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

In the Matter of Telephone Number Relief ) File No. TO-2022-0010 )

#### **STAFF'S NOTICE OF MEETING**

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Notice of Meeting* in this matter hereby states:

1. On June 30, 2021, the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA) notified Staff of the need for relief in the "314" and "816" numbering plan areas (NPA). On August 11, 2021 the Commission reaffirmed the overlay plan as the form of telephone number relief for both area codes.

2. Meetings relevant to 816 NPA relief efforts have consisted of two meetings held on October 7 and 14, 2021. These meetings were also relevant to 314 NPA relief efforts and are described in prior Staff Notices filed in this docket.

3. NANPA held a meeting on June 7, 2022, to which it invited all "816" NPA code holders as well as any interested industry members. Staff telecommunications members also attended this meeting. Staff now files the Minutes from the meeting attached here as Attachment A. The minutes include Planning Letter 597, which supersedes Planning Letter 568, revised implementation and network testing intervals, and provides an outline for how implementation of the all-services distributed overlay plan will proceed. This document may also be found on the North American Numbering Plan Administrator's website at https://nationalnanpa.com.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its *Notice* and related attachment, and grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

### <u>/s/ Ron Irving</u>

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022, to all counsel of record.

## <u>/s/ Ron Irving</u>



June 23, 2022

To: All 816 NPA Code Holders and Interested Industry Members (Missouri)

Subject: Final Minutes of the Meeting to Reopen Consensus Agreements to Establish a Revised Implementation Schedule

Attached are the final minutes from the relief planning meeting to reopen consensus agreements to establish a revised implementation schedule for the 816/975 NPA all-services distributed overlay facilitated by NANPA on June 7, 2022. These minutes became final on June 23, 2022.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at (571) 363-3824 or via email at hwayman@nanpa.com.

Sincerely,

Heidi A. Wayman Manager, Data Management NANPA

CC: Kari Salsman, Missouri Public Service Commission John Van Eschen, Missouri Public Service Commission

# Missouri 816/975 NPA Reopen Consensus Agreements to Establish Revised Implementation Schedule Final Minutes June 7, 2022

#### WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS & AGENDA REVIEW

Heidi Wayman, Manager Data Management, North American Numbering Plan Administrator ("NANPA"), opened the meeting with introductions, a review of the agenda and the objectives of the meeting. A list of attendees can be found in Attachment #1.

#### CONSENSUS PROCESS, MEETING MINUTES AND STATEMENTS FOR THE RECORD

Heidi stated that the ATIS (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions) approved industry consensus process would be followed. She reviewed the consensus process and explained how consensus is determined. In addition, Heidi stated that the minutes would be comprised of consensus agreements, and that issues not captured by consensus could be expressed in the form of a Statement for the Record, which could be conveyed at any point during the meeting.

#### PURPOSE OF THE CALL

On August 11, 2021 the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") in File No. TO-2022-0010, issued "Notice Regarding The Exhaustion of Numbers In the 314 And 816 Numbering Plan Areas," acknowledging that the North American Numbering Plan Administrator ("NANPA") and the telecommunications industry of Missouri ("Industry") were proceeding with implementing an all-services distributed overlay, which was previously approved by the Commission on October 24, 2000, as the relief plan for the 816 NPA.

NANPA convened the Industry on October 7, 2021 to establish dates for the Industry's recommended nine-month implementation schedule. Per Planning Letter 568 (<u>PL-568</u>), the start of network preparation and customer education was to commence on May 10, 2022. The network preparation and customer education period will end on February 10, 2023. The first central office ("CO") code activation date of the 975 NPA will be on February 10, 2023. The earliest date CO code requests will be accepted by NANPA for the new 975 NPA is December 6, 2022. CO codes will not be assigned in the new 975 NPA until all CO codes in the 816 NPA are assigned.

At the time of the October, 7, 2021 implementation meeting, the 816 NPA was projected to exhaust in the third quarter of 2023 (3Q2023). On April 21, 2022, NANPA published the April 2022 Numbering Resource Utilization/Forecast (NRUF) and NPA Exhaust Analysis ("April 2022 NRUF Report"), which projects that the 816 NPA is now estimated to exhaust during the second quarter of 2024 (2Q2024).

The purpose of today's meeting is to reach consensus on reopening the implementation dates previously established by the Industry as listed in PL-568 due to the change in the NPA exhaust projection from 3Q2023 to 4Q2024 as of the April 2022 NRUF Report. Heidi stated that per the NPA Code Relief Planning and Notification Guidelines, Section 5.5.1, "NANPA shall request a reopening of previous consensus agreements after receiving regulatory approval when circumstances could

potentially have a significant impact to the implementation plan." Additionally, as stated in Section 7.2 "...the relief implementation should be in place six months prior to the projected exhaust of the NPA, but in extraordinary situations, at least three-months before the existing NPA would exhaust under the highest growth projections."

