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BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Applicati	on No. C-66	2
of Great Plains Communications, Inc.,	j		J. 110 . 0 00	, <u>L</u>
Blair, Nebraska, for a Certificate	j			
of Convenience and Necessity to)	GRANTED		
Construct, Install, Maintain and)			
Operate Toll Telephone Facilities	j			
at Wood Lake, Nebraska.)	Entered:	September	9. 1986

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By its application filed July 11, 1986, Great Plains Communications, Inc., Blair, Nebraska, seeks a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to construct, install, maintain and operate toll telephone facilities at Wood Lake, Nebraska.

Notice of the filing of the application was published pursuant to the provisions of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. No protest to the application has been filed.

Applicant owns and operates the telephone exchanges at Wood Lake, Nebraska. The Northwestern Bell Telephone Company presently furnishes toll telephone service at said exchange.

Applicant proposes to construct, operate and maintain the required toll terminal equipment at its exchange and the toll cables from said central office to connect with the facilities of Northwestern Bell Telephone Company at a terminal located in the Northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 31 North, Range 25 West, Cherry County, Nebraska.

The Northwestern Bell Telephone Company is agreeable with the application and has filed its consent thereto. Any existing facilities of Northwestern Bell Telephone Company will be removed or otherwise disposed of and no duplication of facilities will be created.

The application is fair and reasonable, is in the public interest and should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-662 be and it is hereby granted and Great Plains Communications, Inc., be and it is hereby authorized to construct, operate and maintain toll telephone facilities at Wood Lake, Nebraska, as set forth in the Opinion and Findings, which by this reference is made a part hereof.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order be and it is hereby made the Commission's Official Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to furnish toll telephone service at Wood Lake, Nebraska, as set forth in the Opinion and Findings, which by this reference is made a part hereof.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file a map with the Commission showing the route of its proposed toll telephone facilities.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 9th day of September, 1986.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Bob Brayton

//s//James F. Munnelly

//s//Eric Rasmussen

//s//Harold D. Simpson

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Executive Secretary