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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMERCIONS

March 9, 1998

Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102

TA 98 380

Re:

In the Matter of the Application of Green Hills Area Cellular Telephone Company Incorporated, d/b/a Green Hills Telecommunications Services for a certificate of service authority to provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service and to classify said services and the company as competitive.

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find the original plus fourteen (14) copies of Application for Certificate of Service Authority and For Competitive Classification for filing on behalf of Green Hills Telecommunications Services in the above referenced matter. Please bring this matter to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

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By:

Sondra B. Morgan

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cc: Office of Public Counsel James A. Simon

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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND FOR COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION

Comes now Green Hills Area Cellular Telephone Company Incorporated, d/b/a Green Hills Telecommunications Services ("Applicant" or "GHTS"), by its undersigned counsel, and hereby applies pursuant to Sections 392.361, 392.420, and 392.430, RSMo 1994, 392.410, 392.450, RSMo Supp. 1997, the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, and 4 CSR 240-2.060, for authority to provide basic local telecommunications service in portions of the State of Missouri and to classify said service and the company as competitive. In support of its Application, GHTS states as follows:

1. Applicant is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Missouri and is duly authorized to do business in Missouri. A certified copy of Green Hills Area Cellular Telephone Company Incorporated's Articles of Incorporation and Certificate of Incorporation from the Missouri Secretary of State and a copy of the Registration of Fictitious Name for GHTS are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Appendix A. GHTS's principal place of business and mailing address is P.O. Box 227, Breckenridge, MO 64625, and its telephone number is (660) 644-2355.

2. All correspondence, communications, pleadings, notices, orders and decisions relating to this Application should be addressed to:

W.R. England, III
Sondra B. Morgan
Brydon, Swearengen & England P.C.
312 E. Capitol Avenue
P.O. Box 456
Jefferson City, MO 65102

All inquiries or communications regarding the ongoing operations and management of GHTS should be addressed to:

Mr. James A. Simon General Manager Green Hills Telecommunications Services P.O. Box 227 Breckenridge, MO 64625-0227

3. GHTS proposes to provide basic local exchange services to both residence and business customers throughout all the exchanges currently served by GTE Midwest Incorporated ("GTE") and Sprint Missouri, Inc. ("Sprint"). The specific GTE and Sprint exchanges within which GHTS proposes to offer service are listed in that company's Missouri local exchange tariffs, copies of which are attached hereto as Appendix B and which are incorporated herein by reference. GHTS's proposed service areas will follow the exchange boundaries of the stated incumbent local exchange companies ("LECs") and shall be no smaller than an exchange pursuant to Section 392.455, RSMo Supp. 1997. GHTS is not seeking to provide basic local service in any exchanges served by any other incumbent local exchange telecommunications companies at this time but may seek authorization to do so in a subsequent proceeding.

- GHTS plans to offer basic local telecommunications service through facilities-based 4. arrangements with the above-specified incumbent LECs. GHTS intends to engage in the construction or acquisition of facilities to be used in the provision of basic local exchange services, thereby operating as a facilities based provider of basic local exchange service. If, and as necessary, Applicant will also provide service through the resale of GTE and United local services. Should its Application be granted, GHTS plans to commence offering service upon receiving Commission approval of its necessary resale/interconnection agreements and tariffs. GHTS is currently negotiating an Interconnection Agreement with GTE which the parties plan to submit to the Commission for approval in the near future. GHTS will then negotiate an agreement with Sprint and submit it to the Commission as well. GHTS seeks to offer and provide all forms of basic local telecommunications service to both business and residential customers, including: basic dial tone, exchange access service, optional features, carrier access services, and other telecommunications services currently offered by the incumbent LEC. Initially, GHTS's local Missouri traffic may be routed in part over the network of the underlying incumbent LECs within the exchanges above specified. The quality of service that GHTS's local exchange customers receive will be at least equivalent to that provided by the LEC.
- 5. GHTS possesses the technical and managerial expertise and experience necessary to provide the services it proposes as required by Section 392.455(l), RSMo Supp. 1997. GHTS's top management has a long and successful history in the telecommunications industry. A description of GHTS's senior management team is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Appendix C.

