, 2014 on Page 9 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held February 19, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Attention was called to the following proceeding:

Wednesday, February 19, 2014:

1:30 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln
Rule and In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking
Regulation to amend Title 291, Chapter 3, Motor Carrier Rules and
#182 Regulations, to rewrite the chapter in its entirety. Com-
missioner Tim Schram presiding as Hearing Officer.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

C-4650 In the Matter of the Application of IntelePeer, Inc.,
Chicago, Illinois, seeking transfer of control to Peerless
Network, Inc., Chicago, Illinois: Motion made by Commissioner Tim
Schram, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order
granting the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne
Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

C-4652/ In the Matter of the Application of Sage Telecom
NUSF-93 Communications, LLC, Dallas, Texas, seeking designation as
an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the State of
Nebraska for the limited purpose of participating in the Lifeline
program: Commissioner Anne Boyle was appointed as Hearing Officer.

C-4653 In the Matter of the Application of Entrix Telecom, Inc.,
Newark, New Jersey, seeking authority to withdraw its
interexchange carrier certificate of authority: Motion made by
Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter
an order granting the application. Motion passed with Commissioners
Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting
AYE.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

C-4651 In the Matter of the Application of Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC, Denver, Colorado, seeking approval of a Mid-Span Meet POI Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement with Great Plains Broadband, Inc., Blair, previously approved in Docket C-3667: Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order approving the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

E-2361 In the Matter of the Application of Loup River Public Power District, Columbus, seeking authority to construct, operate and maintain an electric transmission line in Boone County: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to enter an order granting the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

Gene Hand reported on the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) Winter Committee Meetings held February 7-12, 2014, in Washington, D.C.

Gene Hand reported on the status of the Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) RFP #72617 03 released February 14, 2014.

Gene Hand reported that a short video was filmed February 18, 2014, to be used at broadband planning events wherein Cullen Robbins explained the Broadband Map website and the Commission's efforts to collect wireless broadband data using the Mobile Pulse application which can be downloaded for free.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

911-050.02 In the Matter of the Third Petition of N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc., d/b/a Viaero Wireless for support from the E-911 Wireless Service Provider (WSP) Grant Program: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to enter an order granting a motion to withdraw the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Sue Vanicek informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer's Order was entered February 12, 2014, cancelling the hearing previously scheduled for February 18, 2014.

Sue Vanicek informed the Commission that the next Wireless E-911 Advisory Board Meeting is scheduled for April 14, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order dismissing the complaints in Dockets NUSF-37.299 and NUSF-37.304. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

NUSF-37.299 In the Matter of Sue Vanicek, Director of the Nebraska Telecommunications Infrastructure and Public Safety Department of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, Complainant, v. United Telecom, Inc., Respondent(s).

NUSF-37.304 In the Matter of Sue Vanicek, Director of the Nebraska Telecommunications Infrastructure and Public Safety Department of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, Complainant, v. Unite Private Networks, Respondent(s).

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to enter Protective Orders in Dockets NUSF-92.01 through NUSF-92.16 Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Commissioner Frank Landis was appointed as Hearing Officer.

NUSF-92.01 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Arapahoe Telephone Company.

NUSF-92.02 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Cable TV Company of Stanton.

NUSF-92.03 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Cambridge Telephone Company.

NUSF-92.04 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from CenturyLink.

NUSF-92.05 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Consolidated Telephone Company.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

- NUSF-92.06 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company.
- NUSF-92.07 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Glenwood Telephone Company.
- NUSF-92.08 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Great Plains Communications.
- NUSF-92.09 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Inventive Wireless of Nebraska, LLC d/b/a Vistabeam.
- NUSF-92.10 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Nebraska Central Telephone Company.
- NUSF-92.11 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc., d/b/a Viaero Wireless.
- NUSF-92.12 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Pinpoint Wireless d/b/a Blaze Wireless.
- NUSF-92.13 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Raicom, Inc.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

NUSF-92.14 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Rock County Telephone Company.

NUSF-92.15 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from United States Cellular Corporation (U.S. Cellular).

