

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern Bell)
Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri, for) **File No. IK-2013-0394**
Approval of an Interconnection Agreement under the)
Telecommunications Act of 1996 with 365 Wireless, LLC)

ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED APPLICATIONS FOR INTERVENTION AND SETTING A PROCEDURAL CONFERENCE

Issue Date: March 11, 2013

Effective Date: March 11, 2013

On February 11, 2013, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri ("AT&T Missouri") filed an application with the Commission for approval of a negotiated interconnection agreement with 365 Wireless under the provisions of the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996. On March 1, 2013, Alma Communications Company d/b/a Alma Telephone Company, *et al.*, (collectively "Alma Intervenors")¹ filed an application to intervene and a request for an evidentiary hearing. Similarly, on March 1, 2013, the Small Telephone Company Group ("STCG")² filed an application to intervene and a request for an evidentiary hearing. On March 11, 2013, AT&T Missouri responded.

¹ The "Alma Intervenors" include: Alma Communications Company d/b/a Alma Telephone Company Chariton Valley Telephone Corp., Chariton Valley Telecom Corporation, Choctaw Telephone Company, Otelco Mid-Missouri LLC, and MoKan Dial Inc.

² The SCTG includes: BPS Telephone Company, Citizens Telephone Company of Higginsville, Mo., Craw-Kan Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Ellington Telephone Company, Farber Telephone Company, Fidelity Telephone Company, Goodman Telephone Company, Granby Telephone Company, Grand River Mutual Telephone Corporation, Green Hills Telephone Corporation, Holway Telephone Company, Iamo Telephone Company, Kingdom Telephone Company, K.L.M. Telephone Company, Lathrop Telephone Company, Le-Ru Telephone Company, Mark Twain Rural Telephone Company, McDonald County Telephone Company, Miller Telephone Company, New Florence Telephone Company, New London Telephone Company, Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company, Orchard Farm Telephone Company, Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Company, Ozark Telephone Company, Peace Valley Telephone Company, Inc., Rock Port Telephone Company, Seneca Telephone Company, Steelville Telephone Exchange, Inc., and Stoutland Telephone Company.

AT&T Missouri does not oppose the intervention requests, but it does voice some concern regarding proposals by the intervenors and Staff.

The Commission will grant the intervention requests and set a procedural conference.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The intervention requests filed by the Alma Intervenors and the Small Telephone Company Group are granted.
2. A procedural conference is scheduled for March 18, 2013, at 8:30 a.m., at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri, Room 305. This building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Anyone requiring additional accommodations to participate in this conference shall call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the conference.
3. Any party wishing to attend the procedural conference by phone shall utilize the conference bridge being provided by AT&T Missouri at the time of the conference.
4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Shelley Brueggemann
Acting Secretary

Harold Stearley, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 11th day of March, 2013.