

At the meeting of the Public Service Commission of the State of Montana held at the Commission's Offices in Helena, Montana, on Thursday, May 31, 2007, the following members were present:

Greg Jergeson, Chairman  
Doug Mood, Vice Chairman  
Brad Molnar, Commissioner  
Robert H. Raney, Commissioner  
Ken Toole, Commissioner

APPEARANCE

Nickie Eck, Transportation Division

(226) In the matter of T-06.37.ST. On November 27, 2006 David D. and Marla J. Francis dba All Valley Cab, Belgrade, Montana filed an application to transfer PSC No. 2278 to David D. Francis dba All Valley Cab, Belgrade, Montana.

Commissioner Raney moved to close the docket and ownership remain with David D. and Marla J. Francis dba All Valley Cab. Commissioner Molnar seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

(227) In the matter of the approval of Commission Minutes for the week of May 21, 2007.

Commissioner Toole moved to approve the Commission minutes for the week of May 21, 2007. Commissioner Mood seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Mike Lee, Utility Division  
Martin Jacobson, Legal Division

(228) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of Federal Communications Commission CC 96-45, WC 05-337.

Commissioner Raney moved to direct staff to draft initial comments to the Federal Communications Commission. Commissioner Toole seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

(229) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of D2006.6.94-NorthWestern Energy 2006 Qualifying Facility/Avoided Cost.

Commissioner Toole moved to compel NorthWestern to respond to CELP data requests 8, 9 and 11. Commissioner Raney seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Will Rosquist, Utility Division

Jim Paine, Legal Division

(230) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of N2007.5.53-NorthWestern Energy application to set Exchange program rate credit to \$0.000.

Commissioner Toole moved to set the interim exchange program rate credit to \$0.000.

Commissioner Mood seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

APPEARANCE

Robin McHugh, Administrator, Legal Division

(231) In the matter of the Commission's discussion of T-06.15.ST-Victor Pizzola and Elaine Olsen (proposed transferor and transferee respectively).

Commissioner Mood moved to adopt Proposed Order No. 6823 as the Commission's final order in Docket T-06.15.ST. Commissioner Molnar seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

There being no further business to come before the Commission the meeting was adjourned.

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GREG JERGESON, Chairman

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DOUG MOOD, Vice Chairman

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BRAD MOLNAR, Commissioner

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ROBERT H. RANEY, Commissioner

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KEN TOOLE, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Connie Jones  
Commission Secretary

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