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TO: DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF RECORDS AND REPORTING (BAYÓ)

FROM: DIVISION OF REGULATORY OVERSIGHT (HAWKINS, REDEMANN, RIEGER) *SOR* *B* *RD*
DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES (BANKS) *7*

RE: DOCKET NO. 001678-TL - JOINT PETITION BY BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. (HOLDER OF LEC CERTIFICATE NO. 8) AND SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED (HOLDER OF LEC CERTIFICATE NO. 22) FOR APPROVAL TO TRANSFER TERRITORIES IN ORANGE AND SEMINOLE COUNTIES AND TO AMEND CERTIFICATES.

AGENDA: 03/06/01 - REGULAR AGENDA - PROPOSED AGENCY ACTION - INTERESTED PERSONS MAY PARTICIPATE

CRITICAL DATES: NONE

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: NONE

FILE NAME AND LOCATION: S:\PSC\LEG\WP\001678.RCM

CASE BACKGROUND

On November 7, 2000, Sprint-Florida, Incorporated (Sprint) and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) filed a joint petition (**ATTACHMENT A**) to modify five exchange boundaries located in Orange and Seminole counties. These boundary changes would place the areas in question wholly within one exchange, but would move certain areas from one LEC's territory to the other's territory.

On January 24, 2001, staff conducted on-site visits to the five areas listed in the joint petition. Sprint and BellSouth representatives were present at the visits. Sprint and BellSouth also filed an Affidavit (**EXHIBIT F**) with verification of compliance with Section 364.335, Florida Statutes and Rules 25-4.005 (1) (a) (b) (c) and 25-4.005(3).

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The Commission is vested with jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Section 364.335, Florida Statutes and Rule 25-4.005, Florida Administrative Code. Accordingly, staff believes that the following recommendations are appropriate.

DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

ISSUE 1: Should the joint petition filed by Sprint and BellSouth to modify certain exchange boundaries in Orange and Seminole counties and to amend the companies' certificates be approved?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. The joint petition filed by Sprint and BellSouth should be approved because it meets the requirements of Section 364.335, Florida Statutes and Rules 25-4.005(1)(a)(b)(c) and 25-4.005(3), Florida Administrative Code, Transfer of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as to All or a Portion of Service Areas. The territory should be added to Certificate Number 22 (Sprint) and deleted from Certificate Number 8 (BellSouth.) (HAWKINS, REDEMANN, RIEGER)

STAFF ANALYSIS: On November 7, 2000, Sprint and BellSouth filed a joint petition for the transfer of certain areas in Orange and Seminole counties and to amend the companies' certificates.

The first proposed boundary change is to move a portion of the Remington Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando - Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. Forty of the one-hundred and forty lots in the Remington Oaks subdivision are located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange, while the remainder are in the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. As stated in the petition, Sprint currently provides service to twenty-nine subscribers located in the BellSouth Orlando - Pine Hills Exchange. There is one existing subscriber, Cazzie Meeks, who has been a customer of BellSouth for approximately thirty years and desires to remain in the BellSouth Orlando - Pine Hills Exchange. It was agreed between Sprint and BellSouth that Mr. Meeks will continue to be served from the BellSouth Orlando - Pine Hills Exchange. With the exception of Mr. Meeks, BellSouth is not providing service to any customers in this development. After reviewing the proposed joint petition, staff confirms that no subscribers, with the exception of Mr. Meeks, would be affected by modifying the Sprint

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Winter Garden Exchange to include all of the Remington Oaks subdivision. **(EXHIBIT A and EXHIBIT F, page 4 of 6.)**

The second boundary change is to move part of the proposed Ballentyne subdivision into the Sprint Winter Park Exchange. In the petition, it is stated that thirteen of the thirty three residential lots in the Ballentyne subdivision are located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange, with the remainder located in the Sprint Winter Park Exchange. During the site visit, it was revealed that there are thirty five residential lots and fifteen of these lots are located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange. Currently four homes are under construction in the BellSouth area of this subdivision and BellSouth is not providing service to any customers in this development, therefore, staff concludes that this modification would not adversely affect subscribers. **(EXHIBIT B)**

