

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-4808
of Ryan Wells, Holdrege, seeking)
authority to receive advanced)
telecommunications service from) GRANTED
the Funk Exchange of Glenwood)
Telephone Membership)
Corporation.) Entered: February 9, 2016

BY THE COMMISSION:

On July 23, 2015, an application was filed by Ryan Wells of Holdrege, Nebraska, seeking a boundary change to receive advanced telecommunications service from the Funk Exchange of Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation in lieu of their current telephone service from CenturyLink. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on December 29, 2015.

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

Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation ("Glenwood") and CenturyLink are local exchange carriers holding certificates of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in their respective territories. Ryan Wells resides within the boundary of CenturyLink's Holdrege Exchange, and has requested a boundary change so that he may receive advanced telecommunications service from the Funk Exchange of Glenwood. CenturyLink has notified the Commission that it does not oppose the proposed boundary change.

Changes of a local exchange territory are governed by *Neb. Rev. Stat.* §§ 86-135 to 86-138. Section 86-135 states that only upon non-consent of all telephone carriers involved shall the Commission hold a public hearing in the application. With no protest filed by any party and with each of the affected local exchange carriers consenting to the boundary change, the Commission processes this application administratively and without a public hearing. Glenwood, CenturyLink, and the Commission staff have collaborated and modified the relevant exchange maps to show the agreed upon boundary changes to portions of the Holdrege and Funk Exchanges. A copy of the two exchange maps with the agreed upon revisions is attached as Attachment "1" to this Order and hereby incorporated by reference.

The Commission finds that, in light of the consent between the parties involved, the application is in the public interest and should be granted. It is the expectation of the Commission

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collaborate in good faith to ensure that the transition of the customer's service from one carrier to the other shall be as seamless as possible.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-4808 be, and it is hereby, granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the boundaries as shown in Attachment "1" to this Order be, and are hereby made, the official boundaries of Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation and CenturyLink.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 9th day of February, 2016.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Gerald W. Coy
Crystal Knodes
Paul Johnson

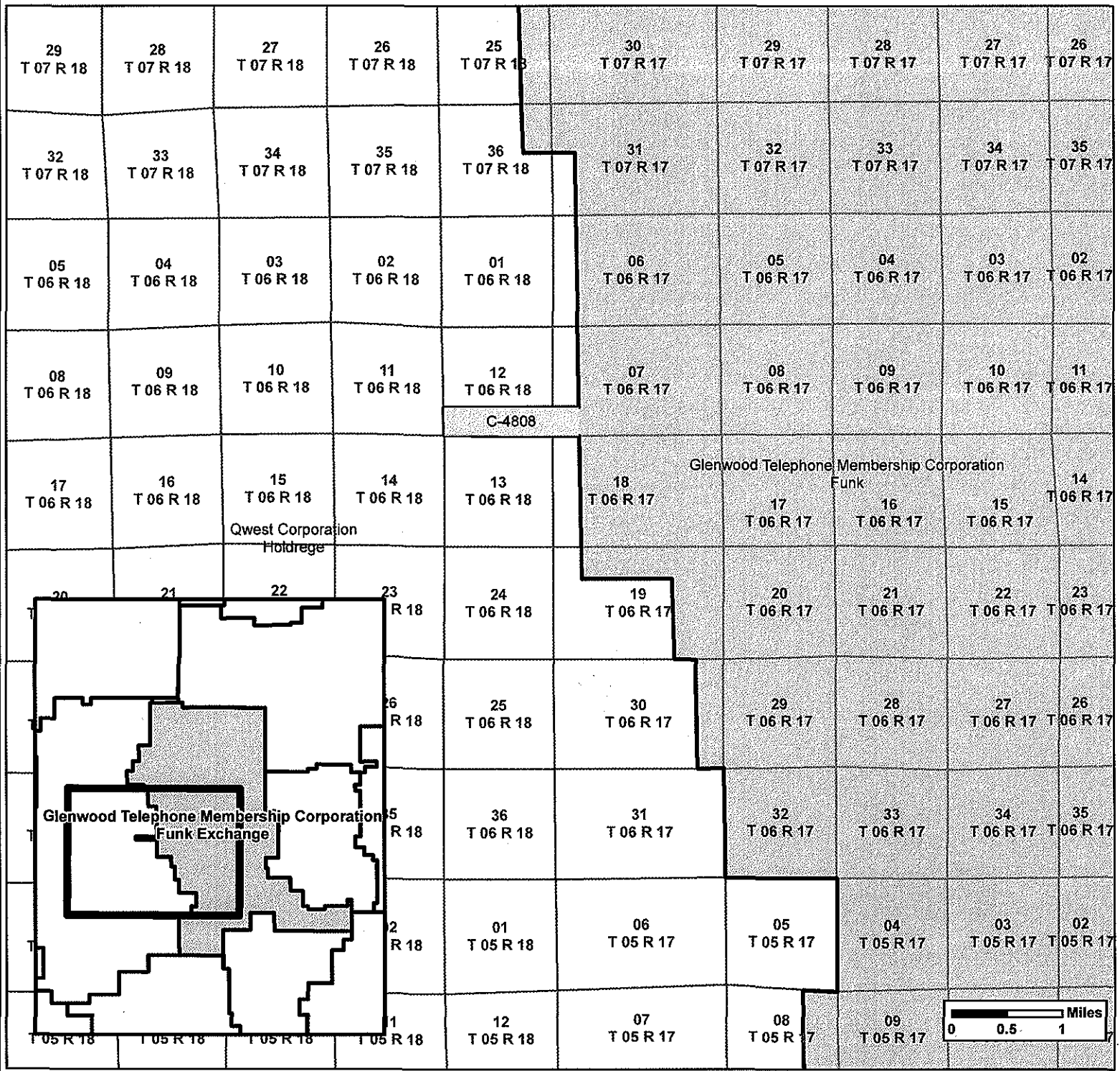
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Chairman

