

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission,) Application No. C-3049
on its own motion, to conduct an)
investigation into possible)
solutions for extending the life) ORDER CONTINUING HEARING AND
of area codes 308 and 402.) REVISING APPENDICES
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Entered: March 28, 2006

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On November 13, 2003, the Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission) opened Docket No. C-3049 to conduct an investigation into possible solutions for extending the life of area code 308 and 402. On November 23, 2004, the Commission petitioned the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for authority to implement additional number conservation measures. On February 24, 2006, the FCC granted the Commission the authority it requested. The Commission found in an order issued on March 14, 2006, that a hearing should be held to establish a timeline and procedure to implement mandatory thousand block pooling in the 402 area code. The hearing was scheduled for May 16, 2006 and interested parties were asked to file direct testimony by May 8, 2006.

Due to scheduling conflicts, I find that the hearing date should be moved to **June 1, 2006 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 1200 N Street, Suite 300, Lincoln, Nebraska. The hearing shall be conducted in a legislative hearing format, allowing for comments by any interested parties. I further find that the date for interested parties to file direct testimony should also be extended to no later than **5:00 p.m. on May 22, 2006.**

Attached to this order and incorporated herein by reference are revised Appendices A and B that replace Appendices A and B included with the order issued in this docket by the Commission on March 14, 2006.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the hearing officer that the hearing in Docket No. C-3049, be and is hereby continued to **June 1, 2006 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Commission Hearing Room, 1200 N Street, Suite 300, Lincoln, Nebraska.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the deadline for interested parties to file direct testimony be and is hereby extended to no later than **5:00 p.m. on May 22, 2006.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Appendices A and B attached hereto replace Appendices A and B previously issued with the Commission's order in this docket on March 14, 2006.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 28th day of March, 2006.

By: _____
Frank E. Landis
Hearing Officer