

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

QWEST CORPORATION

DOCKET NO. TF-05-207

ORDER APPROVING CHANGES TO EXCHANGE BOUNDARY MAPS

(Issued July 22, 2005)

On June 29, 2005, Qwest Corporation (Qwest) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a request to change its exchange boundary maps for the Des Moines and Waukee, Iowa, exchanges. The filing has been identified as TF-05-207.

Qwest's request proposes to transfer a limited area that is currently located in the Waukee exchange to the Des Moines exchange. Qwest states that due to growth in the area, this change would best utilize existing facilities. Qwest states that no customers will be affected by this change and new developments in the area will be served from the Des Moines exchange.

The Board will approve the proposed changes to the Des Moines and Waukee, Iowa, exchange boundaries submitted by Qwest pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(8). The Board finds that the change is reasonable since the boundary revision was initiated in order to use the network more efficiently and no customers will be affected by the change. Qwest's request merely changes the boundaries of current exchanges covered by Qwest's certificate. Therefore, an amended certificate is not needed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The request to change the exchange boundary maps for the Des Moines and Waukee, Iowa, exchanges filed by Qwest Corporation on June 29, 2005, is granted. Revised maps for the Des Moines and Waukee, Iowa, exchanges shall be filed with the Board within 30 days of the date of this order.

2. The proposed changes, identified as TF-05-207, are approved and become effective upon the issuance of this order.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Margaret Munson
Executive Secretary, Deputy

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 22nd day of July, 2005.