

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

<p>IN RE:</p> <p>IOWA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC., d/b/a IOWA TELECOM AND QWEST CORPORATION</p>	<p>DOCKET NOS. TF-06-5 TF-06-7</p>
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ORDER APPROVING CHANGES TO EXCHANGE BOUNDARY MAPS

(Issued February 10, 2006)

On January 6, 2006, Iowa Telecommunications Services, Inc., d/b/a Iowa Telecom (Iowa Telecom), filed a request to change its exchange boundary map for the Aplington, Iowa, exchange. The filing has been identified as TF-06-5.

Iowa Telecom's request proposes to transfer a limited area that is currently located in the Parkersburg exchange, currently served by Qwest Corporation (Qwest), to the Aplington exchange. Iowa Telecom states that one specific customer located within the Qwest Parkersburg exchange has requested service from Iowa Telecom. There are no existing Qwest facilities to serve this customer from the Parkersburg exchange, and Qwest has elected not to create the facilities necessary to serve this customer. Iowa Telecom states that it has agreed to serve this customer from its Aplington exchange, pending Board approval of the exchange boundary revision. There are no other customers residing in this limited area.

Also on January 6, 2006, Qwest filed a corresponding request to revise its boundary map for the Parkersburg, Iowa exchange. Qwest's request reflects the

same customer's request to receive service from Iowa Telecom in Iowa Telecom's Aplington exchange. This filing is identified as TF-06-7.

The Board will approve the proposed changes to the Aplington and Parkersburg exchange boundaries submitted by Iowa Telecom and Qwest pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(8). The Board finds that the change is reasonable since the boundary revision was initiated at the request of an individual who is seeking service from Iowa Telecom and no other customers will be affected by the change. Both Iowa Telecom and Qwest have mutually agreed to the boundary changes.

Iowa Telecom's and Qwest's requests merely change the boundaries of current exchanges covered by each party's certificate. Therefore, amended certificates are not needed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. The request of Iowa Telecommunications Services, Inc., d/b/a Iowa Telecom, filed on January 6, 2006, to change the exchange boundary map for the Aplington, Iowa, exchange is granted. A revised map for the Aplington, Iowa, exchange shall be filed with the Board within 30 days of the issuance of this order.

2. The request of Qwest Corporation filed by January 6, 2006, to change the exchange boundary map for the Parkersburg, Iowa, exchange is granted. A revised map for the Parkersburg, Iowa, exchange shall be filed with the Board within 30 days of the issuance of this order.

3. The proposed changes, identified as TF-06-5 and TF-06-7, are approved and become effective upon the issuance of this order.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ John R. Norris

/s/ Diane Munns

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Curtis W. Stamp

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 10th day of February, 2006.