- 6. GHTS possesses the necessary financial qualifications to provide the services it proposes as required by Section 392.455(I), RSMo Supp. 1997. Green Hills Area Cellular Telephone Company Incorporated is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Green Hills Telephone Corporation. A copy of Green Hills Area Cellular Telephone Company's unaudited December 31, 1997, financial statements showing the financial qualifications of the company is marked Appendix D and attached hereto.
- 7. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(F), by this Application, GHTS also seeks classification of itself and its new basic local telecommunications service offerings as competitive, with accompanying reduced regulation pursuant to Section 392.361 and 392.420, RSMo 1994. The existing monopoly services of GTE and United will make the basic local markets GHTS seeks to enter sufficiently competitive to make a lesser degree of regulation for GHTS and its proposed services in the public interest, consistent with the legislative policies established by the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and the recent revisions to Chapter 392 RSMo. This Commission already has approved numerous applications to provide basic local telecommunications services filed by new market entrants and has classified those new entrants and their services as competitive.
- 8. GHTS will offer basic local telecommunications service as a separate and distinct service in accordance with Section 392.455(4), RSMo Supp. 1997. GHTS will provide equitable access for all customers in Missouri, without regard to their income or where they might reside, to affordable telecommunications services in GHTS's proposed service areas in accordance with Section 392.455(5), RSMo Supp. 1997.

9. Consistent with Sections 392.450.2(1), (2) and 392.455 (2), RSMo Supp. 1997, GHTS is willing to comply with all applicable Commission rules and is willing to meet all relevant service standards including, but not limited to, quality of service, billing, and tariff filing and maintenance. Pursuant to Section 392.361.5, and consistent with the Commission's past treatment of other certificated competitive local exchange telecommunications companies, GHTS requests that, at minimum, the following statutes and regulations for GHTS and its basic local exchange service offerings be waived at this time:

<u>STATUTES</u>	REGULATIONS
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.280	4 CSR 240-35
392.290.1	
392.300.2	
392.310	
392.320	
392.330	
392.340	

10. GHTS further requests a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H). This rule requires that an application for a certificate of service authority to provide interexchange, local exchange or basic local exchange service shall include a proposed tariff with a forty-five day effective date. GHTS finds it impossible at this time to develop tariffs to fully comply with this rule since GHTS has not yet received Commission approval of its interconnection agreement with GTE or executed its interconnection agreement with United. At such time as all facts necessary for the development of such tariffs are known to GHTS, it will file said tariffs bearing a thirty-day effective date with the Commission in a matter consistent with what GHTS believes to be recent Commission practice in similar cases.

this Application because GHTS's proposed services will create and enhance competition and expand customer service options, consistent with the legislative goals set forth in the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Chapter 392 RSMo. Experience with competition in other telecommunications markets, such as long distance, competitive access, and customer premises equipment, demonstrates the benefits that competition can bring to consumers. With competition customers are enjoying increased service options, lower prices, higher quality and greater reliability. This is true not only with respect to the service offerings of new entrants, but also as a result of the response to incumbent local exchange carriers to the introduction of competition. Prompt approval of this Application will expand the availability of innovative, high quality and reliable telecommunications services, and further stimulate economic development, within the State of Missouri.

WHEREFORE, Applicant Green Hills Telecommunications Services respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications service as herein requested, classify Applicant and its proposed services as competitive, and grant waivers of the aforesaid statutes and regulations.

