

# SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application ) Application Nos. C-4852/NUSF-105  
of Boomerang Wireless, LLC d/b/a )  
enTouch Wireless, Hiawatha, )  
Iowa, seeking designation as an )  
Eligible Telecommunications ) PLANNING CONFERENCE ORDER AND  
Carrier in the State of Nebraska ) NOTICE OF HEARING  
for the limited purpose of )  
offering wireless lifeline )  
service to qualified households. ) Entered: September 22, 2016

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On July 5, 2016, Boomerang Wireless, LLC d/b/a enTouch Wireless ("Boomerang" or "Applicant") filed an application seeking designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") in the State of Nebraska for the limited purpose of participating in the Lifeline program. Notice of the docket was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on July 8, 2016. No protests or interventions were filed.

### Planning Conference

A planning conference was held in the above-captioned docket on September 12, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. CDT in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska, and via telephone conference. The following persons were present at the conference: for the Commission, Commissioner Tim Schram, Nichole Mulcahy, Legal Counsel, Cullen Robbins, Director of the Communications Department, and Sue Vanicek, Director of the Telecommunications and Infrastructure and Public Safety Department. Participating via telephone for Boomerang, Russell A. Westerhold of Fraser Stryker PC LLO.

As a result of the planning conference, several issues were decided. Therefore, this order serves to memorialize those decisions and to provide a timeline for proceeding in this docket.

### Deadlines

Deadlines for various events were established and are set forth in Appendix A.

### Service

All parties shall file all documents on all parties of record. All parties shall file all documents in electronic format via email with paper copies sent via mail to follow.

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**Hearing**

A Hearing in Docket C-4852/NUSF-105 will be held on **Tuesday, December 6, 2016, at 1:30 p.m. CST** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

**Hearing Fee/Accommodations**

The Applicant has agreed to arrange for a court reporter for the hearing on this matter. Therefore, the hearing fee of one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) for each half-day shall be waived consistent with Commission policy.

If auxiliary aids or reasonable accommodations are needed for attendance at the meeting, please call the Commission at (402) 471-3101. For people with hearing/speech impairments, please call the Commission at (402) 471-0213 (TDD) or the Nebraska Relay System at (800) 833-7352 (TDD) or (800) 833-0920 (Voice). Advance notice of at least seven days is needed when requesting an interpreter.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Hearing Officer that the deadlines and requirements established in this order and attached hereto are hereby adopted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing in Docket No. C-4852/NUSF-105 will be held on **Tuesday, December 6, 2016, at 1:30 p.m. CST** in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2016.

BY:



Tim Schram  
HEARING OFFICER

APPENDIX A

**PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

| <b><u>DATE</u></b> | <b><u>EVENT</u></b>                              |
|--------------------|--|
| September 16       | Staff Data Requests to Company filed             |
| October 14         | Applicant responses to Staff Data Requests filed |
| October 28         | Applicant Direct Testimony filed                 |
| November 9         | Testimony of Staff Filed, if necessary           |
| December 5         | Deadline to file Prehearing Motions              |
| December 6         | Hearing beginning at 1:30 p.m. CST               |