

SECRETARY'S RECORD, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the)	Application No. C-5126
Application of Jessica Goodwin,)	
Harvard, seeking authority to)	
receive telephone service from)	ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
the Trumbull exchange of the)	
Hamilton Telephone Company.)	
)	Entered: July 14, 2020

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 30, 2020, an application was filed by Jessica Goodwin of Harvard, Nebraska ("Applicant"), seeking authority to receive advanced telecommunications service from the Trumbull Exchange of Hamilton Telephone Company ("Hamilton") in lieu of service from the Harvard Exchange of Windstream Nebraska, Inc. ("Windstream"). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 12, 2020.

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

Windstream and Hamilton are local exchange carriers holding certificates of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in their respective territories. The Applicant, Jessica Goodwin, seeks service to her house, which resides within the boundary of Windstream's Harvard Exchange, and has requested a boundary change so that she may receive advanced telecommunications capability service from Hamilton's Trumbull Exchange. Windstream has notified the Commission that it does not oppose the proposed boundary change. Hamilton has also notified the Commission that it does not object to the boundary change and that it is willing to provide service to the Applicant.

Changes of a local exchange territory are governed by Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 86-135 - 86-138. Section 86-135 states that only upon non-consent of all telephone carriers involved shall the Commission hold a public hearing in the application. With no protest filed by any party and with each of the affected local exchange carriers consenting to the boundary change, the Commission processes this application administratively and without a public hearing.

The Commission staff has modified the relevant exchange maps to show the boundary changes to the relevant exchanges. Copies of the exchange maps with the proposed revisions are attached as Attachment "A" to this Order and are hereby incorporated for

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reference. If either Windstream or Hamilton have objections or changes to the proposed boundary maps, they must contact the Commission with said objections or changes on or before August 15, 2020. If the Commission receives no objections or changes from either party by August 15, 2020, the boundary maps shall be modified as proposed in Attachment "A".

The Commission finds that, in light of the consent between the parties involved, the application is in the public interest and should be granted. It is the expectation of the Commission that the two carriers involved in the boundary change shall collaborate in good faith to ensure that the transition of the customer's service from one carrier to the other shall be as seamless as possible.

O R D E R





IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-5126 be, and it is hereby, granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the revised exchange boundaries detailed in Attachment "A" to this Order be, and are hereby made, the official boundaries of the Harvard Exchange of Windstream Nebraska, Inc., and the Trumbull Exchange of Hamilton Telephone Company.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 14th day of July, 2020.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

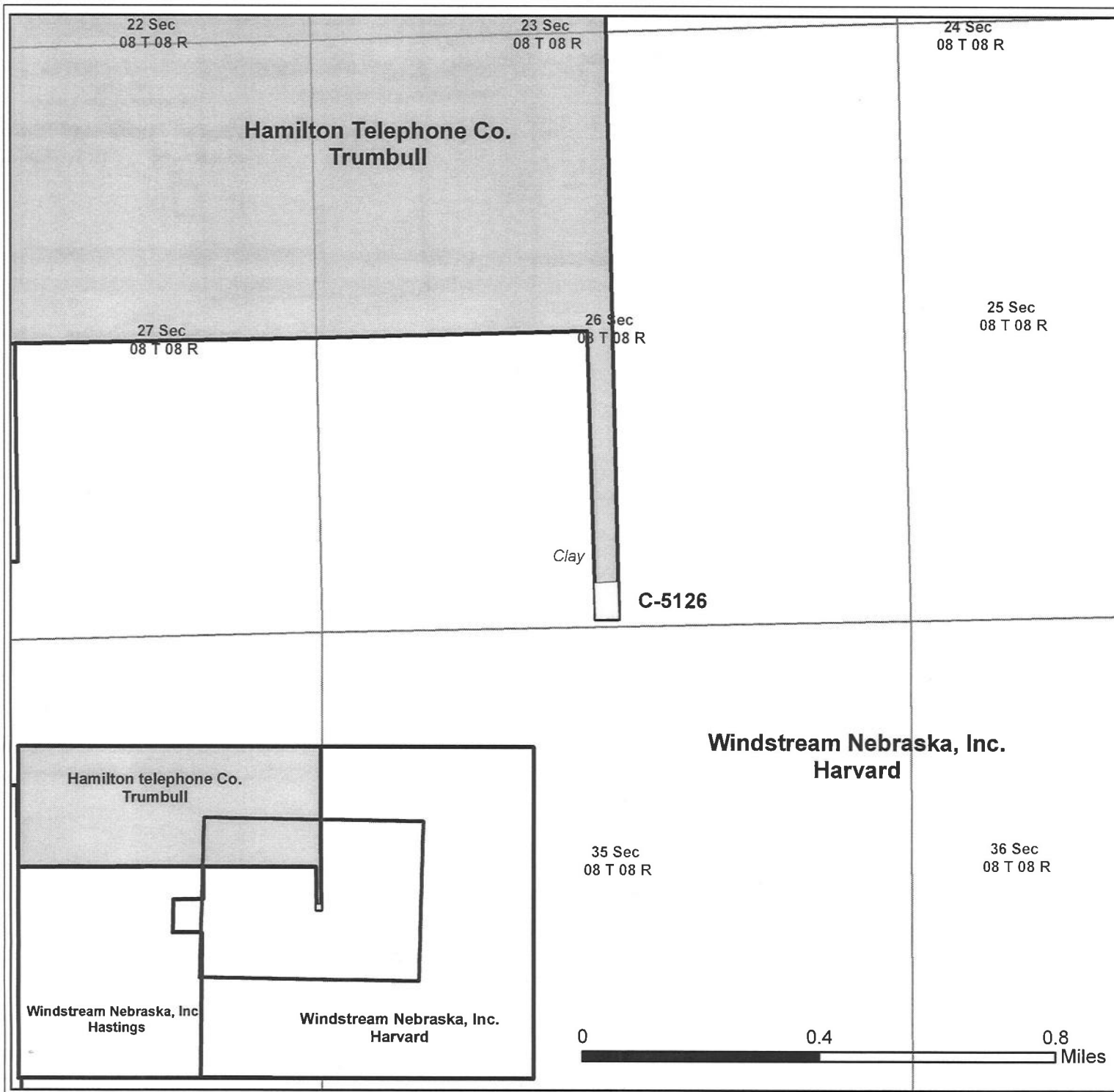







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ATTEST:


Executive Director



Attachment A (1 of 2)

Hamilton Telephone Co. Trumbull Exchange

-  Area of Change - C-5126
-  New Trumbull Boundary
-  New Exchange Boundaries
-  County Boundaries







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Attachment A (2 of 2)

Windstream Nebraska, Inc. Harvard Exchange

-  Area of Change - C-5126
-  New Harvard Boundary
-  New Exchange Boundaries
-  County Boundaries



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