

Chairman Frank Landis called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Gerald Vap 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 September 9, 2014 on Page 6 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held September 16, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

AD-584r In the Matter of the Application of Hudson Bay Company of Illinois, Lincoln, Nebraska, seeking authority to register the connection of an automatic dialing-announcing device: 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.

E-2326 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 Platte County: Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to enter an order granting the extension. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

C-4685/
NUSF-97 In the Matter of the Application of TAG Mobile, LLC, Carrollton, Texas, seeking authority for designation as a non-rural wireless Eligible Telecommunications Carrier. Commissioner Anne Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer: Gene Hand informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer Order was entered September 9, 2014, scheduling a hearing for December 16, 2014, at 2:00 p.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln.

C-4690/
NUSF-98 In the Matter of the Application of Q Link Wireless, LLC, Dania, Florida, seeking authority for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier for the limited purpose of participating in the Lifeline program in the State of Nebraska. Commissioner Anne Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer: Gene Hand informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer Order was entered on September 10, 2014, establishing a procedural schedule, granting formal intervention and scheduling a hearing for January 20, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln. Commissioner Tim Schram was appointed as Hearing Officer, replacing Commissioner Anne Boyle.

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

Gene Hand informed the Commission that copies of the 2015 Annual Report to the Legislature were placed on their desk for review. Any corrections or additions should be forwarded to Deena on or before September 19th. Approval of the final report will be on the agenda September 23rd.

Gene Hand reported on the Husker Harvest Days broadband booth.

C-4709 In the Matter of the CenturyLink proposed local residential rate increases: Gene Hand reported that the notice provided to customers contained an error. The staff is exploring options with CenturyLink for providing a corrected notice.

Gene Hand reported that the Power Review Board approved the NextEra application to construct the "Cottonwood Wind Project" in Webster County. He also informed the Commission that the 7th Annual Nebraska Wind and Solar Conference will be held October 29-30, 2014, at the LaVista Conference Center, LaVista.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT

NUSF-1 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking P.O. #7 to establish guidelines for administration of the Nebraska Universal Service Fund: BCN Telecom: Motion made by Commissioner Jerry Vap, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to grant BCN Telecom's request for an extension to October 7, 2014 to submit the NUSF Remittance Audit, that was due December 31, 2013. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

NUSF-97/ In the Matter of the Application of TAG Mobile, LLC, Carrollton, Texas, seeking authority for designation as a non-rural wireless Eligible Telecommunications Carrier. Commissioner Anne Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer: This matter was discussed on the Communications Department's agenda.

NUSF-98/ In the Matter of the Application of Q-Link Wireless, LLC, C-4690 Dania, Florida, seeking authority for Telecommunications Carrier for the limited purpose of participating in the Lifeline Program in the State of Nebraska. Commissioner Anne Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer: This matter was discussed on the Communications Department's agenda.

NATURAL GAS DEPARTMENT

Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Tim Schram, to enter Assessment Orders in Dockets NG-0072.1, NG-0078 and NG-0079. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE. Commissioner Rod Johnson presiding as Hearing Officer:

NG-0072.1 In the Matter of SourceGas Distribution LLC, Golden, Colo-
BE-005 rado, seeking approval to adjust an infrastructure system
replacement cost recovery charge, pursuant to Sections
66-1865 and 66-1866 of the State Natural Gas Regulation
Act.

NG-0078 In the Matter of the Application of SourceGas Distribution
BE-006 LLC, Golden, Colorado, seeking an order authorizing it to
BE-007 put into effect a system safety and integrity rider tariff
and a system safety and integrity rider charge.

NG-0079 In the Matter of the Application of SourceGas Distribution
BE-008 LLC, Golden, Colorado, seeking authority to reflect changed
BE-009 depreciation rates on its Nebraska Books of Account effec-
tive May 1, 2014, without impacting existing rates.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

B-1123 In the Matter of Airport Transportation Company dba Omaha
Limousine, dba Van Go, Omaha, seeking to extend its auth-
ority: Commissioner Tim Schram was appointed as Hearing Officer.

B-1733 In the Matter of Papio Transport Services, Inc., Papillion,
Supp. 1 seeking to extend its authority: Commissioner Tim Schram
was appointed as Hearing Officer.

B-1859 In the Matter of Ready Transportation, Omaha, seeking
authority as a common carrier in Nebraska intrastate com-
merce in the transportation of passengers by van in Douglas, Sarpy,
Cass and Washington counties, and between points within such counties,
on the one hand, and, on the other hand, points in Nebraska over irre-
gular routes. Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Com-
missioner Anne Boyle, to enter an order sustaining the show cause and
dismissing the application. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne
Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

B-1819 In the Matter of Teenie Weenie Buses, LLC, Omaha, seeking authority in Nebraska intrastate commerce in the transportation of passengers by bus in charter and special party between points in the state of Nebraska. RESTRICTION: The transportation of railroad train crews and their baggage is not authorized. HHS Designation: No: Commissioner Anne Boyle presiding as Hearing Officer: Mark Breiner informed the Commission that a Hearing Officer Order was entered September 9, 2014, continuing the hearing previously scheduled for September 9, 2014, to September 23, 2014, at 11:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln.

B-1829 In the Matter of Golden Plains Services Transportation, Inc., dba GPS Transportation, McCook, seeking to remove the following restrictions from its authority: "The transportation of passengers and their baggage point-to-point in Lancaster County is not authorized." Applicant also seeks to amend the following: "The transportation services of passengers and their baggage by sedan or station wagon originating from or point-to-point within any territory where a taxicab company holds a certificate or permit is not authorized, to: "The transportation services of passengers and their baggage by sedan or station wagon originating from or point-to-point within any territory where a single taxicab company holds a certificate or permit is not authorized." Commissioner Frank Landis was appointed as Hearing Officer.

FC-1362 In the Matter of Formal Complaint by Happy Cab Company dba Checker Cab Company, et. al., Omaha, vs. Servant Cab Company, LLC, dba Yellow Cab Company and Capital Cab, Lincoln: Commissioner Rod Johnson was appointed as Hearing Officer.

Rate Division

TR-197 In the Matter of Servant Cab Company, LLC, dba Yellow Cab Company and Capital Cab Company, Lincoln, seeking authority to adjust its rates and charges: Upon agreement of all Commissioners, a hearing was scheduled for September 30, 2014, at 1:00 p.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln. Commissioner Rod Johnson was appointed as Hearing Officer.

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 retained at \$1.04 per mile and the Tariff 22 at \$6.88 per truck per trip.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, 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.

Cornhusker State Industries	\$	720.00
AS Central Services-OCIO		1,027.19
Sprint Relay		41,240.32

The following invoice was paid between September 9-15, 2014 and should be ratified:

BroadMap LLC	\$	51,511.92
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Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve Commission minutes for August 2014. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to authorize Commissioner Rod Johnson to travel to and attend the Mid-America Telecom Showcase and Seminar to be held in Kansas City, Missouri from October 6-8, 2014. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Jerry Vap, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to renew an agreement with Fred Massing for the purpose of modular housing unit and manufactured home factory inspections in the State of Nebraska, effective October 1, 2014. Motion passed with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Jerry Vap voting AYE.

The meeting adjourned at 10:16 a.m. with Commissioners Anne Boyle, Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Tim Schram and Gerald Vap present. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on September 23, 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 September 22, 2014.

Chairman

Executive Director