

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Application for Rate Increase and Increase in State USF Distribution for Gunnison Telephone Company	) ) ) ) ) )	<u>DOCKET NO. 14-043-01</u>  <u>SCHEDULING ORDER</u> <u>AND NOTICES OF HEARINGS</u>
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ISSUED: June 19, 2014

The Administrative Law Judge for the Commission held a scheduling conference on Wednesday, June 18, 2014. Kira M. Slawson appeared on behalf of Gunnison Telephone Company (“Gunnison” or “Company”), along with the following who appeared telephonically: Kent Sanders, Jim Sanders, Natalie Gleave, and Gunnison’s consultants Daniel Meszler and Curt Huttshell of Telcom Consulting Associates (TCA). Justin Jetter, Utah Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the Division of Public Utilities (“Division”), along with Bill Duncan, Assistant Director of the Division, and Joseph Hellewell, Utility Technical Consultant. Cheryl Murray, Utility Analyst, appeared for the Office of Consumer Services.

SCHEDULING ORDER

Based on the discussion at the scheduling conference, the following is set as the schedule in this matter:

ITEM	DATE/DEADLINE/TIME/LOCATION
Requests for Intervention	<b>Wednesday, July 2, 2014</b>
Parties’ Direct Testimony, other than Company	<b>Friday, August 22, 2014</b>
Parties’ Rebuttal Testimony	<b>Friday, September 5, 2014</b>
Parties’ Surrebuttal Testimony	<b>Friday, September 12, 2014</b>
Parties’ Witness and Exhibit Lists	<b>Friday, September 12, 2014</b>

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Hearing	<b>Wednesday, September 17, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. Fourth Floor Hearing Room 451, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah</b>
Public Witness Hearing for interested persons to provide oral comments or testimony	<b>Wednesday, September 17, 2014, at 12:00 p.m. Fourth Floor Hearing Room 451, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah</b>

Discovery turn-around times are 14 calendar days if served on or before August 22, 2014, and 7 calendar days if served thereafter. Where feasible, parties shall serve discovery requests and responses on applicable parties by electronic mail.

No later than Company's August 2014 billing cycle, Company is instructed to provide notice to its customers of the hearings noted above.

NOTICES OF HEARING

The following provisions apply to both hearings noticed under this heading:

Individuals wishing to participate in the hearing by telephone should contact the Public Service Commission two days in advance by calling (801) 530-6716 or (toll-free) 1-866-PSC-UTAH (1-866-772-8824). Participants attending by telephone should then call the Public Service Commission at one of the numbers posted above five minutes prior to the hearing to ensure participation.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, individuals needing special accommodations (including auxiliary communicative aids and services) during this

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hearing should notify the Commission at 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, (801) 530-6716, at least three working days prior to the hearing.

I. HEARING ON USF ELIGIBILITY

Notice is given that a hearing in this matter will be conducted by the Administrative Law Judge for the Public Service Commission on **Wednesday, September 17, 2014, beginning at 9:00 a.m.** The hearing will be held in the **Fourth Floor Hearing Room 451, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.**

II. PUBLIC WITNESS HEARING

Notice is given that a Public Witness Hearing in this matter will be conducted by the Administrative Law Judge for the Public Service Commission on **Wednesday, September 17, 2014, beginning at 12:00 p.m.** The hearing will be held in the **Fourth Floor Hearing Room 451, Heber M. Wells Bldg., 160 East 300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah.**

The Commission may limit presentation of testimony or comments that are unduly repetitious. Individuals wishing to provide public witness testimony or comment must appear at this hearing at the appointed time. Individuals may offer comments or sworn testimony, but should note that individuals presenting sworn testimony are subject to cross-examination. Any individual wishing to present a statement of position to the Commission who is unable to do so during the Public Witness hearing may file a written statement of position with the Commission at its office, Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, Fourth Floor, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111 in person, by mail, by electronic mail to [psc@utah.gov](mailto:psc@utah.gov), or by facsimile to (801) 530-6796. Please indicate that the statement pertains to Docket No. 14-043-01.

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DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014.

/s/ Melanie A. Reif  
Administrative Law Judge

Attest:

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg  
Commission Secretary  
DW#257012

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I CERTIFY that on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014, a true and correct copy of the foregoing, was served upon the following as indicated below:

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