

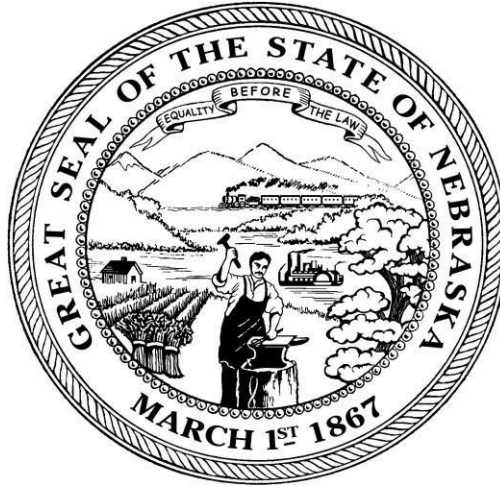


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In the past year, Nebraska as a state has worked hard to emerge from the impacts felt during the COVID-19 pandemic. While the challenges that we have had to confront have been significant, so have the opportunities. The pandemic continued to shine a bright light on the need for access to broadband. While the Commission has been focused on this issue for years, 2020/2021 saw significant activity within the federal and state legislatures aimed at bringing broadband services to the areas that lack them. We are encouraged that through the significant federal and state funding that is allocated to broadband deployment, we will see progress towards bridging the digital divide.

Through the Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF), the Commission continues to incentivize deployment of broadband-capable networks in rural areas. We have opened a new docket (NUSF-108, P.O. #6) aimed at making modifications to the funding mechanism for rate of return carriers. We have opened a docket to set in place the procedures for conducting a reverse auction for areas where price cap carriers have declined to deploy broadband.

The Commission also completed a multi-year process to reform the way that money is remitted into the NUSF, moving from a percentage-based surcharge to a connections-based surcharge. The Commission initially made a change to residential services in 2019 and followed that with an order in 2021 that would implement that change for business services starting in 2022. Both of these changes were in response to rapidly dropping remittances that caused instability and unpredictability in the NUSF.

The Nebraska Broadband Bridge Act, or LB 388, was signed into law by the Governor in May. This Act puts in place a framework for a broadband grant program and allocates at least \$20 million per year for 2 years to the program. The Commission has made significant progress towards kicking off the grant process for 2021, with the first round of applications due on October 1, 2021. The goal of the act was to bring 100/100 Mbps broadband service to areas that are unserved or underserved today. We believe this program is a significant step towards closing the digital divide.

Nebraska continues to make progress towards deploying a statewide Next Generation 911 (NG911) System. The Commission has contracted with Lumen and its partner Intrado to provide the Emergency Services Network (ESInet) and Core Services for NG911, respectively. These are significant steps towards deployment of a 911 system that will meet the needs of those who dial emergency services today and into the future.

These are just a few of the highlights on what the Commission has accomplished over the past year. I encourage you to read through the annual report for additional details on these programs, as well as information about some of the other accomplishments we have achieved over the past year, and for the data and statistics that we collect about the communications systems in place in Nebraska.

We appreciate that the Legislature's confidence in our agency to carry out the provisions of the Broadband Bridge Act, and we look forward to sharing additional details about what has been accomplished through that program, as well as the other programs our agency administers. I believe the pandemic has highlighted the need for a robust and reliable communications infrastructure, and we will continue to focus our efforts on making that a reality for all Nebraskans.

Sincerely,

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Executive Summary

This report includes information on a multitude of communications issues. The Commission continues its efforts to facilitate the transition to broadband-based networks and increase the availability of broadband services across the state. A brief overview follows:

Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF)

The Commission continues collection of Nebraska Universal Services Fund (NUSF) remittances under a connections-based contribution methodology. The surcharge set at \$1.75 per connection for residential services, produced a fund size of approximately \$47 million per year. Remittances into the fund were largely stabilized, where month-to-month variations were greatly reduced. The Commission issued an order in NUSF-119 to move business services to a connections-based contribution methodology and assess business services at the same \$1.75 per connection surcharge.

The Commission, through its NUSF-108 and NUSF-99 proceedings, continued to modify the allocation mechanisms to promote and incentivize broadband buildout in areas that lack service.

The Commission provided support for the construction of mobile wireless towers in areas that lack sufficient coverage.

The Commission received eight applications for support through the NUSF-117 E-rate Special Construction Matching Fund Program, which is designed to assist libraries and schools with getting robust broadband connections by offsetting the costs of construction.

The Commission continues to support low-income residents through its Nebraska Telephone Assistance Program (NTAP).

The Commission continued its participation on the Rural Broadband Task Force, which aims to examine technologies and strategies to bring broadband to high cost rural areas. A new report from the Task Force to the Legislature is due in November 2021.

The Commission opened a docket regarding the processes and procedures for conducting a reverse auction.

State 911

The Commission continues to support Legacy Enhanced 911 by providing nearly \$4.9 million in support to the 911 Emergency Communications Centers across the state. Additionally, the Commission provides another \$2.6 million to local exchange carriers for selective routing and \$900,000 for wireless service providers.

Executive Summary Continued....

The state 911 Department continues efforts towards implementing Next Generation 911 (NG911) in Nebraska by deploying the statewide 911 Service System. Working in cooperation with the 911 Service System Advisory Committee (911 SSAC), the Commission issued a Request For Proposal (RFP), for a vendor hosted statewide Emergency Services Internet Protocol Network (ESInet) and NG911 Core Services (NGCS). As a result of the RFP process, the Commission awarded a contract to Lumen (formerly CenturyLink) to provide the statewide ESInet and its partner Intrado to provide the Next Generation 911 Core Services.

The State 911 Department works with local government officials and vendors to create and maintain NG911 specific Geographic Information System (GIS) data in order to advance the 911 Service System to locate and route 911 calls.

A new funding model and mandatory minimum training standards have been developed with recommendations from the 911 Service System Advisory Committee made to the Commission for adoption and implementation.

Legislative Action- 2021

LB 247- This bill created the Mental Health Crisis Hotline Task Force. The Task Force is directed to develop an implementation plan for 988 mental health crisis hotline pursuant to the federal National Suicide Hotline Designation Act of 2020. The Commission was allotted a representative on the task force and will be participating in meetings starting in late 2021.

LB 338- This bill redefined broadband from the prior 25/3 Mbps down/up standard to a higher, 100/100 Mbps down/up standard. It also directed the commission to only provide support for new broadband infrastructure that is scalable to that 100/100 Mbps speed definition. The bill directed recipients of ongoing high cost support to submit speed tests as determined by the Commission. Additionally, it provided a framework for redirecting funding from an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) to other providers via a rural-based plan. Finally, the bill declared that it is in the public interest, for public entities that receive federal funding for broadband to ensure that the service is scalable to 100/100 Mbps down/up.

LB 388- This bill put in place the framework for the Nebraska broadband bridge Act, a grant program administered by the Commission. This program is designed to bring 100/100 Mbps broadband service to unserved and underserved areas of the state. The bill provides definitions for unserved and underserved (25/3 Mbps and 100/20 Mbps, respectively) and puts in place priority tiers for the evaluation of applications.

It directs the Commission to establish scoring criteria for applications, puts in place a challenge process, and sets deadlines by which applications are due. Applicants are required to provide a 50% match of the cost of the project and are required to submit speed test information upon completion of an awarded project. Maximum grant awards are set at \$5 million, and \$20 million of general funds was allocated for each of the first two-years of the program. The bill also included a provision whereby additional funds earmarked for broadband can be included in this grant program. Additional details on the grant program can be found on the Commission website at:

<https://psc.nebraska.gov/telecommunications/broadband-bridge-act-grant-program>

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PART I- OVERVIEW

Brief History of the Commission

The Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission) is a constitutionally created executive body established under Article IV, Section 20 of the Nebraska Constitution. The Commission is comprised of five elected Commissioners serving six-year terms. The Commission was initially created by the Legislature in 1885 to regulate railroads but was not firmly established until the passage of a constitutional amendment in 1906 creating a three-member elected Railway Commission. Membership was increased to five Commissioners in 1964 and the state was divided into five districts, each to elect a commissioner. The name was changed to the current Public Service Commission by a general election vote in 1972.

Today the Commission regulates telecommunications carriers, natural gas jurisdictional utilities, railroads, household goods movers and passenger carriers, grain warehouses and dealers, construction of manufactured and modular homes and recreational vehicles, high voltage electric transmission lines, and private water company rates. The Commission also oversees and administers several statutorily created funds with specific legislative purposes and goals including the Nebraska Universal Service Fund, the 911 Service System Fund, and the Nebraska Telecommunications Relay System Fund.

The Commission is active on local, state, and national levels and contributes on all levels to determine policy regarding the future of communications and universal service. Many Commissioners, past and present, have served on boards, committees, and advisory groups to recommend and give insight on policy matters to both state and federal agencies and legislative bodies.



The Telecommunications Act of 1996

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 was the first major rewrite of the Communications Act of 1934 and legislatively encouraged increased competition and universal service. The 1996 Act set out priorities for universal service, including quality and reasonably priced services for all customers including those in rural, low-income and high-cost regions, equitable and nondiscriminatory service, specific and predictable price structure, and access to service for schools, health care institutions and libraries. The goals were to be achieved through the creation of the Universal Service Fund (USF) into which all telecommunication providers are required to contribute a percentage of their telecommunications revenue.

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 further provided for competition in the local service market. The Commission implemented key provisions of the 1996 Telecommunications Act to further the goal of increased competition while maintaining quality and affordable service. The Commission, under the 1996 Act, designated companies as competitive local exchange carriers (CLECs) to provide service in areas previously served by monopoly companies. CLECs served customers by either using the facilities of the existing local company for a fee similar to leasing or using their own facilities. The creation of CLECs fostered competition by giving customers more than one choice of telecommunications provider in a local market. The Commission authorized a number of CLECs to compete with the incumbent local companies for service in Nebraska.

The 1996 Act also created the Joint Federal-State Board to make recommendations to the FCC on defining federal universal services and policy. The Joint Board has explicit authority to recommend modifications to what services will be supported with USF dollars and the 1996 Act requires that the FCC act within one year on any recommendation received from the Joint Board. The Joint Board also is responsible for ensuring that federal universal service policies continue to be based on a list of principles articulated in the 1996 Act.

History of Universal Service

Universal service is defined as providing comparable service at compatible rates in both urban and rural areas of the country. The concept of universal service began with the passage of the Federal Communications Act of 1934. The 1934 Act called for a nation-wide and worldwide wire and radio communication service at reasonable rates for all people of the United States. The telecommunications industry was noncompetitive, monopolistic, and fully regulated with AT&T being the predominant telephone company operating in the United States. Universal service was supported by a system of higher charges paid for by long distance calls. In the 1980s, there was a push for deregulating the telecommunications industry leading eventually to the breakup of AT&T in 1984. Universal service was still supported by a system of charges for long distance calls charged to a carrier to access the facilities of a local telephone company.



The Changing Face of Communications

While the creation of the Federal Universal Service Fund and NUSF was specifically geared towards making telephone communications readily available to everyone, the speed with which the digital age emerged quickly made it clear that the internet was to be the next great form of communication. As technology advanced and more and more information and services became available in online formats, bringing broadband and mobile communication to rural and unserved areas began to be discussed as part of the universal service paradigm. New technologies that use broadband, such as Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) service, that utilize broadband networks to provide voice service.

Broadband is traditionally used to access the Internet and Internet-related services. Jurisdictionally, historically broadband access service has been defined by the FCC as an “information service” and therefore is not under the telecommunication’s regulatory authority of many states. Past court decisions relied on Section 706 of the 96 Telecommunications Act to find regulatory authority for both the FCC and state commissions relative to broadband access service; however, the regulatory framework for broadband remains unclear at this time. As more and more Internet-related services are being offered to the citizens of Nebraska, broadband connectivity and availability have become more important.

Broadband is a generic term commonly used to refer to Internet access through some means other than a dial-up modem. The typical forms of technology used as transport for broadband are digital subscriber loop (DSL), cable-modem, wireless, optical fiber, and satellite technologies. It is often discussed in terms of upload and download speeds, in units of megabits per second (Mbps). The evolving nature of broadband technologies has made it difficult to determine broadband in terms of speed. The FCC has changed its benchmark speed definition of fixed service broadband on a few occasions over the past several years, from 4 Mbps upload/1 Mbps download to 10/1, and most recently to 25/3. The Nebraska Legislature, through LB 994, passed in 2018, has set the target speeds for broadband at 25/3. Typical modes of broadband service are briefly described below:

- DSL broadband service uses copper telephone wire and is typically provided by a local telephone company. The range of DSL is limited to a distance of three to five mile from the telephone company’s central office or remote terminals depending upon the equipment utilized.
- Cable modem broadband service is provided by a local cable company and requires a connection to the cable provider. Depending upon the data transmission speed desired, DSL and cable modem service are usually similar in cost and effectiveness.
- Wireless and satellite technologies continue evolve as well and are increasingly able to bring robust services to meet the needs of customers in hard to serve areas.

Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) is the name given to technology that provides a voice communication service transmitted using a protocol developed to facilitate the “internet”. In just a few short years, VoIP has moved from a novelty used by hobbyists to a mainstream commercial product. The major difference between a traditional telephone call and a VoIP call is during a VoIP call the customer’s analog voice signal is converted into a digital signal. The digital information is divided into a series of individual “packets” that are sent over a broadband internet connection instead of the traditional public switched telephone network (PSTN) to the termination point. At the receiving end, the packets of digital information are converted back into an analog voice signal for the called party’s telephone.

A conversation between two VoIP customers from the same service provider may occur over the providers dedicated network and may never reach the PSTN, whereas a conversation between a VoIP customer and a traditional telephone customer must travel on the PSTN at some point. In the traditional telephone service environment, telephone calls passed from one company to another company are subject to access charges. Many VoIP providers design their networks to minimize access charges when the call is between two of their customers. Even if the parties are located in different cities, access charges rarely apply.

There are significant issues consumers need to be educated on when migrating to VoIP service. One is the fact VoIP service is not line powered like traditional telephone service is meaning consumers will be responsible for the battery backup at their location. Another issue is the reliability of 911 services based on recent complaints to the Commission.

The FCC Connect America Fund Order

After years of debate and reform efforts, in October 2011, the FCC issued an order formally proposing a "Connect America Fund" or CAF and approving a six-year transfer process that would transition money from traditional wireline telecommunications support to a new \$4.5 billion a year CAF for broadband Internet expansion. The CAF order addressed universal service reforms as well as reforming of the payment system between local and long-distance carriers, called intercarrier *compensation*.

CAF Phase II funding for Price Cap carriers provided ongoing funding to support and expand broadband networks in high-cost areas over a six-year term. These networks were required to be capable of delivering 10 Mbps download and 1 Mbps upload speeds. The three Price Cap carriers in Nebraska (Windstream Nebraska, Inc., Frontier Communications, and CenturyLink QC) have accepted approximately \$23.2 million annually to meet the CAF buildout requirements.

In 2016, the FCC announced its CAF II funding for Rate of Return (RoR) carriers that elected to receive support through the Alternative Connect America Cost Model (A-CAM), as well as funding amounts for those companies that chose to stay on legacy support. The support provided through the A-CAM is designated for broadband buildout, similar to the CAF II support for Price Cap carriers. However, instead of across-the-board minimum requirements of 10/1 Mbps (Down/Up), there are some areas that must be built to 25/3 Mbps (Down/Up) as well. For the RoR carriers that elected A-CAM model-based support, the annual funding amounts total approximately \$33.4 million. Twenty-one carriers elected to stay on legacy support. These companies receive approximately \$35.4 million annually.

In 2019, the FCC provided another opportunity for carriers that did not initially elect support through the A-CAM to opt in once again. Carriers that were not allowed to elect A-CAM before were also given the opportunity to opt in during this new phase, titled A-CAM II. Because the initial A-CAM offering was based on buildout requirements, carriers that were already built out were essentially prohibited from electing A-CAM. In A-CAM II, these carriers were allowed to elect model-based support based on the modeled costs of their existing rural areas. Four additional rate-of-return companies elected model-based (A-CAM) support.

In July 2018, the FCC began the bidding process in its CAF II reverse auction, which allows approved bidders the opportunity to bid on providing service in certain areas of the state that were either extremely high cost or were removed from the model-based support areas for price cap carriers. Certain performance milestones must be reached by the winning bidders within 6 years of program initiation. In August 2018, four carriers were notified that they had winning bids in Nebraska. Those carriers, NE Colorado Cellular d/b/a Viaero Wireless, Inventive Wireless of Nebraska LLC, LTD Broadband, and AMG Technology Investment Group LLC will each receive a portion of approximately \$4 million annually for 10-years. Inventive Wireless of Nebraska LLC and AMG Technology Investment Group LLC both applied for and were granted ETC designation by the Commission in docket C-5012/NUSF-115 and in C-5009/NUSF-114 respectively.

In 2020, the FCC adopted a framework for the next phase of broadband auctions, the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF). In October 2020, the FCC conducted the RDOF reverse auction, and in Nebraska support was awarded to 10 providers, with total support over the 10-year period totaling approximately \$60 million. All winning bidders in the state were awarded bids in the Gigabit speed tier, which requires them to provide services capable of 1 Gbps down/500 Mbps up. Several of the winning bidders were required to either apply to become an ETC or modify their existing ETC status to include areas won in the auction. The table below provides a summary of the winning bidders and the locations that will be served once they extend service in the areas they were awarded.

Bidder	Total Assigned Support (Annual)	Locations Assigned	Total Assigned Support (10 year term)
AMG Technology Investment Group LLC	\$ 2,535,014.67	13,919	\$ 25,350,146.70
CenturyLink, Inc.	\$ 32,680.20	69	\$ 326,802.00
Cox Communications, Inc.	\$ 64,386.70	185	\$ 643,867.00
Grain Communications Opportunity Fund II, L.P.	\$ 1,981.64	116	\$ 19,816.40
Hamilton Long Distance Company	\$ 12,856.03	167	\$ 128,560.30
LTD Broadband LLC	\$ 3,322,864.44	28,729	\$ 33,228,644.40
Pinpoint Bidding Coalition	\$ 3,125.40	32	\$ 31,254.00
Skywave Wireless, Inc.	\$ 5,766.00	12	\$ 57,660.00
Windstream Services LLC, Debtor-In-Possession	\$ 57,953.00	195	\$ 579,530.00
Wisper-CABO 904 Consortium	\$ 1,125.60	11	\$ 11,256.00
	\$ 6,037,753.68	43,435	\$ 60,377,536.80

Intercarrier Compensation

The 2011 CAF order also transitions the existing payment framework of access charges between companies to a bill-and-keep system for both local and long-distance calls. The bill-and-keep methodology requires companies to recover the cost of providing service directly from their customers through end-user charges, which are subject to competition. In contrast, under the access charge framework, companies recover some of the costs of providing service from competing carriers through access charges, which may not be subject to competitive discipline. Thus, the FCC found bill-and-keep would give companies competitive incentives to serve their customers efficiently. The CAF order allowed for a transition period to gradually lower current access rates in the move toward bill-and-keep. That transition period ended on July 1, 2020, and all companies should have now reduced their rates to bill-and-keep for all traffic.

The FCC CAF order represents a fundamental paradigm shift in the concept of universal service from predominantly supporting and funding traditional telephone service to a system to support the development and maintenance of broadband networks. For more information on broadband, see Part II of this report.

Looking Forward: The State Role

The preservation and advancement of universal service goals continues to be a joint enterprise between the states and the federal government. Although the FCC collects and distributes the majority of the funding necessary for universal service, the states also play an integral role in maintaining and enforcing the concept of universal service.

State utility commissions are responsible for many regulatory tasks in furtherance of federal universal service policies. For example, states are responsible for designating telephone companies as Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETCs) whereby the company is then eligible to receive federal USF and/or CAF support. States also oversee the federally supported Lifeline Services. Most important, 22 states have established their own state USFs that provide support to carriers to assist in keeping basic telecommunications services affordable for customers, especially in rural high cost areas. Further, 17 states and the District of Columbia have state USFs to provide support for Lifeline services to low-income customers. Finally, over the years Nebraska has expanded its state fund to include support for broadband projects in rural high cost areas. Other states have begun to follow our example.

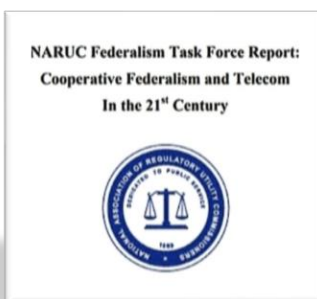
As discussed earlier in this report, the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service has played an important role in the formulation of universal service principles and policies since its creation. In view of the strong and unwavering State interest in a universal service partnership with the FCC, a meaningful collaboration between the Commission and the FCC continues to be of paramount importance.

Cooperative Federalism

The preservation and continued operation and existence of State USFs is critical to the advancement of universal service principles in the 21st Century. With the expansion of the federal principles in the CAF Order to include broadband and other advanced services, the role of the states have never been more important.

The National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC) established the Federalism in Telecommunications Task Force (FTF) in November 2012 to review changes in communications services and regulation (including the transition to Internet Protocol (IP) based services) and to determine what policies will best protect and support consumers going forward. The Task Force was composed of commissioners and staff from both states that have reduced or eliminated retail communications regulation and those that continue to regulate communications. After deliberation and input from NARUC members, industry, consumer groups, academics, and the FCC, the FTF recommended that the States and the FCC work collaboratively to determine how best to support consumers as the communications environment continues to evolve. To support this "cooperative federalism," the FTF proposed eight Principles to guide State and Federal legislation and regulation going forward.

Those Principles include consumer protection, network reliability and public safety, competition, interconnection, universal service, evidence-based decision-making, and broadband access, affordability, and adoption. The FTF published a white paper entitled, "Cooperative Federalism and Telecom in the 21st Century". NARUC passed a resolution adopting the white paper and endorsing the policy of cooperative federalism at its November 2013 annual meeting.



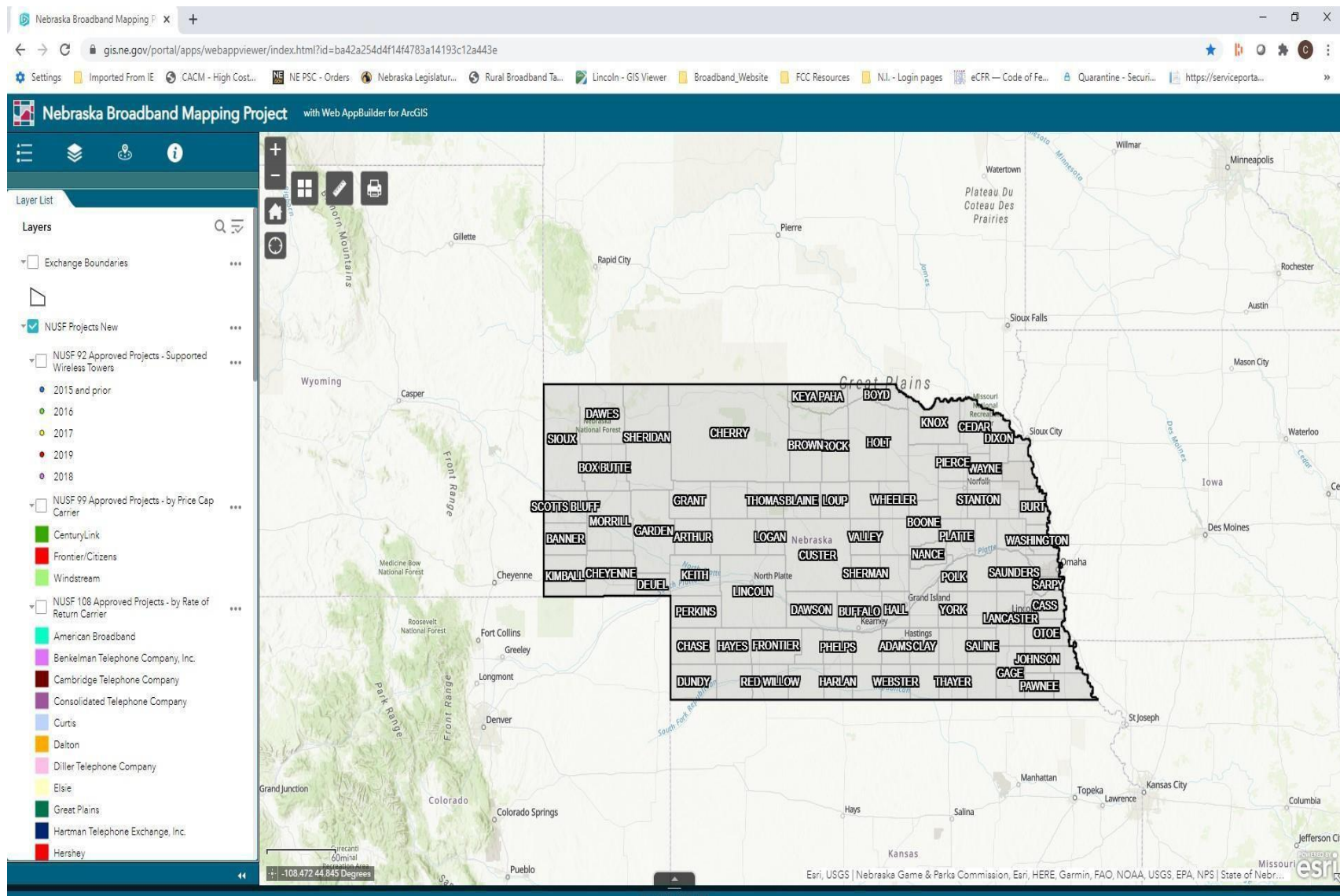
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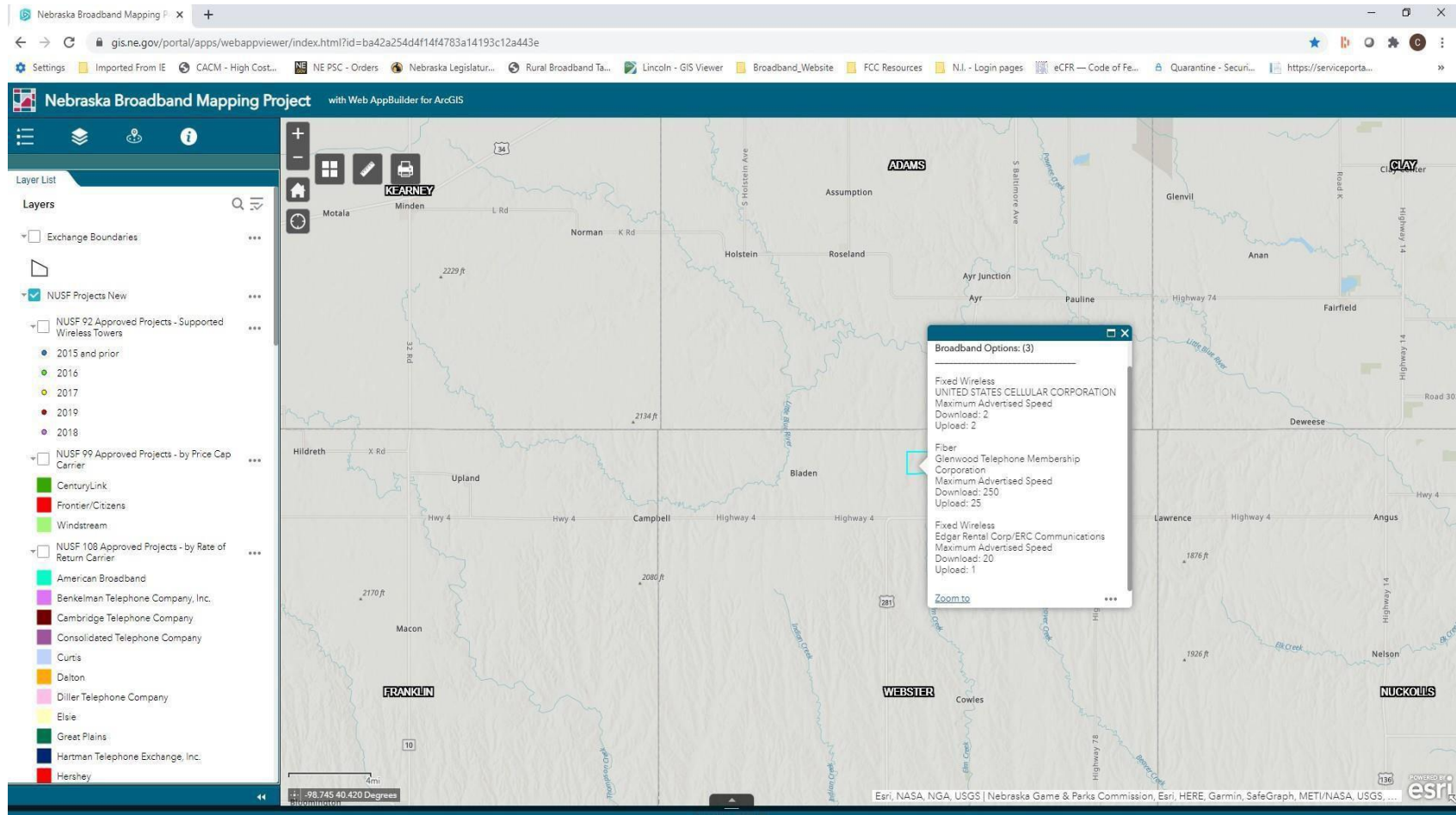
The Telecom/NUSF Department is responsible for administering programs and enforcing rules and regulations that facilitate competition, maintain quality voice service, and ensure that all Nebraskans have access to quality telecommunications and information services at affordable and comparable rates. In addition to handling consumer complaints and certificating carriers to provide telecommunications services within the state, the department administers a high cost fund, the goal of which is to ensure that costs and availability of telecommunications services are reasonably comparable between rural and urban areas. This fund includes money designed for the buildout of broadband-capable networks in areas that lack such service today. The department also manages programs that provide assistance to qualified individuals: the Nebraska Telephone Assistance Program (NTAP) assists qualifying low-income individuals with keeping voice service by lowering monthly service rates and the Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) program provides access to telecommunications services and equipment for individuals who are hearing disabled, speech disabled, or deaf/blind disabled.

