

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of Metropolitan
Telecommunications of Missouri, Inc. to Expand
Its Certificate of Authority to Provide Basic Local
Telecommunications Services to Include All
Zones and Exchange Areas Served by Incumbent
Local Exchange Carrier Windstream, Inc.

File No. CO-2014-0025

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE OF APPLICATION, SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING FILING OF STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: August 23, 2013

Effective Date: August 23, 2013

On July 30, 2013, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Missouri, Inc. filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) seeking to expand its certificate of authority to provide competitive basic local telecommunications services to all exchanges in Missouri served by incumbent local exchange carrier Windstream Missouri, Inc. This case was held in abeyance until the company provided a supplemental filing as directed by the Commission. The company has now provided the required information.

The Commission will direct its Data Center to send notice as set out in the ordered paragraphs below. The Commission will also set a deadline for any applications to intervene and will direct the Staff of the Commission to file a recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall send notice of this application to all telecommunications carriers certificated to operate in the state of Missouri.

2. Applications to intervene shall be filed no later than September 13, 2013,
with:

Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101-0360

or by using the Commission's electronic filing and information service.

3. No later than October 4, 2013, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file its recommendation.

4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 23rd day of August, 2013.