

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

OCTOBER 17, 2000

RE: DOCKET NO. 990455-TL - Request for review of proposed numbering plan relief for the 305/786 area code - Dade County and Monroe County/Keys Region.
DOCKET NO. 990517-TL - Request for review of proposed numbering plan relief for the 904 area code.

Issue 1: What criteria should the Commission establish to ballot customers in the following areas/regions:

- A) Sanford exception area (904 area code)
- B) Keys region(305 area code)
- C) Miami-Dade area (305/786 area codes)

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Commission apply the criteria set forth in Rule 25-4.063, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), with the exception of subsection (6) of the Rule.

MODIFIED

Approved with modifications identified in issue 2.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: DS JC

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: What should be the threshold criteria (pass/fail rate) in the following area/regions:

- A) Sanford exception area (904 area code)
- B) Keys region(305 area code)
- C) Miami-Dade area (305/786 area codes)

Recommendation: Upon approval of Issue 1, staff recommends that the Commission require that at least 60 percent of the subscribers balloted must respond, and of those responding, at least a majority (50%) must vote in favor of a telephone number change in the Sanford exception area (60/50 criteria). Staff also recommends that the same criteria should be applied for the Keys region and Miami-Dade area.

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*A) No threshold response rate is required for Dade; simple majority passes.
B) & C) A 40% response rate is required; simple majority passes.*

Issue 3: What rate(s) should be reflected in the ballots for the Keys region and Miami-Dade area?

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Commission require BellSouth to itemize all costs associated with rate center consolidation and code sharing for the Keys region and Miami-Dade area. Staff also recommends that the Commission require BellSouth to calculate the rates per month per line, which will be used in the balloting process. In addition, staff recommends that BellSouth provide this information to staff by November 13, 2000.

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Issue 4: What is the appropriate time frame and procedures for balloting the following areas/regions:

- A) Sanford exception area (904 area code)
- B) Keys region (305 area code)
- C) Miami-Dade area (305/786 area codes)

Recommendation: If the Commission approves staff's recommendation in Issues 1, 2, and 3, staff recommends that the balloting be conducted as presented in the analysis portion of staff's memorandum dated October 5, 2000.

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with clarification that implementation dates may be changed if the PAA order is protested.

Issue 5: Should these dockets be closed?

Recommendation: No. If staff's recommendation in Issues 1, 2, 3, and 4 is approved, the resulting order will be a Proposed Agency Action. If no person whose substantial interests are affected timely files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Order, the decision will become final upon issuance of a consummating order. Staff recommends that these dockets should not be closed pending the implementation of various number conservation measures in these area codes.

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