The petition states that the third boundary change is to move part of the proposed Chain of Lakes Middle School. At the time the petition was filed, the school was under construction. However, staff's site visit revealed that Chain of Lakes Middle School is a fully operating school with its recreational fields located in BellSouth's Orlando Pine Hills Exchange. The school and administration buildings are located in Sprint's territory and are currently being served by Sprint. Staff agrees that no subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Windermere Exchange to include the Chain of Lakes Middle School's recreational area. **(EXHIBIT C)**

The fourth boundary change is to move part of the proposed Windermere Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. Twenty eight and a half of the seventy four residential lots in the Windermere Oaks subdivision are located in the BellSouth territory with the remainder in the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. There are no homes under construction at this time, therefore, staff agrees that no subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange to include the entire Windermere Oaks subdivision. **(EXHIBIT D)**

The fifth boundary change is to move part of the proposed Horizons at Orlando Marriott Vacation Club, Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando, from the BellSouth Orlando-Sand Lake Exchange to the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange. The Marriott Vacation Club consisting of 900 units are located in Sprint's territory. The Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando is still under construction and will consist of

380 units. Staff confirms that no subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange to include the entire Horizons at Orlando Marriott Vacation Club. **(EXHIBIT E)**

Staff agrees with Sprint and BellSouth as stated in their petition that present boundary lines are generally along section lines, roads and streets. In some cases, the existing boundary bisects planned subdivisions located in both companies' territories. It is also stated that boundaries may bisect individual lots in planned subdivisions, which makes servicing difficult. This petition is sought to permit revision in company boundaries, which will not divide planned subdivisions and businesses, and to move the existing boundary to more readily discernable terrain features. Boundary redefinitions will minimize, if not negate, the future possibility that boundaries in these areas could bisect subdivisions, individual lots, business property, thereby rendering the boundaries more usable in the provision and administration of service.

Both Sprint and BellSouth have agreed that the requested transfer of service areas are feasible from an economic standpoint and beneficial to the subscribers of both companies. **(ATTACHMENT B)**

Staff concludes that Sprint and BellSouth have complied with applicable provisions of Rules 25-4.005(1)(a), (b), (c) and 25-4.003(3), Florida Administrative Code, which state that:

(1) Request for approval by the Commission of the transfer of any certificate of public convenience and necessity (or portion thereof) shall be made by joint petition of the certificate holder and transferee after reasonable notice has been given to all subscribers affected by the proposed transfer. Requests for approval shall be accompanied by an affidavit that notice of intention to file the petition has been given: (a) By mail or personal delivery to the governing bodies of the counties and municipalities affected, to the Public Counsel, and to the Commission, (b) By a legal advertisement in a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected and published on two (2) separate occasions at least two (2) weeks prior to the filing of the joint petition on the proposed transfer, and (c) By written notice subject to Commission approval, issued to each

subscriber in the area to be transferred concurrent with the filing of the petition. . . .

(3) Such joint petitions shall include detailed descriptions of the affected boundaries; the number of subscribers, if any, in each petitioned area; changes in rates; service being provided by either petitioner in areas to be transferred; pending applications for service held by either petitioner; changes in calling scope; customers to be transferred; deposits and deposit interest; any financial exchange or consideration for the proposed change, and a list by name and telephone number of all customers who will be exempt from the proposed change.

Since this boundary change request eliminates cross boundary service and does not adversely affect customers, staff recommends that Sprint's and BellSouth's proposed request to modify certain exchange boundaries in Orange and Seminole counties be approved. In addition, Sprint and BellSouth should file tariffs within sixty days of the issuance date of the order reflecting the exchange boundary changes.

ISSUE 2: Should this docket be closed?

RECOMMENDATION: Yes. This docket should be closed upon issuance of a Consummating Order unless a person whose substantial interests are affected by the Commission's decision files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Proposed Agency Action Order.
(F.BANKS)

STAFF ANALYSIS: At the conclusion of the protest period, if no protest is filed, this docket should be closed.