Broadband Mapping

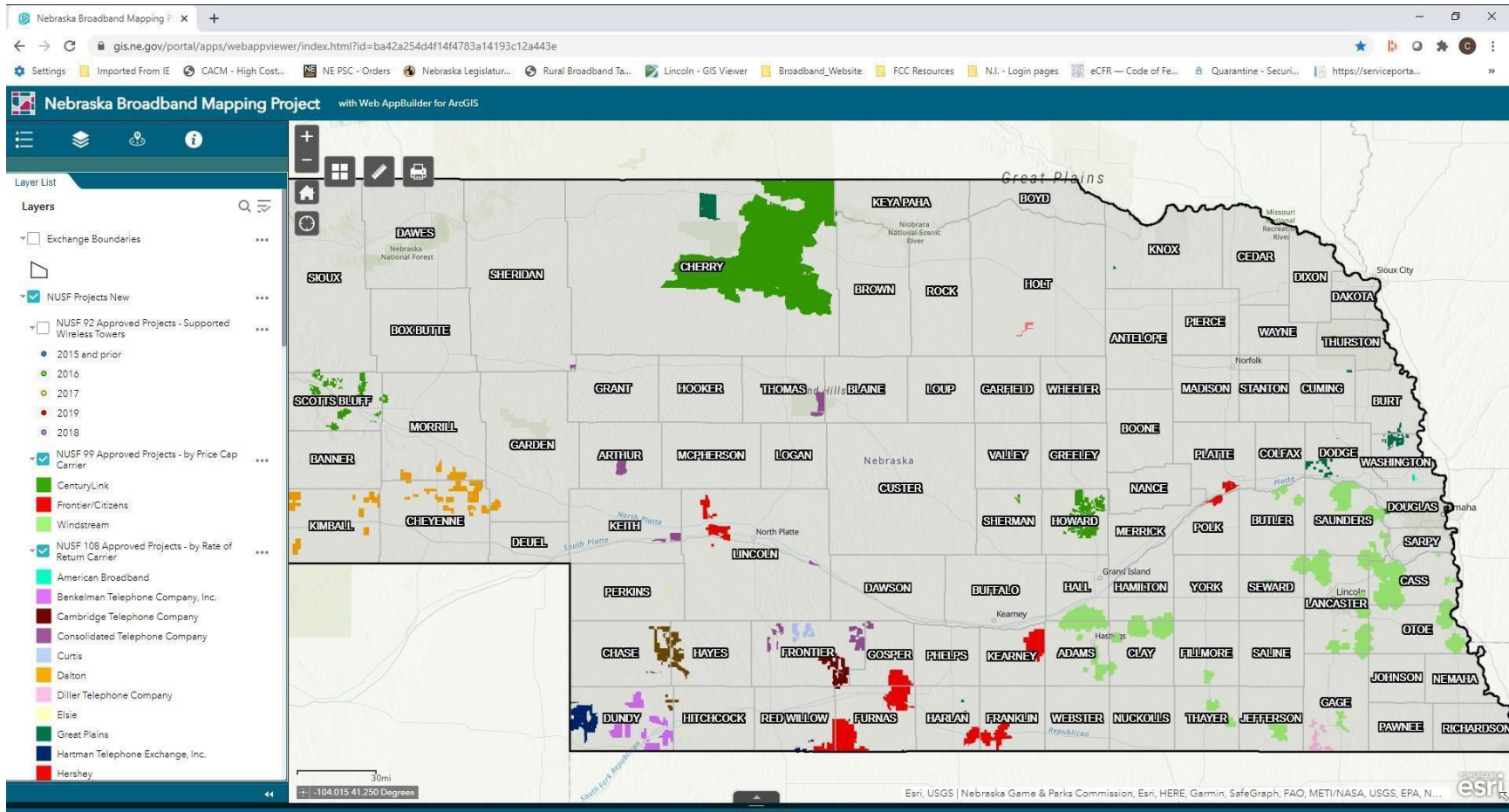
The Commission continues to support a broadband map that provides a wide variety of information about broadband availability and performance throughout the entire state. In 2020, the Commission worked to re-design the broadband map, and in July 2020 launched a new version of the map. The Commission utilizes FCC form 477 information, which is collected from carriers by the FCC twice per year. This data ensures that the broadband website provides information that is as current as possible for all participating providers. The site can be found at < <http://broadbandmap.nebraska.gov> >. The following pages show some examples of the information that can be found on the website.



The home page of the Nebraska Broadband Map found at < <https://broadbandmap.nebraska.gov> >. The dashboard to begin a search of the map is located on the left-hand side of the home page.



The map allows you to click anywhere on the map to find broadband providers that report service at that location. A list of providers, the type of services available, and the maximum advertised speeds are shown in the popup dialogue.



By selecting the Layers tab in the upper left-hand corner, users can access additional broadband information, including Nebraska Universal Service Fund projects.

Nebraska Internet Enhancement Fund

The Nebraska Internet Enhancement Fund (NIEF) was created by state statute in 2001 to provide start-up funding for economically viable and sustainable infrastructure projects that bring Internet and advanced telecommunications services to communities and counties where they are most needed. NIEF grants are usually awarded in amounts up to \$50,000. However, larger projects of exceptional merit have been awarded, with applicants required to provide matching funds of at least 25% of the total projected costs. Various communities, counties and cooperative government groups have been awarded NIEF grants, including the Counties of Cheyenne, Box Butte, Dawes, Nemaha, and Banner, as well as the Harlan and Furnas County Partnership. Further, Grant recipients include the communities of Broadwater, Chappell, Dix, Bushnell, Elsie and the Nebraska Cooperative Government group, which includes the communities of Humphrey and Schuyler. NIEF grant funds awarded to date totals approximately \$785,000.

In 2020, two different NIEF grants were awarded to recipients, totaling \$50,000. Two separate grants of \$25,000 each were awarded, one to the Deuel County and Inventive Wireless of Nebraska, to provide fiber to provide fixed wireless service and one to Dawes County and Mobius Communications to provide fiber to the home in rural Dawes County.

During the 2020 legislative session LB 991 was signed into law (see 2020 Annual report on Telecommunications). The elimination of the NIEF was among the modifications to dark fiber leasing that was a part of that bill. Closeout of the existing projects supported through the NIEF is underway.

Competitive Marketplace Fund

Prior to March 2014, the Competitive Marketplace Fund consisted of voluntary payments made by Qwest Communications d/b/a CenturyLink QC for failure to comply with the requirements of a Quality Performance Assurance Plan (“QPAP”) entered into by CenturyLink with CLECs. The QPAP became effective once CenturyLink was approved by the FCC to provide long distance service in Nebraska. Effective with Commission Order in Docket C-3943/PI-137, voluntary payments are no longer part of the QPAP filing but the reporting requirements continue.

In 2008, the Legislature passed LB 755, which lowered the maximum balance in the fund from \$100,000 to \$30,000. If the fund balance exceeds \$30,000, the Commission is responsible for remitting such excess to the Nebraska Internet Enhancement Fund. In recent years, the transfers have been minimal.

Competitive Local Exchange Carriers

Pursuant to provisions of the 1996 Telecommunications Act, the Commission designates companies as competitive local exchange carriers (CLECs) allowing companies to provide service to customers using the facilities of the local telephone company or their own facilities. The creation of CLECs introduced competition into monopoly markets giving customers more than one choice of Telephone Company in the local market. For more information on the 1996 Act, refer to Part I of this report.

There are currently more than 100 carriers that have received Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as CLECs in the State of Nebraska. Not all companies with CLEC authority currently conduct business in Nebraska. For a list of all local telephone companies with authority in Nebraska, please see Part VI of this report.

The following companies received new authority during the 2020-2021 fiscal year to provide local service in the corresponding territories in Nebraska:

Carrier	Docket	Date Granted
Clear Rate Communications, Inc.	C-5178	11/17/2020
Cable TV of Stanton dba Town and Country	C-5183	12/8/2020
Cable One VoIP, LLC	C-5231	5/25/2021

Interconnection Agreements

CLECs competing with a local telephone company to serve customers in the same area must enter into an agreement allowing the CLEC to utilize the facilities of the local company for a fee to route telephone traffic. These agreements are Interconnection Agreements under the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Local telephone companies and CLECs enter into an interconnection agreement by either negotiating the terms of the agreement, adopting an approved interconnection agreement of two other carriers pursuant to section 252(i) of the 1996 Act, or through mediation or arbitration if negotiations fail to result in mutually acceptable agreement. A copy of all current Commission approved interconnection agreements are available for review on the Commission's website at < <https://psc.nebraska.gov> >.

Exchange Boundaries

The geographical area in which a telephone company serves, offering the same services and prices, is called an exchange. The Commission maintains the official exchange boundaries of all local telephone companies operating in Nebraska. This information can be viewed on the broadband mapping site < <https://broadbandmap.nebraska.gov> >. Nebraska law does include a process whereby a customer can seek a change in the boundary of telephone exchanges to allow the customer to receive service from an adjacent exchange. The Nebraska Legislature broadened the process to include not only traditional telephone service but also broadband service offerings as well. In the event the Commission grants a petition from a customer to change an exchange boundary, the two telephone companies involved are required to file updated exchange maps with the Commission. Details regarding these proceedings can be found on the Commission's order search site, by typing "Boundary Change" into the search window. A list of the boundary change dockets approved over the past year is below.

The Nebraska Legislature passed a bill, LB 268, clarifying that if, at the time of the application, the applicant is not able to receive advanced telecommunications capability service, that the Commission may grant the boundary change application. LB 338, passed during the 2021 session, implemented a new speed standard for approval of boundary changes. If the applicant is not receiving and at the time of the application, is not able to receive service of at least 100/20 Mbps (down/up) broadband, the Commission may grant the application.

Number	Date Entered	Description
C-5136	8/11/2020	Norman Anderson, Central City, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5137	8/11/2020	Gary and Diane Clayton, Central City, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5148	8/25/2020	J.H. Kime & Sons Cattle Co, Wood Lake, seeking service from CenturyLink Communications, LLC.
C-5154	8/25/2020	Kimberly Marlatt, Wood Lake, seeking service from CenturyLink Communications, LLC.
C-5160	9/15/2020	Timberlake Ranch Camps, Inc., seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5163	9/15/2020	Michael and Nancy Hochstein, Hartington, seeking service from Hartington Telecommunications Co., Inc.
C-5176	11/17/2020	Gordon Peden and Cozad Telephone Company, Cozad, seeking service from Cozad Telephone Company.
C-5177	11/17/2020	Pete and Deb Wardyn and Cozad Telephone Company, Cozad, seeking service from Cozad Telephone Company.

C-5140	12/8/2020	Leonard and Diana Rainforth, Doniphan, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5185	12/15/2020	Myna Lee Barr, Liberty, seeking service from Blue Valley Tele-communications, Inc.
C-5188	2/2/2021	Marsha Lautenschlager, Doniphan, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5189	2/2/2021	Sarah Schroeder, Liberty, seeking service from Blue Valley Tele-communications, Inc.
C-5211	3/30/2021	Mark and Amanda Colburn, Valentine, seeking service from CenturyLink Communications, LLC.
C-5212	3/30/2021	Nikki Ferraro, Hordville, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5214	3/30/2021	Jennifer Pollman, Wymore, seeking service from Blue Valley Tele-communications, Inc.
C-5221	4/27/2021	Robert Bohlken, Wymore, seeking service from Blue Valley Tele-communications, Inc.
C-5232	6/8/2021	Tyson Ratliff, Marquette, seeking service from Hamilton Telephone Company.
C-5262	6/29/2021	Marsha Barr, Liberty, seeking service from Blue Valley Telecommunications, Inc.

Tariffs

In 2019, the Commission initiated a project to digitize tariffs and make them available online. Tariffs for Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers (ILECs) and Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs) can now be located at: <
<https://psc.nebraska.gov/telecommunications/local-tariffs> >

ETCs

A full discussion of ETC dockets is located in Part III of this report.

Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing /Telecommunications Relay Service

Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) was created by Title IV of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA). TRS allow a person who has a hearing or speech disability to access the nation's telephone system to communicate with voice telephone users through a relay provider and a Communications Assistant (CA). Such a definition includes services that enable two-way communication between an individual who uses a text telephone (TTY or TT) or other non-voice terminal device and an individual who does not have such a device. CAs transmit or relay written communication from a text telephone or other non-voice terminal device to a person using a standard telephone. The person using the standard telephone speaks to the CA who transmits the message to the hearing-impaired individual.

Nebraska relay is funded through a monthly surcharge on all telephone numbers or functional equivalent, including wireless and VoIP lines. Since 1991, the highest surcharge authorized by the Commission was ten cents (\$.10) with the lowest authorized surcharge being one cent (\$.01) established for fiscal year 2017-18. For fiscal year 2019-2020, the Commission approved a change to the surcharge from one cent (\$.01) to three cents (\$.03) this rate remains through fiscal year 2021-2022.

The Prepaid Wireless Surcharge Act was passed by the Legislature in 2012 and updated as a result of LB 157 in 2018. The surcharge, which included the TRS surcharge on prepaid wireless telecommunication services is collected directly from the consumer by the retailer at the point-of-sale. The amount of the surcharge collected per retail transaction is based on an annual determination by the Nebraska Department of Revenue utilizing a formula of the amount of wireless prepaid surcharges established by finding the sum of the following:

- a) The percentage obtained by dividing the current annual Wireless E911 Surcharge by 50; and
- b) The percentage obtained by dividing the amount of the Nebraska TRS Fund Surcharge by 50.
- c) The percentage obtained by multiplying (i) the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund surcharge percentage rate set by the Public Service Commission by (ii) one minus the Federal Communications Commission safe harbor percentage for determining the interstate portion of a fixed monthly wireless surcharge.

Amounts collected are remitted by retailers to the Department of Revenue. The Department of Revenue then remits the collected amounts, less administrative costs not to exceed 2%, to the State Treasurer for credit to the 911 Service System Fund, TRS Fund and NUSF. For fiscal year 2020-21, total prepaid wireless remittances received for the TRS fund were \$57,318 compared to \$35,568 for fiscal year 2019-20.

Nebraska Specialized Equipment Program

In 1995, the Legislature created the Nebraska Specialized Telecommunications Equipment Program (NSTEP), which enables qualifying deaf, hard-of-hearing and/or speech-disabled citizens to obtain specialized telecommunications equipment at no expense, subject to certain program restrictions. Funded by the Relay Surcharge, expensive telecommunications equipment, such as text telephones, amplifiers, amplified telephones, signaling devices and

speech-generating devices have been made available to deaf, hard-of-hearing and/or speech-disabled consumers. For fiscal year 2020-21, \$241,052 was expended by NSTEP and provided equipment to 396 households compared to \$253,689 serving 409 households for fiscal year 2019-20.



Federal Issues Impacting Telecommunications Relay Services

For information on issues at the federal level regarding relay service, please visit the FCC's website at < <https://www.fcc.gov/general/telecommunications-relay-services-trs> >.

Telecommunications Relay Service Statistics and Table

For fiscal year 2020-21, intrastate minutes of use (conversation-basis), for traditional TRS (including Speech to Speech) actually increased 36.74% compared to fiscal year 2019-20. Increased demand on relay use due to COVID-19 pandemic was attributed to be the primary cause. With the exception noted above, significant reductions in traditional relay minutes have continued since 2004. The declines in traditional relay minutes are a result of increased popularity of smartphones and other text- based capable devices, as well as Video Relay Service (VRS), Internet-Protocol (IP) services and Internet Protocol Caption Telephone services (IP CTS). For fiscal years 2020-21 the landline based CapTel service experienced a decline of 25.58% compared to fiscal year 2019-20.

The following table displays selected historical statistics that reflect the operation of the Nebraska Relay System and NSTEP. The Commission went to a conversation-based rate for traditional relay beginning in July 2019. Note, for presentation purpose, prepaid wireless receipts are included in the surcharge revenue totals. For questions or other inquiries regarding the data provided, please contact the Communications Department of the Commission.

Telecommunications Relay Service													
Selected Historical Statistics -Conversation Minutes (Traditional & Relay/CapTel)													
	Combined Traditional & STS Relay (CM)				Captioned Telephone Service (CapTel)			Monthly Activity Cost					
	Total	Total	Intrastate	Ave Call	Total	Total	Intrastate	TRS Prg.	TRS Prg.	Total	Total	Total	
Data	Calls	Minutes of Use	Minutes of Use	Length	Calls	Minutes of Use	Minutes of Use	Trad'l	CapTel	TRS Prg.	Equipment	Surcharge	Srchrg
Period	(Completed)	(Conversation)	(Conversation)	(Answered)	(Answered)	(Conversation)	(Conversation)	(\$Amt.)	(\$Amt.)	(\$Amt.)	Program (\$)	(\$Amt.)	Rate (\$)
Jul-19	129	562.70	417.30	2.50	2,749	6,885.60	5,093.50	1,414.65	11,001.96	12,416.61	11,749.90	57,580.00	\$0.03
Aug-19	240	1,090.70	781.50	2.63	2,737	7,185.40	5,027.70	2,649.29	10,859.83	13,509.12	15,155.79	61,832.76	\$0.03
Sep-19	172	568.70	515.20	2.65	2,762	7,314.60	5,091.60	1,746.53	10,997.86	12,744.39	9,177.63	61,431.75	\$0.03
Oct-19	181	624.40	484.90	2.48	2,830	7,030.10	4,812.30	1,643.81	10,394.57	12,038.38	2,678.37	61,842.17	\$0.03
Nov-19	140	607.70	445.40	2.81	2,577	7,237.00	4,616.00	1,509.91	9,970.56	11,480.47	9,373.17	61,404.90	\$0.03
Dec-19	150	633.20	517.60	2.39	3,113	7,426.70	5,299.50	1,754.66	11,446.92	13,201.58	7,365.02	62,604.76	\$0.03
Jan-20	234	1,053.50	832.60	2.11	3,343	7,040.10	5,103.00	2,822.51	11,022.48	13,844.99	163,705.56	62,059.71	\$0.03
Feb-20	133	662.70	479.50	2.01	3,291	6,631.00	4,786.80	1,625.51	10,339.49	11,965.00	8,265.50	64,221.20	\$0.03
Mar-20	212	1,215.90	1,016.20	2.83	2,996	8,467.40	5,880.40	3,444.92	12,701.66	16,146.58	7,865.77	64,796.13	\$0.03
Apr-20	153	1,037.20	791.80	3.28	2,364	7,744.90	5,260.60	2,684.20	11,362.90	14,047.10	9,107.87	65,443.47	\$0.03
May-20	227	1,442.60	1,173.30	2.57	2,932	7,520.80	5,569.10	3,977.49	12,029.26	16,006.75	5,312.34	64,943.99	\$0.03
Jun-20	383	1,973.80	1,603.90	2.41	2,707	6,513.60	4,954.10	5,437.22	10,700.86	16,138.08	3,931.74	65,291.71	\$0.03
Jul-20	247	1,050.10	906.50	2.45	2,587	6,326.30	4,815.30	3,073.04	10,401.05	13,474.09	4,331.33	64,470.15	\$0.03
Aug-20	142	753.10	597.50	1.98	3,128	6,207.70	4,904.60	2,025.53	10,593.94	12,619.47	130,092.36	62,514.11	\$0.03
Sep-20	186	862.70	699.00	2.09	2,624	5,492.80	4,335.00	2,369.61	9,363.60	11,733.21	8,241.56	66,830.59	\$0.03
Oct-20	251	1,203.40	842.70	2.15	2,695	5,805.70	4,892.60	2,856.75	10,568.02	13,424.77	10,570.94	65,430.93	\$0.03
Nov-20	153	744.10	670.30	2.28	2,174	4,950.00	3,884.60	2,272.32	8,390.74	10,663.06	4,792.22	64,772.92	\$0.03
Dec-20	321	1,870.90	1,463.70	2.72	2,186	5,951.30	4,528.70	4,961.94	9,781.99	14,743.93	12,391.32	65,377.78	\$0.03
Jan-21	330	1,969.00	1,568.20	2.72	1,831	4,971.50	3,835.60	5,316.20	8,284.90	13,601.10	12,446.05	67,007.95	\$0.03
Feb-21	269	1,245.50	1,107.90	2.49	2,014	5,024.30	3,648.60	3,755.78	7,880.98	11,636.76	9,120.22	64,660.03	\$0.03
Mar-21	309	1,818.20	1,528.50	2.65	1,901	5,028.80	3,587.90	5,181.62	7,749.86	12,931.48	14,600.80	65,679.33	\$0.03
Apr-21	369	1,830.40	1,538.90	2.04	1,818	3,701.40	2,860.90	5,216.87	6,179.54	11,396.41	11,023.50	65,613.46	\$0.03
May-21	244	1,180.50	903.10	2.07	1,325	2,741.40	1,922.70	3,061.51	4,153.03	7,214.54	10,794.81	65,246.66	\$0.03
Jun-21	128	671.20	561.40	2.26	1,529	3,453.00	2,545.40	1,903.15	5,498.06	7,401.21	12,646.73	65,250.96	\$0.03

Area Code Overlay and Other Numbering Issues

The 531 Area Code has now been in use for multiple years, following the Commission's plan to make it available once the available NXX codes in Area Code 402 dropped below ten. This milestone was reached in June 2014. Below is a summary of the NXX codes assigned as of July 2021.

Area Code	NXX Codes Assigned
308	520
402	801
531	157

Area Code	Number of Rate Centers	Rate Centers with Pooling	Thousands – Blocks Retained	Thousands - Blocks Assigned	Thousands - Blocks Available	Estimated Full NPA-NXX Codes Saved
308	170	67	558	1725	850	124
402	281	273	1929	3672	1199	368
531	281	17	0	1026	284	N/A

Thousands Block Number Pooling

On February 24, 2006, the FCC granted the Commission's petition for authority to implement mandatory thousands-block number pooling in the 402 Area Code. The Commission used the authority granted to implement mandatory pooling in two steps.

On March 14, 2006, the Commission issued an order under Docket C-3049 implementing mandatory pooling in the rate centers served by Windstream Communications, CenturyLink and Frontier Communications d/b/a Citizens. Because these three carriers had been voluntarily participating in thousands block pooling, they were able to make the transition from voluntary pooling to mandatory pooling in the 155 rate centers they serve without any delay.

On May 3, 2006, the Commission conducted a workshop during which the NeuStar Pooling Administrator provided the remaining carriers in the 402 Area Code with information concerning the steps and typical timeline used when a rate center changes from voluntary pooling to mandatory pooling. Carriers were asked to review the proposed timeline and provide feedback to the Commission by May 22, 2006. The Commission held a hearing on June 1, 2006 and sought comments on the prospect of designating all rate centers in the 402 Area Code as mandatory and a proposed implementation schedule for mandatory pooling in the remaining 94 rate centers. No parties submitted comments or testimony against designating the remaining 94 rate centers as mandatory pooling or proposed an alternate implementation date.

On June 27, 2006, the Commission issued an order under Docket C-3049 implementing mandatory pooling in the remaining 94 rate centers effective November 1, 2006. All carriers have completed the upgrade of their switches, have donated the excess blocks from their exchanges in the 402 Area Code, and are fully capable of participating in thousands block number pooling. Reports from the Pooling Administrator identify that voluntary and mandatory pooling in Nebraska has resulted in the following donation and utilization of thousand-blocks in Nebraska:

The Pooling Administrator estimates that nearly 500 full codes between the 308 and 402/531 area codes have been saved since the first thousands-blocks were donated back to the pool in 2001 (for 402/531) and 2003 (for 308).

Local Number Portability

One of the benefits of thousands-block number pooling is the capability of implementing Local Number Portability (LNP). As carriers have upgraded their switching software to use numbering resources in blocks of a thousand, they have also gained the ability to support porting or moving an individual customer's number between carriers at the request of the customer. All Nebraska exchanges are capable of supporting LNP.

The ability to port a number between traditional wireline carriers is called intra-modal portability. Porting a number between a wireline carrier and a wireless carrier is called inter-modal portability. For wireline and interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) carriers' telephone numbers can be ported from one carrier to another in the same rate center. Telephone numbers assigned in one rate center cannot be ported to a carrier in another rate center.

Because the coverage area assigned to wireless carriers by the FCC is different from the wireline rate centers, customers can port a wireline number to a wireless carrier if the coverage area of the wireless carrier overlays the rate center to which the wireline number is associated. Customers may even physically move to a different rate center and keep the same wireline phone number by porting their number to a wireless carrier as long as the wireless carrier has authority to provide coverage in the new rate center area. However, customers can only port wireless numbers to a wireline carrier in the same rate center as the wireless carrier with whom they currently have service.

The FCC issued an Order on May 20, 2010, mandating that effective August 1, 2010; all simple ports should be completed within one business day unless more time is requested by the customer or the new carrier. While complex ports may take longer, they should still be completed within four business days.

Extended Area Service

Extended Area Service (EAS) allows customers in one exchange to place calls to and receive calls from another exchange, without paying additional long-distance charges. The key points of the rules and regulations established by the Commission relating to EAS are:

- A petition seeking to establish EAS must contain the signatures of either 750 customers or 25% of the customers of the exchange, whichever is fewer.
- To determine if sufficient traffic exists to establish EAS. Certain traffic criteria must be met in at least two of the three most recent months for which data is available.
- A telephone company may file an Optional Enhanced Area Calling Plan (OEACP) as an alternative to EAS.
- If the minimum required signatures are obtained and there is sufficient traffic to meet the requirements, informational meetings must be held in the petitioning exchange to inform the public of the proposed rates for EAS and to assess the public's interest in receiving EAS.
- Following an unsuccessful attempt at implementing EAS, at least 12 months must lapse before additional attempts for EAS are made.
- When put to a vote, EAS must receive the support of more than 50% of voting customers in the exchange.

N11 Dialing Code

The FCC has designated various three-digit dialing, or “N11,” codes for specific assigned purposes. The FCC granted state commissions the authority to implement the assigned N11 dialing codes. Nebraska has assigned the use of 211, 511, 711 and 811. Traditionally, 911 is reserved for access to emergency services, typically through a Public Service Answering Point (PSAP). For each N11 code, carriers may seek cost recovery for providing the service but must apply to the Commission for reimbursement. To date, no carriers have applied for cost recovery.

During the 2019, Legislative Session, LB641 was introduced to provide a means for supporting a statewide 211 Information and Referral Network. This network would provide information to the public regarding disaster and emergency response and health and human services provided by public and private entities throughout the state. The Commission was given the responsibility for setting up a program to award grant support for the administration of the 211 networks. This bill was passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor on May 29, 2019. The Commission opened a proceeding (C-5069/PI-226) seeking comment on how the grant should be structured and ultimately awarded the grant support to the United Way of the Midlands in January 2020.

Information on specific N11 dialing codes implemented in Nebraska is provided in the following sections.

211 Dialing Code

The Commission assigned 211 to the United Way of the Midlands for access to “First Call for Help”. “First Call for Help”, connects people in need of social services assistance with the appropriate providers of such services. Dialing 211 does not result in any additional telephone charges for the customer. Nebraska now has statewide 211 dialing for “First Call for Help”.

311 Dialing Code

On July 1, 2011, the City of Omaha submitted an application to the Commission to be assigned the use of 311 for all Omaha city services. If assigned, dialing 311 within the City of Omaha would connect the caller to a city hotline offering assistance to residents and collecting suggestions, comments, complaints and requests in both English and Spanish. No other communities in Nebraska have requested the use of 311 dialing.

411 Dialing Code

411 is the nationally assigned access code for local directory services. When a consumer dials 411, they are connected with directory services for their local, wireless, or long-distance service provider. Providers may charge a fee for use of the 411 service. Such fees and charges are established by tariff filings with the Commission.

511 Dialing Code

Weather reports and route specific road conditions can be obtained 24 hours a day for interstate and state highways throughout Nebraska by dialing 511 from any telephone in Nebraska. There is no charge to callers. The Nebraska State Patrol and Department of Roads manage this program.

611 Dialing Code

611 is assigned nationally as the access code for carriers' repair service organizations.

711 Dialing Code

The FCC designated 711 as the dialing code for access to all Telecommunication Relay Services (TRS). The Commission opened Docket C-2417 to examine issues related to the implementation of 711 for access to TRS.

811 Dialing Code

Neb. Rev. Stat. §§76-2301 – 76-233 established the One-Call Notification System Act to prevent injury, property damage, and the interruption of utility services resulting from damage to underground facilities by excavating. The one-call notification system for digging has been termed, "Digger Hotline". Since 1995, Diggers Hotline has been the link between those needing to excavate and the utility owners and operators of underground facilities. The Diggers Hotline center in Nebraska is located in Omaha with the State Fire Marshal's Office overseeing and organizing the One-Call Notification System.

On March 14, 2005, the FCC designated 811 as the national abbreviated code for Diggers Hotline and delegated authority to states to address the technical and operation issues associated with the implementation of the 811 code.

On December 19, 2006, the Commission issued an order in Docket C-3479/PI-107, setting April 13, 2007, as the deadline for all carriers to implement the routing of 811 Diggers Hotline and required all carriers to include 811 information in all directories published after April 1, 2007. 811 dialing has been implemented in all Nebraska telephone exchanges.

988 Dialing Code

On July 16, 2020, the FCC designated 988 as the three-digit number that callers can use for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (Lifeline). Callers can currently reach the lifeline at 1-800-273-8255 (TALK). Starting July 16, 2022, phone service providers will be required to direct all 988 voice calls to the Lifeline.

A Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking was issued April 23, which invited public comment on proposed test-to-988 rules. Interested parties are to use WC Docket 18-336 when filing comments.

The Nebraska Legislature also passed LB 247 which sets up a Mental Health Crisis Hotline Task Force. The Task Force is charged with developing an implementation plan for Nebraska to integrate and utilize the 988 hotline. The Commission was allotted a non-voting position on the Task Force.



PART III- Nebraska Universal Service Fund

Overview

Updates to the Program

In 2016 and 2017, the Commission solicited comments on various issues in the docket it opened to consider revisions to the universal service fund contribution methodology (NUSF-100). After holding a hearing in August 2017, and receiving additional comments on the issue, the Commission issued an order in October 2017, determining that it would adopt a connections-based mechanism. The Commission opened a second docket (NUSF-111) to look at the specific structure and timing of the implementation of a connections-based mechanism. The Commission made the determination that the connections-based mechanism would apply initially to residential services (wireline, VoIP, and mobile wireless) while business services would remain on a revenue-based surcharge mechanism. The Commission determined that the implementation date for the new mechanism would be April 1, 2019. A new docket (NUSF-119/PI223) was opened to consider revisions to contribution methodology. Specifically, whether to apply connections-based mechanism to business services. In May 2021, the Commission determined that business services would also be subject to a connections-based surcharge mechanism and set the surcharge at \$1.75/per connection. This change is slated to be implemented January 1, 2022. It is projected to increase the annual remittances into the fund to a total of approximately \$54 million, an increase of roughly \$7 million.

The Commission has also initiated proceedings aimed at increasing accountability for NUSF funds and incenting broadband buildout in rural areas. In 2016, the Commission made modifications to the high-cost funding mechanism for price cap carriers. High-cost support for price cap carriers was frozen at 2015 calendar year levels with adjustments based upon overall NUSF remittance receipts. Price cap carrier support was allocated 50 percent to ongoing support for maintenance of the existing network and 50 percent for broadband support, which would fund specific projects approved by the Commission. In 2017, the Commission changed the allocation to 20 percent to ongoing support for maintenance of the existing network and 80 percent for broadband support, which would fund specific projects approved by the Commission. This “80/20” split was maintained for 2018. In 2017, the Commission found that support for all carriers should be capped at an 11.0 percent rate of return and that the expected revenue benchmark should be set at \$52.50 per month. Both of these findings are consistent with findings of the FCC.

In December 2017, the Commission released Progression Order No. 3 in docket NUSF- 108, seeking comments on proposed changes to reporting requirements and to the high cost distribution mechanism for Rate-of-Return (RoR) carriers. Subsequent to receiving comments, the Commission scheduled a hearing for August 15, 2018. As a result of the hearing, the Commission entered an order setting up a mechanism for support in areas that were **not** supported by the FCC’s Alternative Connect America Model (A-CAM) program.

In November 2018, the Commission released Progression Order No. 4 in docket NUSF- 108 seeking comment on proposed changes to the high cost distribution mechanism for Rate-of-Return (RoR) carriers for areas supported by the FCC’s Alternative Connect America Model (A- CAM) program with costs to serve to above support provided by A-CAM (capped locations). Subsequent to receiving comments and further comments the Commission scheduled a hearing for April 30, 2019.

After the hearing, the Commission permitted post-hearing comments. As a result of the proceeding, the Commission entered an Order that implemented support for capped locations that were built-out to provide speeds of 25/3 for the remainder of the modeled cost that was not covered by A-CAM support. A new docket (NUSF-108/PO#5) was opened to consider modifications to the NUSF EARN Form that is issued to determine high-cost support in the Universal Service Fund program. In February, the Commission issued an order in this docket making changes to the EARN form. Among the changes were requiring companies to file on a three-year average, adjusting the allowable rate of return to eventually match the federal rate of return, and matching federal requirements with respect to what expenses are allowed or disallowed.

Legislative History

In 1997, the Legislature passed LB 686, authorizing the Commission to create the Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF). The goal of the NUSF is, in conjunction with federal universal service funds, to ensure that all Nebraskans have comparable access to telecommunications services at affordable prices.



There have been many Legislative changes since the original passage of the bill in 1997. In 1999, LB 514 exempted Lifeline recipients from paying the NUSF surcharge. Legislative Bills 389, 1105, and 1211, passed in 2001 and 2002, clarified the Commission's NUSF authority regarding wireless companies and re-codified the applicable NUSF statutes. Legislative Bill 37 passed during the 2002 special session, allowing the State to borrow monies from the Universal Service Fund with certain restrictions. The borrowing provisions sunsetted on June 30, 2007. In 2004, LB 1004 changed the name of the Lifeline/Link- Up Program to the Nebraska Telephone Assistance Program (NTAP).

In 2007, LB 661 among other things, clarified that the Commission could assess all providers of telecommunications the NUSF surcharge on intrastate telecommunications, consistent with the 1996 Act. The FCC found a distinction between providers of telecommunications and those who offer telecommunications services. Accordingly, the NUSF Act was modified to be consistent with increased flexibility in the FCC interpretations of the 1996 Act.

During the 2018 Legislative session, two bills were passed that had impacts on the NUSF. LB 157 shifted the responsibility for collecting the NUSF surcharge on pre-paid wireless services from the Commission to the Department of Revenue. The bill also defined how the surcharge should be calculated for pre-paid wireless services.

LB 994 created the Rural Broadband Task Force, made up of individuals from the Commission, the Legislature, the Office of the CIO, Economic Development, the regulated wireline industry, the wireless industry, health care, public power, K-12 schools, and postsecondary educational institutions, the business community, and agribusiness. The purpose of the Task Force is to examine the issues around rural broadband deployment, with the following issues to address specifically:

- How does Nebraska compare with neighboring states in average upload and download speeds, and in subscription to higher speed tiers, when available?
- What is the role of the Nebraska Universal Service Fund in bringing comparable and affordable broadband services to rural residents, and does the fund deter or delay capital formation, broadband competition, and broadband deployment?

- Are there alternative technologies and providers that can accelerate access to faster and more reliable broadband service for rural residents?
- Are there alternatives for deployment of broadband services to areas that remain unserved and underserved, such as a reverse auction, public-private partnerships, funding for competitive deployment, or other measures?
- Are there policies that can be suggested effectively utilizing state universal service fund dollars if federal funding is made available?

In 2019, the Rural Broadband Task Force met several times to discuss the issues outlined above. The task force formed several subgroups, including an NUSF subgroup, and a subgroup to discuss issues with data availability. The Task Force's first report was submitted to the Legislature in October 2019 and a subsequent bill was introduced in the 2020 Legislative session (LB992) that proposes to implement many of the Task Force's recommendations.

In November 2021, the Task Force will again provide a report to the Legislature. Meetings scheduled for the summer of 2021 will lay out the details that will be included in the report.

During the 2021 session, the Legislature passed two bills, LB338 and LB 388, that will impact the NUSF either directly or indirectly. LB 338, makes changes to the reverse auction. The bill also put in place speed test requirements and minimum speed requirements for recipients and recipients of ongoing support must do speed testing on their networks as determined by the Commission. LB388 put in place the broadband grant program, and while the program will be operated separately from the NUSF, the programs have to be coordinated to avoid duplication of support for broadband projects.

Purpose

Defined in statute (Chapter 86, Section 324), the Nebraska Universal Service Fund was created to ensure that all Nebraskans have access to quality telecommunications and information services at affordable and comparable rates. The Commission currently has the following five programs within the NUSF:

1. High Cost Program, which seeks to make telecommunications and information rates generally affordable and comparable across Nebraska.
2. Rural Tele-Health Program, which supports the provision of telecommunications services to Nebraska Health Care Providers.
3. Nebraska Telephone Assistance Program (NTAP), which was formerly known as the Lifeline/Link-Up Program. This program provides discounted rates to qualifying low-income Nebraskans.
4. Broadband Program/Wireless Tower Fund, which provides funding to construct mobile wireless towers in areas that lack coverage but would not otherwise be economically feasible.
5. E-Rate Special Construction Program, which provides funding toward the costs of construction for libraries and schools that are not fiber connected.

Each program will be discussed in more detail on the following pages.

Assessment

Mechanism and Revenues

Funding for the NUSF is collected via a surcharge on eligible telecommunications services. The Commission, by Order and after public hearing, determined that the surcharge on residential services (wireline, mobile wireless, and VoIP) would be assessed on a per connection basis at \$1.75 per connection per month. Using this methodology, any residential device that is able to complete an interstate voice call is assessed the per connection surcharge. Business services will also move to a per-connection surcharge starting January 1, 2022. Interstate and Internet services are not subject to the NUSF surcharge. The Commission determines assessable services through the use of FCC federal universal service definitions in order to reduce the amount of duplicate administrative work for telecommunications providers. Specific categories of services subject to the NUSF surcharge are:

- Local service, including connection charges, enhanced service, such as Caller ID, and Extended Area Services (EAS).
- Wireless services, including cellular, PCS, and paging.
- In-state long distance services, including prepaid calling card, operator-assisted, collect, calling card and private line.
- Voice over the Internet Protocol (VoIP) service

The annual contributions and allocations from NUSF for the last three-years are summarized below.

Year/Calendar	Remittances	Allocations
2018	\$32,796,228	\$33,139,591
2019	\$43,915,240	\$42,050,143
2020	\$46,796,572	\$45,674,733
2021	\$22,951,506 *Through June 2021	\$45,300,854

As of the end of the 2020-2021 fiscal year, the NUSF balance was \$96.8 million. The recent growth of the fund can be attributed to multiple factors: 1- the change in the contribution mechanism is bringing in additional funding. 2-the change in policy to models that provide support upon completion of projects has led to allocated support building up in the fund while construction of approved projects is underway.

Other State Comparisons

Twenty-two states have state funds specifically dedicated to providing high-cost support and three states have funds dedicated to funding intrastate access rate reductions and reform. The percentage assessed by each state varies widely along with the method of assessment. Nebraska's assessment percentage falls near the middle. Alaska has the highest universal service contribution rate of 14.2%, with Oregon at the second highest assessment rate of 8.5%. Kansas has an assessment rate of 7.25%, which is slightly higher than Nebraska's 6.95% assessment rate. Arkansas has an assessment rate of 6.0% of revenues.

The assessment rates between states may not be easily compared for reasons such as the level of basic local service rates charged to customers. In Nebraska, telecommunications companies receiving high-cost universal service support are required to charge a rate of at least \$17.50 per month, and if they do not charge a benchmarked rate of \$19.95 per month in rural areas, the amount of support they receive from the state fund is reduced. In contrast, Wyoming, a state that assesses only 1.4% of revenues, only provides support to carriers to reduce monthly rates to \$30.00. Therefore, rural customers in Wyoming pay about one-third to one-half more for local services than their Nebraska neighbors.

Broadband Program/Wireless Tower Fund

Purpose

On November 21, 2011, the Commission entered an order establishing the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP). The NEBP was established to provide specific and targeted broadband support to unserved and underserved areas to close the broadband availability gap. NEBP grants are available to regulated wireline, wireless, and unregulated communications providers wishing to participate.

The NEBP was developed through a generic proceeding docketed as NUSF-77. This docket was originally opened on January 26, 2010, to update policies and procedures related to universal service. However, the focus in that proceeding progressed towards investigating whether broadband services should be explicitly supported by the Nebraska universal service program similar to corresponding federal changes. The Commission sought numerous rounds of comments and held several public hearings to determine the legality, the policy and the potential framework of a pilot broadband program. The Commission studied other state broadband grant programs, gathering best practices used by these states to quickly and efficiently targeting areas without sufficient broadband availability.

In its November 21, 2011 Order, the Commission found support should be made available for broadband capital improvement projects. The Commission also determined that any type of facilities-based provider would be eligible to apply for and receive NEBP support. The Commission further created a baseline set of eligibility requirements.

On December 10, 2013, the Commission entered an order assigning a new caption to the broadband program that more aptly described the subject matter. The broadband program is now docketed as NUSF-92 and is referred to as the Nebraska Universal Service Fund Broadband Program.

The Commission combined grant programs to deploy wireless and wireline broadband infrastructure in 2014. However, the Commission's blended treatment of the technologies supported by the grant program became problematic, and the Commission created distinctions between wireless and wireline services, enabling them to be considered separately.

In 2019, the Commission opened a docket to look at the mechanism for how support is allocated to wireless carriers. In NUSF-92. The goal was to modernize the program by updating metrics used to evaluate applications, and to review questions about the use of specific technologies in tower equipment. Additional details are below. The Commission has allocated \$5.2 million for Wireless Broadband Programs in 2019.

March 2020, the Commission allocated \$1 million to offset the cost of providing broadband service to low-income households. This allocation was done in response to the COVID- 19 pandemic and attempted to mitigate some of the impacts of more people working from home, and students having to complete schoolwork remotely. The support was earmarked for services provided to low-income families from March 15, 2020 to May 31, 2020.

Application Process

Broadband Program grant recipients for deployment project funds must commit to:

1. Offer the supported broadband service upon completion of the deployment to all households within the area defined by the application for a minimum period of 5 years;
2. offer a voice grade service to customers within the service area of the broadband deployment;
3. offer access to emergency services;
4. Use the Broadband Program support only for the purposes intended and which have been approved by the Commission through the application process;
5. Offer voice and broadband service at reasonably comparable rates for comparable services in urban areas;
6. Fulfill reporting and audit requirements adopted by the Commission for oversight of the Broadband Program; and
7. Abide by all applicable Commission rules, regulations and orders.

Eligible carriers wishing to participate in the Broadband Program were required to provide broadband project applications to the Commission. Applications must include the following information:

1. Location of the proposed tower(s) with longitude and latitude coordinates, county, and census block identification number.
2. Detailed description and shapefile of the proposed service area including information relative to the existence or nonexistence of wireless and broadband service in the proposed area.
3. Anticipated households to be covered by the proposed tower(s). The applicant should include in the description any relevant road traffic data or visitor information they wish to be considered in the approval process.
4. A detailed budget describing the cost components of each proposed tower.
5. Amount of expected revenue associated with proposed tower(s) on an annual basis.

The Commission opened the application window for the Broadband Program/Wireless Tower Fund on July 2020, with the deadline for applications in October 2020. The Commission's procedures allowed for protests or interventions in the application process. The Commission received applications from two providers for capital improvement projects and ultimately awarded support to construct 11 towers at a cost of approximately \$5.3 million.



Cell tower-Highway 2-East of Dunning

The Commission staff reviewed each application to determine whether it was compliant with the requirements described in the Commission's Orders. Since its inception the construction of 170 towers have been supported through the program.

Distribution Methodology

To determine the best use of Broadband Program support in a competitive grant process, the Commission developed a robust scoring system.

Scoring Criteria

The Commission previously found that dedicated wireless program support should be targeted to serve high-cost unserved and underserved areas. The high-cost areas that are least likely to provide sufficient operating revenues to support tower construction or the placement of a cell site without support were identified as those that serve support areas that have less than 10 households per square mile. These areas were identified to be the highest-cost areas in which to provide service in the Commission's permanent high-cost support mechanism.

The following methodology was used to develop a recommendation for support:

1. Based on location, household density and households per square mile were determined for all proposed locations. Those towers located in areas with less than 10 households per square mile were identified as serving high-cost areas and eligible for further evaluation for the dedicated wireless program support.

2. In order to provide benefits to the greatest number of households in high-cost areas, rankings were assigned to all towers found to be eligible for funding from those serving the greatest number of households to those serving the least number of households.
3. Further, additional proximity rankings were assigned to all towers found to be eligible for funding from those furthest from existing tower locations in the state to those closest. Distance was only calculated to towers utilizing the same technology (CDMA or GSM) as the proposed tower.
4. Further, additional rankings were assigned to all towers based on the average daily traffic of all measured roadways within the tower footprint. Those towers with higher daily traffic counts were given higher priority than those with lower daily traffic counts. Together, the three rankings then determine the proposed towers' funding priority. Those towers receiving higher funding priority are funded first.
5. The final metric assessed the amount of money being requested as a function of the number of households covered, so that higher priority would be given to projects covering the most households for the least cost to the NUSF. To arrive at this figure, any matching funds (if applicable) were subtracted from the project's costs, since this acts to lower the amount of the grant funds necessary to complete the project.

Each factor was weighted, with a higher weight given to the factor assessing the number of households within the project area, a lower weight given to the distance to the nearest tower metric, a lower weight given to the road traffic metric, and the grant dollars requested per household were given the lowest weighting of the four metrics.

Awarding Grants

Using the results of the scoring system, Broadband Program grant support amounts are assigned based on a project's total score, subject to Broadband Program funding availability. The Commission requires capital expenditures be made prior to any Broadband Program support being provided to an awardee. Grant recipients submit invoices and additional information for verification as needed, in arrears to the Commission for review.

Subsequent to successful review, the Commission provides approved Broadband Program grant support amounts based on invoice cost. If necessary and appropriate, the Commission may require an audit of Broadband Program support as well as verification of broadband speeds, plant improvements, and commitments met.

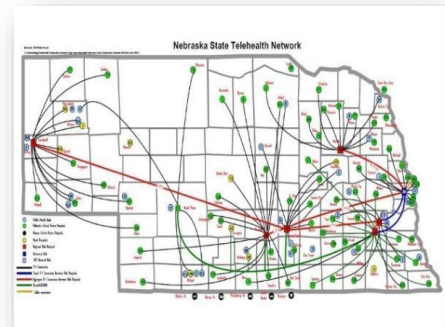
In 2020, two carriers submitted applications in the NUSF-92 docket requesting support to build wireless towers. US Cellular requested support for eight towers and was awarded support for two towers. NE Colorado Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Viaero Wireless (Viaero) requested support for 12 towers and was awarded support for nine sites. NUSF-92 approved project information can be viewed on the Nebraska Broadband Map at: < <http://broadbandmap.nebraska.gov> >.

Telehealth Network

Purpose

The Commission opened a new proceeding in 2020 looking to make updates to the TeleHealth program. The docket, NUSF-57/PO #6, initially sought comment on how an updated program should be constructed, and what types of services and health care providers should be supported. It sought to provide support that is supplemental to support received through the federal Healthcare Connect Fund (HCF), which pays up to 65% of eligible costs.

In January 2021, the Commission entered an order that determined it would cover an additional 25% of eligible costs if participating providers avail themselves of the federal support first. \$1.5 million was allocated to the program for 2021, and participating providers are required to fill out an application and provide reports to the Commission.



Low Income Telephone Assistance Program/Lifeline

Purpose

The Nebraska Telephone Assistance Program, or NTAP, assists eligible low-income individuals with obtaining and keeping telephone services by lowering monthly telephone service rates. Eligible subscribers receive a monthly discount of \$10.75 on their telephone bill, which consists of \$7.25 in federal support and \$3.50 in NUSF support. NTAP assistance is available for a landline or wireless telephone.



Eligibility

To qualify for the NTAP, a member of the subscriber's household must participate in one of the following programs:

1. Medicaid;
2. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), (formerly known as Food Stamps);
3. Supplemental Security Income (SSI);
4. Federal Public Housing Assistance;
5. Children's Health Insurance Programs (Kids Connection, SAM, MAC, E-MAC);
6. Veterans Pension Benefit/Survivors Pension Benefit
7. Income at or below 135% of poverty level

Only one subscriber per household unit is eligible for NTAP support and each subscriber may only receive support for one telephone line, either wireline or wireless.

Federal support of up to \$100 is available to consumers living on tribal lands to reduce the initial connections and line extension charges. Further, eligibility criteria for consumers living in tribal areas have been expanded to include the following additional federal assistance programs:

1. Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance
2. Tribally administered Temporary Assistance for Needy Families;
3. Head Start (only those meeting its income qualifying standard); or
4. National School Lunch Program's free lunch program.

Verification of eligibility for both the federal and state programs has moved to the system administered by the Universal Services Administration Co. (USAC), known as the National Verifier. The National Verifier was implemented in Nebraska in late 2019, and nationwide by the end of 2019. More information on the National Verifier can be found at < <https://www.lifelinesupport.org/national-verifier/> >.

Number of Subscribers



Approximately 3,581 Nebraskans currently enrolled in the NTAP program receive support from NUSF. This represents a decrease in enrollment of 3.47% over the previous year.

The Commission continues to work with DHHS, agencies for the aging, housing authorities and other agencies and groups across the state to provide eligible subscribers information about NTAP.

The following is a statistical summary of applications processed for recent fiscal years ending June 30. Link Up, the federal program to assist with one-time connection fees, was discontinued for areas that are not Tribal lands during the Fiscal Year 2011-2012. Therefore, no applications for this program were processed during the Fiscal Year 2012-2013 and following fiscal years.

	FY to Date	Cumulative to Date
	Total Applications Processed	Total Applications Processed
FY 12-13	10,716	106,989
FY 13-14	7,820	114,809
FY 14-15	4,081	118,890
FY 15-16	3,667	122,557
FY 16-17	3,529	126,086
FY 17-18	4,339	130,425
FY 18-19	3,037	133,462
FY 19-20	755 year ending Oct. 2019 due to National Verifier	134,217

Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETCs)

Before carriers can participate in NTAP, they must be approved and designated as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC). Nebraska currently has 60 ETCs participating in NTAP.

In 2020-2021, the Commission received 12 applications from carriers seeking designation as an ETC, or modifications of their existing authority. Most of the applications were responding to requirements of the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF) auction that requires winning bidders to be ETCs in the states where the bids were awarded.

FCC Lifeline Reforms

On March 31, 2016, the FCC adopted an order making several changes to the Lifeline program, known in Nebraska as NTAP. The changes became effective December 2, 2016. Most notably, the FCC will allow a Lifeline credit to be applied to broadband service. The federal Lifeline credit will remain at \$9.25 per month. It can be applied to voice service, broadband service, or a bundle including at least one of these services. The FCC found that it has authority to preempt states from designating broadband service providers as Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETCs). The FCC had indicated that it would designate

carriers for the purpose of providing basic Internet access service in order to receive Lifeline broadband support. However, on February 3, 2017, the FCC revoked all of the Lifeline Broadband Provider (LBP) designations it had issued. The FCC has also indicated that it will not defend its authority to issue LBP designations in a court case challenging its authority.

Other significant changes to the Lifeline program includes rolling recertification, in which Lifeline subscribers must be recertified prior to their service initiation anniversary date, instead of being recertified once annually regardless of their service anniversary date. The FCC has adopted minimum service standards for both voice and broadband service. ETCs must meet the minimum service standards in order to receive Lifeline support.

Other recent reforms include implementation of the National Verifier, in 2019. Additional information on the National Verifier can be found at < <https://www.lifelinesupport.org/national-verifier/> >.

High Cost Program

Purpose

In 1997, after the Legislature created the NUSF, the Commission opened an investigation and began its quest to meet the universal service obligations of the new environment. Results from the 2000 U.S. Census indicate over 84% of Nebraska's households reside in an area of less than 730 square miles, less than 1% of the landmass of the entire state. Nearly 16% of Nebraska's households are spread over more than 74,000 square miles. Providing service to households in the rural, sparsely populated areas of Nebraska has a significant cost.

In 1999, based on the findings of its investigation, the Commission implemented a multi-year transitional mechanism to reform intercarrier compensation and establish funding from NUSF. The Commission entered an order in 2001 seeking comment on a method to determine permanent funding from NUSF Nebraska ETCs, while accomplishing the policy goals of universal service. In 2002, the Commission adopted goals for the NUSF long-term support mechanism.

The Commission in June 2004 released the NUSF Support Allocation Methodology (SAM), a permanent, long-term, universal service funding mechanism to address the costs of Nebraska's universal service obligations and meet the needs of providing service in high-cost areas. The methodology utilizes regression techniques to link forward-looking costs to household density. Once this relationship was determined, results were used to calculate relative need for universal service support.

In 2018, the Commission made the determination to move away from the SAM and utilize a cost model to approximate costs and determine allocations to rate-of-return carriers. The State Broadband Cost Model (SBCM) was developed by CostQuest Associates, the entity that developed the cost model used for determination of federal support in the Connect America Fund program. The SBCM estimates, on a census block level, the costs to provide fiber-optic broadband service to the locations within any given census block. The SBCM is similar to the federal cost model, called the Connect America Cost Model (CAM), and its derivatives. The Commission, through the NUSF-108 P.O. #3 process, made the determination that the SBCM would be utilized for support determinations.

The mechanism is funded via a surcharge applied to connections for residential services, and revenues derived from retail end user intrastate telecommunication services for business services. The NUSF surcharge is a \$1.75 per connection per month for residential services and is a flat 6.95 percent assessment on all in-state services for businesses. Starting in 2022, the surcharge for most business services will be assessed on a per connection basis, similar to residential services. The Commission developed the surcharge rates after extensive research and analysis and determined the surcharges should be applied to all in-state services, including local telephone service, local calling features, in-state long distance service, wireless service, and paging service. The surcharge provides the funds necessary to support high-cost areas throughout the State of Nebraska and ensure service remains affordable.

Distribution Methodology

To determine how much of the High Cost funds will be allocated to each provider, the Commission utilizes the SBCM. Each census block in the state is analyzed according to several factors

1. Which company's territory is the block located within?
2. Is the block in a rural or urban area?
3. Does the incumbent provider provide broadband at 25 Mbps down/3 Mbps up or greater?
4. Does a competitive provider provide broadband at 25/3?

The determination of whether a block is rural or urban is based on household density, and census designation, utilizing information from the 2010 US Census. If a block has more than 20 households and greater than 42 households per square mile or is within an area designated as a city or village, it was classified as urban. Urban blocks are not eligible for support and are removed from the analysis for support.

Census blocks are placed into a carrier's territory based on company Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier boundaries, which the PSC maintains. Blocks that are located within a census block are considered part of the carrier's territory. Blocks that overlap multiple exchanges are subdivided based on the percentage of area within a carrier's territory – households/locations are apportioned accordingly.

FCC Form 477 data is used to determine whether service exists within a given census block. The most recent dataset available at the time of model development is used for the distribution methodology. If a wireline provider (utilizing cable, fiber, or DSL service) reports 25/3 Mbps down/up availability for a block, it is considered served with broadband.

The SBCM data provides monthly estimates of CapEx (Capital Expenses) and OpEx (Operating expenses) needed to bring broadband to the locations within the block. Each block was placed into the following categories based on the listed factors:

1. Urban – not eligible for support
2. Rural, no broadband available – no investment has been made to bring broadband service, so will only receive OpEx for maintaining the existing network, but Broadband Deployment Support (BDS) may be used in this block
3. Rural, competitive provider provides broadband – Since an unsubsidized competitor already provides broadband to this location, no support will be provided.
4. Rural, only ILEC provides broadband – Since the ILEC has made the investment to bring broadband service to the locations in this census block, the carrier will receive both OpEx and CapEx to offset the investment that has already been made

A fifth situation may also occur, where a block is already being supported with CAF II support through the federal Alternative Connect America Cost Model (A-CAM) mechanism. The Commission opened a docket in NUSF-108, P.O. #4 to determine if, and how, support should be allocated specifically for these areas.

For blocks that do not have broadband available, either from the ILEC or a competitive carrier, the ILEC has funds allocated to them for broadband deployment (Broadband Deployment Support, or BDS). They may elect to use those funds to bring broadband to blocks that lack it currently. When they choose to do this that support will only be provided as reimbursement for the projects that the carrier completes. Approved rate of return project areas can be viewed on the Nebraska Broadband website at: <http://broadband.nebraska.gov>

Allocations for companies are adjusted proportionally based on the overall support available for the program. The allocation for the 2020 calendar year for RoR carries was approximately \$19.5 million – this amount may be adjusted in response to decisions made in NUSF-108, P.O. #4, or in response to overall support available in the fund.

Ongoing support allocations for individual companies are also subject to additional review to ensure NUSF-HCP support does not exceed levels required to recover reasonable costs, nor result in an excessive overall rate-of-return.

To facilitate this review, NETCs are required to annually submit investment, expense, and revenue data, to the Commission, via the NUSF-EARN Form (EARN Form). In 2020 and 2021, the Commission opened a proceeding to review the EARN for process and make changes as necessary. It was ultimately decided that the process would be more uniform between companies, and all NETCs were required to file at the total company level. Each company was also required to file on a three-year average. Using agreed-upon-procedures, independent auditors certify EARN Form amounts to the financial statements of the NETC.

See the Commission website for copies of annual reports from previous years. Annual reports from previous years provide additional details of how the distribution methodology functions < <http://psc.nebraska.gov> >.

Funds Distributed

The Commission allocated \$40 million in high cost support for the calendar year 2020. The majority of high cost support is paid out only upon completion of telecommunication infrastructure projects. High cost support was distributed to approximately 35 local exchange carriers.



PART IV- State 911 Department

Overview

Purpose

In 2016, the Nebraska Legislature adopted LB 938. This bill created the 911 Service System Act. The act established the Public Service Commission as the statewide implementation and coordinating authority to plan, implement, coordinate, manage, maintain, and provide funding assistance for a statewide 911 System, created the State 911 Department and required that an implementation plan be developed to transition Nebraska's aging 911 system to a statewide Next Generation 911 (NG911) System.

The NG911 Master Plan was adopted by the Commission in November 2017 and was presented to a joint session of the Legislature's Transportation and Telecommunications and Appropriations Committees the following month. LB993, introduced by Senator Curt Friesen, created the 911 Service System Advisory Committee, the 911 Service System Fund and authorized the beginning of implementation of NG911 in Nebraska.

LB993 combined the Wireless E911 Fund created in 2001, with the 911 Service System Fund. The 911 Service System Fund will support implementation, coordination, deployment, management and maintenance of 911 Service System, and the NG911 Master Plan.

The History of 911

As technology has advanced over the last 53-years since the first 911 call was made in Haleyville, Alabama, the need for 911 capabilities has evolved as well. In the beginning, citizens had the ability to make basic 911 calls to a 911 center, or Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP). With basic service, the PSAP received no location or identifying information with the call. The information had to be communicated by the calling party to the PSAP. As capabilities increased technology transitioned to Enhanced 911. With Enhanced 911, the PSAP received location and telephone number information with the 911 call based on the address of the wireline caller. Having this information allowed the PSAP to dispatch emergency help more quickly, even if the caller was not able to communicate their location or the nature of their emergency.

With the invention of wireless cellular phones, new challenges were identified with the location identification of 911 callers. 911 calls made from wireless cellular phones developed into Wireless Enhanced 911. There are three phases of Wireless E911. The most basic of these is "Wireless Phase 0." This means that when a person calls 911 from their wireless device, the PSAP in a city or county, possibly up to hundreds of miles away from the caller, may receive the call, but not receive the telephone number of the wireless device or the location of the caller. This presents potentially life-threatening issues due to delayed response time if the caller is unable to speak, doesn't know where they are, doesn't know their wireless telephone number, or if the call is dropped.

With "Wireless Phase I" 911, a wireless call will be received into the PSAP with the wireless device's telephone number and the location of the wireless cellular tower that received the call. This allows the PSAP to determine the general location of the calling party, usually within a few square miles. Although not ideal, this allows the call taker to identify the wireless carrier and the wireless subscriber's name.

With “Wireless Phase II” 911, PSAP’s have the ability to receive both the wireless caller’s telephone number and their specific location by latitude and longitude.

When a wireless phone is turned on, whether or not it is in use, it periodically transmits signals to the wireless network, so the wireless network knows which cellular towers to deliver calls to if the device is used. With the network-based solution, special radio intercept equipment is installed on cellular towers to accomplish the location task. When a wireless call is placed, the towers can compare signals from any active wireless device and pinpoint the call using triangulation (the difference in time between the arrival of the signal at different receiving stations or by the signal’s angle of arrival at each tower). It takes at least three towers to get an accurate location. This solution is called network-based because the signal measurements and location calculations are performed in the wireless network.

The handset-based solution utilizes a wireless device equipped with Global Positioning System (GPS) equipment that can measure the time of arrival of signals transmitted from GPS satellites in order to calculate its position.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) established Wireless Accuracy Standards for horizontal accuracy that went into effect April 3, 2017. The standard requires that all wireless calls must provide a dispatchable location or x/y location (latitude and longitude) within 50 meters for 40 percent of all wireless 911 calls. The standard increased to 50% in 2018 and increased to 70% in 2020 and to 80% in April 2021.



The Future of Wireless 911

On April 4, 2018, LB993 was signed into law paving the way for the Nebraska Public Service Commission (PSC) to begin implementation of Next Generation 911 (NG911) service in Nebraska. LB993, authorized the Commission to establish a 911 Service System Advisory Committee and merged the E911 Wireless fund with the 911 Service System Fund and authorized the Commission to proceed with the implementation of the 911 Service System.

Next Generation 911 utilizes an Emergency Services Internet Protocol Network (ESInet) to allow PSAPs to receive voice communication, data, photos, and video from mobile devices. To implement Next Generation 911, a robust broadband network will interconnect regions of PSAPs. Nebraska PSAPs are working to organize into Host/Remote regions. In the regional environment, two PSAPs function as the “Hosts” and the remainder function as “Remotes”.

The “Host” PSAPs are equipped with the expensive Call Handling Equipment (CHE) necessary to receive 911 calls. The “Remote” PSAPs interconnect to the “Hosts” via a regional Internet Protocol (IP) network. This configuration allows for the sharing of equipment and resources and drives the expensive costs of call handling equipment down. It also adds resiliency and redundancy to the 911 system.

In addition to the establishment of an ESInet, Next Generation 911 involves locating and routing calls geospatially. Locating and routing calls geospatially requires the use of precise Geographic Information System (GIS) data. The Commission is working with the PSAPs and GIS specialists to create and maintain the necessary data to locate and route 911 calls in the Next Generation 911 environment. The Commission contracted with West Safety Services/Intrado to conduct Quality Assurance/Quality Control (QA/QC) checks on Nebraska’s GIS data so the requirements of a NENA i3 NG911 system can be achieved.

After issuing a Request For Proposal (RFP) in 2020 for a statewide ESInet and NG911 Core Services, the Commission executed a five-year contract in January 2021 with Lumen (formerly CenturyLink) and its partner Intrado to provide these services.

The Commission has established the 911 Service System Advisory Committee (911 SSAC). This Committee includes representatives of State, County and City Government officials, Law Enforcement, Fire, EMS, and Emergency Management personnel, as well as representatives of the telecommunications industry. The Committee has formed several working groups to make recommendations in the following areas; technical, GIS, training, operations, and funding. The working groups will make recommendations to the 911 Service System Advisory Committee. The Committee will in turn make recommendations to the Public Service Commission.

In the Next Generation 911 environment, citizens seeking emergency assistance will be able to contact 911 utilizing voice communications, text messages, photos, videos, and other digital media means. The identification of a caller’s location and the routing of that call to the appropriate PSAP will be greatly enhanced, ultimately improving the chances of receiving emergency assistance much faster and saving lives.

Funding

Effective July 1, 2001, a \$.50 surcharge had been collected from each subscriber of a wireless phone with a billing address in Nebraska. Wireless carriers remit the surcharge to the Commission 60 days after the last day of the month. On January 1, 2013, the surcharge was reduced to \$.45 for each subscriber with a billing address in Nebraska. The surcharge remains at \$.45 today. For fiscal year 2020-2021, the 911 Service System fund collected more than \$8.6 million dollars.

The Prepaid Wireless Surcharge Act was passed by the Legislature in 2012 and updated as a result of LB 157 in 2018. Under this Act, each retail seller of prepaid wireless telecommunication services collects the Wireless surcharges directly from the consumer at the point-of-sale. The amount of the surcharge collected per retail transaction is based on an annual determination by the Nebraska Department of Revenue utilizing a formula of the amount of prepaid wireless surcharges.

Amounts collected are remitted by retailer to the Department of Revenue. In fiscal year 2020-2021 this amounted to 1% of the total sale. Retailers are permitted to deduct and retain 3% of prepaid wireless surcharges. The Department of Revenue will then remit the collected amounts less administrative costs not to exceed 2%, to the State Treasurer for credit to the 911 Service System fund.

On February 23, 2010, the Commission adopted a permanent funding mechanism, the 911 Support Allocation Methodology (911-SAM), for wireless 911 service pursuant to *Neb. Rev. Stat.* § 86-465 (1) (e). The 911-SAM forecasted the future status of the Enhanced Wireless 911 Fund and assisted in the allocation of annual support amounts to eligible PSAPs and wireless carriers.

The 911-SAM derived costs proxy amounts, representing the costs incurred for the provision of wireless enhanced 911 service, for three cost categories; PSAP, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), and wireless carriers. Cost proxy amounts were determined as functions of independent variables and predefined cost inputs. More specifically, PSAP and GIS costs proxy amounts were calculated as functions of population and the wireless carrier cost proxy amount was determined as a function of wireless towers.

During Fiscal Year 2020-2021, PSAPs received nearly \$4.9 million, wireless carriers received nearly \$900,000 and local exchange carriers received more than \$2.6 million. In preparation for Next Generation 911, the funding working group and the 911 Service System Advisory Committee worked to identify a new funding mechanism to replace the 911 SAM and provide for a cost-effective Next Generation 911 system for years to come. The NG911 funding mechanism is currently in the Commissions adoption process with a final order pending.

Training and Technical Standards

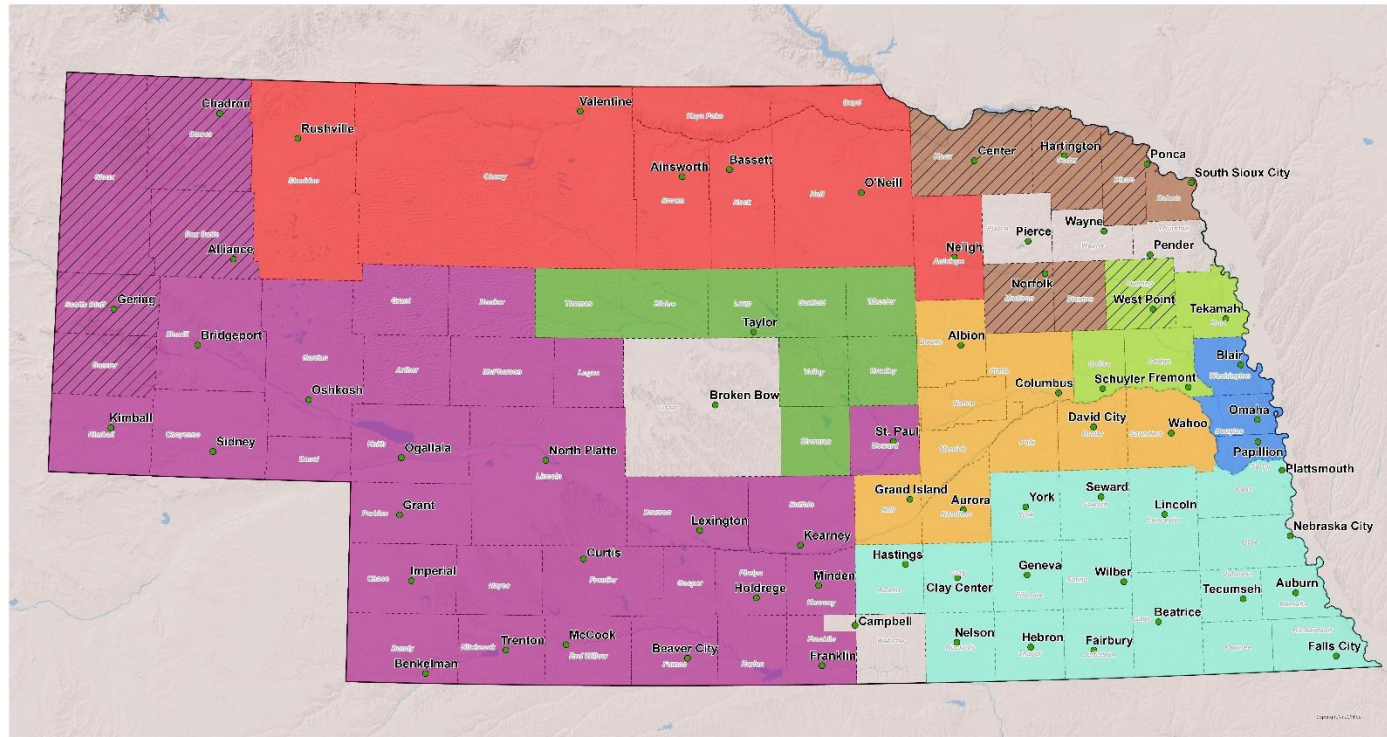
Since the inception of 911 in Nebraska, statewide mandatory training standards have not existed. Over the past year, the training working group of the 911 Service System Advisory Committee has developed mandatory minimum training standards and a statewide certification process. The 911 Service System Advisory Committee has made recommendations to the Commission that the statewide mandatory training standards be adopted. The Commission is in the process of adopting the standards and a final order is pending

Wireline 911 Information

Wireline 911 surcharge information reported to the Commission by local telephone carriers in Nebraska is contained in Appendix A of this report. If specific exchange information is not listed, it is because the local telephone carrier did not file the information.¹

¹ For a listing of Wireline Surcharge 911 surcharge information see Appendix A

Nebraska PSAP Regionalization





PART V- Legislative Recommendations

Recommendations for 2022 Legislative Session

The Commission has actively participated in the Rural Broadband Task Force and will continue to monitor both federal and state activity for possible legislation during the 2022 session. Items that have been of recent interest to the Legislature, such as broadband mapping, dark fiber leasing and broadband deployment, have been discussed by the Task Force and were addressed in its recommendations to the Legislature.

The Commission also recommends a re-examination of the Nebraska Competitive Telephone Marketplace Fund, provisioned in Chapter 86, Section 127 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes. As described in Part II of this report, payments into the fund have ceased and the balance remains at \$30,000, the maximum allowed by statute. Interest earned by the fund is transferred to the Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF). The statute allows the fund to be used to cover expenses related to monitoring compliance; however, the Commission no longer incurs any expenses for doing so.

The Broadband Bridge Act, which created the broadband grant program, will have completed the first year of grant awards prior to, or at the beginning of, the 2022 legislative session. We anticipate there may need to be modifications to the program to ensure the intent of the legislature is carried out.

Telecom Information & Data

Local Exchange Carriers

Nebraska Local Exchange Carriers, Rates & Lines Served

This section of the report provides information on local exchange carriers currently certificated to serve in Nebraska, the business and residential local rates charged by Nebraska carriers, and a listing of communities and the local carriers offering service in those communities.

The financial information submitted to the Commission regarding local exchange company earnings is not included in this report. Competition has been introduced into portions of this market and company-specific data may reveal competitively sensitive information. Thus, the annual reports filed by the local exchange companies remain available at the Commission for use by Commissioners and Commission staff. Portions of the reports that are not proprietary are available for public inspection.

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 provided for competition in the local exchange service market. For more information on the 1996 Act, see Part I of this report. The Commission has authorized a number of CLECs to compete with the incumbent local companies in Nebraska. The following table provides details on the local exchange market in Nebraska for the past two years.

	2019	2020	Change
Total Access Lines Served in the State	455,544	497,403	(17.5%)
Total Access Lines Served by ILECs	241,088	214,927	(11.1%)
Total Access Lines Served by CLECs	214,456	202,689	(23.7%)
Percentage of Total Access Lines Served by CLECs	47.1%	48.5%	(3.8%)
Total Access Lines Served by a VoIP Providers	85,308	79,787	(6.9%)

As of December 31, 2020, 45 incumbent local exchange carriers (including cooperative telephone companies) and 104 competitive local exchange carriers have been certificated by the Commission to operate in Nebraska. Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC, is the largest carrier with 126,640 access lines. A listing of Nebraska carriers, the number of residential lines and business lines served by each carrier, and the current business and residential rates charged by those companies can be found in Appendix B of this report. The rates listed are for basic dial-tone service as of September 1, 2020, and exclude subscriber line charges, extended area service rates, and other optional charges.^{2 3}

² For a Listing of Local Exchange Carriers see Appendix B

³ For a listing of Nebraska Communities & Serving Companies See Appendix C

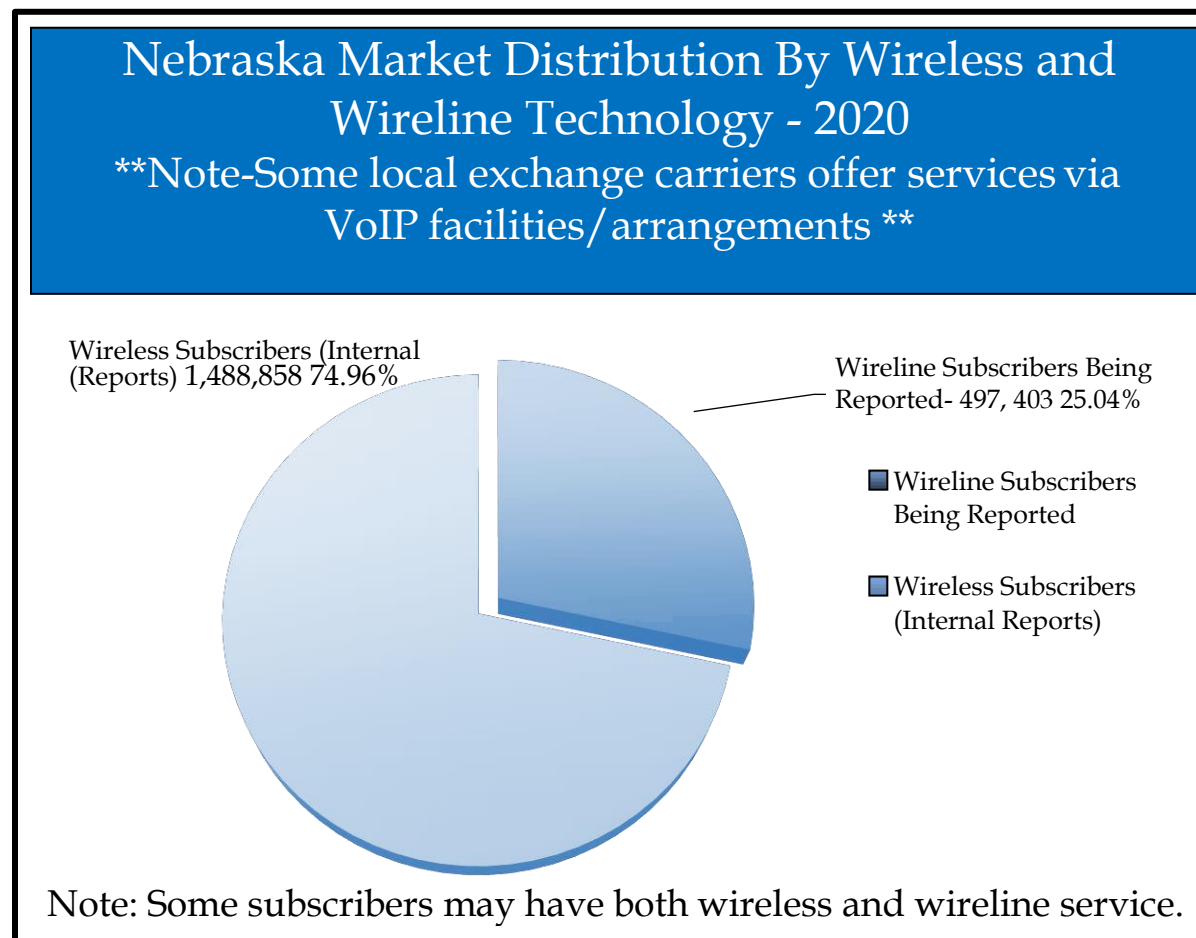
2020 Local Rate Changes

United Telephone Company of the West d/b/a/ CenturyLink had both a business and residential local rate change in 2020.

Qwest Corporation d/b/a/ CenturyLink QC had both a business and residential local rate change in 2020.

Nebraska Market Distribution by Technology

Nebraska, as with the entire nation, continues to see significant changes in the number of consumers that opt to “cut the cord” or relinquish their landline telephone and exclusively use a wireless product or other internet product like VoIP. According to recent studies, approximately 1/3 of customers have cut the cord and are exclusively using a wireless telephone. The table below shows the numbers of subscribers in Nebraska using wireline and wireless technology as of December 31, 2020. Some consumers may utilize both and are therefore included in both categories.



Explanation of Charges on Telephone Bills

Basic Residential Service - The monthly rate charged by companies to provide telecommunications service to a private residence, including single and multifamily dwellings, within the local calling area.

Extended Area Service - A monthly flat fee charged by telecommunications companies that allows users to place and receive an unlimited number of calls from nearby communities with no additional charges.

Number Portability Charge - A charge set by the FCC to allow telephone companies to recover costs associated with allowing customers to retain their telephone number when changing from one Telephone Company to another.

