

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-4937
of Alan Dobry, Overton,)
Nebraska, seeking authority to)
receive advanced) GRANTED
telecommunications service from)
the Overton Exchange of Arapahoe)
Telephone Company.) Entered: September 12, 2017

BY THE COMMISSION:

On July 24, 2017, an application was filed by Alan Dobry of Overton, Nebraska, seeking a boundary change to receive advanced telecommunications service from the Overton Exchange of Arapahoe Telephone Company (Arapahoe) in lieu of his current telephone service from Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska d/b/a Frontier Communications of Nebraska (Frontier). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on July 27, 2017.

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

Arapahoe and Frontier are local exchange carriers holding certificates of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in their respective territories. Alan Dobry resides within the boundary of Frontier's Sumner Exchange, and has requested a boundary change so that he may receive advanced telecommunications service from the Overton Exchange of Arapahoe. Frontier 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.

The Commission staff has modified the relevant exchange maps to show the boundary changes to the Overton and Sumner Exchanges. Copies of the exchange maps with the proposed revisions are attached as Attachment "1" to this Order and hereby incorporated for reference. If either Arapahoe or Frontier have objections or changes to the proposed boundary maps, they have until September 26, 2017, to contact the Commission with said objections or changes. If the Commission receives no objections or changes from

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either party by September 26, 2017, the boundary maps shall be modified as proposed in Attachment "1".

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 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-4937 be, and it is hereby, granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that on or before September 26, 2017, Arapahoe Telephone Company and Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska d/b/a Frontier Communications of Nebraska shall contact the Commission with any changes or concerns regarding the boundaries as proposed in Attachment "1" to this Order. If no objection is received from either company, the boundaries as shown in Attachment "1" to this Order shall be the official boundaries of Arapahoe Telephone Company and Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska d/b/a Frontier Communications of Nebraska.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 12th day of September, 2017.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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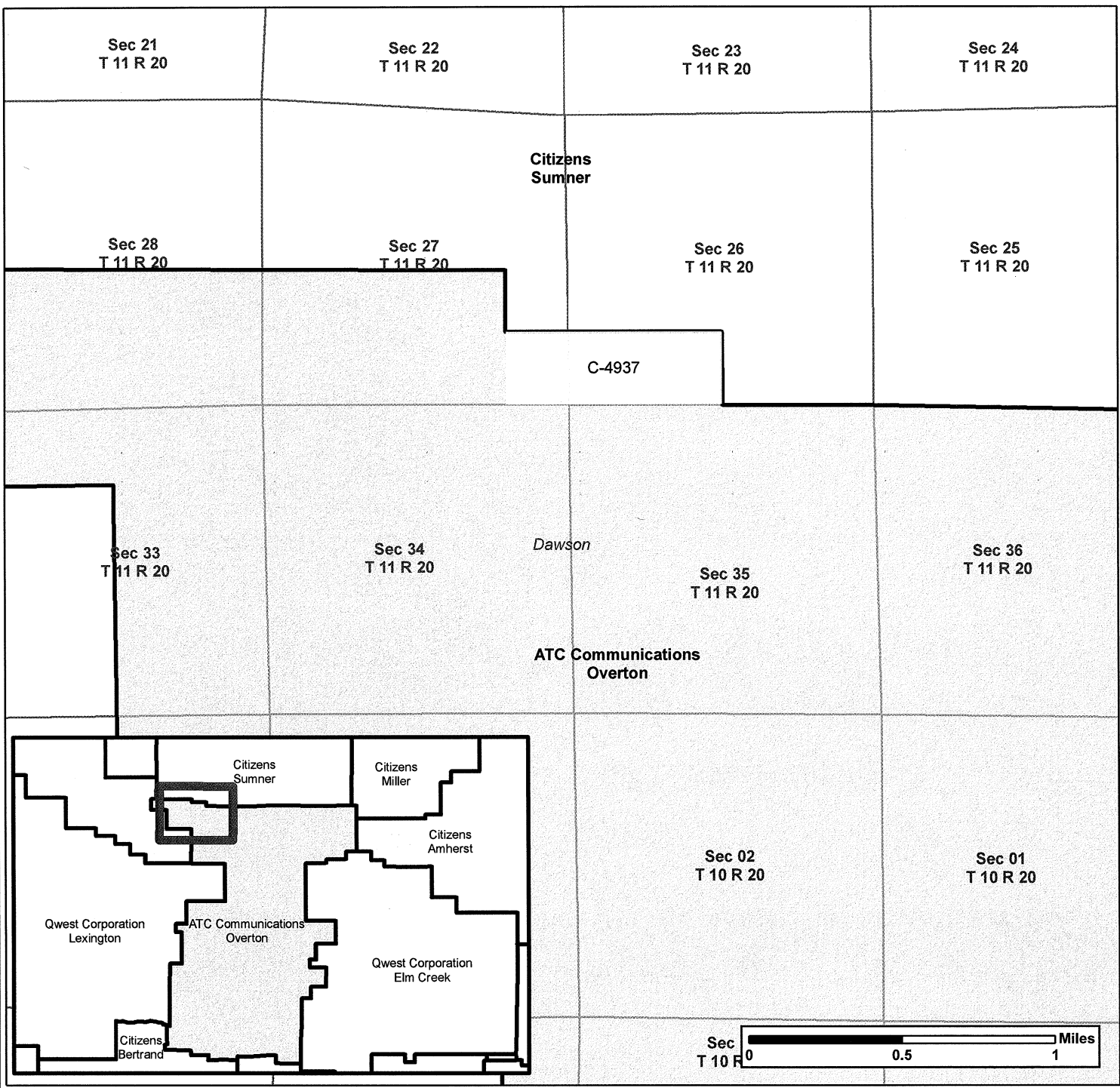
Executive Director

//s//Frank E. Landis





//s//Tim Schram

ATC Communications
Overton Exchange

- Area of Change; C-4937
- New Overton Boundary
- Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
- County Boundaries



Citizens Sumner Exchange

-  Area of Change; C-4937
-  New Sumner Boundary
-  Exchange Boundaries (Proposed)
-  County Boundaries



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