

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 04A-127T

IN THE MATTER OF ESTABLISHING A TIMELINE FOR THE ASSIGNMENT AND
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 5-1-1 ABBREVIATED DIALING CODE.

ORDER SETTING TIMELINE

Mailed Date: June 21, 2004
Adopted Date: June 16, 2004

I. BY THE COMMISSION

A. Statement and Findings of Fact

1. On March 17, 2004, the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) filed an application for authority to utilize the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code for the provision of its Advanced Traveler Information System for the State of Colorado pursuant to the provisions of 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* (CCR) 723-24-4.6. On April 22, 2004, CDOT filed a supplement to the application which included its implementation plan and notification form as required by 4 CCR 723-24-6.2(g).

2. In Decision No. C04-0445, effective April 28, 2004, we granted CDOT's application for approval of its plan for the provision of 5-1-1 service in Colorado, and the assignment of the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code to CDOT for system implementation to provide statewide traveler and traffic information. We further determined that CDOT's application was in accordance with the designation of this service as articulated by the Federal Communications Commission.

B. Discussion

3. Pursuant to 4 CCR 723-24-6.5, within 30 days of the grant of the authority sought here, the affected jurisdictional telecommunications providers shall file with the Commission the information required in 4 CCR 723-24-6.4. That information should include any plans for cost recovery for implementation of the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code, and any analyses required to quantify the cost to it for the translations and/or facilities work necessary to implement 5-1-1. Affected jurisdictional telecommunications service providers must also estimate the time required to perform the translation and/or facilities work necessary to implement 5-1-1.

4. Upon receipt of the of the required information filed pursuant to Paragraph 3 above, the Commission will establish a timeline for the assignment and implementation of the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code. 4 CCR 723-24-6.6.

5. Several providers (identified in Attachment A to this Order) filed the information required in 4 CCR 723-24-6.4. According to the information filed by those providers, the estimated time required to perform the necessary translations and/or facilities work to allow 5-1-1 call completion from its subscribers ranges from 1 hour to 30 days.

II. ORDER**A. The Commission Orders That:**

1. The deadline for the assignment and implementation of the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code shall be July 26, 2004.

2. All affected jurisdictional telecommunications service providers shall comply with the assignment and implementation schedule established by the Commission unless a waiver is sought and granted pursuant to 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* 723-6.6.

3. All providers shall file an Advice Letter and accompanying tariff sheets which includes the rates, terms, and conditions for the offering of the 5-1-1 abbreviated dialing code. Such Advice Letter filing shall be on not less than one day's notice.

4. The 20-day time period provided by § 40-6-114(1), C.R.S., to file an application for rehearing, reargument, or reconsideration shall begin on the first day after the Mailed Date of this Order.

5. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.

**B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING
June 16, 2004.**

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Commissioners

COMMISSIONER POLLY PAGE
ABSENT.