

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 17th day of
July, 2008.

In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern)
Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Missouri for)
Review and Reversal of North American Number)
Plan Thousands-Block Pooling Administrator's)
Decision to Withhold Numbering Resources)

Case No. TO-2009-0005

**ORDER OVERTURNING NORTH AMERICAN
NUMBERING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S DECISION**

Issue Date: July 17, 2008

Effective Date: July 27, 2008

On July 2, 2008, Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri filed an Application and Motion for Expedited Treatment requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission review and reverse a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA), NeuStar, Inc., of AT&T Missouri's application to obtain one thousands-block within the NPA of 573-629, in the Hannibal (HNBLMOACDSA) rate center, and within the XXXX range of 4000-4999 from which eight hundred (800) sequential telephone numbers can be drawn to meet Hannibal-LaGrange's needs. AT&T Missouri requested the thousands-block to enhance the 911-related telecommunications capabilities in the Hannibal-LaGrange College student housing on campus in order to better identify the student's location.

On July 14, 2008, the Staff of the Commission filed its Staff Recommendation. No other applications to intervene, requests for hearing, or recommendations have been

filed. Although AT&T does not meet the guidelines set forth by the FCC for additional numbering resources in the Hannibal rate center, Staff recommended the Commission grant AT&T Missouri's request for one block of one thousand telephone numbers in the in the Hannibal rate center, within the NPA of 573-629, and within the XXXX range of 4000-4999.

The Commission has the authority to overturn NANPA's decision to withhold numbering resources from a carrier pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §52.15(g)(4), which states in part, "The state commission also may overturn the NANPA's decision to withhold numbering resources from the carrier based on its determination that the carrier has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies."

Based on Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that AT&T Missouri has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies. The Commission overturns NANPA's decision and approves AT&T Missouri's requests for one block of one thousand telephone numbers as listed above.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The North American Numbering Plan Administrator's decision to withhold numbering resources from Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri is overturned.
2. AT&T Missouri's request to receive one thousands-block of telephone numbers in the in the Hannibal rate center, within the NPA of 573-629, and within the XXXX range of 4000-4999, is granted.
3. This order shall become effective on July 27, 2008.

4. This case may be closed on July 28, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written in a cursive style.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Davis, Chm., Murray, Clayton,
Jarrett and Gunn, CC., concur.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge