BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission,)	Application No. C-3099/
on its own motion, seeking)	PI-77
comment on the request by United)	
Way of the Midlands to be)	ORDER OPENING DOCKET
assigned the use of "211" in the	,	ORDER OF HIVE DOCKET
City of Lincoln and Lancaster)	
County for access to First Call)	
for Help (FCFH), a comprehensive)	Entered: February 3, 2004
information and referral)	
service.)	

BY THE COMMISSION:

On January 28, 2004, the Commission docketed a request by United Way of the Midlands for use of "211" as the dialing code for First Call for Help (FCFH) services in the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County. The Commission previously assigned "211" to United Way of the Midlands for use in Douglas and Sarpy Counties, by order entered February 20, 2002, and in Dodge and Cass Counties, by order entered July 23, 2002.

First Call for Help, a program of the United Way of the Midlands Volunteer Resource Center, is a comprehensive information and referral service.

In order to proceed on this request, this docket will evaluate the public benefits of designating "211" for the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County. The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter at a date later to be determined.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that all interested parties are invited to participate in a hearing on this matter at a date later to be determined.

MADE AND ENTERED in Lincoln, Nebraska on this 3rd day of February, 2004.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director