## NPA STATUS

### **CO** Code Assignment History:

Heidi provided a read-out of the monthly CO Code Assignment Activity for the Missouri 816 NPA. As of June 6, 2022, there were 737 CO codes assigned, 41 CO codes available for assignment and 22 unavailable CO codes. (See Attachment #2)

### **Thousands-Block Information**

Thousands-Block pooling commenced on February 22, 2002. There are 73 rate centers, and all 73 rate centers are mandatory for pooling. From June 1, 2021 through June 6, 2022, there have been 194 blocks assigned and 509 blocks available for assignment. For the same period, 13 CO codes have been assigned: 11 CO codes for pool replenishment and two (2) CO codes for LRNs. The forecasted need for CO codes for the next twelve months is eight (8) CO codes for pool replenishment and dedicated customers. (See Attachment #3)

## **IDENTIFY THE IMPLEMENTATION DATES:**

Heidi asked if there was any objection to reopening consensus to establish a new implementation schedule for the new 975 NPA overlay. After discussion about the pros and cons of revising the implementation timeline to align with the current exhaust date, consensus was reached to reset the implementation schedule.

The new 975 NPA will be implemented using a 9-month implementation schedule. A recommendation was made, and consensus was reached on the dates listed in the chart below.

	Time	Date
Carriers to enforce mandatory 10- digit-dialing ( <u>See PL-556</u> )	NA	October 24, 2021 – July 15, 2022
Network preparation and customer education begins	NA	January 13, 2023
Network preparation and customer education period ends	NA	October 13, 2023
In Service Date of the New 975 NPA Overlay and Earliest new 975 central office code activation date	-	October 13, 2023
Earliest date central office codes in the new 975 NPA may be requested through NANPA*	-	August 8, 2023

\* Central office codes in the 975 NPA available only when all assignable central office

codes in the 816 NPA are assigned.

#### TEST NUMBER

For the 975 NPA, all international and domestic carriers should ensure that the new 975 NPA has been activated throughout their networks prior to October 13, 2023. The test number to verify the routing to the 975 NPA will be in service beginning July 13, 2023, through November 13, 2023. AT&T has agreed to provide the test number to verify the routing to the 975 NPA. The test number to verify the routing to the 975 NPA is: 975-975-1975. A recorded announcement will indicate the test call has been successfully completed.

Heidi stated that due to low attendance at the meeting, the draft meeting minutes would be sent out, allowing participants who did not attend the meeting to modify their service provider contact information in the Planning Letter. The amended Planning Letter will be posted to the NANPA website no later than June 21, 2022. (See Attachment #4)

### ESTABLISH INDUSTRY COMMITTEE

Heidi stated that during the October 7, 2021 implementation meeting Sharon Poer, AT&T volunteered to co-chair the industry committee. Heidi asked if another co-chair was needed. Sharon stated she needs someone to co-chair with her. Heidi asked the participants if anyone would volunteer to assist AT&T. There were no volunteers. Industry members are encouraged to volunteer in order to balance the workload among all affected service providers. If you would like to volunteer to co-chair the industry committee, contact Sharon Poer at <u>sp1441@att.com</u>.

Heidi told the group NANPA could send out a notification with the committee meeting details via the NANP-Notification System ("NNS") when the co-chairs set up the first industry committee meeting.

#### **OPEN DISCUSSION AND STATEMENTS FOR THE RECORD**

There were no additional items for discussion and a statement for the record was not submitted.

## **REVIEW OF DRAFT MEETING MINUTES**

The Industry reached consensus that the draft minutes resulting from this meeting will be distributed to the Industry no later than June 21, 2022. Any changes or corrections are to be submitted to Heidi via email at <u>hwayman@nanpa.com</u> no later than one week after the minutes are posted to the NANP Administration System (NAS) on the NANPA website when the minutes will become final.

The meeting was adjourned

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These minutes became final on June 23, 2022.

### Missouri 816 NPA Reopen Consensus Agreements to Establish Revised Implementation Schedule June 7, 2022 Participants

NAME	COMPANY		
Debbie Anstead	Altice		
Sharon Poer	AT&T		
Rita Schmitz	Lumen		
Dale Holcombe	Lumen		
Heidi Wayman	NANPA		
Cecilia McCabe	NANPA		
Linda Hymans	NANPA		
Florence Weber	NANPA		
John Van Eschen	Missouri Public Service Commission		
Kari Salsman	Missouri Public Service Commission		
Elsamma Mathew	T-Mobile		
Karen Riepenkroger	T-Mobile		
Shaunna Forshee	T-Mobile		
Chanda Brown	Verizon		
Laura Dalton	Verizon		
Dana Crandall	Verizon Wireless		

