BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Garden County,) Application No. 911-023.78
Public Safety Answering Point,)
Oshkosh, seeking funding)
approval for recurring and non-) ORDER SETTING HEARING
recurring costs of Enhanced)
Wireless 911 implementation.)
) Entered: November 24, 2009

BY THE COMMISSION:

On or about March 23, 2009, Garden County, Public Safety Answering Point, Oshkosh (Garden County) filed a funding request seeking approval for costs for equipment and software necessary for the provision of enhanced wireless 911 services to be paid from the Enhanced Wireless 911 Fund (Fund).

Garden County had previously requested that the request be suspended. The Enhanced Wireless 911 Advisory Board considered the request at its November 2, 2009 meeting and recommended funding be approved. Pursuant to Neb. Admin. Code, Title 291, Ch. 1, § 5, Progression Order No. 5 in Commission Docket No. 911-001, entered July 16, 2002 PSAPs must have all equipment needed to operate landline enhanced 911 and the capability to receive data prior to receiving funding for equipment and software. Based upon the information available at this time, it appears that Garden County has not satisfied these requirements. Therefore, the Commission finds that a hearing is necessary to determine whether said requirements should be waived.

Based upon the above, the Commission finds that this matter should be set for hearing on **January 12, 2010 at 1:30 p.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska and via video conference at the Panhandle Research and Extension Center, High Plains Room, 4502 Avenue I, Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

If auxiliary aids or reasonable accommodations are needed for attendance at the meeting, please call the Commission at (402) 471-3101. For people with hearing/speech impairments, please call the Commission at (402) 471-0213 (TDD) or the Nebraska Relay System at (800) 833-7352 (TDD) or (800) 833-0920 (Voice). Advance notice of at least seven days is needed when requesting an interpreter.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that hearing is scheduled for **January 12, 2010 at 1:30 p.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska and via video conference at the Panhandle Research and Extension Center, High Plains Room, 4502 Avenue I, Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 24th day of November, 2009.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director