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Notice was duly published December 5, 2017 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 December 12, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Chairman Tim Schram called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Crystal Rhoades, Mary Ridder, and Tim Schram present. Chairman Schram stated that a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted in the meeting room and invited the public to address the Commission. No public comments were received. No announcements were made.

Attention was called to the following proceedings:

Tuesday, December 12, 2017:

1:00 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
OP-0003 In the Matter of the Application of TransCanada Keystone Pipeline, L.P., Calgary, Alberta, seeking approval for Route Approval of the Keystone XL Pipeline Project Pursuant to the Major Oil Pipeline Siting Act. Commissioner Tim Schram presiding as Hearing Officer. Oral Arguments on pending Motions.

Tuesday, December 19, 2017:

10:00 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
Commission Meeting

11:00 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
Rule and Regulation No. 199 In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to amend Title 291, Chapter 3, Motor Carrier Rules and Regulations, to amend provisions of the rules. Commissioner Tim Schram presiding as Hearing Officer.

1:30 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
NG-0078.4 In the Matter of the Application of Black Hills Gas Distribution, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy for an order authorizing it to increase the Safety and Integrity Charges (2018). Commissioner Frank Landis presiding as Hearing Officer.

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COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

AD-646r In the Matter of the Application of Victory Phones, LLC, Grand Rapids, Michigan, seeking authority to register the connection of an automatic dialing-announcing device; and  
AD-647r In the Matter of the Application of Victory Processing, LLC, Grand Rapids, Michigan, seeking authority to register the connection of an automatic dialing-announcing device:  
Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Mary Ridder, to enter Orders granting applications AD-646r and AD-647r:  
Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Rules and Regulation #201 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking Regulation to amend Title 291, Chapter 14, Recreational Vehicles Rules and Regulations, to adopt the current editions of applicable code books and update related provisions:  
Commissioner Rhoades presiding as Hearing Officer: Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Mary Ridder, to enter an Order adopting proposed rules and issuing Certificate of Adoption. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Crystal Rhoades, Mary Ridder and Tim Schram voting AYE.

TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

LR-356/  
B-1960 In the Matter of Exclusive Limousine Service, Lincoln, seeking authority to establish its rates and charges subject to the provisions of Neb. Rev. Stat. Chapter 75, Article 1 and 2: Motion made by Commissioner Mary Ridder, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to enter an Order granting the application on an emergency basis. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

TNC-2 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking to determine the annual fee for Transportation Network Companies: Motion made by Commissioner Mary Ridder, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to enter an Order setting the annual fee. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Chairman Schram invited the public to address the Commission. No public comments were received.

Motion made by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Mary Ridder, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve Commission invoices. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder and Tim Schram voting AYE, and Commissioner Crystal Rhoades present not voting.

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (Cont.)

State Accounting-Central Finance	\$	8,474.65
Cullen Robbins		179.23
Crystal Rhoades		60.58

The following invoices were paid between December 5, 2017 and December 11, 2017 and should be ratified:

Crystal Rhoades	\$	593.90
Mary Ridder		1,030.42
Tim Schram		509.32

Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Frank Landis, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to approve the schedule of Commission Meetings for 2018. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

Motion made by Commissioner Mary Ridder, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to approve the Executive Director's recommendation to authorized Kent Pribyl to travel to and perform an inspection at Ward Craft Homes, Inc., in Clay Center, Kansas, on Wednesday, December 13, 2017, with all expenses, including time, to be reimbursed to the Commission by Ward Craft Homes, Inc. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder and Tim Schram voting AYE, and Commissioner Crystal Rhoades present not voting.

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The meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m. with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Crystal Rhoades, Mary Ridder, and Tim Schram present. The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on December 19, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on December 18, 2017.

  
Chairman

  
Executive Director