Respectfully submitted,

W.R. England, III, Mo. Bar No. 23975
Sondra B. Morgan, Mo. Bar No. 35482
BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.
312 E. Capitol Avenue
P.O. Box 456
Jefferson City, MO 65102
573-635-7166
573-635-0427 (Facsimile)

Attorneys for Green Hills Telecommunications Services

VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss
COUNTY OF Caldwell)

David Hatfield, having been duly sworn upon his oath, states that he is the President of Green Hills Telecommunications Services, the applicant herein, and as such, is duly authorized by the Applicant to execute the foregoing Application and to make this Affidavit on its behalf, and that the matters and things stated in the foregoing Application and Appendices thereto are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

O Harfield
d Hatfield

Title: President

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, on this 5th day of March ____, 1998.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 11, 2001

SIDNA S. McCAUSLIN, Notary Public Notary Seal, State of Missouri Commissioned in Livingston County My Commission Expires March 11, 2001





Rebecca McDowell Cook Secretary of State

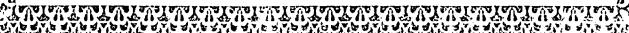
CORPORATION DIVISION
CERTIFICATE QF CORPORATE RECORDS

GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC.

I, REBECCA McDOWELL COOK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI AND KEEPER OF THE GREAT SEAL THEREOF, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ANNEXED PAGES CONTAIN A FULL, TRUE AND COMPLETE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN THIS OFFICE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE SET MY HAND AND IMPRINTED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, ON THIS, THE 18TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1998.

Secretary of State





ROY D. BLUNT SECRETARY OF STATE

CORPORATION DIVISION
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

WHEREAS, DUPLICATE ORIGINALS OF ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC.

HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AND FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, WHICH ARTICLES, IN ALL RESPECTS, COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE GENERAL AND BUSINESS CORPORATION LAW;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY D. BLUNT, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY LAW, DO HEREBY CERTIFY AND DECLARE THIS ENTITY A BODY CORPORATE, DULY ORGANIZED THIS DATE AND THAT IT IS ENTITLED TO ALL RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES GRANTED CORPORATIONS ORGANIZED UNDER THE GENERAL AND BUSINESS CORPORATION LAW.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE SET MY HAND AND IMPRINTED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, ON THIS, THE 20TH DAY OF MAY, 1992.

Secretary of State

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OF

GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC.

A Missouri Corporation

BE IT KNOWN THAT:

We, the undersigned, being natural persons of the age of eighteen (18) years, for the purpose of forming a corporation under "The General and Business Corporation Act of Missouri" hereby adopt the following ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION:

ARTICLE I

The name of this corporation is:

GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC.

ARTICLE II

The address of its initial Registered Office in the State of Missouri is: P. O. Box 155, Breckenridge, Missouri 64625, and the name of its initial Registered Agent at such address is: James A. Simon.

ARTICLE III

The aggregate number of shares which the corporation shall be authorized to issue shall be Five Hundred Thousand (500,000), which shall be common shares at a par value of One Dollar (\$1.00) each.

There are no preferences, qualifications, limitations, restrictions, and no special or relative rights, including convertible rights, in respect to the shares of each class.

ARTICLE IV

There shall be no limitation on the pre-emptive right of a shareholder to acquire additional shares of the corporation stock.

ARTICLE V

The name and place of residence of each incorporator is as follows:

Names

Address

David Hatfield

Route 1
Cowgill, Missouri 64637

Howard Baker

Tina, Missouri 64682

Philip Griffith

Route 1
Dawn, Missouri 64638

ARTICLE VI

The Board of Directors of the corporation shall consist of eleven (11) persons, who shall be elected at the first meeting of shareholders. The property and business of the corporation shall be managed and controlled by the Board of Directors.

Thereafter, the number of directors shall be fixed by, or in the manner provided in the Bylaws. Any changes in the number thereof shall be reported to the Secretary of State within thirty (30) calendar days of such change.

In furtherance of, and not in limitation of, the powers conferred by law, the Board of Directors is expressly authorized to make, alter, amend or repeal the Bylaws of the corporation.

ARTICLE VII

The duration of the corporation is perpetual.