Federal Subscriber Line Charge - A charge set by the FCC that customers pay to their local phone company to cover part of the cost of connecting customers to the telephone network. It is currently capped at \$6.50 per month for the first residential line and single business lines. The monthly charge varies by company.

Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) Surcharge - A charge set by the Commission to fund the operation of the statewide TRS system for deaf, hard-of-hearing, and speech impaired citizens. The TRS Surcharge also provides financial aid to eligible Nebraskans for the purchase of specialized telephone equipment necessary to use TRS. The TRS Surcharge is reviewed annually by the Commission and is currently \$.03 per month per telephone number or functional equivalent.

911 Service Surcharge - A charge assessed by and remitted to a city or county to fund the operation of public safety answering points (PSAP) that receive 911 emergency calls. This charge ranges from \$.50 to \$1.00 per month per telephone number.

Wireless E911 Surcharge - A charge assessed by the Commission to fund the implementation and operation of the Wireless Enhanced 911 program, which allows emergency responders to accurately locate wireless devices that have placed 911 calls. Currently the charge is \$.45 per month on each telephone number in service.

Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF) Surcharge - All telecommunications service providers must contribute to NUSF based on number of connections (for residential services), or as a percentage of their in-state revenues (for business and pre-paid services). Telephone providers then recover the cost from their customers in the form of a surcharge collected from each customer. The NUSF surcharge is currently \$1.75 per connection for residential services, and 6.95% of intrastate revenues for business services. For more information on the programs funded by NUSF, see Part III of this report.

Federal Tax (Excise Tax) - A 3% federal tax which funds general federal government operations.

State Sales Tax - A tax assessed by the state on local and in-state long distance telecommunications charges that funds general state government obligations. The current tax rate is 5.5%.

City Sales Tax - A tax assessed by a city to fund general municipal obligations. Not every city assesses a city sales tax and they vary by city.

City Occupation or Franchise Tax - A tax assessed on telephone companies by a city for the right to do business in the community. Telephone companies are allowed to recover the amount paid in occupation or franchise taxes directly on customer bills. Not every city imposes occupation or franchise taxes and they vary by city.

Federal Universal Service - All telecommunications service providers must contribute to the Federal Universal Service Fund based on a percentage of their interstate end-user revenues. The fund supports the following four programs: Lifeline/Linkup, High-cost, Schools, Libraries, and Rural Health Care. The rate is recalculated by the FCC quarterly, and is usually passed on to consumers and varies by company.

Long Distance Telephone Carriers

The number of long-distance companies certificated to operate in the State of Nebraska continues to grow. Currently, there are 174 companies authorized to provide long-distance services in Nebraska. The table contained in Appendix D, is a listing of all the long-distance carriers certificated to provide service in Nebraska. Inclusion on the table below does not indicate the company is offering service in Nebraska at this time.³⁴

Communication/ Information Providers

The number of communication/ information providers operating in the State of Nebraska continues to grow. Currently, there are 312 companies providing Wireless, VoIP, Satellite, Internet, DSL, dark fiber and/or paging in Nebraska. These services are not certificated by the Commission, but State Law requires non-certificated communication providers to register with the Commission. Inclusion on the table in Appendix E does not indicate the company is offering service in Nebraska at this time.⁵

Service Testing & Outage Reports

The Commission ensures Nebraskans are receiving quality telecommunications service by periodically reviewing performance data provided by telephone companies and by monitoring consumer complaints for indications of potential problems requiring further investigation. All local exchange carriers are using digital switches designed to perform a series of self-diagnostic tests, which makes the monitoring and identification of service quality issues much easier. The Commission's technical staff offers assistance in identifying the source of service problems and is available to assist in resolving service complaints from consumers across the state.

The current service quality standards in the Commission's Telecommunications Rules and Regulations were developed for traditional copper-based switched circuit technology. The Commission staff is conducting the final review of the existing service quality rules and will propose changes intended to update the rules consistent with current technologies. Reports are required to be filed with the Commission by local exchange carriers when service outages are experienced. The report must include the date and time of the outage, the geographic area affected, the cause of the outage, if known, and an estimate of the number of

⁴ For a Listing of Long-Distance Telephone Carriers see Appendix D

⁵ For a Listing of Communication/ Information Providers see Appendix E

access lines affected. Within five days of resolving the trouble, a final report must be filed with the Commission showing the total number of trouble reports received from customers related to the outage and the corrective action taken.

In 2018, the Commission modified the reporting requirements to include additional information, particularly when outages are caused by cable cuts. In those situations, carriers must report information about whether locates of the telecommunications infrastructure were requested, and if so, what entity performed those locates. The Commission also requests information about whether the locates were correct, and what company was performing the work when the cable cut occurred.

In the 2020-2021 fiscal year, there were a total of 76 outages reported to the Commission. Of the 76 outages, 25 were cable cuts, 27 were equipment related, 11 were caused by damaged cable not necessarily related to a cable cut, and 13 were caused by other miscellaneous factors.

Relay Service Outages/Disruptions

The COVID-19 pandemic, declared by the President as a national emergency, March 13, 2020 resulted in multiple temporary center closures—both for TRS and CapTel services. Staffing and performance levels began to improve in May 2020.

With the FCC’s ‘March 16 TRS Waiver Order,’ the FCC provided a waiver of the “speed-of-answer” standards from 85% of the calls answered in 10 seconds (measured daily) to 85% of calls answered in 120 seconds measured on a monthly basis. The June 22 Order (the fourth such Order) extended the waiver through August 31, 2020. A series of FCC Orders further extended this waiver through August 31, 2021. The PSC allowed for the waiver extension through June 30, 2021.

Applications and Tariffs

The Communications Department received a total of 143 separate applications during the period of July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021. Below is a summary of the applications received during this period:

Type of Application	Number of Applications Filed	Type of Application	Number of Applications Filed
Local Certification	5	Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Designation	9
Interexchange Certification	3	Withdrawal	9
Amend Certification	43	Transfer of Control	8
Boundary/Customer	20	Name Change	4
Loan/Indebtedness	7	Trade Name	1
Commission/Initiated	3	Rate Increase	0
Interconnection	27	Other	6

There were 132 tariff changes filed with the Commission during this period. Individual applications may be reviewed in our offices while the tariff revision listing is available on the Commission's website.

Complaints

During the previous year, the Commission addressed numerous issues involving consumer choice, service quality, safety, distance learning, universal service, and emerging technologies such as VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol). The list below includes some of the major issues addressed by the Commission in the last fiscal year:

Wireline Companies

The following table shows the LEC complaints by company. The largest number of complaints involved the two largest LECs, Windstream and CenturyLink.

LECs	2019-2020			2020-2021		
	Complaints	Access Lines	% of Total Lines	Complaints	Access Lines	% of Total Lines
Windstream	37	90,918	20.0	46	79,885	16.1
CenturyLink fka Qwest	76	71,697	15.7	74	62,751	12.6
NT&T	5	7,026	1.5	7	6,124	1.2
Cox	18	134,671	29.6	14	126,640	25.5
Frontier	31	14,522	3.2	12	12,376	2.5
Great Plains	0	15,359	3.4	0	14,474	2.9
AT&T	1	23,738	5.2	1	21,906	4.4
Time Warner	12	66,269	14.5	12	61,252	12.3
Others	5	31,344	6.9	17	111,995	22.5
TOTAL	185	455,544	100.0	183	497,403	100.0

Customers can verify they have the long- distance carrier of their choice by dialing the toll-free telephone number (700) 555-4141.

Wireless Carriers

While the Commission lacks statutory authority over wireless telecommunications service and billing, we continue to receive and process wireless complaints. Utilizing existing resources, the Commission strives to resolve these complaints to benefit the wireless consumers of Nebraska.

Wireless Complaints by Carrier

Wireless Carriers	2018-2019		2019-2020		2020-2021	
	Complaints	%	Complaints	%	Complaints	%
AT&T	3	7.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
Consumer Cellular	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.6
Sprint	15	37.5	7	21.2	4	11.1
T-Mobile	1	2.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
TracFone Wireless	3	7.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
US Cellular	0	0.0	2	6.0	4	11.1
Verizon Wireless	15	37.5	15	45.6	21	58.3
Viaero Wireless	1	2.5	2	6.0	1	2.8
Virgin Mobile	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.8
Others	2	5.0	7	21.2	3	8.3
TOTAL	40	100.0	33	100.0	36	100.0

Relay Service Complaints

There were no consumer complaints related to traditional relay calls (excluding CapTel) for the year ended June 30, 2021. The Commission tracks complaints utilizing the following categories: Service, Billing, Technical and External. Generally, service complaints relate to the quality of Communication Assistant (“CA”) interaction with the customer. Billing issues involve primarily long-distance errors. Technical complaints generally center on, line disconnections, line garbling, 711-related problems and long connect times.

The CapTel center in Madison, Wisconsin, also tracks complaints/inquiries for captioned telephone service. The Madison Center logged nine customer contacts with all nine categorized as technical related for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. The center experienced 26 contacts the previous fiscal year (23 related to technical). Since the CA in a captioned telephone setting is transparent to both parties and utilizes voice-recognition technology, there are few service- related issues regarding the CA.

Technical complaints for the year ended June 30, 2021 consisted mainly of set up, dialing/incoming calls, not captioned and other general issues related to equipment. One complaint consisted of equipment type mismatch where the type of service is not compatible with the CapTel device being used. Other technical complaints consisted of other problems regarding cable/modem connections.

Historical Complaint Statistics

The following table shows the total number of complaints filed this year and divides the complaints between wireline companies, wireless carriers and information services (which includes Internet, cable TV, and VoIP companies).

2020– 2021 Complaint Type by Carrier Type

2020-2021	Wireline	Wireless	Information Services	Cable TV
Service	135	23	53	3
Billing	30	11	12	6
Customer Service	0	1	1	0
Directory	1	0	0	0
Auto Dialer	0	0	0	0
Miscellaneous	14	1	1	0
TOTAL	183	36	72	9

Historical by Carrier Type

	2019-2020		2020-2021	
LECs	185	63.8%	183	62.0%
Wireless	33	11.4%	36	12.2%
Information Services	62	24.8%	67	22.7%
Cable TV	10	3.4%	9	3.1%
TOTAL	290	100.0%	295	100.0%

Historical by Complaint Type

Types by Year	2019-2020	2020-2021
Billing	79	59
Service	193	214
Customer Service	2	2
Directory	0	4
Auto Dialer	0	0
Miscellaneous	16	16
TOTAL	290	295

Appendix A-Wireline 911 Surcharge Information

Name of Exchange	Local Exchange Carrier or CLEC Name	Monthly Surcharge Amount Collected per Line	PSAP County/City Surcharge Remitted to	Total Annual Surcharge Remitted	Total Surcharge Remitted to Jurisdiction
Adams					
Glenvil	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.75	Adams County	\$459.75	
Hansen	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.75	Adams County	\$531.75	
Hastings	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Hastings 911 Center	\$10,974.61	
Hastings	AT&T Corporation	\$0.75	Adams County	\$18.75	
Hastings	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Adams County	\$239.00	
Hastings	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$0.75	Adams County	\$26.00	
Hastings	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.75	Adams County	\$455.25	
Hastings	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$0.75	Adams County	\$392.29	
Hastings	Hamilton Long Distance	\$0.75	Adams County	\$5.23	
Hastings	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.75	Adams County	\$114.00	
Hastings	MetTel	\$0.75	Adams County	\$63.00	
Hastings	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$0.75	Adams County	\$31.50	
Hastings	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.75	Adams County	\$26,224.54	
Holstein	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corp	\$0.75	City of Hastings	\$1,370.06	
Juniata	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Adams County	\$1.00	
Juniata	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$0.75	Adams County	\$72.00	
Juniata	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.75	Adams County	\$1,808.66	
Kenesaw	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$0.75	Adams County	\$63.00	
Kenesaw	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.75	Adams County	\$1,260.37	
Roseland	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corp	\$0.75	Adams County	\$1,759.43	\$45,870.19
Antelope					
Brunswick	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$828.24	

Clearwater	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$3,008.00	
Elgin	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$4,677.76	
Monroe	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$95.04	
Neligh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$5,205.42	
Neligh	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$27.00	
Neligh	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$635.99	
Neligh	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$38.00	
Neligh	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$2,170.00	
Oakdale	Great Plains Communication	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$1,117.38	
Orchard	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$2,485.89	
Tilden	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$1,316.70	
Tilden	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Antelope County	\$368.00	\$21,973.42
Arthur (See Keith)					
Banner (See Scottsbluff)					
Blaine (See Region 26)					
Boone					
Albion	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Boone County	\$5,980.59	
Albion	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Boone County	\$71.00	
Albion	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Boone County	\$24.00	
Albion	NT&T	\$1.00	Boone County	\$60.00	

Cedar Rapids	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Boone County	\$1,953.56	
Kearney	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Boone County	\$190.08	
Leigh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Boone County	\$44.10	
Newman Grove	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Boone County	\$95.04	
Petersburg	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Boone County	\$2,777.74	
Primrose	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Boone County	\$445.33	
St. Edward	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Boone County	\$2,534.55	
Tilden	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Boone County	\$35.64	\$14,211.63
Box Butte					
Atkinson	MetTel	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$25.00	
Alliance	Allo Communications	\$0.50	Alliance PD	\$6,268.02	
Alliance	AT&T Corporation	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$0.50	
Alliance	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$16.00	
Alliance	CenturyLink QC	\$0.50	Alliance PD	\$2,457.37	
Alliance	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$14.00	
Alliance	First Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$6.00	
Alliance	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$256.00	
Alliance	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$12.00	
Alliance	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$19.00	

Alliance	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$4.00	
Alliance	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Box Butte County	\$21.00	
Alliance	Mobius Communication Company	\$0.50	Alliance PD	\$1,933.58	
Alliance	NT&T	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$482.00	
Alliance	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$4,070.50	
Ellsworth	NT&T	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$18.00	
Hemingford	Hemingford Cooperative Telephone Company	\$0.50	Alliance PD	\$3,890.34	
Hemingford	NT&T	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$12.00	
Lakeside	NT&T	\$0.50	Box Butte County	\$42.00	\$19,547.31
Boyd (Consolidated with Holt)					
Atkinson	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Holt County	\$120.00	
Atkinson	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Holt County	\$12.00	
Atkinson	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Holt County	\$48.00	
Atkinson	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Holt County	\$18.00	
Atkinson	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Holt County	\$4.00	
Atkinson	NT&T	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Admin Board	\$1,290.00	

Bristow	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$854.00	
Butte	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Counties	\$24.00	
Butte	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$2,989.00	
Chambers	K&M Tel. Company Inc.	\$1.00	Holt County	\$3,537.10	
Clearwater	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$524.00	
Emmet	NT&T	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Admin Board	\$84.00	
Ewing	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$2,059.44	
Inman	K&M Tel. Company Inc.	\$1.00	Holt County	\$1,113.26	
Lynch	Three River Telco	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$3,161.00	
Lynch	NT&T	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Admin Board	\$12.00	
Naper	Three River Telco	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$1,536.00	
O'Neill	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Holt	\$108.00	
O'Neill	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Holt County	\$60.00	
O'Neill	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Counties	\$4,120.11	
O'Neill	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Holt County	\$116.00	
O'Neill	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Holt County	\$242.00	
O'Neill	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Holt County	\$48.00	
O'Neill	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Holt County	\$423.00	
O'Neill	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Holt County	\$62.00	

O'Neill	NT&T	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Admin Board	\$2,078.00	
Orchard	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Holt County	\$11.88	
Page	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$1,411.06	
Spencer	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$3,546.00	
Stuart	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Holt	\$288.00	
Stuart	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Holt-Boyd Counties	\$3,806.00	
Stuart	NT&T	\$1.00	Boyd-Holt Admin Board	\$96.00	\$33,801.85
Brown					
Ainsworth	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Brown County	\$2,558.79	
Ainsworth	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Brown County	\$10.00	
Ainsworth	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Brown County	\$12.00	
Ainsworth	Three River Communications	\$1.00	Brown County	\$6,368.00	
Johnstown	Three River Telco	\$1.00	Brown County	\$986.00	
Long Pine	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Brown County	\$1,648.00	\$11,582.79
Buffalo					
Amherst	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$698.72	
Amherst	NT&T	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$15.75	
Elm Creek	NT&T	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$184.50	
Elm Creek	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$9.00	
Gibbon	Hamilton Long Distance	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$6.00	
Gibbon	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$3,693.02	
Kearney	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Buffalo County	\$54.00	
Kearney	AT&T Corporation	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$250.50	
Kearney	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Buffalo County	\$84.00	

Kearney	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$21.00	
Kearney	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$225.00	
Kearney	CenturyLink QC	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$1,377.00	
Kearney	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$22,290.54	
Kearney	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$84.00	
Kearney	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$21.00	
Kearney	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$1,200.75	
Kearney	Hamilton Long Distance	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$8.13	
Kearney	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$651.00	
Kearney	MetTel	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$221.25	
Kearney	NT&T	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$83.25	
Kearney	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$40,596.75	
Kearney	Sprint Communications Co, LP	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$25.50	
Kearney	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$1,485.00	
Kearney	XO Communications Service, LLC	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$5.25	
Miller	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$342.30	
Pleasanton	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$937.05	
Pleasanton	NT&T	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$9.00	
Ravenna	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$3,770.77	
Riverdale	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$656.40	
Shelton	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$2,164.63	
Shelton	NT&T	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$9.00	
Sodtown	Sodtown Telephone Co	\$0.75	Buffalo County	\$492.75	\$81,672.81
Burt					
Ainsworth	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Burt County	\$7,243.86	

Craig	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Burt County	\$1,994.00	
Decatur	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Burt County	\$2,730.00	
Lyons	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Burt County	\$1,475.00	
Lyons	NT&T	\$1.00	Burt County	\$362.00	
Oakland	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Burt County	\$1,911.00	
Oakland	NT&T	\$1.00	Burt County	\$472.00	
Tekamah	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Burt County	\$152.00	
Tekamah	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Burt County	\$36.00	
Tekamah	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Burt County	\$3,871.00	
Tekamah	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Burt County	\$26.00	
Tekamah	NT&T	\$1.00	Burt County	\$192.00	\$20,464.86
Butler					
Bellwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$2,320.61	
Brainard	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Butler County	\$96.00	
Brainard	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$2,948.00	
Bruno	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Butler County	\$35.00	
Bruno	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$1,096.83	
Cedar Bluff	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$12.00	
Columbus	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$549.45	
David City	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Butler County	\$11.00	
David City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Butler County	\$120.00	
David City	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Butler County	\$12.00	
David City	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Butler County	\$11.00	
David City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Butler County	\$24.00	
David City	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Butler County	\$3,961.61	
David City	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$7,882.79	
Dwight	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$1,243.07	

Gresham	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$36.00	
Linwood	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Butler County	\$504.00	
Octavia	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$653.99	
Rising City	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$1,171.99	
Seward	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$24.00	
Surprise	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$548.84	
Ulysses	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Butler County	\$1,280.00	
Valparaiso	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Butler County	\$66.00	\$24,608.18
Cass					
Alvo	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$24.00	
Ashland	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Cass County	\$31.20	
Ashland	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Ashland	\$2,316.94	
Ashland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$4,275.27	
Avoca	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$1,250.57	
Cedar Creek	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$30.00	
Eagle	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$6,073.64	
Elmwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$2,973.10	
Fargo	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Cass County	\$9.00	
Greenwood	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$141.00	
Greenwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$1,698.47	
Louisville	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$3.00	
Louisville	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$8,245.32	
Murdock	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$12.00	
Murdock	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$1,863.71	
Murray	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$7,364.98	
Nehawka	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$1,301.04	
Plattsmouth	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Cass County	\$131.00	
Plattsmouth	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Cass County	\$181.00	
Plattsmouth	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$167.00	
Plattsmouth	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cass County	\$135.00	
Plattsmouth	MetTel	\$1.00	Cass County	\$24.00	

Plattsmouth	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$22,692.50	
Union	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$2,183.41	
Waverly	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$192.00	
Weeping Water	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Cass County	\$5,376.47	\$68,695.62
Cedar					
Belden	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$574.00	
Bloomfield/Cedar	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$74.76	
Coleridge	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$3,665.00	
Crofton/Cedar	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$1,205.39	
Dixon	NT&T	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$12.00	
Dixon-Concord	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$114.00	
Hartington	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$12.00	
Hartington	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$1.00	
Hartington	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$3,600.67	
Hartington	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$8.00	
Hartington	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$36.00	
Hartington	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$104.00	
Hartington	Hartington Telecommunications Company, Inc.	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$12,723.00	
Laurel	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$1,946.00	
Laurel	NT&T	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$514.00	
McLean	NT&T	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$12.00	
Obert/Maskell	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$630.00	
Randolph	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cedar	\$950.00	
Randolph	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$99.00	

Randolph	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telcom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$12.00	
Randolph	NT&T	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$598.00	
Wausa (Cedar County)	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$251.93	
Wynot (Fordyce, St Helena)	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cedar County	\$4,948.89	\$32,091.64
Chase					
Imperial	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Chase County	\$1,256.88	
Imperial	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Chase County	\$10,540.21	
Wauneta	Wauneta Telephone Company	\$1.00	Chase County	\$4,274.00	\$16,071.09
Cherry					
Cody	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$1,774.76	
Crookston	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$698.76	
Kilgore	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$735.66	
Merriman	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$1,084.88	
N. Valentine	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Chery County	\$84.00	
N. Valentine	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telcom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$14.00	
Valentine	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$12.00	
Valentine	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$15.00	
Valentine	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$9,058.12	
Valentine	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$126.00	
Valentine	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$48.00	
Valentine	Great Plains Broadband	\$0.50	Cherry County	\$522.05	
Valentine	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$144.00	

Valentine	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telcom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$17.00	
Woodlake	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cherry County	\$722.04	\$15,056.27
Cheyenne					
Dalton, Lodgepole, Gurley	Dalton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$4,786.00	
Gurley	NT&T	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$24.00	
Lodgepole	NT&T	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$26.00	
Potter	NT&T	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$12.00	
Sidney	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$628.07	
Sidney	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$1,240.00	
Sidney	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$51.00	
Sidney	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$12,437.17	
Sidney	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$82.00	
Sidney	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$412.00	
Sidney	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$189.00	

Sidney	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$17.00	
Sidney	MetTel	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$12.00	
Sidney	Mobius Communication Company	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$26.34	
Sidney	NT&T	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$1,870.00	
Sidney	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$12,492.00	
Sidney	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$1,358.43	
Sunol	NT&T	\$1.00	Cheyenne County	\$24.00	\$35,687.01
Clay					
Clay Center	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Clay County	\$24.00	
Clay Center	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Clay County	\$118.00	
Clay Center	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Clay County	\$9.00	
Clay Center	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$2,544.20	
Deweese	Glenwood Telecommunications	\$1.00	Clay County	\$32.51	
Deweese	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$458.00	
Edgar	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Clay County	\$12.00	
Edgar	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$1,867.32	
Fairfield	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$1,885.55	
Glenvil	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$0.50	Clay County	\$9.00	
Glenvil	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$1,488.68	
Hansen	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$12.00	
Harvard	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Clay County	\$12.00	

Harvard	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$3,760.30	
Hastings	Windstream IT-Comm. LLC	\$0.50	Clay County	\$36.00	
Hastings	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$697.00	
Ong	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Clay County	\$9.00	
Ong	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Clay County	\$24.00	
Ong	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$337.00	
Sutton	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$0.50	Clay County	\$145.00	
Sutton	Glenwood Telecommunications	\$1.00	Clay County	\$181.17	
Sutton	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Clay County	\$78.10	
Sutton	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Clay County	\$6,443.79	\$20,183.62
Colfax					
Clarkson	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$216.00	
Clarkson	NT&T	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$796.00	
Columbus	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$520.00	
Howells	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$441.00	
Howells	NT&T	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$559.00	
Leigh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$2,108.62	
Leigh	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$497.00	
Richland	NT&T	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$12.00	
Rogers	NT&T	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$36.00	
Schuyler	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$9.00	
Schuyler	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$11,302.06	
Schuyler	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$180.00	
Schuyler	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$107.00	
Schuyler	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$26.00	
Schuyler	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$36.00	
Schuyler	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telcom d/b/a Excel	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$2.00	

	Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo				
Schuyler	NT&T	\$1.00	Colfax County	\$896.00	\$17,743.68
Cuming					
Bancroft	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$3,081.46	
Beemer	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$3,299.23	
Beemer	NT&T	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$12.00	
West Point	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$7,545.00	
West Point	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$117.00	
West Point	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$182.00	
West Point	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$865.00	
West Point	NT&T	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$1,576.00	
West Point	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$216.00	
West Point	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$36.00	
Wisner	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Cuming County	\$7,048.89	\$23,978.58
Custer					
Anselmo	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Custer County	\$1,642.77	
Ansley	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Custer County	\$3,572.93	
Arnold	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Custer County	\$3,531.08	
Berwyn	NT&T	\$1.00	Custer County	\$24.00	
Broken Bow	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Custer County	\$512.40	
Broken Bow	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Custer County	\$8,324.32	
Broken Bow	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Custer County	\$2.00	
Broken Bow	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Custer County	\$157.00	
Broken Bow	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Custer County	\$120.00	
Broken Bow	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Custer County	\$6,882.87	
Broken Bow	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Custer County	\$78.00	
Broken Bow	NT&T	\$1.00	Custer County	\$1,188.00	
Callaway	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Custer County	\$3,750.89	

Comstock	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Custer County	\$874.40	
Mason City	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Custer County	\$1,456.50	
Merna	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Custer County	\$2,674.05	
Oconto	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Custer County	\$1,134.21	
Sargent	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Custer County	\$3,448.81	
Weissert	NT&T	\$1.00	Custer County	\$13.00	\$39,387.23
Dakota					
Dakota City	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$64.00	
Dakota City	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$11.00	
Dakota City	First Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Dakota County	\$12.00	
Dakota City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$358.00	
Dakota City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$770.00	
Dakota City	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services,	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$18.00	
Dakota City	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$129.00	
Emerson	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$835.00	
Emerson	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$548.00	
Homer	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$187.00	
Hubbard	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$72.00	
Jackson-Hubbard	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$5,767.00	
South Sioux City	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$9,222.32	
South Sioux City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$3,833.00	
South Sioux City	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$9.00	
South Sioux City	Long Lines Siouxland	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$9,094.25	
South Sioux City	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$36.00	
South Sioux City	MetTel	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$60.00	

South Sioux City	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$368.00	
South Sioux/Dakota City	FiberComm, L.C.	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$4,498.67	
Thurston	NT&T	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$12.00	
Waterbury	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dakota County	\$89.00	\$35,993.24
Dawes					
Chadron	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$145.43	
Chadron	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$24.00	
Chadron	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$10,029.81	
Chadron	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$113.00	
Chadron	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$277.00	
Chadron	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$8,148.18	
Chadron	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$78.00	
Chadron	MetTel	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$12.00	
Chadron	Mobius Communication Company	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$1,279.63	
Chardon	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$1,147.00	
Crawford	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$307.00	
Crawford/Whitney	Mobius Communication Company	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$3,456.07	
Harrison	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$28.26	
Harrison	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$12.00	
Harrison	Mobius Communication Company	\$1.00	Chadron PD	\$208.72	
Harrison	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$12.00	
Sioux County	United Telephone Company of the West	\$0.50	Dawes County	\$585.87	
Whitney	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawes County	\$82.00	\$25,945.97
Dawson					
Cozad	Cozad Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$15,963.00	
Cozad	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$60.00	

