# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Petition of United Services, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to Section 214(e)(5) of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended

File No. RA-2019-0087

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

Issue Date: October 1, 2018

Effective Date: October 1, 2018

On September 27, 2018, United Services, Inc. requested designation as both a highcost and low-income Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) in all areas in Missouri where United Services participates in the Rural Electric Cooperative Consortium and has been allocated Connect America Fund Phase II support.

Notice of the application shall be sent to all incumbent and competitive local exchange carriers certificated to provide service in Missouri. The Commission will also set a deadline for intervention requests and direct the filing of a recommendation by the Staff of the Commission.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall send notice of this application to all eligible telecommunications carriers certified to provide service in Missouri.

2. Any request to intervene shall be filed with the Commission no later than October 10, 2018. Such applications shall be filed with:

Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

or use the Commission's electronic filing and information service.

3. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file its recommendation no later than October 31, 2018.

4. This order shall be effective when issued.



## BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2018.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 2018.



Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

## **MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Distributed to all Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Certified to provide service in Missouri

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.