ARTICLE VIII

The corporation is formed for the following purposes:

- To provide cellular telephone and telecommunications services and equipment to the general public, in accordance with applicable law;
- To purchase, lease, hire or otherwise acquire real and personal property, improved or unimproved, of every kind and description, including franchises, easements, licenses and rights in property of every nature, and to hold, sell, dispose of, convey, mortgage, pledge, manage, lease, operate, develop, contract and to do all things necessary in connection therewith;
- To purchase, hold, sell or otherwise transfer shares of its own stock;
- To execute deeds, mortgages, deeds of trust, leases, contracts and other types of written instruments; and
- (e) To have and to exercise all powers necessary or incident to carry out its corporate purposes; to exercise all other powers permitted by law, and to possess and enjoy all rights and powers which now or at any time hereafter may be granted to or exercised by the corporation of this character.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, these Articles of Incorporation have been signed this 11th day of May, 1992.

Howard

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss.
COUNTY OF CALDWELL)

I, Delegated, Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this 11th day of May, 1992, personally appeared before me David Hatfield and Howard Baker, and severally declared that they are the persons who signed the foregoing document as incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true.

Notary Public

My commission expires:
Evelyn Gaunt, Notary Public
Gounty of Caldwell, State of Missouri
My Commission Expires May 19, 1994

county of Lumpston ss.

I, Mannet M. Clarkington. Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this 14th day of May, 1992, personally appeared before me Philip Griffith who declared that he is the person who signed the foregoing document as one of the incorporators, and that the statements therein contained are true.

Margaret M. Wathington. Notary Hablic

My commission expires:

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State of Missouri

No.	Y				

Rebecca McDowell Cook, Secretary of State

Corporation Division

Registration of Fictitious Name (Submit in duplicate with a filing fee of \$7)

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We, the undersigned, are doing business under the following name, and at the following address:

Missouri Business Address: (P.O. Boxes not accepted) City, State and Zip Code:	7926 N.E. State Route M
	Breckenridge, MO 64625

corporation name and percentage owned). If all parties are jointly and severally liable, percentage of ownership need not be listed:

Name of Owners, Individual or Corporate Green Hills Area Cellular	Street and Number	Ciņ	State and Zip Code	If listed, Percentage of ownership must equal 100%
Telephone Company, Inc.	7926 N.E. State Route M	Breckenridge	MO 6462	5 100%

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Return to: Secretary of State Corporation Division P.O. Box 778 Jefferson City, Mo. 65102

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APPENDIX B

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GENERAL AND LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

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Arcola	Greenfield	3.20	3.20	A-1	
Ashland	Columbia	2.85	1.55	A-2	
Augusta	•	•	•	Netro	
Aurora	•	•	-	A-3	
Ava	-	•	-	A-3	
Avenue City	Cosby, Helena,			•• -	
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Avilla	•	•	-	Ä-1	
Belgrade	_	•		A-1	
Belle	_	-	-	Ä-2	
Belleview	•	• •	•	A-I	
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Birch Tree	•	-	-	A-1	
Bland	-	-	•	A-1	
Blue Eye	-	-	-	A-2	
Bolckow	Rosendale, Savannah,				
	Whitesville	6.95	3.75	A-1	
Boss	-	•	•	A-1	
Bourbon	_	•	•	A-2	
Bradleyville	Forsyth	. 75	.75	A-1	
Branson	Branson West	1.65	1.65	A-4	
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If listed,