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NPA	816					
Assigned NXXs	737					
Reserved NXXs	0					
Unavailable NXXs	22					
Available NXXs	41					
Total	800					
Code Assignment History	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
	12	10	21	10	27	1*
As of June 6, 2022						
April 2022 NRUF and NPA						
Exhaust Analysis	2Q2024					
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## Attachment #3

THOUSANDS-BLOCK STATISTICS	
ST/NPA:	MO 816
MEETING DATE:	6/7/22
POOL START DATE (PSD)	2/22/02
RATE CENTERS	
# Total	73
# Mandatory	73
# Mandatory-Single Service Providers (M*)	0
# Optional	0
# Excluded	0
BLOCKS ASSIGNED	
# Total	194
(For time period 6/01/21- 6/06/22)	
BLOCKS AVAILABLE	
#Total	509
(As of preparation date: 6/06/22)	
CODES ASSIGNED	
# Total	13
# for Pool Replenishment	11
# for Dedicated Customers	0
# for LRNs	2
(For time period 6/01/21 - 6/06/22)	
CODES FORECASTED	
# Total	8
# for Pool Replenishment and Dedicated Customers	8
# for LRNs	0
(For the next twelve months as of: 6/06/22)	



Number:PL-597Date:June 21, 2022Subject:NPA 975 and 816 All-Services Overlay (Missouri)Related Previous Planning Letters:568, 556, 544, 304, 280, 262

This Planning Letter supersedes PL-568 and includes revised implementation and network testing intervals.

## **General Description**

On August 11, 2021 the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) in File No. TO-2022-0010, issued a Notice to proceed with implementing the all-services distributed overlay as the relief plan for the 816 NPA which was previously approved by the Commission on October 24, 2000 in File No. TO-2000-374 (See PL-262). The 816 NPA serves communities such as, but not limited to, Kansas City, Blue Springs, Plattsburg, Fillmore, Richmond, Odessa, Harrisonville and Adrian. The new **<u>975 NPA</u>** will serve the same geographic area currently served by the existing 816 NPA. Additionally, Central Office (CO) codes in the 975 NPA will be available for assignment only when all assignable CO codes in the 816 NPA have all been exhausted.

#### **Implementation of Relief Plan**

	Time	Date
Carriers to enforce mandatory 10- digit dialing ( <u>See PL-556</u> )	NA	October 24, 2021 – July 15, 2022
Network preparation and customer education begins	NA	January 13, 2023
Network preparation and customer education period ends	NA	October 13, 2023
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Earliest date central office codes in the new 975 NPA may be requested through NANPA*	-	August 8, 2023

Implementation of the 816/975 NPA overlay is as follows:

\* CO codes in the 975 NPA available only when all assignable CO codes in the 816 NPA are assigned.

# **Central Office Code Listings and NPA Maps**

A rate center map of the 816/975 NPA overlay is attached. Since NXX information may change over time, please consult the NANPA website at <u>www.nanpa.com</u>, iconectiv's LERG Routing Guide or the NPA NXX Activity Guide for updated information. Information in the LERG Routing Guide and NPA NXX Activity Guide is available by license contract from Telecom Routing Administration, at 732-699-6700.

# **Dialing Plan**

The dialing plan for the 816/975 NPA overlay is as follows:

Type of call	Call terminating in	Dialing Plan
Local call	Home NPA (HNPA) or Foreign NPA (FNPA) (including Extended Area Service (EAS) calls)	10-digits (NPA-NXX-XXXX)*
Toll call	HNPA or FNPA	1 + 10-digits (1 + NPA-NXX-XXXX)
Operator Services Credit card, collect, third party	HNPA or FNPA	0 + 10-digits (0 + NPA-NXX-XXXX)

\*1+10 digit permissible at each service provider's discretion

# **Network Testing**

All international and domestic carriers should ensure that the new 975 NPA has been activated throughout their networks prior to October 13, 2023. The test number to verify the routing to the 975 NPA will be in service beginning July 13, 2023 through November 13, 2023. The test number to verify the routing to the 975 NPA is: 975-975-1975. A recorded announcement will indicate the test call has been successfully completed.

## **General Information**

The information in this planning letter reflects detailed information about NPA relief activities. The information has been derived from commission orders and from industry implementation decisions. The implementation of the plan described in this letter is the responsibility of individual service providers, and NANPA does not guarantee that the activities and plans will occur exactly as described herein.

# **Contact Information**

General questions regarding the relief of the 816/975 NPA should be directed to Heidi Wayman – NANPA, at 571-363-3824. Questions of a technical nature should be directed to the NPA coordinator of the appropriate service provider.

Attached is a list of service provider contact information that is provided to assist in the implementation of the relief plan described herein. Because this information is subject to change, NANPA cannot guarantee the completeness or the accuracy of the attached list.

# SERVICE PROVIDER CONTACTS:

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