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Joint Petition of BellSouth)
Telecommunications Incorporated)
And Sprint-Florida, Incorporated)
To Transfer Territories In Orange)
And Seminole Counties And To)
Amend Certificates)

Docket No: 001678

Filed: November 9, 2000

JOINT PETITION OF BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
AND SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED
TO TRANSFER TERRITORIES IN ORANGE AND SEMINOLE
COUNTIES AND TO AMEND CERTIFICATES

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") and Sprint-Florida, Incorporated ("Sprint"), pursuant to Rules 25-4.005 and 28.106.201, Florida Administrative Code, jointly petition the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission" or "FPSC") to modify certain exchange boundaries in Orange and Seminole Counties and to amend the companies' certificates accordingly. In support of this petition, BellSouth and Sprint state as follows:

1. BellSouth is a telephone company lawfully doing business in the State of Florida, the regulated operations of which are subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission pursuant to Chapter 364, Fla. Stat. BellSouth provides service in Florida

under FPSC Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity
No. 8.

2. Sprint is a telephone company lawfully doing business in the State of Florida, the regulated operations of which are subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission pursuant to Chapter 364, Fla. Stat. Sprint provides service in Florida under FPSC Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 22.

3. BellSouth's principal place of business in Florida is 150 W. Flagler Street, Suite 1910, Miami, Florida 33130.

4. Sprint's principal place of business in Florida is 555 Lake Border Drive, Apopka, Florida 32713.

5. Pleadings and process in this matter may be served upon

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And

R. Douglas Lackey
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6. BellSouth and Sprint seek five exchange boundary changes in this petition. The first boundary change is to move a portion of the proposed Remington Oaks subdivision, from the BellSouth Orlando–Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. A Copy of the proposed service area map is attached as Exhibit "A".

Forty of the one–hundred and forty lots in the Remington Oaks subdivision are located in the BellSouth Orlando–Pine Hills Exchange; the remainder are in the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. Currently Sprint is providing service to twenty–nine subscribers located in the BellSouth Orlando–Pine Hills Exchange. There is one existing subscriber, Cazzie Meeks, who has been a customer of BellSouth for approximately thirty years desiring to remain in the BellSouth Orlando–Pine Hills Exchange; therefore, he will continue to be served from the BellSouth Orlando–Pine Hills Exchange. With the

exception of Mr. Meeks, BellSouth is not providing service to any customers in this development. Two homes are under construction in the BellSouth area of this subdivision. Twenty-nine subscribers would be only nominally affected by modifying the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange to include the entire Remington Oaks subdivision since their service is currently provided by Sprint.

7. The second boundary change is to move part of the proposed Ballentyne subdivision into the Sprint Winter Park Exchange. Thirteen of the thirty-three residential lots in the Ballentyne subdivision are located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange; the remainder are in the Sprint Winter Park Exchange. Currently Sprint is providing service to five subscribers located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange. Five subscribers would be only nominally affected by modifying the Sprint Winter Park Exchange to include the entire Ballentyne subdivision since their service is currently provided by Sprint. Four homes are under

construction in the BellSouth area of this subdivision. BellSouth is not providing service to any customers in this development. A Copy of the proposed service area map is attached as Exhibit "B".

8. The third boundary change is to move part of the proposed Chain of Lakes Middle School from the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Windermere Exchange. The school and administration buildings are located in Sprint's territory and are currently being served by Sprint. The recreation fields extend into BellSouth's territory. No subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Windermere Exchange to include the Chain of Lakes Middle School's recreational area. A Copy of the proposed service area map is attached as Exhibit "C".
9. The fourth boundary change is to move part of the proposed Windermere Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. Twenty-eight and a half of the seventy-four residential lots

in the Windermere Oaks subdivision are located in the BellSouth Orlando-Pine Hills Exchange; the remainder are in the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange. There are no homes under construction at this time; therefore, no subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange to include the entire Windermere Oaks subdivision. A Copy of the proposed service area map is attached as Exhibit "D".

10. The fifth boundary change is to move part of the proposed Horizons at Orlando Marriott Vacation Club, Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando, from the BellSouth Orlando-Sand Lake Exchange to the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange. The Marriott Vacation Club consists of 900 units in Sprint's territory. The Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando will consist of 380 units, which extend into BellSouth's territory. The Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando is currently under construction. No subscribers would be affected by modifying the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange to include the entire Horizons at Orlando

Marriott Vacation Club. A Copy of the proposed service area map is attached as Exhibit "E".