Rebecca McDowell Cook, Secretary of State

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County of Caldwell I. Sidna S. McCauslin A Notary Public, do hereby certify that on the 9th day of February 19 98 personally appeared before me David Hatfield and being first duly sworn by me, acknowledged that he 300 signed as his own free act and deed the foregoing	Individual Owners	<u>x</u>		<u>x</u>	
The undersigned corporation has caused this application to be executed in its name by its President or Vice-President and its Secretary or Assistant Secretary, this	Sign Here	X		<u>x</u>	
or Vice-President and its Secretary or Assistant Secretary, this		Z Z		<u> </u>	
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Aurora	-	•	•	A-3	
Ava	•	•	•	A-3	
Avenue City	Cosby, Helena, Savannah	4,90	2.65	A-1	
Avilla	•	•	•	A-1	
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Belgrade	-	_	_	Ã-2	
Belle	•		_	A-I	
Belleview	•	•	-	(0)	
Birch Tree	-	-	•	A-1	
Bland	-	-	-	A-1	
Blue Eye	•	-	-	A-2	
Bolckow	Rosendale, Savannah, Whitesville	6.95	3.75	A-1	
Boss	•	-	•	A-1	
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Fillmore Faley Fordland Foristell	Rosendale, Savannah Old Monroe, Winfield - Wright City		\$3.05 3.45 -	A-1 A-1 A-2 Hetro	
Fremont	Bradleyville, Cedar Creek, Proten	1.75	1.75	A-3 A-1	
Gainesville Galena	Caulfield, Oora, Theodosia, Wasola	3.65 -	3.65	A-2 A-2	
Golden City Gorin Gower Greenfield Grovespring	Easton, Plattsburg Arcola Hartville, Manes	7.00 1.80 3.65	1.10 1.80 3.65	(D) A-1 A-1 A-1 A-2 A-1	1
Hallsville Hamilton Hartville Hawk Point Helena	Columbia Kidder, Kingston Grovespring, Hanes Troy Avenue City, Cosby, Savannah	3.70 .80 2.95 3.65	2.00 .45 2.95 3.65	A-2 A-2 A-2 A-1 A-1	

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Cosby	Avenue City, Helena, Savannah	\$9.45	\$5.10	A-1	
Crane	•	-	-	A-2	(2)
Cross Timbers Cuba	•	•	•	A-1 A-3	(0)
Dadeville Dalton Dardenne/	Keytesville	2.35	2.35	A-1 A-1	
Lake St. Louis Defiance Dora	- Gainesville	3.65	3.65	Metro Hetro A-l	(0)
Easton Edgar Springs Eldorado Springs Elkland	Gower	1.10 - 2.45 1.90	.60 2.45 1.90	A-1 A-1 A-3 A-1	(0)
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Exchange Hame	EAS Points	Comp	Rate onent Res.	Rate Sch./Group
Braymer	•	-	-	A-1
Bronaugh-Houndville	•	-	-	A-1
Brunswick (Triplett)	•	-	-	A-1
Buffalo	-	•	-	A-3
Bunker	•	•	•	A-1
Cabool	•	-	-	A-2
Caledonia	•	•	-	J-1
Cameron	Kidder	\$.40	\$.20	X-3
Canton	•	-	-	A-2
Cape Fair	•	-	•	A-2
Cassville	Exeter, Jenkins,			
	Kano, Washburn	2.90	2.90	E-A
Caulfield	Gainesville	3.10	3.10	A-2
Cedar Creek	Forsyth	.75	.75	A-1
Centerville	•	-	-	A-1
Centralia	Clark, Sturgeon	.55	.30	A-2
Chamois	•	-	-	A-1
Clarence	•	-	-	A-1
Clark	Centralia, Sturgeon	3.55	1.90	A-1
Clarksdale	•	•	-	_ A-1 - (0)
				(0)
Callins	-	•	-	A-1
Columbia	Ashland, Hallsville,	•		
	Rocheport	.30	. 15	A-5
Concordia	*	•	-	A-2
Conway	•	•	-	A-2
Comeas				

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Exchange Name	FAS Points	EAS Rate Component Bus. Res.		Rate Sch./Group	
Hermann	•	-	•	A-2	
Hermitage	•	-	•	A-1	
High HIII	•	•	•	A-1	
Highlandville	Ozark	\$2.65	\$2.65	A-2	
Holstein	•		•	A-1	
Houston	Raymondville, Roby	2.80	2.80	A-2	
Humansville	•	-	•	A-2	
Hunnewell	-	•	-	A-1	
Hurley	•	-	-	A-1	
Irondale	•	•	-	A-1	
Ironton	•	-	•	A-3	
Jamestown	•	•	•	A-1	
Jenkins	Cassyille	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Jerico Springs	-	-	-	A-1	
Jonesburg	•	-	_	A-1	
Kahoka	Luray, Revere,				
	Wayland	.95	.50	A-2	
Keytesville	Dalton	2.35	2.35	A-1	
Kidder	Cameron, Hamilton	6.10	3.30	A-1	
Kimberling City	•	•	•	A-2	
Kingston	Hamilton	1.40	.75	A-1	
Kashkanang	Thayer	3.15	3.15	A-1	

