

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of Rock Port     )  
Telephone Company for Video Service            )  
Authorization    )     Case No. KA-2008-0055

**APPLICATION FOR VIDEO SERVICE AUTHORIZATION**

Rock Port Telephone Company (“Rock Port” or “Company”), by and through its undersigned counsel, pursuant to Section 67.2679(7), RSMo 2000 (Cum. Supp. 2007), and in accordance with Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) Rule 4 CSR 240-2.060, hereby makes application for a video service authorization that will allow Rock Port to offer and supply video service and to construct, install, operate, and maintain a video service network in various political subdivisions and unincorporated areas within the state of Missouri. In support of its application, Rock Port states as follows:

1. Rock Port is a Missouri corporation with its principal office and place of business at 107 Opp Street, Rock Port, Missouri 64482. Rock Port provides, or intends to provide, video service to customers in various political subdivisions and unincorporated areas located within the state of Missouri. In Case No. TA-88-49 Rock Port was granted authority to operate as a “telecommunications company,” as that term is defined in Section 386.020 (42), and by virtue of that fact is subject to the regulatory jurisdiction of this Commission. A copy of Rock Port’s Certificate of Good Standing, issued by the Secretary of State of Missouri, is attached to this application as Appendix A and is incorporated herein by reference.

2. There are no final unsatisfied judgments or decisions pending against Rock Port from any federal or state agency or court that involve customer service or rates, and Rock Port has no annual report or assessment fees that are overdue.

3. Pleadings, notices, orders, and other correspondence and communications concerning this application should be addressed to the undersigned counsel and also to:

Raymond Henagan, Manager/CEO  
Rock Port Telephone Company  
107 Opp Street  
Rock Port, MO 64482  
Tele: (660) 744-5311  
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4. Rock Port 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 2000 (Cum. Supp. 2007). 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 within Atchison County.

5. To enable the Company to construct, install, operate, and maintain a video network and to supply video service, Rock Port asks the Commission to issue, in accordance with Sections 67.2679(4) and (7), RSMo 2000 (Cum. Supp. 2007), a video service authorization that will allow the Company to operate as a video service provider in each of the following political subdivisions:

<b>Political Subdivision</b>	<b>Fee Amount</b>
City of Rock Port	3 percent
Village of Watson	3 percent
City of Fairfax	3 percent
City of Tarkio	3 percent
Atchison County	0

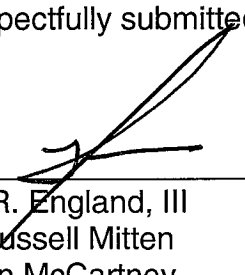
6. As required by Section 67.2679.7, RSMo 2000 (Cum. Supp. 2007), an affidavit, signed by a Company officer, which affirms the following, accompanies this application as Appendix B and is incorporated herein by reference:

- (a) that Rock Port agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations;
- (b) a list of political subdivisions that are to be served by the Company;
- (c) the location and principal place of business of Rock Port and the names of its principal executive officers;
- (d) that the Company has filed, or will timely file, with the Federal Communications Commission all forms required by that agency prior to offering video service;
- (e) that Rock Port agrees to comply with all applicable regulations concerning use of the public rights-of-way, as provided in Sections 67.1830 to 67.1846, RSMo; and
- (f) that the Company is legally, financially, and technically qualified to provide video service.

7. In addition, to fulfill the requirements of Section 67.2679(5), RSMo 2000 (Cum. Supp. 2007), Rock Port is providing a copy of this application to each of the political subdivisions wherein the Company provides or intends to provide video service, which will serve to advise and provide notice to each such political subdivision of the Company's intent.

WHEREFORE, Rock Port requests the Commission to grant this application and to issue, within thirty (30) days of the filing date of this application, a video service authorization that allows the Company to construct a video service network along, across, or on public rights-of-way for the delivery of video service and to provide video service in each of the political subdivisions listed in paragraph 5 of this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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TELEPHONE COMPANY

VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI )  
 ) ss  
COUNTY OF ATCHISON )

Raymond Henagan, being duly sworn on oath, deposes and says that he is Manager/CEO of Rock Port Telephone Company, that he has read the foregoing Application and knows the contents thereof, and that the information contained in that Application is true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

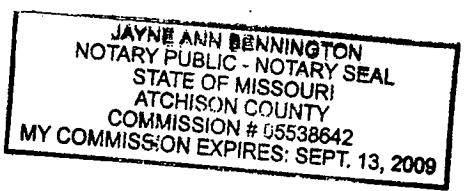
ROCK PORT TELEPHONE COMPANY

BY: *Raymond Henagan*  
Raymond Henagan, Manager/CEO

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2007.

*Jayne Ann Bennington*  
Notary Public

My Commission expires:  
9-13-2009



# STATE OF MISSOURI



Robin Carnahan  
Secretary of State

**CORPORATION DIVISION  
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING**

I, ROBIN CARNAHAN, Secretary of the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records in my office and in my care and custody reveal that

**ROCK PORT TELEPHONE COMPANY  
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was created under the laws of this State on the 11th day of May, 1965, and is in good standing, having fully complied with all requirements of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand and imprinted the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri, on this, the 27th day of August, 2007

*Robin Carnahan*  
Secretary of State



Certification Number: 10019373-1 Reference:

Verify this certificate online at <http://www.sos.mo.gov/businessentity/verification>

APPENDIX B

STATE OF MISSOURI )  
 ) ss  
COUNTY OF ATCHISON )

AFFIDAVIT OF RAYMOND HENAGAN

The undersigned Raymond Henagan, being first duly sworn, on his oath states that:

(1) he is Manager/CEO of Rock Port Telephone Company ("Rock Port" or "Company"), a Missouri corporation, and by virtue of his position is authorized to make this affidavit on behalf of the Company;

(2) Rock Port agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations;

(3) attached to this affidavit, and incorporated herein by reference, is a list of political subdivisions that are to be served by the Company;

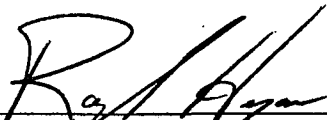
(4) the location and principal place of business of Rock Port is 107 Opp Street, Rock Port, Missouri 64482, and the names of its principal executive officers are:

Robert L. Stanton	President
Raymond Keith Ottmann	Vice President
Stanley K. Griffin	Secretary
Dan LaHue	Treasurer;

(5) the Company has filed, or will timely file, with the Federal Communications Commission all forms required by that agency prior to offering video service;

(6) Rock Port agrees to comply with all applicable regulations concerning use of the public rights-of-way, as provided in Sections 67.1830 to 67.1846, RSMo; and

(7) the Company is legally, financially, and technically qualified to provide video service.

  
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NOTARY PUBLIC - NOTARY SEAL  
STATE OF MISSOURI  
ATCHISON COUNTY  
COMMISSION # 05538642  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: SEPT. 13, 2009



**LIST OF POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS TO BE SERVED BY**  
**ROCK PORT TELEPHONE COMPANY**

City of Rock Port

Village of Watson

City of Fairfax

City of Tarkio

Atchison County