

# SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application ) Application No. C-4870  
of Margaret E. Wehrman, Kenesaw, )  
seeking authority to receive )  
advanced telecommunications ) GRANTED  
service from the Blue Hill )  
Exchange of Glenwood Telephone )  
Membership Corporation. ) Entered: November 8, 2016

### BY THE COMMISSION:

On September 6, 2016, an application was filed by Margaret E. Wehrman of Kenesaw, seeking a boundary change to receive advanced telecommunications service from the Blue Hill Exchange of Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation (Glenwood) in lieu of their current telephone service from Windstream Nebraska, Inc. (Windstream). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on September 21, 2016.

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

Glenwood and Windstream Nebraska, Inc. (Windstream) are local exchange carriers holding certificates of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in their respective territories. Margaret E. Wehrman resides within the boundary of Windstream's Kenesaw Exchange, and has requested a boundary change so that she may receive advanced telecommunications service from the Blue Hill Exchange of Glenwood. Windstream 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. If either Glenwood or Windstream have objections or changes to the proposed boundary maps, they have until November 29, 2016, to contact the Commission with said objections or changes. If the Commission receives no objections or changes from either party by November 29, 2016, the boundary maps shall be modified as proposed in Appendix "A".

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 that the two carriers involved in the boundary change shall collaborate in good faith to ensure that the transition of the

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customer's service from one carrier to the other shall be as seamless as possible.

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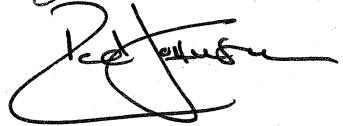
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-4870 be, and it is hereby, granted.


IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that on or before November 29, 2016, Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation and Windstream Nebraska, Inc., shall contact the Commission with any changes or concerns regarding the boundaries as proposed in Appendix "A" to this Order. If no objection is received from either company, the boundaries as shown in Appendix "A" to this order shall be the official boundaries of Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation and Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

  
Chairman




ATTEST:

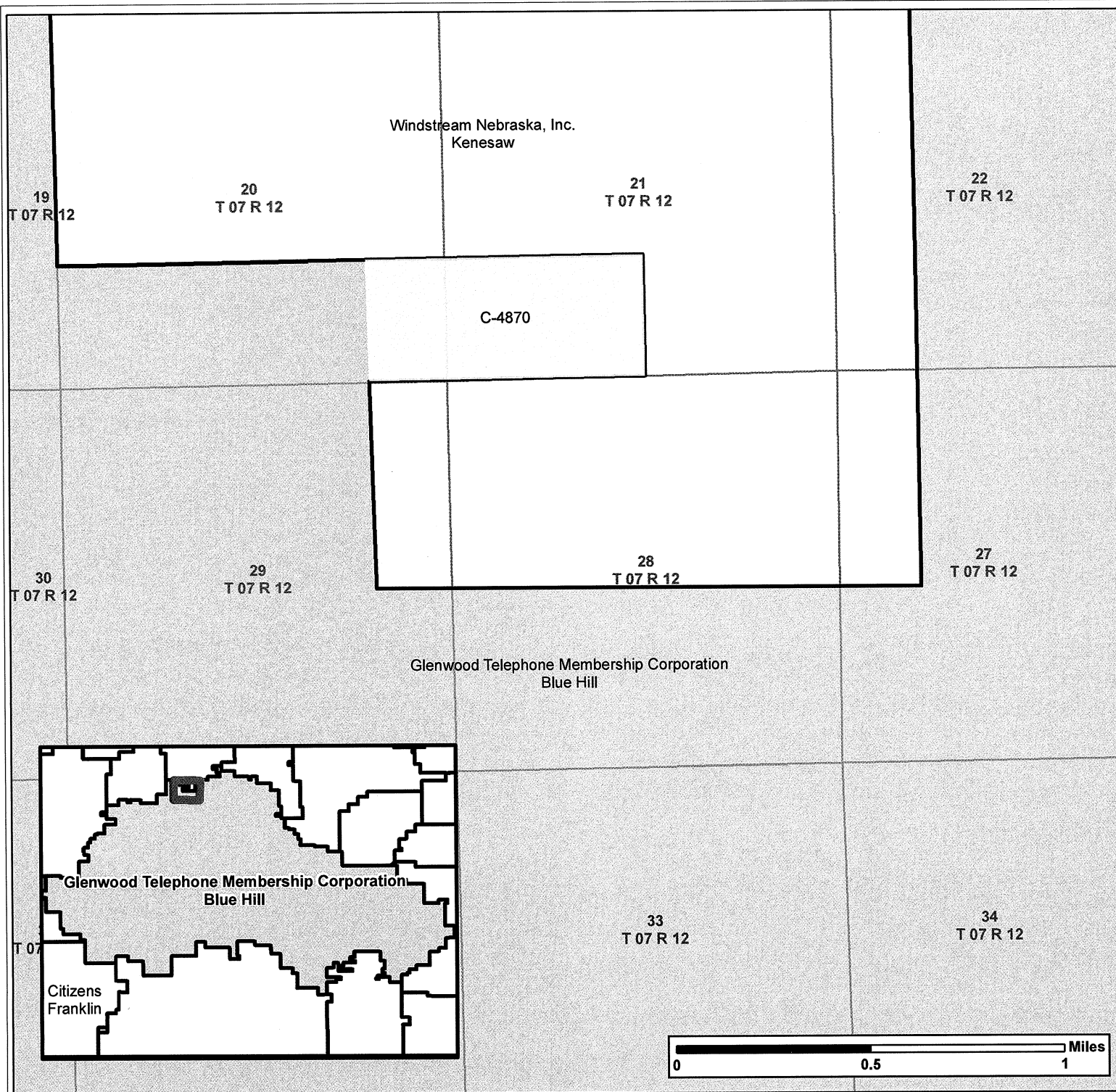
  
Executive Director

//s//Frank E. Landis

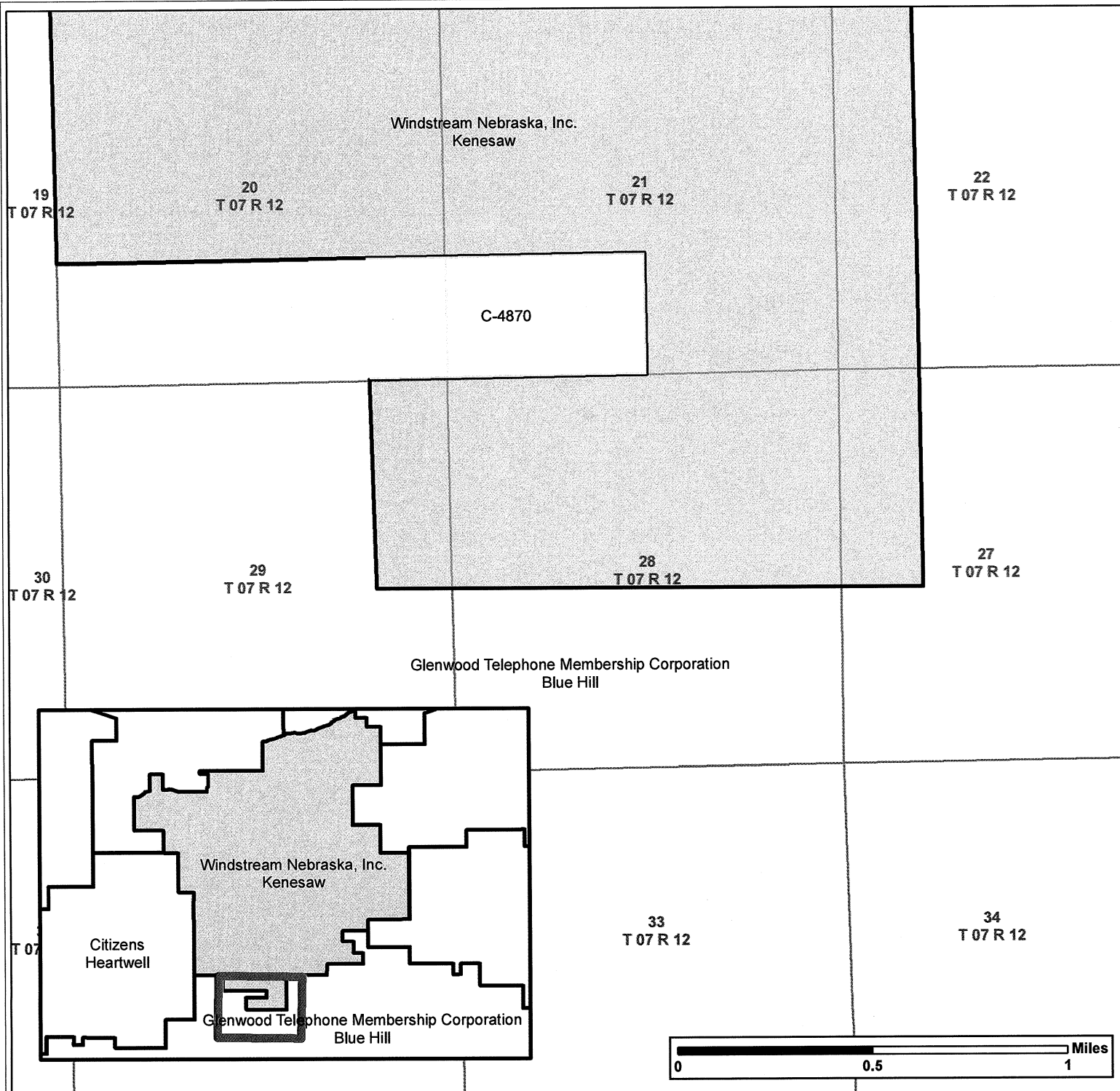
//s//Tim Schram

**Glenwood Telephone  
Membership Corp.  
Blue Hill Exchange**

- Area of Change
-  New Blue Hill Boundary
  -  Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
  -  Section Lines



**Windstream Nebraska, Inc.  
Kenesaw Exchange**



- Area of Change
- Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
- Section Lines
- New Kenesaw Boundary

