

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska) Application No. 911-042.18
Public Service Commission, on)
its own motion, seeking to)
administer funding for public) ORDER APPROVING FUNDING
safety answering points for the)
implementation and provision of)
Enhanced Wireless 911 service:)
City of North Platte.) Entered: July 11, 2017

BY THE COMMISSION:

On or about March 27, 2017, the City of North Platte Public Safety Answering Point (North Platte) filed a request to use set aside funds for the purchase of computer equipment and software to upgrade North Platte's mapping system, in the amount of \$24,503.63.

The costs are shared costs subject to the wireless/wireline ratio. The wireless ratio for North Platte for the 2016-2017 funding year is 88% wireless.

The Wireless Enhanced 911 Advisory Board considered the request at its May 8, 2017 meeting and recommended the request be approved.

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

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.

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 to purchase the mapping system upgrade are eligible under NEB. REV. STAT. § 86-465 as costs have been incurred or will be incurred for the purchase, installation, maintenance or operation of telecommunications equipment and telecommunications services required for the provision of enhanced wireless 911 service.

The amount eligible for funding using set-aside funds would be up to **\$21,563.19** when utilizing the wireless ratio on file with the Commission.

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Based upon the above, the Commission finds that use of set-aside funding by North Platte should be approved in the amount of up to **\$21,563.19**. Annual maintenance amounts should be paid with annually allocated funds and not set-aside funds.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the funding request for the North Platte is hereby approved as set forth above.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska this 11th day of July, 2017.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Mary Fiddler

Crystal Inoades

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Tim Schram

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Chairman

ATTEST:

Jana Knutson

Deputy Director