

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Missouri RSA 5 Partnership )  
a/k/a Missouri RSA No. 5 Partnership d/b/a ) **File No. RD-2022-0121**  
Chariton Valley Wireless Relinquishment of )  
ETC Designation, Effective December 31, 2021 )

## ORDER PERMITTING RELINQUISHMENT OF DESIGNATION AS ETC

Issue Date: December 15, 2021

Effective Date: December 25, 2021

On October 29, 2021, Missouri RSA 5 Partnership a/k/a Missouri RSA No. 5 Partnership d/b/a Chariton Valley Wireless Services (“MO5”) filed a letter with the Commission to provide notice of its relinquishment of its designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”), effective December 31, 2021. The Commission designated MO5 as an ETC in Case No. TO-2006-0172.

The Commission does not have specific rules concerning relinquishing ETC authority but relies on 47 U.S.C. Section 214(e)(4), which states, in part,

A State commission . . . shall permit an eligible telecommunications carrier to relinquish its designation as such a carrier in any area served by more than one eligible telecommunications carrier. An eligible telecommunications carrier that seeks to relinquish its eligible telecommunications carrier designation for an area served by more than one eligible telecommunications carrier shall give advance notice to the State commission...of such relinquishment. . . .

On November 1, 2021, the Commission issued its order directing Staff to file a recommendation regarding MO5’s relinquishment of its ETC designation. On December 14, 2021, Staff recommended the Commission cancel MO5’s ETC designation in Missouri.

Based on MO5's request and Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that MO5 shall be permitted to relinquish its ETC designation.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Missouri RSA 5 Partnership a/k/a Missouri RSA No. 5 Partnership d/b/a Chariton Valley Wireless Services is permitted to relinquish the Eligible Telecommunications Carrier designation granted in File No. TO-2006-0172.
2. This order shall be effective December 25, 2021.
3. This case shall close on December 26, 2021.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Ross Keeling, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.


**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 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.**



  
**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**December 15, 2021**

**File/Case No. RD-2022-0121**

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

**Sincerely,**



**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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