

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners:                    Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair  
                                                 Jay Scott Emler  
                                                 Dwight D. Keen

In the Matter of the Application of KanOkla                    )  
Telephone Association for Modification of its                    )  
Mayfield Exchange Boundary and for Permission                    ) Docket No. 19-KOKT-044-CXB  
to Serve a Location Within Haviland Telephone                    )  
Company, Inc.'s Conway Springs Exchange.                    )

**ORDER AMENDING CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND AUTHORITY**

NOW, the above-captioned matter comes on for consideration and determination by the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas. The Commission, after giving due consideration to the Application and being fully advised in the premises, finds that:

1. The Application of KanOkla Telephone Association (KanOkla) was filed with the Commission on July 30, 2018. A public hearing was not held in this docket.

2. The Commission's authority to supervise telecommunication public utilities derives from K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-1,188. The Commission's authority to issue and terminate certificates of public convenience arises from K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-131. Pursuant to K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-131, the Commission must review all certificate applications to determine whether the public convenience will be promoted by granting the request.

3. KanOkla Telephone Association requests authority to transact the business of a telephone public utility in the following described territory:

Territory to be transferred to KanOkla's Mayfield exchange from Haviland Telephone Company, Inc.'s (Haviland) Conway Springs exchange:

Beginning at a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile E and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile S of the northwest corner of Section 29, T31S, R2W Sumner County, Kansas; thence north  $1\frac{1}{4}$  mile then east 1 mile then south  $1\frac{1}{4}$  mile then west 1 mile to the point of the beginning.

On July 30, 2018, Haviland made a companion filing in Docket No. 19-HVDT-045-CXB agreeing to the territory change proposed in paragraph 3 above.

4. With the granting of the instant Application, the total area certificated to KanOkla for the Mayfield exchange shall be described as follows:

MAYFIELD, KANSAS EXCHANGE

Beginning at a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile east and  $\frac{3}{8}$  mile north of the southwest corner of Section 27, T31S, R2W, Sumner County, Kansas, thence south  $2\frac{3}{4}$  miles; then east  $2\frac{1}{8}$  miles; thence south  $2\frac{1}{4}$  miles; thence west  $1\frac{1}{8}$  miles to a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile west and  $\frac{3}{8}$  mile north of the southeast corner of Section 23, T32S, R2W; thence south  $3\frac{1}{8}$  miles; thence west  $4\frac{3}{4}$  miles; thence south  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile; thence west  $3\frac{1}{4}$  miles to a point  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile west and  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile south of the northeast corner of Section 9, T33S, R3W; thence north  $1\frac{3}{4}$  miles; thence east  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile; thence north  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile; thence east  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles to a point  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile east and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile south of the northwest corner of Section 35, T32S, R3W; thence north 5 miles; thence east  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles; thence north 1 mile thence east  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile; thence north  $\frac{5}{8}$  mile; thence east 1 mile, thence north  $1\frac{5}{8}$  mile; thence east 1 mile; thence south  $1\frac{5}{8}$  mile; thence east 1 mile to the point of the beginning.

5. Any subscribers outside the area described in paragraph 3 above now being served by the Mayfield, Kansas Exchange, or the Conway Springs, Kansas Exchange or any subscribers within this area now being served by other companies from other exchanges, may continue to receive service from the same exchange until such a time as they are legally disconnected. Thereafter, they will receive service from the exchange where they reside.

6. KanOkla should be issued a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to transact the business of a telephone public utility in the territory described in paragraph 3 above for the Mayfield exchange in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 66-131.

7. The Commission finds that public convenience will be promoted by granting KanOkla's Application.

**IT IS THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED AND CERTIFIED  
THAT:**

A. Application filed by KanOkla Telephone Association. on July 30, 2018 is hereby granted and KanOkla's Certificate of Convenience and Authority is hereby amended authorizing KanOkla to transact the business of a telephone public utility in the territory described in paragraph 3 above for the Mayfield Exchange, with the same to become effective as of the date of this Order.

B. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).<sup>1</sup>

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over KanOkla Telephone Association and the subject matter of this Docket for the purpose of entering such further Order or Orders as it may deem necessary.

**BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED AND CERTIFICATED.**

Dated: 08/30/2018

Albrecht, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner.



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Lynn M. Retz  
Secretary to the Commission

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<sup>1</sup> K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-531(b).

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of first class mail/hand delivered on 08/31/2018.

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