

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of NuVox)	
Communications of Missouri, Inc. for an)	
Investigation into the Wire Centers that AT&T)	<u>Case No. TO-2006-0360</u>
Missouri Asserts are Non-Impaired Under the)	
TRRO.)	

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date April 11, 2008

Effective Date: April 11, 2008

On April 9, 2008, AT&T Missouri filed an Application for Rehearing and/or Reconsideration in this matter. Of particular concern is AT&T's assertion that the Commission incorrectly found that AT&T did not correctly identify, in March of 2005, 14 wire centers as non-impaired under the Tier 1 wire center criteria. Premised on the Commission's conclusion that the definition of a fiber-based collocater does not include collo-to-collo arrangements, the Commission determined that one wire center¹ did not belong on the Tier 1 list. The Commission's conclusion was based on the March 2005 list attached to the direct testimony of AT&T's witness Carol Chapman.

The Commission notes that on that list, one wire center has four collocators. The Commission determined that NuVox should not be included as a fiber-based collocater due to its particular arrangement with another collocater. When NuVox is excluded, the list seems to indicate that three fiber-based collocators remain. However, in review of this

¹ The identification of the wire center in question is highly confidential information.

issue the Commission questions whether the exclusion of NuVox inappropriately excluded the collocater with which NuVox has an arrangement.

To ensure that the Commission's has not incorrectly resolved the issue of whether the March 2005 list correctly identified the 14 wire centers, the Commission will require the Staff of the Commission and NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. to respond to AT&T's assertions under this issue.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc., shall file no later than April 23, 2008, a pleading as described in the body of this order.
2. The Staff of the Commission shall file no later than April 23, 2008, a pleading as described in the body of this order.
3. This order shall become effective on April 11, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 11th day of April, 2008.