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Exchange Name	lame EAS Points		Rate inent Res.	Rate Sch./Group	
LaBelle	•	-	-	A-1	
Laddonia	•	•	-	A-1	
LaGrange	•	. • .	•	A-1	
La Plata	Elper	\$1.80	\$1.80	A-2	
Lawson	•	•	•	A-2	
Leasburg	•	•	•	A-1	
Lesterville	•	•	-	A-1	
Lewistown	•	•	-	A-1	
Licking	-	-	-	A-2	
Louisburg	-	•	-	A-1	
Lowry City	•	•	-	A-1	
H≥con	•	•	• ,	٨-3	
Hanes	Grovespring,				
	Hartville	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Mano	Cassvilly	3.65	3.65	A-2	
Mansfield	•	•	•	A-Z	
Marshfield	Elkland	.90	.90	A-3	
Marthasville	•	•	-	A-1	
Maysville	-	•	•	A-2	
Memphis	Arbela, Brock.				
	Tobin Creek	.90	. 50	A-2	
Hilo	Hevada, Sheldon	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Honroe City	•	•	•	λ-2	
Montauk Park	-	_	-	A-1	
Honticello	-	•	-	A-1	
Horrison	•	_	-	A-1	
Hoscow Hills	Troy	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Haunt Sterling		•	-	A-1	
Ht. Yernon	_	•	•	A-3	
Htn. Grove	•	•	-	X-3	
Mtn. Yiew	- -	-	•	X-2	
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Exchange Name	Exchange Name EAS Points		EAS Rate Component Bus Res		កេ
Неbo	-	-	•	A-1	
Hew Melle	•	•	•	Metro	
Miangua	•		-	A-1	
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Norwood	-	•	-	A-I	•
Oates	-	•	-	A-I	•
O'Fallon	=	-	•	Ketro	
Old Monroe	Foley, Winfield	\$3.30	\$3.30	A-1	
Osborn	•	-	-	A-1	
Osceola	•	-	-	X-2	
Ozark	Highlandville	2.15	2.15	A-3	
Palmyra	-	•	•	A-2	
Paris	•	•	•	A-2	
		•			(D) (D)
Perry	•	_	•	A-1	(0)
Pittsburg	•	-	-	A-1	
Plattsburg	Gower, Trimble,				
	Turney	1.80	1.00	A-2	
Patasi		•	-	A-3	
Prairie Home	-	-	-	A-1	
Preston	-	-	-	A-1	
Protem	Forsyth	.75	.75	X-1	
Queen City	Greentop	. 50	.25	A-1	

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Exchange Name	<u>EAS Points</u>	EAS Rate Component Bus Res.		Rate <u>Sch./Group</u>	
Raymondville	Houston	\$3.30	\$3.30	A-1	
Reeds Spring	•	•	-	A-2	
Revere	Kahoka	2.90	2.90	A-1	
Roby	Houston	3.45	3.45	A-1	
Rocheport	Columbia	6.15	3.35	A-1	
Rockaway Beach	•	-	-	A-2	
Rockville	Schell City	2.00	2.00	A-1	
Rosendale	Bolckow, Fillmore,				
11032114416	Savannah, Whitesvill	e 7.90	4.25	A-1	
St. James	Safe	.10	.10	A-3	
St. Peters	Harvester	1.00	1.00	Xetro	
Safe	St. James	.75	. 75	A-1	
Santa Fe	Je. James	•	•	A-1	
Sarcoxie	_	•		A-2	
Savannah	Amazonia, Avenue City, Bolckow, Cosby, Fillmore, Helena, Rosendale, Whitesville	2.60	1.40	λ-3	
Scholl City	Eldorado Springs.	2.00	1.40	, -	
Schell City	Rockyllle, Walker	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Seymour	•	-	-	A-2	
Shelbina	-	-	-	A-2	
Shelbyville	-	-	-	A-1	
Sheldon	H17o	2.60	2.60	A-1	
Shell Knob	•	•	-	A-2	

