

Notice was duly published March 6, 2018 on Page 5 of The Daily Record that the regular public meeting of the Commissioners of the Nebraska Public Service Commission would be held on March 13, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln.

Chair Mary Ridder 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. Chair Ridder 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, March 13, 2018:

1:30 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
C-4967 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, to determine the surcharge for the statewide Telecommunications Relay System to be effective July 1, 2018. Commissioner Mary Ridder presiding as Hearing Officer.

Tuesday, March 20, 2018:

10:00 Commission Hearing Room, Lincoln  
Commission Meeting

COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

C-3206 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, to administer the Nebraska Internet Enhancement Fund: Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to enter an Order granting extension of time to complete project. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

NUSF-92.51 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: NE Colorado Cellular, Inc., d/b/a Viaero Wireless; and

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COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT (Cont.)

NUSF-92.52 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: Commissioner Frank Landis presiding as Hearing Officer: Motion made by Commissioner Frank Landis, seconded by Commissioner Crystal Rhoades, to enter Orders granting applications NUSF-92.51 and NUSF-92.52, in part. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

Cullen Robbins informed the Commission that an additional outage has been received for February, 2018, that was not previously reported on March 6, 2018.

Telephone Company	Affected Area	Outage Time	Completion Time	Number of Access Lines	Cause Primary	Comments
Windstream Nebraska, Inc.	Lincoln	2/24/18 12:53 AM	2/24/18 4:14 AM	971	Equipment	DMS100 (Centrex) STDR Remote down. Technician replaced failed mux controller cards to restore.

NUSF-111 PI-211 Cullen Robbins informed the Commission that the hearing officer signed an Order extending the reply comment deadline to March 23, 2018.

NEBRASKA 911 DEPARTMENT

911-042.24 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer funding for public safety answering points for the implementation and provision of Enhanced Wireless 911 services: Fillmore County: Motion made by Commissioner Rod Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Tim Schram, to enter an Order approving funding for equipment. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

911-042.25 In the Matter of the Commission, on its own motion, seeking to administer funding for public safety answering points for the implementation and provision of Enhanced Wireless 911 service: Keith County: Motion made by Commissioner Tim Schram, seconded by Commissioner Rod Johnson, to enter an Order approving funding of equipment. Motion passed with Commissioners Rod Johnson, Frank Landis, Mary Ridder, Crystal Rhoades and Tim Schram voting AYE.

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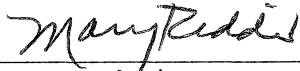
Nichole Mulcahy discussed pending legislation.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

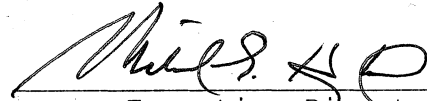
No motion was made on the Executive Director's recommendation to approve Commission invoices. No invoices were presented to the Commission for approval.

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The meeting adjourned at 10:05 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 March 20, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. with an agenda to be available in the office of the Executive Director at 10:00 a.m. on March 19, 2018.



Chair



Executive Director