

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of)
N.W. Communications Co. for) Case No. _____
Video Service Authorization)

APPLICATION FOR VIDEO SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW N.W. Communications Co. (“Applicant” or “NWC”), pursuant to Section 67.2679.7 RSMo. Supp. 2008 and Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) Rule 4 CSR 240-2.060, and states as follows:

1. Applicant is a Missouri corporation with its principal Missouri office located at 208 Ash Street, Maitland, MO, 64466-0112. A copy of Applicant’s certificate of good standing is attached hereto as **Appendix A**. Applicant also does business under the “American Broadband” fictitious name, and a copy of Applicant’s registration of fictitious name filed with the Missouri Secretary of State is attached here as **Appendix B**.
2. All inquiries, correspondence, communications, pleadings, notices, orders and decisions relating to the case should be addressed to:

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3. Applicant currently provides, or intends to provide, “video service” through a “video service network” to customers located in various “political subdivision[s]” within the state of Missouri, as those terms are defined in Section 67.2677, RSMo. Supp. 2008. Some of those customers are or will be located within the corporate limits of a city, town, or village, while other customers are or will be located in various unincorporated areas.

4. Applicant asks the Commission to issue, in accordance with Sections 67.2679.4 and .7, RSMo. Supp. 2008, a video service authorization that will allow Applicant to provide video service in the following political subdivisions, which assess the following video service provider fees:

Political Subdivision	Fee Amount
City of Graham	0%
Nodaway County	0%

5. Attached is an affidavit signed by an officer of NWC making the six affirmations required in Section 67.2679.7 RSMo. Supp. 2008.

6. NWC does not have any pending action or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court that involve customer service or rates. NWC is not currently subject to the regulatory jurisdiction of the Commission, except as provided under the Video Service Providers Act, §§67.2679 – 67.2714 RSMo. Supp. 2008. Thus, NWC does not have any overdue annual reports or assessment fees.

WHEREFORE, NWC respectfully requests that the Commission issue its order granting NWC video service authorization for the political subdivisions listed above.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Brian T. McCartney

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document has been mailed, U.S. Mail postage prepaid, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile, or emailed this 23rd day of November, 2009, to each of the political subdivisions listed in Paragraph 4 of this Application and the following parties:

General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
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/s/ Brian T. McCartney

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) SS
COUNTY OF Washington)

I, Shawn Hanson, being first duly sworn, depose and state that I am the Vice President of N.W. Communications Co., the Applicant in the subject proceeding and by virtue of this position am authorized to make this affidavit on behalf of the Company; and that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief:

1. N.W. Communications Co. agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations;
2. A list of political subdivisions to be served by N.W. Communications under this authority is accurately set forth in the application to which this affidavit is attached;
3. The location of the principal Missouri office of N.W. Communications Co. is 208 Ash Street, Maitland, MO, 64466-0112. Its principal executive officers are:

Patrick L. Eudy	President, CEO & Assistant Secretary
John P. Duda	Executive VP and COO
Shawn W. Hanson	VP

4. The company has filed, or will timely file, with the Federal Communications Commission all forms required by that agency prior to offering video service.

5. N.W. Communications agrees to comply with all applicable regulations concerning use of public rights of way, as provided in Sections 67.1830 to 67.1846, RSMo. Supp. 2008.
6. N.W. Communications is legally, financially, and technically qualified to provide video service.

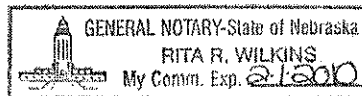
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Vice President
N.W. Communications Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November 2009.

Rita R. Wilkins
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



List of Political Subdivisions to be Served by N.W. Communications

City of Graham

Nodaway County