

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of CenturyTel of)
Missouri, LLC, d/b/a CenturyLink, for Review and)
Reversal of North American Number Plan) **File No. TO-2015-0217**
Thousands-Block Pooling Administrator's Decision)
To Withhold Numbering Resources)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING REQUESTS TO INTERVENE AND ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING RECOMMENDATIONS

Issue Date: March 10, 2015

Effective Date: March 10, 2015

This order directs that notice of this case be sent to all certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications companies in the state of Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator. The order also establishes dates for the filing of requests to intervene and for the filing of recommendations.

On March 6, 2015, CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, d/b/a CenturyLink, filed an application and Motion for Expedited Treatment under 47 C.F.R. 52.15(g)(3)(iv) requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission review and reverse a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA), NeuStar, Inc., to withhold certain numbering resources from CenturyLink. The numbering resources CenturyLink requested consist of a block of 3,000 consecutive numbers beginning with the NPA-NXX-3000 or a similar number. The numbering resources are needed in order to meet the needs of the Columbia Public Schools, in Columbia, Missouri when it implements a new E-911 system.

The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed to file a request for intervention or a motion for hearing. Therefore, the Commission will set a time for

interventions as directed below. The Commission will also direct its Data Center to send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri. In addition, the Data Center shall send a copy of this order to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation and will establish a date by which any other party wishing to respond must file a recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Data Center shall send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

2. Any party wishing to intervene or to request a hearing shall do so by filing an appropriate pleading no later than March 16, 2015, with:

Morris L. Woodruff, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

and send copies to:

Becky Owenson Kilpatrick
Attorney for CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC
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625 Cherry Street
Columbia, MO 65201

and:

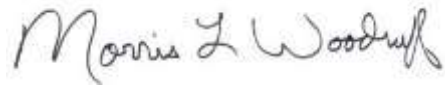
Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

3. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding the application of CenturyLink or shall file a status report indicating when a recommendation will be filed, no later than March 16, 2015.

4. Any other party that wishes to file a recommendation regarding the application of CenturyLink, shall do so no later than March 16, 2015, and shall file its recommendation simultaneously with its application to intervene.

5. This order shall become effective March 10, 2015.

BY THE COMMISSION



Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary



Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 10th day of March, 2015.