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Exchange Name	FAS Points	EAS Rate Component Bus. Res.		Rate <u>Sch./Group</u>	
Sparta	•	-	-	A-2	(0)
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Stewartsville	•	-	-	A-1	
Stoutsville	•			A-1	
Sturgeon	Centralia, Clark	\$1.95	\$1.05	A-1	
Summersville	-	•	-	A-2	
Thayer	Koshkonong, Harmoth				
	Springs, AR	2.35	2.35	A-2	
Theodosia	Gainesville, Wasola	3.65	3.65	A-1	
Thomasville	Altan	3.20	3.20	A-1	
Timber	•	•	-	A-1	
Trimble	Plattsburg	4.15	2.25	A-I	
Troy	Hawk Point,	•			
11.03	Hoscow Hills	2.50	2.50	A-3	
Truxton	1101004 111112	•	•	A-1	
Turney	Plattsburg	5.15	2.80	Ä-1	
raine)	riaccionig			., •	
Unionville	Lemons	.15	.10	A-2	
Urbana	Cea	-	-	A-2	
urbana	-				
Yan Buren	•	-	-	A-2	
Vanzant	_	-	•	A-I	
	-		-	A-1	
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Walker	Eldorado Springs,			
	Schell City	\$3.65	\$3.65	A-1
Yarrenton	-	-	•	E-A
Washburn	Cassyille, Exeter	3.65	3.65	A-1
Kasola	Gzinesville,			
	Theodosia	3.65	3.65	A-1
Wayland(*)	Kahoka	.90	.50	A-1
Weaubleau	•		-	A-1
Wentzville	•	-	-	Metro
West Plains	•	-	-	A-4
West Quincy	Quincy	3.65	3.65	A-1
Wheatland	•	•	-	A-2
Whitesville	Bolckow, Rosendale,			
	Savannah	10.55	5.70	A-1
Willow Springs	•	-	•	A-2
Winfield	Foley, Old Manrae	2.35	2.35	A-2
Vinona		-	•	A-1
Wooldridge	•	-	-	A-1
Wright City	Foristell	1.90	1.90	A-2

(*) Includes customers in Base Rate Area Alexandria.

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APPENDIX C

Green Hills Telephone Corporation Qualifications and Experience

MANAGEMENT

James Simon, General Manager

Mr. Simon has over 27 years of telecommunications experience. In May of 1971, Mr. Simon began his telecommunications career as an installer - repairman of the Waunakee Telephone Company, Waunakee, Wisconsin, (a Telephone and Data Systems company). In December of 1972, he was employed as a Telephone Maintenance Technician with Winnebago Cooperative Telephone Association, Lake Mills, Iowa. Mr. Simon was became Plant Manager of Northwest Telephone Cooperative Association, Havelock, Iowa, in November 1975 and then General Manager in May of 1977. From August 1986 until February 1992, Mr. Simon worked as a telecommunications consultant for ICORE/ Nixon Communications, Inc. While serving as a telecommunications consultant, from June 1989 to February 1992, he simultaneously served as Assistant Manager of Northwest Iowa Telephone Company, Sergeant Bluff, Iowa. In February 1992, Jim was became General Manager of Green Hills Telephone Corporation, Breckenridge, Missouri, His duties include complete responsibility for all telephone company and subsidiary company activities, as well as its 28 employees. Green Hills provides service to over 3,500 access lines and provides Interactive Video for Distance Learning for a six-school network. Green Hills also provides local Internet access to 15 exchanges.