11. Upon the Commission's approval of the modifications proposed herein, the parties will file the final tariff sheets for administrative approval.
12. No financial exchange or consideration was, or shall be, given for this proposed transfer of Certificated Areas. This Joint Application is the only written agreement between the applicants.
13. The present boundary lines are generally along section lines and roads and streets. In some cases, the existing boundary lines bisect planned subdivisions located in both companies' territories. In addition, the present boundaries may bisect individual lots in planned subdivisions, rendering provision of service difficult. This application is sought to permit revisions in company boundaries so that they will not divide planned subdivisions and to move existing boundaries to more readily discernible terrain features. It is intended that

the boundary line redefinitions will minimize, if not negate, the future possibility that boundaries in these areas could bisect subdivisions or individual lots, thereby rendering the boundaries more usable in the provision and administration of service.

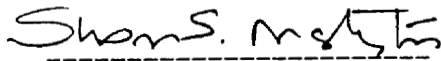
14. Both BellSouth and Sprint have agreed that the requested transfer of service area is feasible from an economic standpoint and beneficial to the subscribers of both companies.
15. Pursuant to FPSC Rule 25-4.005, the required affidavits are attached to this Joint Petition as Exhibit "F", and certify that notice of intention to file the Petition has been given to those parties as set forth in the above cited rule.

WHEREFORE, Sprint and BellSouth request that this Joint Petition be considered, and that the FPSC redefine the boundaries of the Petitioners' Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity as requested in the Petition, and that the FPSC enter an appropriate order to effectuate such a redefinition.

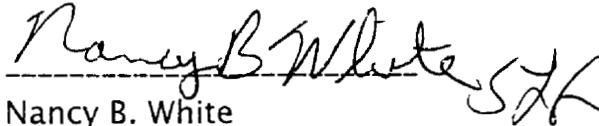
Respectfully submitted this 9th day of November, 2000.

SPRINT-FLORIDA, INCORPORATED

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Joint-Petition Comparison	From	To	Sprint	BellSouth	Sprint's Rates	BellSouth's Rates
Remington Oaks	BellSouth's Orlando Pine Hills Exchange	Sprint's Winter Garden Exchange	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Groveland, Montverde, Orlando, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Park,	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Garden, Winter Park, W. Kissimmee, Kissimmee, SL Cloud, Sanford, Debary, Geneva	Res. \$10.23, Bus. \$24.03	Res. \$10.45, Bus. \$28.60
Ballentyne Subdivision	BellSouth's Orlando Pine Hills Exchange	Sprint's Winter Park Exchange	Apopka, Celebration, E. Orange, Geneva, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Orlando, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Sanford, Windermere, Winter Garden, Mount Dora, Debary, Kissimmee, Orange City, SL, Cloud, W. Kissimmee	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Garden, Winter Park, W. Kissimmee, Kissimmee, SL Cloud, Sanford, Debary, Geneva	Res. \$10.23, Bus. \$24.03	Res. \$10.45, Bus. \$28.60
Chain of Lakes Middle School	BellSouth's Orlando Pine Hills Exchange	Sprint's Windermere Exchange	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Groveland, Montverde, Orlando, Reedy Creek, Winter Garden, Winter Park	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Garden, Winter Park, W. Kissimmee, Kissimmee, SL Cloud, Sanford, Debary, Geneva	Res. \$10.23, Bus. \$24.03	Res. \$10.45, Bus. \$28.60
Windermere Oaks	BellSouth's Orlando Pine Hills Exchange	Sprint's Winter Garden Exchange	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Groveland, Montverde, Orlando, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Park,	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Garden, Winter Park, W. Kissimmee, Kissimmee, SL Cloud, Sanford, Debary, Geneva	Res. \$10.23, Bus. \$24.03	Res. \$10.45, Bus. \$28.60
Marriott Vacation Club International Residence Inn by Marriott	BellSouth's Orlando Sand Lake Exchange	Sprint's Reedy Creek Exchange	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Orlando, Windermere, W. Kissimmee, Winter Garden, Winter Park, Kissimmee-Haines City	Apopka, Celebration, Clermont, E. Orange, Lake Buena Vista, Montverde, Oviedo, Reedy Creek, Windermere, Winter Garden, Winter Park, W. Kissimmee, Kissimmee, SL Cloud, Sanford, Debary, Geneva	Res. \$10.23, Bus. \$24.03	Res. \$10.45, Bus. \$28.60

