

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application     ) Application No. C-2506/PI-48  
of the Commission, on its own     )  
motion, to seek comment on the     ) ORDER DESIGNATING 511  
establishment and implementation   ) FOR ACCESS TO ATWIS  
of "511" as a statewide three     )  
digit calling number reserved     )  
for access to Advanced Traveler    )  
Weather Information System        ) Entered: May 23, 2001  
(ATWIS).

BY THE COMMISSION:

On March 20, 2001, representatives from the Nebraska State Patrol and the Nebraska Department of Roads presented to the Commission a proposal to create an Advanced Traveler Weather Information System (ATWIS).

ATWIS would provide route-specific weather forecasts and road condition reports to callers based upon specific location information provided by the caller. This constantly updated information should result in safer and more efficient travel throughout Nebraska. The proposed system would be reached by individuals in Nebraska by dialing "511" a statewide three digit number.

On May 2, 2001, the Commission held a workshop and a public hearing in this matter. Based on the information received at those forums, the Commission finds:

1. The NXX three digit dialing code of "511" should be reserved and designated as the number for the ATWIS system.
2. The Department of Roads and the Nebraska State Patrol will move forward to deploy the ATWIS system.
3. The Commission will schedule a workshop on August 15, 2001 to address further implementation issues and develop an implementation schedule.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that 511 be and it is hereby designated for access to ATWIS.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a workshop be scheduled for August 15, 2001, at 1:30 p.m. CDT in the Commission Hearing Room, to address further implementation issues and develop an implementation schedule.

MADE AND ENTERED in Lincoln, Nebraska on this 23rd day of May, 2001.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director