Dawson	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Dawson	\$383.69	
Dawson-Gothenburg	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$72.00	
Ellwood	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$652.00	
Gothenburg	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Gothenburg PD	\$24.00	
Lexington	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$427.80	
Lexington	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$25.00	
Lexington	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$61.00	
Lexington	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$10,518.18	
Lexington	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$176.00	
Lexington	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$72.00	
Lexington	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$529.00	
Lexington	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$108.00	
Lexington	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$72.00	
Lexington	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Dawson	\$12.00	
Lexington	MetTel	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$72.00	
Lexington	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$1,333.00	
Oconto	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$656.64	
Overton	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$2,906.49	
Smithfield	NT&T	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$84.00	
Sumner	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Dawson County	\$615.78	\$34,823.58
Deuel (See Keith)					
Dixon					
Allen	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$2,721.00	
Allen	NT&T	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$34.00	
Dixon-Concord	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$2,486.00	

Martinsburg	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$769.00	
Newcastle	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$2,986.00	
Obert/Maskell	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$718.00	
Ponca	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$2,963.98	
Ponca	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$24.00	
Ponca	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$12.00	
Ponca	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$5,231.53	
Ponca	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$12.00	
Wakefield	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$516.44	
Wakefield	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$1,238.00	
Wakefield	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$24.00	
Waterbury	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$815.00	
Waterbury	NT&T	\$1.00	Dixon County	\$24.00	\$20,574.95
Dodge					
Ames	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$55.00	
Columbus	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$73.08	
Dodge	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$3,746.69	
Dodge	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$24.00	
Dodge	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$48.00	
Dodge	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$24.00	
Fontanelle	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$24.00	
Fremont	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$12.00	
Fremont	Allo Communications	\$1.00	City of Fremont	\$39.30	
Fremont	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$558.00	
Fremont	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$72.00	
Fremont	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$32,215.00	
Fremont	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$191.00	

Fremont	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$265.00	
Fremont	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$1,584.00	
Fremont	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$6,821.73	
Fremont	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Dodge/Fremont	\$874.00	
Fremont	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$357.00	
Fremont	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$153.00	
Fremont	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$35.00	
Fremont	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	City of Fremont	\$56.00	
Fremont	MetTel	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$153.00	
Fremont	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$2,456.00	
Fremont	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Fremont	\$32,773.00	
Fremont	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$1,559.00	
Fremont	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Dodge County	\$13.00	
Hooper (Dodge Company)	Hooper Telephone Company	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$4,519.84	
Hooper (Washington Company)	Hooper Telephone Company	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$519.66	
Lashara	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$36.00	
Nickerson	NT&T	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$180.00	
North Bend	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$4,640.99	
O'Neill	MetTel	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$60.00	
Scribner	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$3,320.97	
Snyder	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$1,924.83	
Uehling (Burt Company)	Hooper Telephone Company	\$0.75	Fremont PD	\$45.00	
Uehling (Cumming Company)	Hooper Telephone Company	\$0.75	Fremont PD	\$31.56	
Uehling (Dodge Company)	Hooper Telephone Company	\$1.00	Fremont PD	\$919.00	\$100,379.65

Douglas					
Bennington	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Douglas County	\$54.00	
Bennington	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas	\$36.50	
Bennington	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$36.00	
Douglas County	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$72,098.50	
Douglas	ACN Communication Srvs, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$46.50	
Elkhorn	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Douglas County	\$68.16	
Elkhorn	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$44.00	
Fort Calhoun	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$6.00	
Lincoln	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$12.00	
Omaha	Airespring, Inc	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$102.00	
Omaha	Allo Communications	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$3,710.83	
Omaha	AT&T Corporation	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$19,897.50	
Omaha	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Douglas County	\$2,700.00	
Omaha	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$1,206.00	
Omaha	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$1,755.00	
Omaha	CenturyLink QC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$149,834.08	
Omaha	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$548,571.00	
Omaha	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$655.00	
Omaha	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$469.00	
Omaha	EnTelegent Solutions, Inc	\$0.50	Omaha	\$5.00	
Omaha	First Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$30.00	
Omaha	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$14,153.00	
Omaha	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Douglas County	\$4,910.53	
Omaha	Hamilton Long Distance	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$6.00	
Omaha	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$192.50	
Omaha	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$62,885.00	
Omaha	Lingo Communications North	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$441.00	
Omaha	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel	\$1.00	Douglas County	\$363.00	

	Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo				
Omaha	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$676.44	
Omaha	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$1,382.50	
Omaha	MetTel	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$1,441.50	
Omaha	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$2,851.50	
Omaha	Sprint Communications Co, LP	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$6,122.00	
Omaha	Teleport Communications America, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$7,240.00	
Omaha	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$207.50	
Omaha	Velocity, A Managed Services Co, Inc	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$172.00	
Omaha	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$5,306.50	
Omaha	Windstream IT-Comm. LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$72.00	
Omaha	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$150.00	
Omaha	XO Communication Services	\$0.50	Douglas	\$215.06	
Ralston	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$11.00	
Ralston	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$18.00	
Valley	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Douglas	\$391.50	
Valley	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$83.00	
Washington	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$7.50	
Waterloo	NT&T	\$0.50	Douglas County	\$61.50	\$910,697.60
Dundy					
Benkelman	Benkelman Telephone Co, Inc.	\$1.00	Dundy County	\$8,867.00	
Haigler	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.	\$1.00	Dundy County	\$1,485.00	
Wauneta	Wauneta Telephone Company	\$1.00	Dundy County	\$508.00	\$10,860.00
Fillmore					
Bruning	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$73.00	
Carleton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$34.00	

Cordova	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$12.00	
Davenport	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$12.00	
Exeter	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$2,618.20	
Fairmont	Windstream IT-Comm. LLC	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$24.00	
Fairmont	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$2,263.39	
Fillmore	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$54.00	
Geneva	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$229.40	
Geneva	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$1.00	
Geneva	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$42.00	
Geneva	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$254.00	
Geneva	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$12.00	
Geneva	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$12.00	
Geneva	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$40.00	
Geneva	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$9,237.72	
Grafton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$685.00	
McCool Junction	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$24.00	
Milligan	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$29.00	
Milligan	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$1,671.00	
Ohio	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$705.54	
Shickley	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$2,185.00	
Sutton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$100.85	
Tobias	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Fillmore County	\$12.00	\$20,331.10
Franklin					
Bloomington	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Bloomington	\$188.10	
Franklin	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Franklin County	\$3,428.37	
Franklin	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Village of Franklin	\$60.00	
Franklin	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Village of Franklin	\$203.04	
Hildreth	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Hildreth	\$989.01	

Naponee	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	City of Naponee	\$365.31	\$5,233.83
Frontier					
Curtis	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$7.00	
Curtis	Curtis Telephone	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$4,592.86	
Eustis	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$2,635.09	
Farnam	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$1,605.53	
Indianola (Frontier Co)	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$136.93	
Maywood	Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$1,884.21	
Wellfleet	Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$1.00	Frontier County	\$1,407.95	\$12,269.57
Furnas					
Arapahoe	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$7,063.38	
Arapahoe	NT&T	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$12.00	
Beaver City	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$582.67	
Beaver City	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$1,979.04	
Beaver City	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$14.00	
Beaver City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$64.00	
Beaver City	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$24.00	
Beaver City	NT&T	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$9.00	
Cambridge	Cambridge Telephone Co	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$5,648.00	
Edison	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$641.55	
Edison	NT&T	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$24.00	
Hendley	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$353.82	
Holbrook	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$1,560.46	
Orleans	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$23.76	
Oxford	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$18.00	
Oxford	NT&T	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$60.00	
Oxford	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$792.00	

Stamford	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$237.60	
Wilsonville	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Furnas County	\$389.11	\$19,496.39
Gage					
Adams	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$2,998.45	
Barneston	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$846.00	
Barneston	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Wymore	\$48.00	
Beatrice	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Gage County	\$81.20	
Beatrice	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Gage County	\$380.00	
Beatrice	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Gage County	\$418.00	
Beatrice	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Beatrice Communication Center	\$17.00	
Beatrice	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Gage County	\$115.00	
Beatrice	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Gage County	\$440.00	
Beatrice	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Beatrice	\$46.00	
Beatrice	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Beatrice	\$21,599.89	
Beatrice	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$4,912.86	
Clatonia	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$1,503.11	
Cortland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$2,676.00	
Crete	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$21.00	
Dewitt	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$489.00	
Diller	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Gage County	\$459.00	
Filley	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$745.00	
Firth	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$1,203.00	
Gage	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Gage County	\$24.00	
Hallam	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$155.00	
Harbine	Diller Telephone Co	\$0.00	Gage County	\$176.00	
Liberty	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$623.84	
North Summerfield	Blue Valley Tele-Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	Gage County	\$36.00	

O'Dell	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Gage County	\$3,395.00	
Pickrell	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$1,674.95	
South O'Dell	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Gage County	\$602.00	
Sterling	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$12.00	
Virginia	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Gage County	\$516.00	
Wilber	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$20.00	
Wymore	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Gage/Wymore	\$12.00	
Wymore	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Gage County	\$1,161.82	
Wymore	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Wymore	\$4,514.48	\$51,921.60
Garden					
Oshkosh	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Garden County	\$120.00	
Oshkosh	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Garden County	\$184.00	
Oshkosh	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Garden County	\$1.00	
Oshkosh	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Garden County	\$5,504.00	\$5,809.00
Garfield (See Region 26)					
Gosper (Calls answered by Dawson)					
Bertrand	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Gosper County	\$265.32	
Elwood	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Gosper County	\$24.00	
Ellwood	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Gosper County	\$15.00	
Ellwood	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Gosper County	\$48.00	\$352.32
Grant (See Keith)					
Greeley (See Region 26)					
Hall					
Alda	NT&T	\$1.00	Hall County	\$60.00	
Aurora	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hall County	\$12.00	
Cairo	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Hall County	\$9.00	
Cairo	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel	\$1.00	Hall County	\$2.00	

	Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo				
Cairo	NT&T	\$1.00	Hall County	\$282.00	
Doniphan	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hall County	\$7,047.37	
Doniphan	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$24.00	
Giltner	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hall County	\$4.00	
Grand Island	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Hall County	\$107.00	
Grand Island	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Hall County	\$138.17	
Grand Island	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Hall County	\$409.00	
Grand Island	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Hall County	\$48.00	
Grand Island	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Hall County	\$36.00	
Grand Island	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Hall County	\$297.00	
Grand Island	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$40,358.40	
Grand Island	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Hall County	\$115.00	
Grand Island	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$3,313.00	
Grand Island	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Hall County	\$523.81	
Grand Island	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$273.00	
Grand Island	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$2,448.00	
Grand Island	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Hall County	\$351.00	
Grand Island	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Hall County	\$197.00	
Grand Island	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	Hall County	\$197.00	
Grand Island	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$81.00	
Grand Island	MetTel	\$1.00	Hall County	\$346.00	
Grand Island	NT&T	\$1.00	Hall County	\$2,678.00	

Grand Island	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Hall County	\$87,472.00	
Grand Island	Sprint Communications Co, LP	\$1.00	Hall County	\$1,284.00	
Grand Island	Teleport Communications America, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$128.58	
Grand Island	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$419.00	
Grand Island	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Hall County	\$6,468.00	
Grand Island	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$52.00	
Grand Island	XO Communications Service	\$1.00	Hall County	\$67.00	
Hansen	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Hall County	\$341.00	
Wood River	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Hall County	\$12.00	
Wood River	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Hall County	\$12.00	
Wood River	NT&T	\$1.00	Hall County	\$465.00	\$156,077.33
Hamilton					
Aurora	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$283.00	
Aurora	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$33,506.05	
Doniphan	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$44.03	
Giltner	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$3,055.19	
Hampton	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$4,028.27	
Harvard	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$25.00	
Hordville	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$1,630.96	
Mariposa	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$53.94	
Marquette	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$2,830.72	

Marquette	NT&T	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$48.00	
Phillips	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$3,514.36	
Polk	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$168.00	
Stockham	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$700.44	
Sutton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$23.00	
Trumbull	Hamilton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Hamilton County	\$1,380.26	\$51,291.22
Harlan (Consolidated with Phelps)					
Alma	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$4,769.01	
Alma	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$121.00	
Alma	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$36.00	
Alma	MCI metro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$12.00	
Alma	NT&T	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$44.00	
Bertrand	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Bertrand	\$848.15	
Bertrand	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$783.09	
Bertrand	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Holdrege	\$32.00	
Funk	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation	\$1.00	Holdrege	\$2,643.96	
Holdrege	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Harlan-Phelps Counties	\$408.20	
Holdrege	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$96.00	
Holdrege	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Harlan-Phelps Counties	\$206.70	

Holdrege	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$92.00	
Holdrege	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$3,444.44	
Holdrege	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$256.00	
Holdrege	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$45.00	
Holdrege	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$10.00	
Holdrege	MetTel	\$1.00	City of Holdrege	\$60.00	
Holdrege	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Holdrege	\$807.00	
Holdrege	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$898.00	
Huntley	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Harlan-Phelps Counties	\$372.71	
Loomis	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Phelps County	\$2,099.72	
Loomis	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Holdrege	\$36.00	
Naponee	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$23.76	
Orleans	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$1,459.26	
Oxford	NT&T	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$90.00	
Republican City	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$963.32	
Stamford	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Harlan County	\$628.67	\$21,285.99
Hayes (See Hitchcock)					
Hitchcock (Also answers calls for Hayes)					
Culbertson	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$3,218.27	

Culbertson	NT&T	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$24.00	
Hayes Center	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$1,812.36	
Palisade	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$1,617.42	
Stratton	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$2,012.80	
Trenton	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$20.00	
Trenton	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$3,171.65	
Trenton	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Hitchcock County	\$13.00	\$11,889.50
Holt (Consolidated with Boyd)					
Hooker (See Keith)					
Howard					
Boelus	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Howard County	\$1,298.07	
Cotesfield	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Howard County	\$446.96	
Dannebrog	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Howard County	\$3,007.26	
Dannebrog	NT&T	\$1.00	Howard County	\$12.00	
Elba	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Howard County	\$900.51	
Elba	NT&T	\$1.00	Howard County	\$12.00	
Farwell	NT&T	\$1.00	Howard County	\$181.00	
Palmer	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Howard County	\$186.22	
Saint Libory	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel	\$1.00	Howard County	\$12.00	

	Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo				
Saint Libory	NT&T	\$1.00	Howard County	\$412.00	
Saint Paul	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Howard County	\$1.00	
Saint Paul	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Howard County	\$19.00	
Saint Paul	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Howard County	\$12.00	
Saint Paul	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Howard County	\$4,543.86	
Saint Paul	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Howard County	\$53.00	
Saint Paul	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Howard County	\$36.00	
Saint Paul	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Howard County	\$9.00	
Saint Paul	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Howard County	\$54.00	
Saint Paul	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Howard County	\$12.00	
Saint Paul	NT&T	\$1.00	Howard County	\$516.00	\$11,723.88
Jefferson					
Alexandria	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$48.00	
Beatrice	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$68.00	
Chester	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$532.73	
Diller	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$2,896.00	
Daykin	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$1,190.00	
Dewitt	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$145.00	

Fairbury	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$24.00	
Fairbury	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$21.00	
Fairbury	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$245.00	
Fairbury	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$12.00	
Fairbury	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$27.00	
Fairbury	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$6,636.37	
Fairbury	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$44.00	
Fairbury	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$12,732.53	
Fairbury	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$60.00	
Harbine	Diller Telephone Co	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$938.00	
Plymouth	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$2,404.85	
Steele City	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$634.00	
Swanton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$25.00	
Western	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$12.00	
York	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Jefferson County	\$2.00	\$28,697.48
Johnson (Also Answers calls for Pawnee)					
Adams	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$15.00	
Burchard	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$1,184.00	

Cook	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$24.00	
Cook	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$936.80	
Crab Orchard	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$473.00	
Dubois	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$991.00	
Elk Creek	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$509.80	
Elk Creek	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$47.00	
Filley	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$12.00	
Humboldt	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$48.00	
Johnson	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$24.00	
Liberty	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$170.00	
North Summerfield	Blue Valley Tele-Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$353.20	
Pawnee City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$108.00	
Pawnee City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$36.00	
Pawnee City	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$1,686.00	
Pawnee City	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$3,569.90	
Steinauer	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$36.00	
Steinauer	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$876.00	
Sterling	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$2,819.36	
Table Rock	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$799.93	
Talmage	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$24.00	
Tecumseh	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$48.00	
Tecumseh	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$98.00	
Tecumseh	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$19.00	
Tecumseh	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$2,473.00	
Tecumseh	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$44.00	
Tecumseh	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Johnson County	\$6,308.92	
Tecumseh	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Pawnee County	\$54.00	\$23,787.91
Kearney					
Axtell	NT&T	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$330.00	
Columbus	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$414.77	

Kearney	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$417.74	
Kearney	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$12.00	
Hildreth	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$59.39	
Minden	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$60.40	
Minden	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$3,647.50	
Minden	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$48.00	
Minden	Glenwood Telecommunications Inc	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$36.00	
Minden	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$144.00	
Minden	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$12.00	
Minden	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$15.00	
Minden	NT&T	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$753.00	
Norman	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$751.92	
Ragan	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$292.70	
Wilcox	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Kearney County	\$1,325.46	\$8,319.88
Keith (Answers calls for Keith, Deuel, Arthur, Grant, Hooker, McPherson & Logan)					
Arthur	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$0.60	Arthur County	\$1,277.80	
Arthur	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Arthur County	\$12.00	
Ashby	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Grant County	\$739.24	
Big Springs	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Keith County	\$60.00	
Big Springs	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Keith County	\$12.00	
Big Springs	NT&T	\$1.00	Keith County	\$252.00	
Bingham	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Grant County	\$253.83	
Brule	Arapahoe Telephone Co	\$1.00	Keith County	\$2,179.39	

Brule	Applied Communications Technology	\$1.00	Keith County	\$43.87	
Brule	NT&T	\$1.00	Keith County	\$44.00	
Chappell	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Keith County	\$3,177.00	
Chappell	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Deuel County	\$89.00	
Hyannis	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Grant County	\$5.00	
Hyannis	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Grant County	\$2,958.70	
Keystone	Glenwood Network Services	\$0.60	Arthur County	\$129.23	
Keystone	Glenwood Network Services	\$1.00	Keith County	\$1,792.11	
Keystone	Glenwood Network Services	\$1.00	McPherson County	\$55.97	
Lemoyne	Glenwood Network Services	\$1.00	Keith County	\$4,077.79	
Mullen	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Hooker County	\$4,549.45	
Ogallala	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Keith County	\$12,235.93	
Ogallala	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Keith County	\$144.00	
Ogallala	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Keith County	\$37.00	
Ogallala	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Keith County	\$4,364.18	
Ogallala	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Keith County	\$24.00	
Ogallala	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Keith County	\$220.00	
Ogallala	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Keith County	\$69.00	
Ogallala	MetTel	\$1.00	Keith County	\$84.00	
Ogallala	NT&T	\$1.00	Keith County	\$801.00	
Ogallala	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Keith County	\$12.00	
Paxton	Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$1.00	Keith County	\$3,094.01	
Paxton	NT&T	\$1.00	Keith County	\$18.00	
Stapleton	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Keith County	\$2,547.10	
Tryon	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Keith County	\$1,813.55	
Whitman	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Grant County	\$1,088.64	\$48,260.79
Keya Paha					
Bassett	Rock County Telephone Company	\$1.00	Keya Paha County	\$84.00	

Newport	Rock County Telephone Company	\$1.00	Keya Paha County	\$120.00	
Springview	Three River Telco	\$1.00	Keya Paha County	\$4,259.00	\$4,463.00
Kimball					
Bushnell, Dix	Dalton Telephone Company	\$1.00	Kimball County	\$2,118.00	
Kimball	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Kimball County	\$342.70	
Kimball	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Kimball County	\$146.00	
Kimball	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Kimball County	\$5,634.83	
Kimball	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Kimball County	\$4,301.00	\$12,542.53
Knox					
Bloomfield	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$7,405.71	
Bloomfield	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Knox County	\$36.00	
Center	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$1,377.79	
Creighton	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$6,432.96	
Creighton	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Knox County	\$30.00	
Creighton	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Knox County	\$8.00	
Crofton	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Knox County	\$12.00	
Crofton/Knox	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$5,491.58	
Niobrara	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$5,260.19	
Orchard	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Knox County	\$11.88	
Verdel	Three River Telco	\$1.00	Knox County	\$1,135.00	
Verdigre	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$3,684.09	
Walnut	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$437.30	
Wausa	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$3,883.60	
Winnetoon	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Knox County	\$859.93	\$36,066.03
Lancaster					
Adams	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$26.00	
Ashland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$77.00	

Bennet	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$5,678.83	
Ceresco	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$12.67	
Cortland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$424.00	
Crete	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$1,238.00	
Davey	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$3,354.00	
Denton	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$12.00	
Denton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$2,975.00	
Eagle	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$457.00	
Firth	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$3,611.60	
Greenwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$201.00	
Hallam	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$1,327.37	
Hickman	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$8,105.21	
Lincoln	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$24.00	
Lincoln	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$192,159.93	
Lincoln	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$2,963.80	
Lincoln	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$84.00	
Lincoln	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$3,910.00	
Lincoln	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$435.00	

Lincoln	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$147.00	
Lincoln	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$57.00	
Lincoln	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$9,000.00	
Lincoln	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$3.53	
Lincoln	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$37.00	
Lincoln	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$14,044.00	
Lincoln	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$120.00	
Lincoln	MetTel	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$420.00	
Lincoln	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$12,687.00	
Lincoln	Sprint Communications Co, LP	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$2,005.00	
Lincoln	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$6,775.00	
Lincoln	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$256,997.02	
Lincoln	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$79.00	
Lincoln	Velocity, A Managed Services Co, Inc	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$12.00	
Lincoln	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$215.00	
Lincoln	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$26,183.52	
Lincoln	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lincoln	\$232,154.27	
Lincoln	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$198.00	
Lincoln	XO Communications Services	\$1.00	Lincoln	\$49.95	
Malcolm	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$4,518.63	

Martell	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$3,128.48	
Omaha	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$12.00	
Palmyra	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$45.00	
Panama	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$1,908.00	
Pleasant Dale	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$250.49	
Raymond	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$79.00	
Raymond	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$12.00	
Raymond	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$3,837.81	
Roca	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$12.00	
Valparaiso	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$269.00	
Walton	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$24.00	
Walton	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$24.00	
Waverly	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Waverly City Clerk	\$72.00	
Waverly	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$88.00	
Waverly	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Lincoln	\$408.00	
Waverly	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Lancaster County	\$7,669.01	\$810,618.12
Lincoln (Also answers calls for the City of Gothenburg)					
Brady	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$2,831.46	
Brady	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$36.00	
Gothenburg	NT&T	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$504.00	
Gothenburg	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$5,071.00	

Hershey	Hersey Cooperative Telephone Co	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$5,265.00	
Hershey	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$36.00	
Hershey	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$68.00	
Maxwell	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$1,930.11	
Maxwell	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$12.00	
North Platte	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$141.00	
North Platte	Allo Communications	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$30,349.58	
North Platte	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	City of North Platte	\$108.80	
North Platte	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$213.00	
North Platte	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$15,332.98	
North Platte	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	North Platte County	\$124.00	
North Platte	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$1,590.00	
North Platte	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$154.00	
North Platte	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$315.00	
North Platte	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$66.00	
North Platte	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$2.00	Lincoln County	\$70.00	
North Platte	MetTel	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$72.00	
North Platte	NT&T	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$1,783.00	
North Platte	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$24.00	
North Platte	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$25,735.00	
North Platte	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$1,861.00	
North Platte	Velocity, A Managed Services Co, Inc	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$24.00	
North Platte	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Lincoln County	\$60.00	

North Platte	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$819.00	
Sutherland	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$4,512.22	
Wallace	Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$1.00	North Platte PD	\$1,955.47	\$101,063.62
Logan (See Keith)					
Loup (See Region 26)					
Madison (PSAPs at Madison County and Norfolk Police Department)					
Battle Creek	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Madison County	\$2,148.30	
Battle Creek	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$374.00	
Battle Creek	NT&T	\$1.00	Madison County	\$12.00	
Hadar	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$76.00	
Hoskins	PBN, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$2,392.00	
Hoskins	Pierce Telephone Co, Inc.	\$1.00	Norfolk PD	\$2,841.00	
Madison	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Madison County	\$21.00	
Madison	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$6,416.00	
Madison	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Madison County	\$3,761.01	
Madison	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Madison County	\$24.00	
Madison	First Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Madison County	\$12.00	
Madison	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$60.00	
Madison	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$647.00	

Madison	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	Madison County	\$12.00	
Madison	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$709.00	
Madison	NT&T	\$1.00	Madison County	\$106.00	
Meadow Grove	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Madison County	\$1,396.00	
Meadow Grove	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$12.00	
Neligh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Madison County	\$308.88	
Newman Grove	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Madison County	\$1,725.57	
Newman Grove	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$22.00	
Norfolk	Allo Communications	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$7.36	
Norfolk	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$126.00	
Norfolk	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Madison County	\$51.00	
Norfolk	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Norfolk PD	\$28,108.94	
Norfolk	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Norfolk	\$186.00	
Norfolk	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$1,478.00	
Norfolk	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Madison County	\$2.74	
Norfolk	Intrado Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Norfolk	\$347.00	
Norfolk	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$16,570.00	
Norfolk	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Madison County	\$1,503.00	

Norfolk	Matrix Telecom LLC d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a VarTec d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Madison County	\$167.00	
Norfolk	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Norfolk City	\$130.00	
Norfolk	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Madison County	\$102.00	
Norfolk	MetTel	\$1.00	Norfolk PD	\$255.00	
Norfolk	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$7,379.00	
Norfolk	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$4,445.00	
Norfolk	Teleport Communications America, LLC	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$24.00	
Pierce	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$48.00	
Pierce	Pierce Telephone Co, Inc.	\$1.00	Norfolk PD	\$9,935.00	
Pilger	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Norfolk	\$203.00	
Tilden	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Madison County	\$1,800.81	
Tilden	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Madison County	\$27.00	
Tilden	NT&T	\$1.00	Madison County	\$23.00	\$95,994.61
McPherson (See Keith)					
Merrick					
Archer	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$638.70	
Central City	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$11.00	
Central City	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$6,432.01	
Central City	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$118.00	
Central City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$144.00	
Central City	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$60.00	