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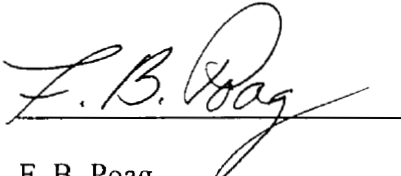
**In re: Joint Petition of Sprint-Florida, Inc. and BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc. for the transfer of certain
Certificated Areas in Orange and Seminole Counties and to
amend certificates**

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared F. B. Poag, to me well known and after being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

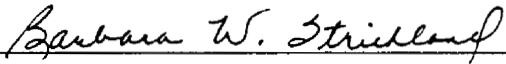
I am the Director-Regulatory Affairs, for Sprint-Florida, Inc. and have caused notice of the above-captioned petition to be provided as follows:

- (1) To the governing bodies of the counties and municipalities listed on the attached;
- (2) To Jack Shreve, Public Counsel;
- (3) To Blanca S. Bayo, Director, Records and Reporting for the Florida Public Service Commission ; and
- (4) Through two separate legal advertisements in newspapers of general circulation in each area affected at least two weeks prior to the filing of this Joint Petition.

These notices have been given pursuant to Section 364.335, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-4.005, Florida Administrative code.


F. B. Poag

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 9th day of November, 2000.

 11/9/00
Notary Public *County - Leon*
 State of Florida
My Commission Expires:



Barbara W. Strickland
MY COMMISSION # CC859311 EXPIRES
July 29, 2003
BONDED THRU TROY FAIN INSURANCE, INC.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Docket No.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via U.S. Mail this
7th day of November 2000 to the following:

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November 9, 2000

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Dear Mr. Meeks:

Per your discussion with Ken Shipley, Sprint Public Affairs Manager, Sprint understands you are aware that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) and Sprint-Florida, Inc. (Sprint) will be filing a petition with the Florida Public Service Commission to modify certain exchange boundaries located in Orange and Seminole Counties. Sprint understands that you have been a customer of BellSouth for approximately thirty years and that you desire to continue to be served by them. Mr. Shipley informed us that you have made arrangements with BellSouth to continue your service with them; therefore, we will ensure that the necessary paperwork is filed with the Commission to support this agreement between you and BellSouth.

We appreciate your understanding. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan Masterton".

Susan Masterton

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COUNTY OF ORANGE

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Linda Bridgewater, who on oath says that he/she is the Legal Advertising Representative of Orlando Sentinel, a daily newspaper published at ORLANDO in ORANGE County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a PUBLIC NOTICE NOT in the matter of BOUNDARY CHARGES in the ORANGE Court, was published in said newspaper in the issue; of 10/15/00-10/17/00

Affiant further says that the said Orlando Sentinel is a newspaper published at ORLANDO in said ORANGE County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said ORANGE County, Florida, each Week Day and has been entered as second-class mail matter at the post office in ORLANDO in said ORANGE County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he/she has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

Linda Bridgewater

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me (his 19th day of Oct, 2000, by Linda Bridgewater who is personally known to me and who did take an oath.

Beverly C. Simmons

(SEAL)

BEVERLY C. SIMMONS
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of the intent of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and Sprint-Florida Incorporated to jointly petition the Florida Public Service Commission to approve the transfer of certain territories lying in Orange and Seminole Counties from the certificated area of BellSouth to Sprint. The five boundary changes are shown below.

1. Transferring a portion of the Remington Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange;
2. Transferring a portion of the Ballentyne subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Park Exchange;
3. Transferring a portion of the Chain of Lakes Middle School from the BellSouth Orange Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Windermere Exchange.
4. Transferring a portion of the Windermere Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange.
5. Transferring a portion of the Marriott Vacation Club International/Residence Inn by Marriott from the BellSouth Orlando Sand Lake Exchange to the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange.

These boundary changes will better align the companies' exchange service areas with the subdivision and/or community areas such that future customers in the same subdivision or community can be served by the same local telephone company. For the residents of the Ballentyne subdivision and Remington Oaks subdivision, Sprint is already providing your local telephone service. This boundary change will not affect your telephone service, rates, local calling area or calling plans.

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
(407) 780-2054
Sprint Florida Incorporated
1-800-339-1811
CORL3569314 Oct 16, 17, 2000

November 9, 2000

Dear Customer:

This is to advise you that BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) and Sprint-Florida, Inc. (Sprint) will be filing a petition with the Florida Public Service Commission to modify certain exchange boundaries located in Orange and Seminole Counties. These boundary changes will better align the companies' exchange service areas with the subdivision and/or community areas such that future customers in the same subdivision or community can be served by the same local telephone company.

