

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Commission, on its own motion,) Application No. C-2341
seeking a clarification of the)
service area boundary between the)
Ainsworth exchange, served by US) ORDER CLOSING DOCKET
West and the Springview exchange,)
served by Three River Telco, Lynch,))
Nebraska, in the Meadville,)
Nebraska, area.) Entered: August 29, 2000

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

This docket was opened on July 11, 2000, to correct and clarify the boundaries between US West's Ainsworth exchange and Three River Telco's Springview exchange. During our investigation in Docket No. C-2244, it was discovered that two customers residing in the Meadville area of the Springview exchange, Dennis Jones and Ervin & Linda Lindeman, were receiving service from US West, local exchange provider in the neighboring Ainsworth exchange.

The parties have agreed to the following solution: the Springview exchange boundary extends south to the Niobrara River, includes the Village of Meadville, and also includes the residences of Mr. Jones and the Lindemans. This designation of the boundary line in no way differs from the official boundary line currently recognized by the Commission. However, Mr. Jones' and the Lindemans' service will be grandfathered - that is, their service will continue to be provided by US West as long as they or any member of their immediate family continue to live at the same location. Should Mr. Jones or the Lindemans move from their current residence, any new occupants who are not members of their immediate family will receive service from Three River Telco, in accordance with the established boundary lines.

This proposal having been reviewed by all affected parties, with no objection being received from any party, the Commission finds that it is in the public interest and should be adopted.

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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that local exchange service in the Meadville, Nebraska area be provided as described above.

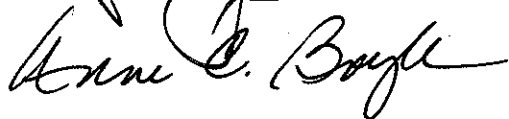
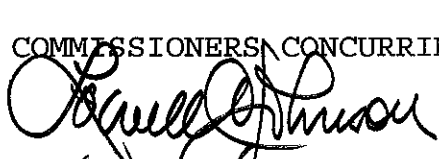
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that both US West Communications, Inc. and Three River Telco file revised exchange boundary maps that detail the service provided in Meadville by September 29, 2000.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that as the purpose of this docket has been completed, the docket should be, and is hereby, closed.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 29th day of August, 2000.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

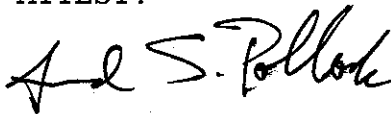


//s//Frank E. Landis



Chairman

ATTEST:



Executive Director