NUSF-92.16 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer the Nebraska Universal Service Fund's Broadband Program: Application to the Nebraska Broadband Program received from Windstream Communications of Nebraska.

NUSF-93/
C-4652 In the Matter of the Application of Sage Telecom Communications, LLC, Dallas, Texas, seeking designation as an eligible telecommunications in the State of Nebraska for the limited purpose of participating in the Lifeline Program: This matter was addressed under the Communications Department's agenda.

NATURAL GAS DEPARTMENT

Laura Demman reported on Gas Committee activities during the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commission (NARUC) Winter Conference held in Washington, DC from February 8-10, 2014.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Rule and Regulation #182 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking to amend Title 291, Chapter 3, Motor Carrier Rules and Regulations, to rewrite the chapter in its entirety. Commissioner Tim Schram presiding as Hearing Officer: Mark Breiner informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer order was entered February 18, 2014 to receive late filed comments.

LEGISLATIVE

Angela Melton discussed pending legislation.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

B-1862 In the Matter of Bluffs Taxi, Mitchell, seeking authority as a common carrier in Nebraska intrastate commerce in the transportation of passengers by taxi between points in Scottsbluff County, Morrill County, and Sioux County, and between points within said county, on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irregular routes. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. HHS Designation: No: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order granting the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

B-1863 In the Matter of T and T Party Bus, LLC, dba T & T Limousines, Fremont, seeking authority to acquire, through transfer, the authority held by T & T Limousine Service, LLC, in Certificate B-1783: Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Tim Schram, to enter an order granting the application and revoking Certificate B-1783. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

Rate Division.

MR-930 In the Matter of Movers and Warehouse Division, Nebraska Motor Carriers Association, Lincoln, seeking authority to establish fuel surcharge in Nebraska Official Goods Tariff 7F and Tariff 22: The Tariff 7F fuel surcharge was increased to \$1.12 per mile and Tariff 22 fuel surcharge to \$7.92 per truck per trip.

GRAIN WAREHOUSE DEPARTMENT

GW-2134 In the Matter of Schaefer Grain and Feed, Inc., Plainview, NE: John Fecht discussed a shortage of corn.

GW-2136 In the Matter of Pierce Elevator, Inc., Pierce, NE: John Fecht discussed a shortage of soybeans.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve Commission invoices. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (Cont.)

Attorney General	\$	8,166.00
Mission Critical Partners		8,079.50
Mission Critical Partners		1,598.50
Mission Critical Partners		22,460.00
Mission Critical Partners		8,258.50
Mission Critical Partners		20,578.50
Mission Critical Partners		3,230.00
Sprint Relay		47,234.77
Laura Demman		997.20
Gene Hand		507.50
Anne Boyle		1,704.98
Rod Johnson		862.40
Gerald Vap		1,113.35

NEBRASKA EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

Verizon Wireless	\$	588.47
A.G.N. Sales		794.77
Beltone		398.95
Complete Hearing Solutions PC		760.42
Glassman Hearing Aid Technology		160.45
Harris Communications		57.95
Professional Hearing Aid Services		326.24
Sherard Hearing Aid Center		417.68
Sprint Communications		599.98
Teltex, Inc.		1,635.15
The Hearing Clinic		245.98
U-Save Pharmacy & Medical Supply		164.73
Weitbrecht Communications		85.00
Western Hearing Solutions		1,187.26

The following invoices were paid between February 5, 2014 and February 18, 2014 and should be ratified:

AS Central Services	\$	939.31
Ted Burkey		1,018.00
Holiday Inn, Sidney Ne.		830.00
Fred Massing		3,228.00
Thomson Reuters		1,135.00
Voyager		2,187.09
Tim Schram		554.52

Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to purchase three new computers for use by the General Administration and Manufactured Housing Departments. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (Cont.)

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve revised Commission minutes for January, 2014. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

The meeting adjourned at 10:26 a.m. with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Gerald Vap and Tim Schram present. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on February 25, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on February 24, 2014.

Chairman

Executive Director