Gene Deters, Facilities Manager

With more than 33 years of experience in the telecommunications field, Gene is highly acknowledged for his experience in digital switch technologies and outside plant maintenance. In 1965, Gene began his telecommunications career with the United States Army as a Communications Specialist, which proved to be the start of a life long career for him. The next six years, the Army provided opportunities to further his education in communications and leadership. A tour of duty in Vietnam, placed Gene in charge of a 500-line telephone office with four operator positions. This was the first field trial of his knowledge as a Communications Specialist as well as a Leader. Upon returning to the States, one year later, Gene spent four years working with a Northeast Electronics Stored Program Switch. As Shift Supervisor, he was responsible for all shift activities. The next 20 years were spent at Blair Telephone Company, with diverse training programs on digital switch technologies and team duties ranging from trouble clearing cable problems, maintenance of central office lines, carrier systems and operator positions. Moving to the position of Special Circuit Coordinator, Gene managed approximately 320 special circuits and trunks and was responsible for pricing, ordering, installation, maintenance, billing and maintaining the database. Accepting the position of Facility Manager with Green Hills Telephone has allowed Gene to further his career in the communications and management areas. Gene's overall responsibilities include supervision of all Central Office and Outside Plant activities.

Rod Cotton, CPA, Bus ss and Marketing Manager



Rod Cotton began his career with Green Hills Telephone Corporation in December 1997. Rod is a graduate of Northwest Missouri State University, majoring in Accounting. With over 5 years experience in public accounting, Rod is a Certified Public Account. As Business and Marketing Manager, he is responsible for managing the activities of the commercial/accounting, customer service, marketing and computer operations departments of Green Hills Telephone Corporation and all subsidiary companies.

Jack Herrington, Construction Supervisor

Jack Herrington has 33 years of telecommunications experience. In 1965, Jack began his telecommunications career with Green Hills Telephone Corporation as a lineman on the construction crew. Through the years, Jack has held the positions of Installer Repairman, CO Technician, CO Supervisor, Plant Supervisor, and currently, Construction Supervisor. As Construction Supervisor, he supervises all construction operations and personnel.

Evelyn Gaunt, Bookkeeping Supervisor

Evelyn Gaunt has over 19 years of telecommunications experience. In 1978, she began her telecommunications career as Cashier/Secretary for Green Hills Telephone Corporation. In 1979, she was promoted to Bookkeeper. In 1997, she was promoted to Bookkeeping Supervisor and supervises all accounting activities for Green Hills Telephone Corporation and its subsidiaries.

Janet Rogers, Customer Service Supervisor

Janet Rogers has over 18 years of telecommunications experience. Janet began her telecommunications career with Green Hills Telephone Corporation in 1979 as a Cashier/Secretary. Since moving to the Data Processing/Customer Service Department in 1981, Janet has also worked as the Plant Clerk, which included switch work, for three years, and processed payroll for Green Hills Telephone Corporation and Breckenridge Telemarketing, a subsidiary company. In January 1997, Janet was promoted to Customer Service Supervisor and is responsible for the overall operation of the Customer Service Department.



GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC. BALANCE SHEET December 31, 1997

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS Cash and Cash equivalents Accounts receivable-	\$	168,523
Affiliates Interest		3,780 558
Other Materials and supplies		150,701 2,451
		326,012
OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS Cellular partnership investments		396,484
TOTAL ASSETS		722,496
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable Deferred Income Taxes	\$ 	78,007 21,290 99,297
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		·
Common Stock Paid-in Capital Retained Earnings		500,000 36,846 86,353
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	623,199 722,496

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GREEN HILLS AREA CELLULAR TELEPHONE, INC STATEMENT OF INCOME YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1997

OPERATING REVENUES Misc.	<u>\$ 7.722</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES Plant specific	27,308
OPERATING LOSS	(19,586)
OTHER INCOME Interest and dividend income Income taxes	108,082 (26,622) 81,460
NET INCOME	\$ 61,874

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