Central City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$38.00	
Central City	MetTel	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$24.00	
Central City	NT&T	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$936.00	
Central City	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$557.00	
Central City	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$1.00	
Chapman	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$1,834.27	
Chapman	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$12.00	
Clarks	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$12.00	
Clarks	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$2,850.00	
Duncan	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$11.88	
Palmer	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$2,081.98	
Palmer	NT&T	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$68.00	
Silver Creek	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$24.00	
Silver Creek	NT&T	\$1.00	Merrick County	\$274.00	\$16,127.84
Morrill					
Angora	NT&T	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$60.00	
Bayard	NT&T	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$24.00	
Bridgeport	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$12.00	
Bridgeport	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$3,604.26	
Bridgeport	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$2,025.60	
Bridgeport	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$7.00	
Bridgeport	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$135.00	
Bridgeport	Mobius Communication Company	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$72.00	
Bridgeport	NT&T	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$509.00	
Morrill	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Morrill County	\$3,183.00	\$9,631.86
Nance					
Belgrade	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Nance County	\$811.86	
Fullerton	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Nance County	\$1,886.93	

Fullerton	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Nance County	\$12.00	
Fullerton	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Nance County	\$24.00	
Fullerton	NT&T	\$0.50	Nance County	\$257.00	
Genoa	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Nance County	\$1,673.10	\$4,664.89
Nemaha					
Auburn	Airespring, Inc	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$12.00	
Auburn	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$24.00	
Auburn	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$66.00	
Auburn	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$132.00	
Auburn	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$72.00	
Auburn	MetTel	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$12.00	
Auburn	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$4,489.75	
Auburn	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$44.00	
Auburn	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$9,569.43	
Auburn	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$140.00	
Brock	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$764.47	
Brownville	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$2,153.50	
Elk Creek	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$36.00	
Humboldt	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$12.00	

Johnson	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$2,341.96	
Julian	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$439.12	
Nemaha	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$906.55	
Peru	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$2,478.42	
Peru	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$1,785.64	
Talmage	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nemaha County	\$108.00	\$25,586.84
Nuckolls					
Davenport	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$195.00	
Deweese	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$132.00	
Edgar	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$109.00	
Guide Rock	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$76.00	
Hardy	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$12.00	
Hardy	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$573.19	
Lawrence	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$2,868.92	
Nelson	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$283.88	
Nelson	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$96.00	
Nelson	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$2,981.16	

Ruskin	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$802.00	
Superior	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$2,352.11	
Superior	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$24.00	
Superior	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Nuckolls County	\$6,227.38	\$16,732.64
Otoe					
Avoca	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$185.00	
Bennet	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$170.99	
Burr	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$425.00	
Cook	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$137.00	
Douglas	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$1,230.12	
Dunbar	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$1,539.00	
Eagle	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$330.74	
Elmwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$24.00	
Julian	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$212.00	
Nebraska City	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$24.00	
Nebraska City	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$392.00	
Nebraska City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$328.00	
Nebraska City	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$128.00	
Nebraska City	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$8.00	
Nebraska City	MetTel	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$24.00	
Nebraska City	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$8,735.00	
Nebraska City	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$199.00	
Nebraska City	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Ot	\$33.00	
Nebraska City	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$16,589.17	
Nebraska City	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$12.00	
Nehawka	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$24.00	
Otoe	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$12.00	

Otoe	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$911.33	
Palmyra	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$3,358.49	
Panama	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$70.00	
Peru	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$12.00	
Syracuse	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$84.00	
Syracuse	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$9,120.19	
Talmage	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$1,199.22	
Unadilla	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$1,649.24	
Union	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Otoe County	\$99.49	\$47,265.98
Pawnee (See Johnson)					
Perkins					
Elsie	Elsie Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$1,187.00	
Grant	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$12.00	
Grant	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$24.00	
Grant	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$6,833.19	
Grant	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$5.23	
Grant	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$42.00	
Madrid	Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$2,260.85	
Venango	NT&T	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$6.00	
Venango & West Venango, CO	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Perkins County	\$745.11	\$11,115.38
Phelps (See Harlan)					
Pierce					
Hadar	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Pierce County	\$78.00	
Osmond	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	City of Osmond	\$4,211.00	
Pierce	MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	\$1.00	Pierce County	\$12.00	
Plainview	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Pierce County	\$1.00	
Plainview	Plainview Telephone Co, Inc.	\$1.00	Pierce County	\$9,946.75	
Tilden	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Pierce County	\$25.74	\$14,274.49
Platte					

Bellwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$37.00	
Columbus	ACN Communication Services LLC	\$1.00	Platte County	\$12.00	
Columbus	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Platte County	\$34.00	
Columbus	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Platte County	\$66.00	
Columbus	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Columbus PD	\$2,350.00	
Columbus	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Columbus City	\$18,562.50	
Columbus	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$9,818.82	
Columbus	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Platte County	\$1,085.00	
Columbus	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Platte County	\$2,379.14	
Columbus	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Platte County	\$696.00	
Columbus	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Platte County	\$8.00	
Columbus	MetTel	\$1.00	Platte County	\$58.00	
Columbus	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Platte County	\$3,123.00	
Columbus	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$623.00	
Columbus	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Columbus	\$35,550.84	
Columbus	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Platte County	\$72.00	
Cornlea	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Platte County	\$30.00	
Cornlea	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$12.00	
Creston	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Platte County	\$132.00	
Creston	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$201.00	
Duncan	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$1,254.33	
Genoa	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$190.08	
Genoa	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$12.00	

Humphrey	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Platte County	\$279.00	
Humphrey	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$745.00	
Leigh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$456.39	
Lindsay	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$1,207.80	
Lindsay	Midstates Data Transport	\$1.00	Platte County	\$259.00	
Lindsay	NT&T	\$1.00	Columbus E911 Center	\$103.00	
Monroe	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$1,151.37	
Newman Grove	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$206.91	
Platte Center	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Platte County	\$2,376.00	
Platte County	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Columbus	\$368.00	\$83,459.18
Polk					
Bellwood	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$14.00	
Duncan	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$461.64	
Gresham	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$120.00	
Osceola	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Polk County	\$12.00	
Osceola	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Polk County	\$72.00	
Osceola	NT&T	\$1.00	Polk County	\$12.00	
Osceola	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$4,195.50	
Polk	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Polk County	\$72.00	
Polk	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$1,516.03	
Shelby	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$2,549.77	
Stromsburg	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Polk County	\$120.00	
Stromsburg	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Polk County	\$10.00	
Stromsburg	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$4,858.40	

Surprise	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Polk County	\$34.00	\$14,047.34
Red Willow					
Bartley	Cambridge Telephone Co	\$1.00	Mc Cook PD	\$1,332.00	
Danbury	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$1,039.00	
Indianola (Red Willow Co)	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	McCook PD	\$2,363.15	
Indianola	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	McCook PD	\$46.00	
Lebanon	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$633.00	
McCook	Allo Communications	\$1.00	McCook PD	\$2,444.94	
McCook	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$26.00	
McCook	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$24.00	
McCook	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$32.00	
McCook	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$87.00	
McCook	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$706.00	
McCook	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$7,282.88	
McCook	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$36.00	
McCook	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$198.00	
McCook	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Red Willow County	\$39.00	
McCook	MetTel	\$1.00	City of McCook PD	\$48.00	

Mc Cook	NT&T	\$1.00	City of McCook	\$1,670.00	
McCook	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$1.00	McCook PD	\$3,105.00	\$21,111.97
Region 26 (Answers calls for Thomas, Blaine, Loup, Garfield, Wheeler, Valley, Greeley and Sherman Counties)					
Arcadia	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$2,104.05	
Arcadia	NT&T	\$1.00	Region 26	\$12.00	
Ashton	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,288.15	
Bartlett	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Wheeler County	\$12.00	
Bartlett	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Wheeler County	\$1,655.00	
Brewster	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$982.45	
Brownlee	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$837.99	
Burwell	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$9,407.80	
Clearwater	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Wheeler County	\$399.00	
Dunning	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$929.68	
Ericson	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,277.00	
Greeley	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Greeley County	\$1,938.42	
Greeley	NT&T	\$1.00	Region 26	\$36.00	
Halsey	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$815.35	
Litchfield	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,136.43	
Loup City	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,446.81	
Loup City	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Sherman County	\$24.00	

Loup City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Sherman County	\$36.00	
Loup City	NT&T	\$1.00	Region 26	\$517.00	
North Burwell	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$962.73	
North Loup	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$2,055.09	
Ord	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Valley County	\$7,003.26	
Ord	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Valley County	\$76.00	
Pleasanton	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Sherman County	\$11.88	
Purdum	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,040.96	
Region 26	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Region 26	\$5,020.00	
Rockville	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$437.38	
Scotia	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$2,099.75	
Seneca	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$490.80	
Spalding	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Region 26	\$3,290.06	
Taylor	Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$1.00	Region 26	\$2,007.01	
Thedford	Consolidated Telephone Co	\$1.00	Region 26	\$2,615.13	
Wolbach	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Region 26	\$1,730.85	\$53,696.03
Richardson					
Falls City	Southeast Nebraska Communications	\$1.00	Falls City PD	\$21,385.94	
Falls City	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Falls City	\$4,813.00	
Humboldt	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$0.50	City of Humboldt	\$606.21	
Humboldt	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	Humboldt	\$1,151.96	
Tri City	Southeast Nebraska Communications	\$1.00	Falls City PD	\$5,132.00	\$33,089.11
Rock					
Bassett	Aureon Communications	\$1.00	Rock County	\$96.00	

Bassett	Rock County Telephone Company	\$1.00	Rock County	\$4,965.00	
Bassett	Windstream New Edge, LLC	\$1.00	Rock County	\$36.00	
Newport	Rock County Telephone Company	\$1.00	Rock County	\$1,255.00	\$6,352.00
Saline (PSAPs at Saline County and Crete PD)					
Crete	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Crete	\$180.00	
Crete	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$384.00	
Crete	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$25.00	
Crete	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	City of Crete	\$6,684.00	
Crete	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	City of Crete	\$60.00	
Crete	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Crete	\$28.00	
Crete	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Crete	\$8,561.12	
Crete	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$1,809.00	
Daykin	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$48.00	
DeWitt	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$34.00	
Dewitt	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$2,705.60	
Dorchester	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$2,740.82	
Friend	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$42.00	
Friend	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$4,914.74	
Lincoln	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Crete	\$732.00	
Milligan	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$192.00	
Ohiowa	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$12.00	
Plymouth	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$60.00	
Swanton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$674.00	
Tobias	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$834.00	
Western	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$1,538.01	
Wilber	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Saline County	\$60.00	
Wilber	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$64.00	
Wilber	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saline County	\$24.00	
Wilber	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Crete	\$14.00	
Wilber	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saline County	\$10,733.08	\$43,153.37

Sarpy					
Bellevue	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$55.00	
Bellevue	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$105,269.00	
Bellevue	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$2,536.00	
Bellevue	NT&T	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$571.00	
Gretna	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$108.00	
Gretna	NT&T	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$199.00	
La Vista	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$5,349.00	
La Vista	NT&T	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$219.00	
Omaha	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$3,174.20	
Omaha	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$779.00	
Omaha	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$1,322.00	
Papillion	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$168.37	
Papillion	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$11,225.00	
Papillion	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$728.00	
Papillion	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$86,880.25	
Papillion	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$30.00	
Papillion	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$394.00	
Papillion	First Communications, LLC	\$0.50	Sarpy County	\$36.00	
Papillion	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$6,733.00	
Papillion	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$3,640.00	
Papillion	NT&T	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$215.00	
Papillion	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$19.00	
Papillion	Sprint Communications Co, LP	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$3,317.00	
Papillion	Teleport Communications America, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$1,389.00	
Papillion	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$156.00	
Sarpy	ACN Communication Services LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$24.00	
Sarpy County	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$215,136.00	
Papillion	XO Communication Services	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$574.00	
Springfield	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$281.00	

Springfield	NT&T	\$1.00	Sarpy County	\$458.00	\$450,984.82
Saunders					
Ashland	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$349.91	
Ashland	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$114.00	
Ashland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$2,251.66	
Brainard	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$12.00	
Bruno	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$12.00	
Cedar Bluffs	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$2,339.93	
Ceresco	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$78.00	
Ceresco	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$24.00	
Ceresco	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$3,627.08	
Colon	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$790.00	
Davey	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$9.00	
Ithaca	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$1,345.51	
Linwood-Morse Bluff	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$2,391.00	
Mead	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$3,151.42	
Prague	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$72.00	
Prague	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$3,448.00	

Valparaiso	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$3,457.33	
Wahoo	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$2,057.36	
Wahoo	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$232.00	
Wahoo	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$16.00	
Wahoo	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$2,685.29	
Wahoo	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$11,462.66	
Weston/Malmo	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$4,161.00	
Yutan	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$36.00	
Yutan	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Saunders County	\$6,504.73	\$50,627.88
Scottsbluff (Answers calls for Scotts Bluff, Banner and South Half of Sioux Counties)					
Gering	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$14,463.04	
Gering	AT&T Corporation	\$0.45	Scotts Bluff County	\$74.70	
Gering	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$129.00	
Gering	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$273.75	
Gering	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.50	Banner County	\$12.00	
Gering	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$1,194.00	
Gering	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$32.00	

Gering	MetTel	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$12.00	
Gering	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$1,036.00	
Harrisburg	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$0.50	Banner County	\$24.00	
Minatare	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$23.00	
Scottsbluff	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$39,020.64	
Scottsbluff	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$846.00	
Scottsbluff	MetTel	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$48.00	
Scottsbluff	United Telephone Company of the West	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$24,714.50	
Terrytown	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Scotts Bluff County	\$10.00	\$81,912.63
Seward					
Beaver Crossing	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$2,078.50	
Cordova	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$636.48	
Crete	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$200.00	
Denton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$96.00	
Dorchester	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$12.00	
Dwight	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$84.00	
Friend	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$36.00	
Garland	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$1,944.77	
Gresham	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$72.00	
Malcolm	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$230.00	
Milford	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	Seward County	\$120.00	
Milford	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$8,552.49	
Pleasant Dale	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$1,712.18	
Raymond	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$237.26	
Seward	Allo Communications	\$1.00	Seward County	\$163.26	

Seward	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Seward County	\$24.00	
Seward	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$1.00	Seward County	\$9.00	
Seward	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Seward County	\$259.00	
Seward	Great Plains Broadband	\$1.00	Seward County	\$875.19	
Seward	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Seward County	\$2.00	
Seward	MetTel	\$1.00	Seward County	\$84.00	
Seward	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	Seward County	\$8,856.47	
Seward	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Seward County	\$300.00	
Seward	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Seward County	\$55.00	
Seward	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$16,943.80	
Staplehurst	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Seward County	\$1,642.00	
Tamora	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$1,115.00	
Ulysses	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Seward County	\$53.00	
Utica	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$3,328.00	
Valparaiso	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Seward County	\$54.00	\$49,775.40
Sheridan					
Gordon	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$9,760.31	
Hay Springs	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$2,907.28	
Hay Springs	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$63.00	
Mirage Flats	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$847.63	
Rushville	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$432.00	
Rushville	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$48.00	
Rushville	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$6,022.45	

White Clay	Golden West Telecom	\$1.00	Sheridan County	\$624.33	\$20,705.00
Sherman (See Region 26)					
Sioux					
Harrison	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Sioux County	\$12.00	\$12.00
Stanton (Calls Answered by Norfolk PD)					
Leigh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$153.45	
Madison	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$106.92	
Pilger	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$1,895.10	
Pilger	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$89.00	
Stanton	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$10.00	
Stanton	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$12.00	
Stanton	NT&T	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$12.00	
Stanton	Stanton Telcom, Inc.	\$1.00	Stanton County	\$7,897.01	\$10,175.48
Thayer					
Alexandria	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$772.18	
Blue Hill	Windstream Communications of the Midwest	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$24.00	
Bruning	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$2,345.55	
Byron	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$5.00	
Byron & South Byron, KS	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$1,399.85	
Carleton	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$1.40	
Carleton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$912.00	
Chester, So Chester, KS	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$2,375.67	
Davenport	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$1,590.27	
Deshler	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$3,893.42	
Hebron	Glenwood Telecommunications Inc	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$1,474.53	
Hebron	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$48.00	
Hebron	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$9.00	

Hebron	Windstream IT-Comm. LLC	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$72.00	
Hebron	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$7,989.02	
Ohioa	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	Thayer County	\$84.00	\$22,995.89
Thomas (See Region 26)					
Thurston					
Macy	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$3,920.00	
Pender	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$2,953.78	
Pender	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$6.00	
Pender	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$72.00	
Pender	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$2,839.00	
Pender	NT&T	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$526.00	
Pender	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$108.00	
Rosalie	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$827.00	
Thurston	NT&T	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$132.00	
Walthill	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$3,458.00	
Winnebago	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Thurston County	\$5,914.00	\$20,755.78
Valley (See Region 26)					
Washington					
Arlington City	Arlington Telephone Company	\$0.75	Washington County	\$2,007.00	
Arlington Rural	Arlington Telephone Company	\$1.00	Washington County	\$3,331.00	

Blair	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Washington County	\$9.00	
Blair	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Washington County	\$3,883.00	
Blair	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.75	Washington County	\$45.00	
Blair	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Washington County	\$46.00	
Blair City	Blair Telephone Company	\$0.75	Washington County	\$19,911.00	
Blair Rural	Blair Telephone Company	\$1.00	Washington County	\$14,181.00	
Fort Calhoun City	Blair Telephone Company	\$0.75	Washington County	\$2,634.00	
Fort Calhoun Rural	Blair Telephone Company	\$1.00	Washington County	\$3,364.00	
Fort Calhoun	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Washington County	\$12.00	
Herman	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Washington County	\$2,765.46	
Herman	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Washington County	\$50.00	
Kennard City	Blair Telephone Company	\$0.75	Washington County	\$504.00	
Kennard Rural	Blair Telephone Company	\$1.00	Washington County	\$1,434.00	\$54,176.46
Wayne					
Dixon-Concord	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$24.00	
Hoskins	PBN, LLC	\$1.00	Norfolk PD	\$60.00	
Wakefield	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Wayne	\$388.00	
Wayne	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$30.00	
Wayne	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$25.00	
Wayne	CenturyLink QC	\$1.00	Wayne PD	\$7,960.77	

Wayne	dishNET Wireline, L.L.C	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$84.00	
Wayne	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$268.00	
Wayne	HunTel CableVision dba HunTel Communications	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$6,990.00	
Wayne	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$26.00	
Wayne	Lingo Communications North	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$108.00	
Wayne	Matrix Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Matrix Business Technologies d/b/a Trinsic Communications d/b/a Vartec Telecom d/b/a Excel Telecommunications d/b/a Impact Telecom d/b/a Startec d/b/a Lingo	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$22.00	
Wayne	MetTel	\$1.00	Wayne PD	\$24.00	
Wayne	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Wayne	\$835.00	
Winside	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Wayne County	\$2,865.00	
Winside	NT&T	\$1.00	City of Wayne	\$24.00	\$19,733.77
Webster (PSAP/Mid Rivers 911)					
Carroll	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$1.00	Village of Carroll	\$1,714.00	
Roseland, Bladen, Lawrence, Blue Hill, Upland, Campbell	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation	\$1.00	Campbell	\$13,643.67	
Red Cloud	Great Plains Communications	\$1.00	Mid Rivers	\$5,889.05	
Red Cloud Franklin	Great Plain Communications	\$1.00	Mid Rivers	\$322.37	\$21,569.09
Wheeler (See Region 26)					
York					
Benedict	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$1,534.12	
Bradshaw	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$1,510.90	
Cordova	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$96.00	
Exeter	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$92.00	
Gresham	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$1,331.01	
Henderson	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	York	\$26.00	
Henderson	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	York County	\$4.00	

Henderson	Henderson Coop. dba Mainstay Communications	\$1.00	York County	\$9,408.00	
McCool Junction	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$2,479.91	
Polk	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$96.00	
Seward	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$12.00	
Sutton	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$5.00	
Utica	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$83.00	
Waco	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$2,445.00	
York	Allo Communications	\$1.00	York County	\$233.87	
York	AT&T Corporation	\$1.00	York County	\$24.00	
York	Broadview Networks, Inc	\$1.00	York County	\$137.00	
York	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc	\$0.50	York County	\$9.00	
York	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$1.00	York County	\$36.00	
York	Hamilton Long Distance	\$1.00	York County	\$60.00	
York	Level 3 Communications, LLC	\$1.00	York County	\$36.00	
York	MetTel	\$1.00	York County	\$48.00	
York	Spectrum Advanced Services	\$1.00	York County	\$14,894.00	
York	Unite Private Networks LLC	\$1.00	York County	\$396.00	
York	Windstream Nebraska	\$1.00	York County	\$3,106.56	
York	Windstream Nebraska	\$0.50	York	\$7,254.71	
York	XO Communication Services	\$1.00	York County	\$167.00	
York/York	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	\$0.50	York County	\$275.00	\$45,800.08
Total				\$4,468,931.67	\$4,468,931.67

Appendix B- Local Exchange Carriers

Carriers	Residential Rates	Residential Lines Served	Business Rates	Business Lines Served
AT&T Communication of the Midwest	\$25.95	2	\$34.95	21,904
ACN Communication Services, Inc.	\$22.99	0	N/A	40
Action Communications, Inc.	VoIP	6	VoIP	1
Airespring, Inc.	\$18.15 (VoIP)	0	\$27.55 (VoIP)	49
Allo Communications	\$18.00	6,798	\$31.00	18,488
Applied Communications Technology Inc.	\$21.40	0	\$44.80	3
Arapahoe Telephone Company	\$19.95	993	\$23.25	431
Arlington Telephone Company	\$19.95	399	\$30.00	79
Aureon Communications, LLC	N/A	0	N/A	364
Benkelman Telephone Company	\$19.95	459	\$27.50	226
Blair Telephone Company	\$19.95	2,633	\$30.00	1,458
Bluestem Fiber, LLC	VoIP	4	VoIP	279
Broadview Networks, Inc.	\$18.15 (VoIP)	0	\$30.00 (VoIP)	977
Bullseye Telecom, Inc.	N/A	0	\$27.55	387
Cambridge Telephone Company	\$19.95	320	\$27.50	238
CenturyLink QC	\$22.00	25,417	\$33.00	37,334
Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska (d/b/a Frontier)	\$21.50	5,251	\$32.50	7,125
Consolidated Telco, Inc.	\$19.95	564	\$27.50	273
Consolidated Telecom, Inc.	\$19.95	452	\$27.50	135
Consolidated Telephone Company	\$19.95	1,475	\$27.50	453
Cox Nebraska Telecom LLC	\$19.99	66,254		60,386
Cozad Telephone Company	\$19.95	666	\$29.95	582
Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.	\$18.15 (VoIP)	0	\$27.55 (VoIP)	526
Curtis Telephone Company	\$19.95	206	\$27.50	156
Dalton Telephone Company	\$19.25	451	\$29.95	113
Diller Telephone Company	\$19.95	614	\$27.50	110
dishNET Wireline, LLC	\$35.00	294	N/A	0
Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company	\$19.95	1,124	\$30.00	738
Elsie Telecom, Inc.	\$19.25	66	\$29.95	38
FiberComm, Inc.	\$19.00	51	\$19.00	283
First Communications, LLC	\$31.00	21	\$27.55	10
France Telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC		0		95
Glenwood Network Services, Inc. (Keystone-Arthur)	\$19.95	416	\$29.95	55
Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	\$19.95	99	\$29.95	665

Carriers	Residential Rates	Residential Lines Served	Business Rates	Business Lines Served
	(VoIP)		(VoIP)	
Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation	\$19.95	1,626	\$29.95	284
Granite Telecommunications	N/A	0	\$30.00	5,298
Great Plains Broadband, Inc.	\$35.00	387	\$35.00	3,865
Great Plains Communications	\$19.20	9,839	\$29.95	4,635
Hamilton Long Distance Company	\$17.95	5	ICB	113
Hamilton Telephone Company	\$17.95	3,388	\$17.95	1,332
Hartington Telephone Company	\$20.00	629	\$27.50	353
Hartman Telephone Exchange	\$19.95	198	\$27.50	47
Hemingford Cooperative Telephone Company	\$19.90	472	\$27.50	142
Henderson Cooperative Telephone d/b/a Mainstay	\$19.95	604	\$27.50	175
Hershey Cooperative Telecom, Inc.	\$20.00	324	\$27.50	83
Hooper Telephone d/b/a Westel Systems	\$19.95	364	\$27.50	140
Huntel Cablevision, Inc. d/b/a American Broadband Nebraska Communications, Inc.	\$19.95	900	\$30.00	848
K&M Telephone Company	\$17.50	294	\$27.50	105
Level 3 Communications, LLC	VoIP	0	VoIP	15,060
Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC	VoIP	0	VoIP	174
Long Lines Siouxland LLC	\$10.00	357	\$25.00	348
MCImetro Access Transmission Services	\$20.99	38	\$30.99	122
McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. d/b/a Paetec Business Services	N/A	0	\$29.50	343
Matrix Telecom, Inc.	\$34.95	30	\$43.75	297
Metropolitan Telecommunications of Nebraska Inc.	N/A	0	\$27.55	1,122
Midstates Data Transport, LLC	VoIP	55	VoIP	520
Mobius Communications Company	\$17.50	575	\$27.50	157
Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc. (NT&T)		4,934		1,190
Group 1	\$18.15		\$27.55	
Group 2	\$17.50		\$27.50	
Group 3	\$17.50		\$30.10	
Group 4	\$17.50		\$30.10	
Group 5	\$17.50		\$30.10	
Group 6	\$17.50		\$30.10	
Nebraska Central Telephone Company	\$17.50	2,907	\$27.50	1,083
Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$20.00	3,939	\$27.50	933
NOS Communications, Inc.		0		2
PBN, LLC	\$17.50	3	\$20.45	172
Pierce Telephone Company, Inc.	\$19.95	767	\$29.95	289
Pinpoint Communications, Inc.	\$17.50	435	\$27.50	295

Carriers	Residential Rates	Residential Lines Served	Business Rates	Business Lines Served
Plainview Telephone Company	\$19.95	623	\$27.50	200
Quantumshift Communications, Inc.	N/A	0	32.84	29
Rock County Telephone Company	\$19.95	369	\$30.00	172
Sodtoun Telephone Company	\$17.50	47	\$17.50	5
Southeast Nebraska Telephone Company	\$19.95	1,539	\$29.95	554
Spectrotel, Inc.	VoIP	0	VoIP	248
Spectrum Advanced Services	VoIP	47,973	VoIP	13,279
Stanton Telephone Company, Inc.	\$19.95	438	\$29.95	168
TCG Omaha	N/A	0	\$42.55	2,790
Three River Communications, LLC	\$18.00	260	\$27.50	258
Three River Telco	\$20.00	754	\$27.50	170
United Telephone Co. of the West (d/b/a CenturyLink)	\$21.00	2,063	\$32.00	1,578
Velocity The Greatest Phone Company Ever, Inc.	\$18.15	0	\$27.55	12
Wauneta Telephone Company	\$19.95	269	\$27.50	91
Windstream Nebraska, Inc.	\$17.50	41,156	\$31.99	38,729
Windstream New Edge, LLC		0		68
Windstream Communications of the Midwest, Inc.	\$16.00	0	\$37.00	1,861
XO Communications Services, LLC	N/A	0	\$29.35	67

Appendix C- Nebraska Communities & Serving Companies

NOTE: This is not intended to be an exhaustive list, but reflects the best of the PSC's knowledge

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Ansley	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Arapahoe	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Arcadia	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Archer	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Arlington	Arlington Telephone Company
Arnold	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Arthur	Consolidated Telephone Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Ashland	Allo Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Ashton	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Atkinson	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Aureon Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Atlanta	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Auburn	Allo Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC

Community	Company Name
Beaver Crossing	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Beemer	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Belden	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Belgrade	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Bellevue	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
Bellwood	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Benedict	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Benkelman	Benkelman Telephone Co., Inc.
Bennet	Bluestem Network
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Bennington	dishNET Wireline, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Bertrand	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Big Springs	Allo Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Bladen	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Blair	AT&T Corp.
	Blair Telephone Company
	First Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Bloomfield	Great Plains Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Bloomington	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Blue Hill	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Boelus	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Bradshaw	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Brady	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Brainard	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Brewster	Consolidated Telephone Company
Bridgeport	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Mobius Communications Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Bristow	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Broadwater	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Brock	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Broken Bow	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Brownville	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Brule	Applied Communications Technology, Inc.
	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Bruning	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Bruno	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Brunswick	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
Bruno	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Burchard	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Burr	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Burwell	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Bushnell	Dalton Telephone Company, Inc.
Butte	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Byron	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company

Community	Company Name
Cairo	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Callaway	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Cambridge	Cambridge Telephone Company
Campbell	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Carleton	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Carroll	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Cedar Bluffs	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Cedar Creek	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Cedar Rapids	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Center	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Central City	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Ceresco	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Chadron	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Mobius Communications Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Chambers	K & M Telephone Company, Inc.
Chapman	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Chappell	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Chester	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Clarks	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Clarkson	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Clatonia	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Clay Center	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Clearwater	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Cody	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Coleridge	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Colon	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Columbus	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Comstock	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Cook	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Cordova	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Cortland	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Cotesfield	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Cozad	Cozad Telephone Company
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
Crab Orchard	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Craig	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Crawford	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
Crawford	dishNET Wireline, LLC
Crawford/Whitney	Mobius Communications Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Crawford-Whitney	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Creighton	First Communications, LLC
	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
Creston	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
Crete	Allo Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Crofton	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Crookston	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Culbertson	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Curtis	Curtis Telephone Company, Inc.
Dakota City	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	FiberComm, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Dakota City-South Sioux City	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Dalton	Dalton Telephone Company, Inc.
Danbury	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.
Dannebrog	Nebraska Central Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Davenport	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Davey	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
David City	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Dawson	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Daykin	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
De Witt	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
Decatur	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Denton	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Deshler	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Deweese	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
DeWitt	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Diller	Diller Telephone Company
Dix	Dalton Telephone Company, Inc.
Dixon	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Dodge	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
Doniphan	Hamilton Telephone Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Dorchester	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Douglas	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Dubois	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Dunbar	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Duncan	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
Dunning	Consolidated Telephone Company
Dwight	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Eagle	Allo Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Edgar	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Edison	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Elba	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Elgin	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Elk Creek	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Elkhorn	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
Elkhorn	dishNET Wireline, LLC
Elkhorn-Waterloo	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Elm Creek	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Elmwood	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Elsie	Elsie Communications, Inc.
Elwood	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Emerson	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Ericson	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Eustis	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.
Ewing	Great Plains Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
Exeter	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Fairbury	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Fairfield	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Fairmont	Airespring, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Falls City	Southeast Nebraska Communications, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Farnam	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Farwell	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Filley	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Firth	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Fort Calhoun	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Franklin	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
Fremont	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	First Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Friend	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Ft. Calhoun	Blair Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Fullerton	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Funk	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Garland	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Geneva	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Genoa	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Gering	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Gibbon	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Giltner	Hamilton Telephone Company
Glenvil	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Glenville	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Gordon	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Gothenburg	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC

Community	Company Name
Grafton	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Grand Island	Airespring, Inc.
	Allo Communications, LLC
	Aureon Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Teleport Communications America, LLC
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
	XO Communications Services, LLC

Community	Company Name
Grant	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
Greeley	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	First Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Greenwood	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Gresham	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Gretna	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
Guide Rock	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Gurley	Dalton Telephone Company, Inc.
Hadar	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Haigler	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.
Hallam	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Hampton	Hamilton Telephone Company
Hansen	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Hanson	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Harbine	Diller Telephone Company
Hardy	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Harrison	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Mobius Communications Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Hartington	Hartington Telecommunications Co., Inc.
Harvard	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Hastings	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	France Telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Hay Springs	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Hayes Center	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Heartwell	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Hebron	Bluestem Network
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Hemingford	Hemingford Cooperative Telephone Company
Henderson	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Henderson Cooperative Telephone

Community	Company Name
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Hendley	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Herman	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Hershey	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Hershey Cooperative Telephone Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Hickman	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Hildreth	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Holbrook	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Holdrege	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Holstein	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Homer	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Hooper	Hooper Telephone Company
Hordville	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Hamilton Telephone Company
Hoskins	Pierce Telephone Company, Inc.
Howells	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Humboldt	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Humphrey	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
Humphrey-Creston	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Hyannis	Consolidated Telephone Company
Imperial	Allo Communications, LLC
Imperial/Lamar	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Indianola	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Inman	K & M Telephone Company, Inc.
Ithaca	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Jackson	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Jansen	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Johnson	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Johnstown	Three River Telco
Julian	Allo Communications, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Juniata	Bluestem Network
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Kearney	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Aureon Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Keene	Hamilton Long Distance Company
Kenesaw	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Kennard	Blair Telephone Company
Keystone	Glenwood Network Services, Inc.
Kilgore	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Kimball	Allo Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
La Vista	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC
	XO Communications Services, LLC
Laurel	Airespring, Inc.
Laurel	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC

Community	Company Name
Lawrence	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Lebanon	Hartman Telephone Exchanges, Inc.
Leigh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
Lemoyne	Glenwood Network Services, Inc.
Lewellen	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Lexington	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Liberty	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Lincoln	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Airespring, Inc.
	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	Aureon Communications, LLC
	Bluestem Network
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	First Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	NOS Communications, Inc.
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Velocity, A Managed Services Company, Inc.
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
	XO Communications Services, LLC
Lindsay	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Linwood-Morse Bluff	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Litchfield	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Lodgepole	Dalton Telephone Company, Inc.
Long Pine	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Loomis	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Louisville	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Loup City	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC

Community	Company Name
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Lyman	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Lynch	Three River Telco
Lyons	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Macy	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Madison	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Madrid	Consolidated Telco, Inc.
Malcolm	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
Malcom	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Marquette	Hamilton Telephone Company
Martell	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Martinsburg	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Mason City	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Maxwell	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Maywood	Consolidated Telco, Inc.
	First Communications, LLC
McCook	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC

Community	Company Name
McCool Junction	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Mead	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Mead	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Meadow Grove	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Merna	Consolidated Telephone Company
Merriman	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Milford	Bluestem Network
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Miller	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Milligan	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Minatare	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Minden	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Mirage Flats	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Mitchell	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West

Community	Company Name
Monroe	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Morrill	Action Communications
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Mullen	Consolidated Telephone Company
Murdock	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Murray	Bluestem Network
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Naper	Three River Telco
Naponee	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Nebraska City	Allo Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Nehawka	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Neligh	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
Nelson	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Nemaha	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Newcastle	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Newman Grove	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
Newport	Rock County Telephone Company
Niobrara/Santee	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Norfolk	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	First Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	PBN, LLC
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Teleport Communications America, LLC
Norman	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
North Bend	Great Plains Communications, LLC
North Burwell	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
North Loup	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
North Platte	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	First Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Velocity, A Managed Services Company, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Oakdale	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Oakland	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Obert	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Oconto	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Octavia	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Odell	Diller Telephone Company
Ogallala	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Ohio	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Omaha	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Airespring, Inc.
	Allo Communications, LLC
	AT&T Corp.
	Aureon Communications, LLC
	Bluestem Network
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	First Communications, LLC
	France Telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company

Community	Company Name
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	QuantumShift Communications, Inc.
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Teleport Communications America, LLC
	Velocity, A Managed Services Company, Inc.
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
	XO Communications Services, LLC
O'Neill	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Aureon Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Ong	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Orchard	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
Ord	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Orleans	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Osceola	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Oshkosh	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Osmond	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Otoe	Allo Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Overton	Arapahoe Telephone Company, Inc.
Oxford	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Page	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Palisade	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Palmer	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Palmyra	Allo Communications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Panama	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Papillion	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	XO Communications Services, LLC
Pawnee City	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Paxton	Consolidated Telco, Inc.
Pender	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Peru	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Petersburg	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Phillips	Hamilton Telephone Company
Pickrell	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Pierce	Pierce Telephone Company, Inc.
Pilger	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Plainview	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Plainview Telephone Company, Inc.
Platte Center	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Plattsmouth	Allo Communications, LLC
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Pleasant Dale	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Pleasanton	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Plymouth	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Polk	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Ponca	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Potter	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	United Telephone Company of the West
Prague	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Scottsbluff	Action Communications
	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Scribner	United Telephone Company of the West
	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Seward	Allo Communications, LLC
	Bluestem Network
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Great Plains Broadband LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Shelby	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Shelton	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Shickley	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Sidney	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Mobius Communications Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrotel, Inc.
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Silver Creek	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC

Community	Company Name
Snyder	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Sodtown	Sodtown Telephone Company
South Odell	Diller Telephone Company
South Sioux City	Bluestem Network
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	FiberComm, LLC
	First Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Long Lines Siouxsland, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
South Yankton	Allo Communications, LLC
Spalding	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Spencer	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Springfield	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Springview	Three River Telco
St. Edward	Great Plains Communications, LLC
St. Libory	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
St. Paul	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Stamford	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
Stanton	Stanton Telecom, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Staplehurst	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Stapleton	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Steele City	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Steinauer	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Sterling	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Stockham	Hamilton Telephone Company
Stratton	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Stromsburg	Bluestem Network
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Stuart	Aureon Communications, LLC
	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Sumner	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska

Community	Company Name
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Superior	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Surprise	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Sutherland	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Sutton	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Swanton	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Community	Company Name
Syracuse	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Tobias	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Table Rock	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Talmage	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Tamora	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Taylor	Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Tecumseh	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.

Community	Company Name
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
	Windstream of the Midwest, Inc.
Tekamah	Allo Communications, LLC
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Thedford	Consolidated Telephone Company
Tilden	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Tobias	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Trenton	Great Plains Communications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Tri City	Southeast Nebraska Communications, Inc.
Trumbull	Hamilton Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Tryon	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Uehling	Hooper Telephone Company
Ulysses	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Unadilla	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Union	Bluestem Network
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Upland	Glenwood Telephone Membership Corporation
Utica	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Valentine	Allo Communications, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Valley	dishNET Wireline, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Valparaiso	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Venango	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Verdel	Three River Telco
Verdigre	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Virginia	Diller Telephone Company
Waco	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wahoo	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wakefield	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Wallace	Consolidated Telco, Inc.
Walnut	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Walthill	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company
Walton	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Waterbury	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Waterloo	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
Wauneta	Wauneta Telephone Company
Wausa	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Waverly	Allo Communications, LLC
	France Telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc

Community	Company Name
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wayne	ACN Communications Services, LLC
	BullsEye Telecom, Inc.
	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.
	dishNET Wireline, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	HunTel CableVision, Inc.
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Matrix Telecom, LLC
	MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
Weeping Water	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wellfleet	Consolidated Telco, Inc.
West Point	dishNET Wireline, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Midstates Data Transport, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Windstream New Edge, LLC
Western	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Weston	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Wilber	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
Wilbur	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wilcox	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Wilsonville	Citizens Telecommunications Company of Nebraska
Winnebago	Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company

Community	Company Name
Winnetoon	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Winside	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company
Wisner	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Wolbach	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Wood Lake	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Wood River	Allo Communications, LLC
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Qwest Corporation dba CenturyLink QC
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
Wymore	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Wynot	Great Plains Communications, LLC
Yankton	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
York	Allo Communications, LLC
	Bluestem Network
	Broadview Networks, Inc.
	Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Community	Company Name
	Hamilton Long Distance Company
	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.
Yutan	Level 3 Communications, LLC
	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc
	Windstream Nebraska, Inc.

Appendix D-Long Distance Telephone Carriers

Long Distance Telephone Carriers		
800 Response Information Services, LLC	Consolidated Telecom, Inc.	International Telecom Ltd.
Access One, Inc.	Consumer Telcom, Inc.	Intrado Communications, LLC
AccessLine Communications Corporation	Convergia, Inc.	Intrado Safety Communications, Inc.
ACN Communication Services LLC	Correct Solutions, LLC	Iowa Network Services, Inc.
Action Communications, Inc.	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	KDDI America, Inc.
Advantage Telecommunications Corp.	Cozad Telephone Company	Level 3 Communications, LLC
Aero Communications, LLC	Crexendo Business Solutions, Inc.	Level 3 Telecom Data Services, LLC
Affinity Network Incorporated	Custom Teleconnect, Inc.	LTS Telecommunications Services (USA) Inc.
Airespring, Inc.	Dalton Telecommunications, Inc.	Mainstay Technologies
Airus, Inc.	DCT Telecom Group, LLC	Matrix Telecom, LLC
Alliance Global Networks, LLC	DeltaCom, LLC	MCI Communications Services, LLC
Allo Communications, LLC	Diode Telecom, Inc.	McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, LLC
AmeriVision Communications, Inc.	Discount Long Distance, LLC	Metropolitan Telecommunications of NE, Inc.
ANPI Business, LLC	dishNET Wireline, LLC	Mitel Cloud Services, Inc.
ANPI, LLC	Easton Telecom Services, LLC	Mobilitie, LLC
Applied Communications Technology, Inc.	Encartele, Inc.	Mobius Communications Company
AT&T Corp.	Enhanced Communications Group, LLC	Nebraska Central Telecom, Inc.
Bandwidth.com CLEC, LLC	EnTelegent Solutions, Inc.	Nebraska Long Distance Company, LLC
BCE Nexxia Corporation	FiberComm, LLC	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunications, Inc.
BCM One, Inc.	First Choice Technology, Inc.	NebraskaLink Holdings, LLC
BCN Telecom, Inc.	First Communications, LLC	NebraskaLink, LLC
BetterWorld Telecom, LLC	France telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC	Network Communications Int'l Corp.
Big River Telephone Company, LLC	Frontier Communications of America, Inc.	NetworkIP, LLC
Bluestem Fiber, LLC	Fusion, LLC	Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC
Broadband Dynamics, LLC	GC Pivotal, LLC	New Horizons Communications Corporation
Broadview Networks, Inc.	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.	NGA911, LLC
Broadvox-CLEC, LLC	Global Crossing Telecommunications, Inc.	Norstan Network Services, Inc.
Broadwing Communications, LLC	Global Tel*Link Corporation	NOS Communications, Inc.
BullsEye Telecom, Inc.	GoDaddy.com, LLC	NOSVA Limited Partnership
BW Telcom Long Distance, Inc.	Granite Telecommunications, LLC	Nyecom Teleservices, Inc.
Cable One VoIP, LLC	Grasshopper Group, LLC	Onvoy, LLC
Cause Based Commerce, Inc.	Great Plains Communications Long Distance, LLC	PAETEC Communications LLC
CBTS Technology Solutions LLC	Hamilton Long Distance Company	Pay Tel Communications, Inc.
CenCom, Inc.	Hartington Telecommunications Co., Inc.	Peerless Network of Nebraska, LLC
CenturyLink Communications LLC	Henderson Cooperative Telephone Co.	Peetz Cooperative Telephone Company
Charter Fiberlink – Nebraska, LLC	HTC Communications LLC	Pinpoint Communications, Inc.
Combined Public Communications, LLC	HunTel CableVision, Inc.	PNG Telecommunications, Inc.
Comcast Phone of Nebraska, LLC	HunTel Communications, Inc.	Protel Advantage, Inc.
Communications Venture Corporation	IDT America, Corp.	Public Communications Services, Inc.
Community Internet Systems, Inc.	inContact, Inc.	QuantumShift Communications, Inc.
ComTech 21, LLC	Inmate Calling Solutions, LLC	Qwest Corporation
Consolidated Long Distance Company, Inc.	Intellicall Operator Services, Inc.	Reduced Rate Long Distance, LLC

Long Distance Telephone Carriers Continued

Reliant Communications, Inc.	Time Warner Cable Information Services, LLC	Wholesale Carrier Services, Inc.
SBC Long Distance, LLC	Toly Digital Networks, Inc.	Wide Voice, LLC
Securus Technologies, LLC	Touchtone Communications, Inc.	WiTel Communications, LLC
Skywave Wireless, Inc.	Treasure Lake, LP	WiMacTel, Inc.
Southeast Nebraska Communications, Inc.	U.S. Telecom Long Distance, Inc.	Windstream Communications, LLC
Southwest Communications, Inc.	Unite Private Networks, LLC	Windstream IT-Comm, LLC
Spectrotel, Inc.	United Telecom, Inc.	Windstream KDL, LLC
Stanton Long Distance, LLC	US South Communications, Inc.	Windstream New Edge, LLC
Stratus Networks, Inc.	USA Digital Communications, Inc.	Windstream Systems of the Midwest, Inc.
TDS Long Distance Corporation	Value-Added Communications, Inc.	Working Assets Funding Service, Inc.
Telecom Management, Inc.	Velocity Fiber, LLC	X2Comm, Inc.
Teleport Communications America, LLC	Velocity, A Managed Services Company, Inc.	XO Communications Services, Inc.
Teliax, Inc.	Verizon Long Distance LLC	XYN Communications of Nebraska, LLC
Telrite Corporation	Verizon Select Services, Inc.	Zayo Group, LLC
Three River Telco	Viaero Fiber Networks, LLC	Zito Midwest, LLC
Time Clock Solutions, LLC	Voicecom Telecommunications, LLC	

Appendix E- Communication/Information Providers

Communication Information Providers		
2600HZ, Inc.	Cable One VoIP LLC	Efanz, Inc.
8 X 8, INC.	Cable One, Inc.	Electric Lightwave LLC
Access Systems, Inc.	Cable USA III, LLC	ENA Healthcare Services, LLC
AccessLine Communications Corporation	CallShaper, LLC	eNetworks, LLC
ACN Communication Services LLC	Cause Based Commerce, Inc.	Enhanced Communications Group, LLC
Action Communications, Inc.	Celito Communications, Inc.	Enhanced Communications Network, Inc.
Affiliated Technology Solutions, LLC	CenCom, Inc.	Epixtar Communications Corporation
Airus, Inc.	Center Cable Co.	Estech Systems, Inc.
Allegiant Networks, LLC	CenturyLink Communications LLC	Evertex, Inc.
Alliant Technologies, LLC	Cintex Wireless LLC	Exiant Communications, LLC
Allo Communications, LLC	Claro Enterprise Solutions, LLC	Fibervision, LLC
ALLTEL Corporation	Clear Live, LLC	Flash Wireless, LLC
Altaworx, LLC	Cloudcall, Inc.	Fonality, Inc.
American Messaging Services, LLC	Coeo Solutions, LLC	Fore Street Telecom, LLC
AmeriVision Communications, Inc.	Cogent Communications, Inc.	Fractel, LLC
AMG Technology Investment Group, LLC	Comcast OTR1, LLC	Framework Communications LLC
AMP Networks LLC	Comm-Core, LLC	France Telecom Corporate Solutions, LLC
ANPI, LLC	Commio, LLC	Frontier Communications of America, Inc.
Apt Interactive, LLC	Community Internet Systems, Inc.	Fusion, LLC
APXnet, Inc.	Computassist, LLC	Future Wireless Technologies of Nebraska, Inc.
Assurance Wireless USA, LP	Computer Concepts, Inc.	Fuze, Inc.
AT&T Corp.	Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.	Gabb Wireless, Inc.
ATCJET.NET, LLC	Consumer Cellar, Inc.	Gabbbit, LLC
Atlantic Tele-Network, Inc.	Convergia, Inc.	Garmin Services, Inc.
Avaya Cloud, Inc.	Covoda Communications, Inc.	Glenwood Telecommunications, Inc.
Bandwidth, Inc.	Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC	Global Connection Inc. of America
BBTel, Inc.	Cox Strategic Services, LLC	Globalstar, Inc.
BCS, LLC	Cox Wireless, LLC	GloTell US, Corp.
Best Buy Health, Inc.	Cricket Wireless, LLC	GoDaddy.com, LLC
Big Red Communications, LLC	CSC Wireless, LLC	Gogo, LLC
Binary Net, LLC	DataBytes, Inc.	GoldnSilver.com, Inc.
Blackfoot Communications, Inc.	Dialpad, Inc.	Google North America, Inc.
Blue Jay Wireless, LLC	Diode Cable Co.	Google Voice, Inc.
Blue Valley Technologies, Inc.	Diode Telecom, Inc.	Granite Telecommunications, LLC
Bluestem Network, LLC	Dish Wireless, LLC	Great Plains Broadband, LLC
Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska	Distributed Computing, Inc.	GreatCall, Inc.
Boomerang Wireless, LLC	DSCI, LLC	Greenfly Networks, Inc.
Broadband Dynamics, LLC	DynaLink Communications, Inc.	Hamilton Long Distance Company
Broadsmart Global, Inc.	Eagle Broadband Investment, LLC	Hamilton.net, Inc.
BroadSoft Adaption LLC	EarthGrid PBC	Hartington Telecommunications Co., Inc.
BT Americas Inc.	Earthlink, LLC	HD Carrier LLC

Communication Information Providers Continued		
Hello Mobile Telecom LLC	Matrix Telecom, LLC	Raicom, Inc.
Hershey Cooperative Telephone Company	McCookNet, Inc.	RCLEC, Inc.
HH Ventures, LLC	MCI Communications Services, LLC	Ready Wireless, LLC
HNS	MetroPCS Michigan, LLC	RingCentral, Inc.
Hughes Network Systems, LLC	Midstates Data Transport, LLC	ROK Mobile Inc.
Huntel Communications, Inc.	Midwest Networks Development, LLC	Sage Telecom Communications, LLC
Hypercore Networks, Inc.	Mitel Cloud Services, Inc.	Sangoma US, Inc.
iCommerce Services, Inc.	Mobi, Inc.	Securus Technologies, LLC
IDT America, Corp.	Mobius Communications Company	Select Communications, LLC
ILOKA, Inc.	Momentum Telecom, Inc.	Selectel, Inc.
inContact, Inc.	NE Colorado Cellular, Inc.	ServiceTitan, Inc.
Innovative Telephone and Data Solutions, LLC	NEC Cloud Communications America, Inc.	SI Wireless, LLC
Intelegrated, LLC	Network Innovations, Inc.	SimpleVoip, LLC
Interface Security Systems, LLC	New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC	Single Point Global, Inc.
Intermedia Voice Services, Inc.	NewPhone Wireless LLC	Sioux City MSA, LP
Internet Nebraska Corporation	NewPhone Wireless, LLC	SIP.US LLC
Intrado IP Communications, Inc.	Nexogy, Inc.	Sip2020, LLC
InTTec, Inc.	Nextiva, Inc.	Skybeam Acquisition Corporation
Inventive Wireless of Nebraska, LLC	NexVortex, Inc.	Skype Communications US Corp.
Inviacom, Inc.	Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company	Skywave Wireless, Inc.
IP Horizon, LLC	NOS Communications, Inc.	S-Net Communications, Inc.
IP Networked Services, Inc.	NOSVA Limited Partnership	South Dakota Network LLC
iTalk Global Communications, Inc.	Novega Venture Partners	Speakerbus Networks, Inc.
ITC Global Networks, LLC	Omaha Cellular Telephone Company	Spectrotel, Inc.
ITL Global Services, LLC	Omni-Tech, Inc.	Spectrum Advanced Services, LLC
i-Wireless, LLC	One Source Networks, Inc.	Spectrum Mobile, LLC
JBN Telephone Company, Inc.	One Voice Communications, Inc.	Spiral Communications LLC
Jive Communications, Inc.	Onvoy Spectrum, LLC	Spok, Inc.
JiveTel, Inc.	Ooma, Inc.	Sprint Spectrum LP
K & M Telephone Company, Inc.	PanTerra Networks, Inc.	Star2Star Communications LLC
KDDI America, Inc.	Patriot Mobile, LLC	Stream Communications, LLC
KDSI, Inc.	PBN, LLC	Strongcord Infrastructure Systems Management
Konica Minolta Business Solutions U.S.A., Inc.	Phone.com, Inc.	STX Group, LLC
Lexvor, Inc.	Pierce Telephone Company, Inc.	Syndeo, LLC
Light Source Communication, LLC	Pioneer Telephone, Inc.	T C Telephone, LLC
Locus Telecommunications, LLC	Plintron Technologies USA, LLC	Tailwind Voice & Data, Inc.
LTD Broadband LLC	PNG Telecommunications, Inc.	TDS Metrocom, LLC
Lycamobile USA, Inc.	Prairie Hills Wireless, LLC	Tekstar Communications, Inc.
MagicJack SMB, Inc.	Pulsar360 Corp.	TelAgility Corporation
Magna5, LLC	Puretalk Holdings, Inc.	Telebeep, Inc.
Mainstay Technologies	Q Fiber, LLC	Telecom West, Inc.
Marco Technologies, LLC	Qwest Corporation	Telefonica USA, Inc.
Masergy Cloud Communications, Inc.	RadiantIQ, LLC	TelePacific Managed Services

Communication Information Providers Continued		
Telephone Systems of Nebraska, Inc.	Troomi Wireless, Inc.	VoIPly, LLC
Teligent IP, Inc.	Tru Mobility, Inc.	Vonage America, LLC
Tello, LLC	Truphone, Inc.	Vonage Business, Inc.
Telmate, LLC	Twilio International, Inc.	Votacall, Inc.
Telnet Worldwide, Inc.	UComTel Inc.	Voyant Communications, LLC
Telnix LLC	United States Cellular Corporation	Voyze Communications, Inc.
Telrite Corporation	United States Cellular Operating Co of Greater Iowa	Warp Networks, Inc.
Tempo Telecom LLC	US LEC Communications, Inc.	Wave Nation, LLC
Terra Nova Telecom, Inc.	US South Communications, Inc.	White Label Communications, LLC
Terracom, Inc.	USA Communications, LLC	WiMacTel, Inc.
The Light Phone, Inc.	USCOC of Nebraska/Kansas LLC	WinDBreak Cable
Thing Technologies	UVNV, Inc.	Wing Tel, Inc.
Three River Digital Cable LLC	Velocity, a Managed Services Company, Inc.	Wirelessinet, LLC
Time Warner Cable Business, LLC	Versatel, LLC	Working Assets Funding Service, Inc.
Time2Market Cloud Services, LLC	ViaSat, Inc.	Zefcom, LLC
T-Mobile Central LLC	Visible Service LLC	Zen Communications, LLC
Toly Digital Networks, Inc.	Vodafone US Inc.	Zirrus LLC
TracFone Wireless, Inc.	Voice Ring, Inc.	Zito Midwest, LLC
Tri-Rural T.V., Inc.	VoIP Innovations, LLC	Ztar Mobile, Inc.
		Zultys, Inc.