The proposed boundary changes include:

1. Transferring a portion of the Remington Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange;
2. Transferring a portion of the Ballentyne subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Park Exchange;
3. Transferring a portion of the Chain of Lakes Middle School from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Windermere Exchange.
4. Transferring a portion of the Windermere Oaks subdivision from the BellSouth Orlando Pine Hills Exchange to the Sprint Winter Garden Exchange.
5. Transferring a portion of the Horizons at Orlando Marriott Vacation Club, Residence Inn-Horizons at Orlando, from the BellSouth Orlando Sand Lake Exchange to the Sprint Reedy Creek Exchange.

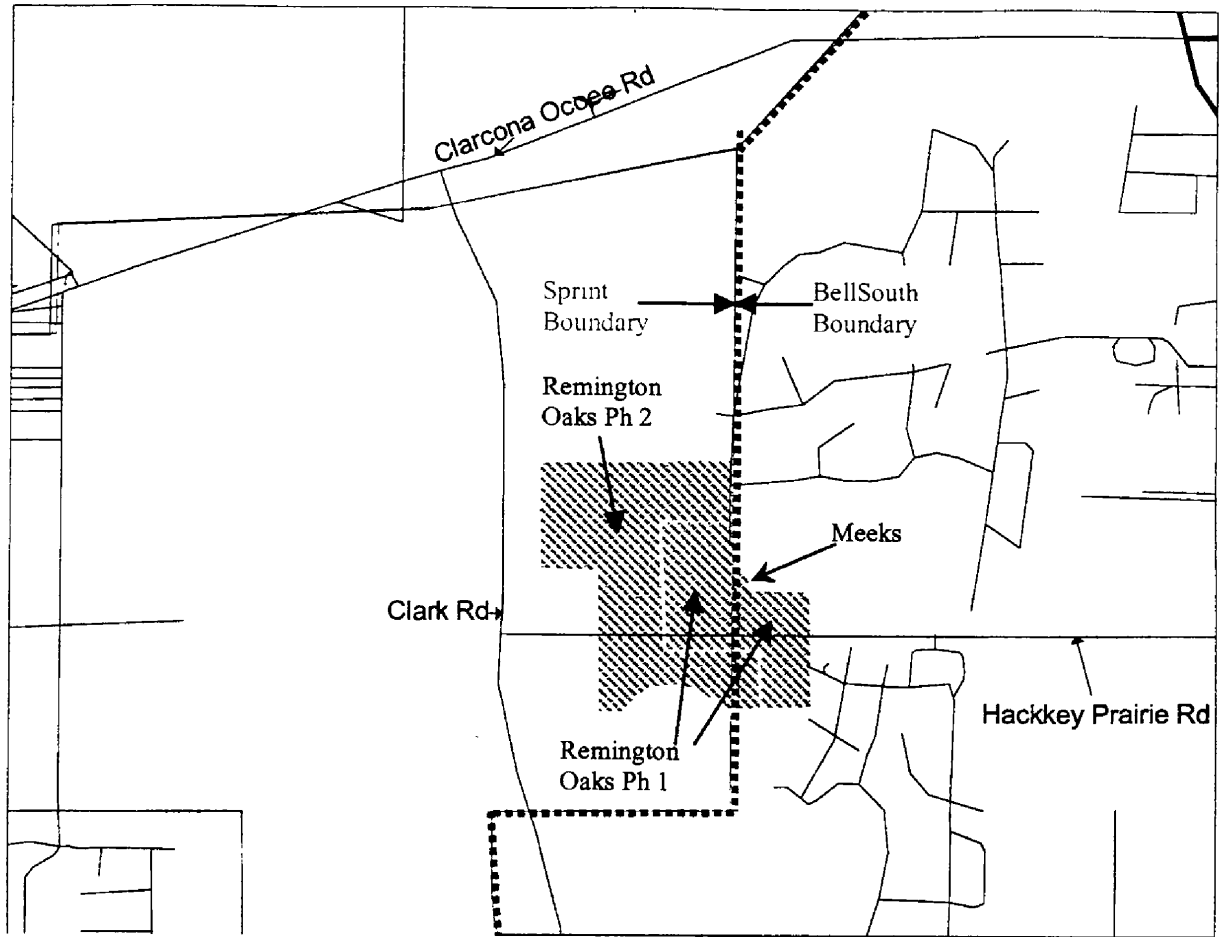
For the residents of the Ballentyne subdivision and Remington Oaks subdivision, Sprint is already providing your local telephone service. This boundary change will not affect your telephone service, rates, local calling area or calling plans.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call one of the following:

