BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska)	Application No.	911-042.65
Public Service Commission, on)		
its own motion, seeking to)		
administer funding for public)	ORDER APPROVING	USE OF
safety answering points for the)	FUNDING	
implementation and provision of)		
Enhanced Wireless 911 service:)		
Dixon County.)	Entered: May 1,	2012

BY THE COMMISSION:

On or about March 26, 2012, Dixon County filed a request for funding of 911 equipment and five (5) years of maintenance at a total cost of \$197,127.50. Dixon County is requesting approval to use wireless funds for 55% of the cost consistent with the default wireless/wireline ratio. Dixon County is not seeking an advance of funds.

Therefore, Dixon County is requesting approval to use funding in the amount of \$108,420.13, representing 55% of the total costs.

The Wireless Enhanced 911 Advisory Board considered the request at its April 9, 2012 meeting and recommended the request be approved.

OPINION AND FINDINGS

The Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission) adopted the permanent cost model to administer funding for public safety answering points for the implementation and provision of Enhanced Wireless 911 service under Docket No. 911-019/PI-118. Pursuant to the permanent funding mechanism, Dixon County is receiving a monthly payment in the amount of \$2,703.25.

Based upon the request for funding, supporting documentation, and in consideration of the recommendation of the Advisory Board, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the costs requested are eligible under Neb. Rev. Stat. § 86-465 as costs be incurred for the have been incurred or will purchase, installation, maintenance operation of telecommunications or telecommunications and services required provision of enhanced wireless 911 service.

Based upon the above, the Commission finds that use of wireless funding by Dixon County should be approved in the amount of \$107,207.59.

Pursuant to Docket 911-019/PI-118, Dixon County is responsible for paying for that portion of the costs attributable to the provision of landline 911 service.

ORDER

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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 1st day of May, 2012.

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//s// Rod Johnson
//s// Frank Landis