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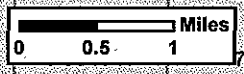
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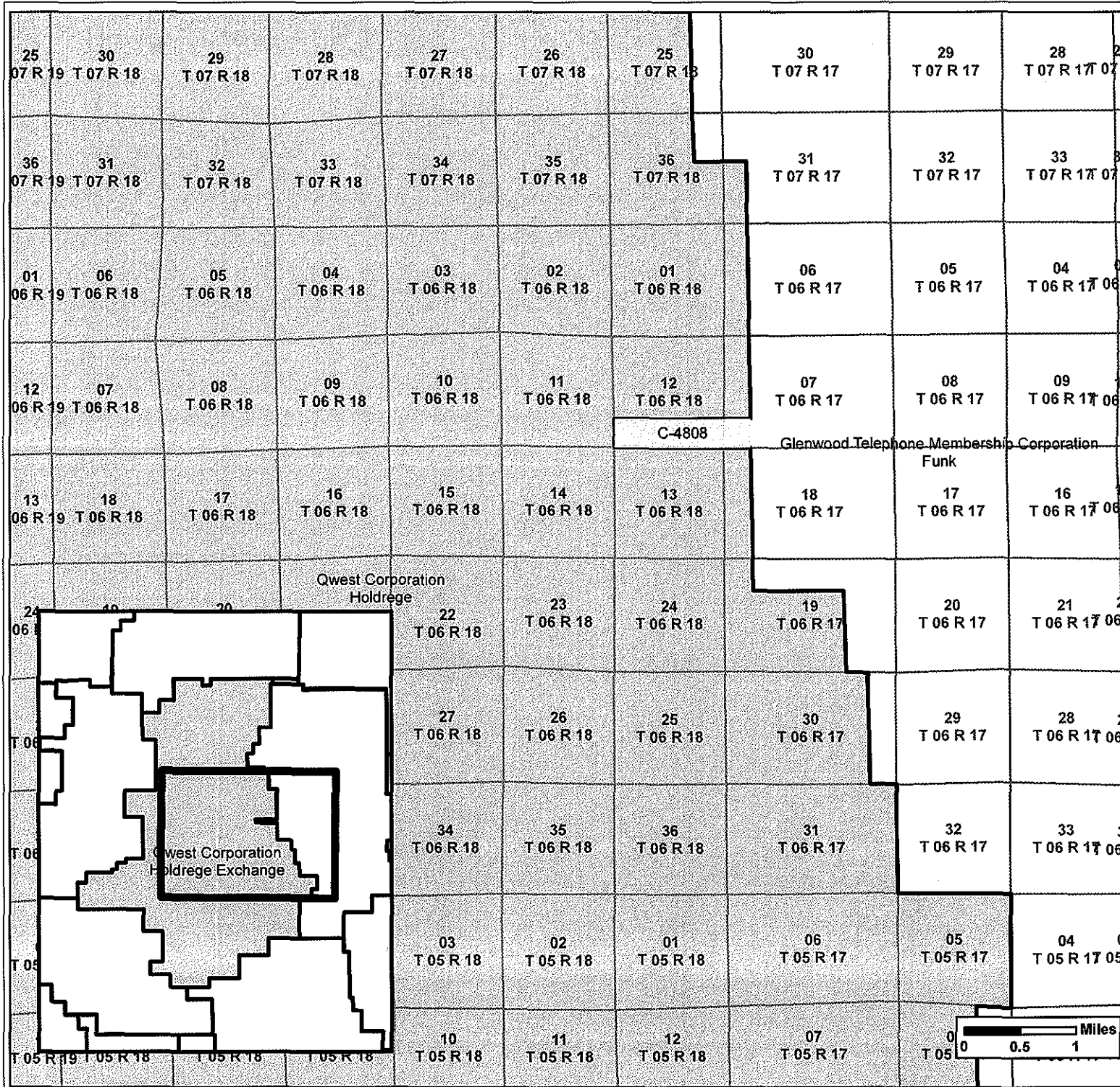
//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Tim Schram

Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation Funk Exchange






- Areas of Change
- New Funk Exchange
- Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
- Section Lines





**Qwest Corporation
Holdrege Exchange**

-  Areas of Change
-  Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
-  Section Lines