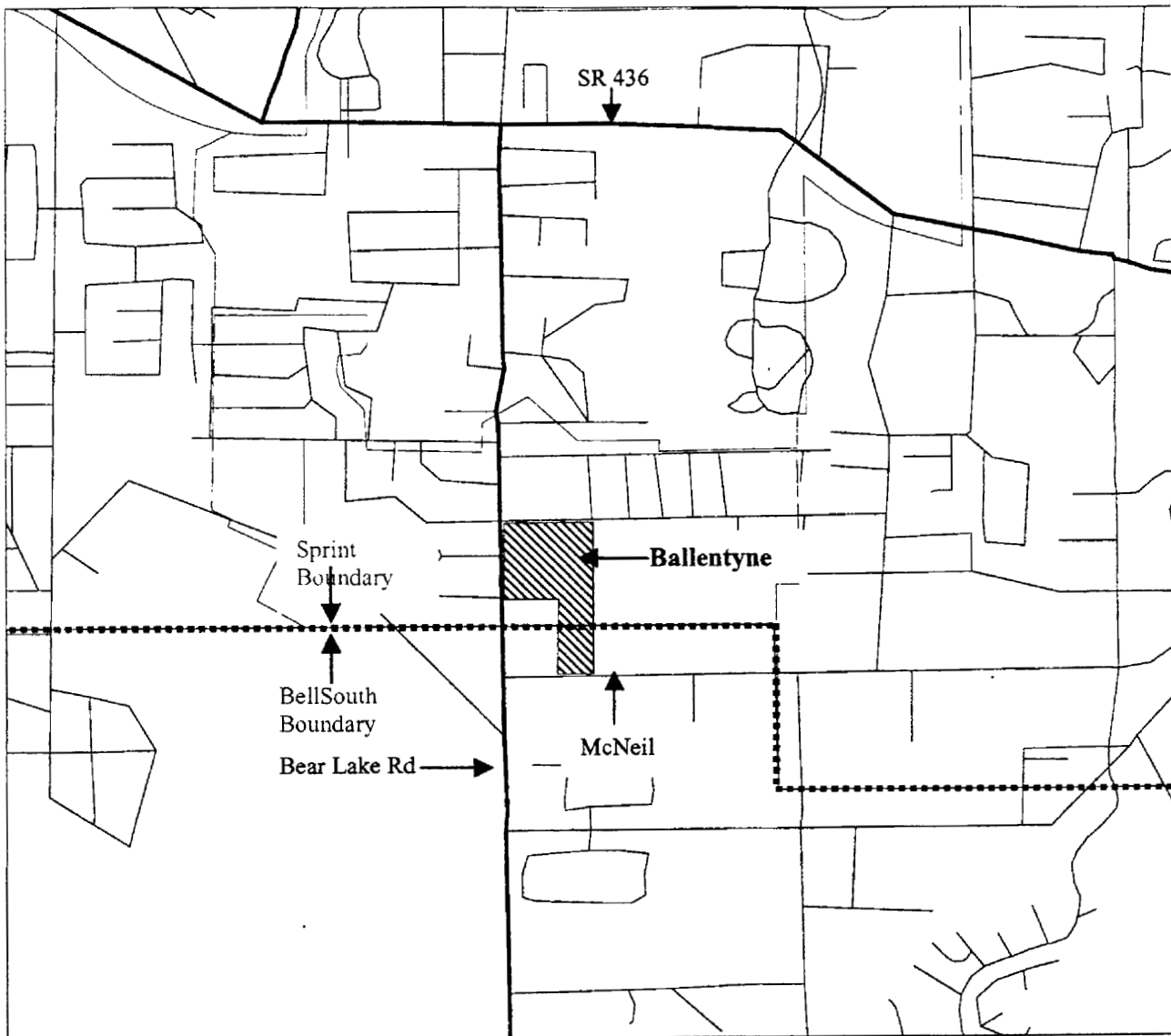
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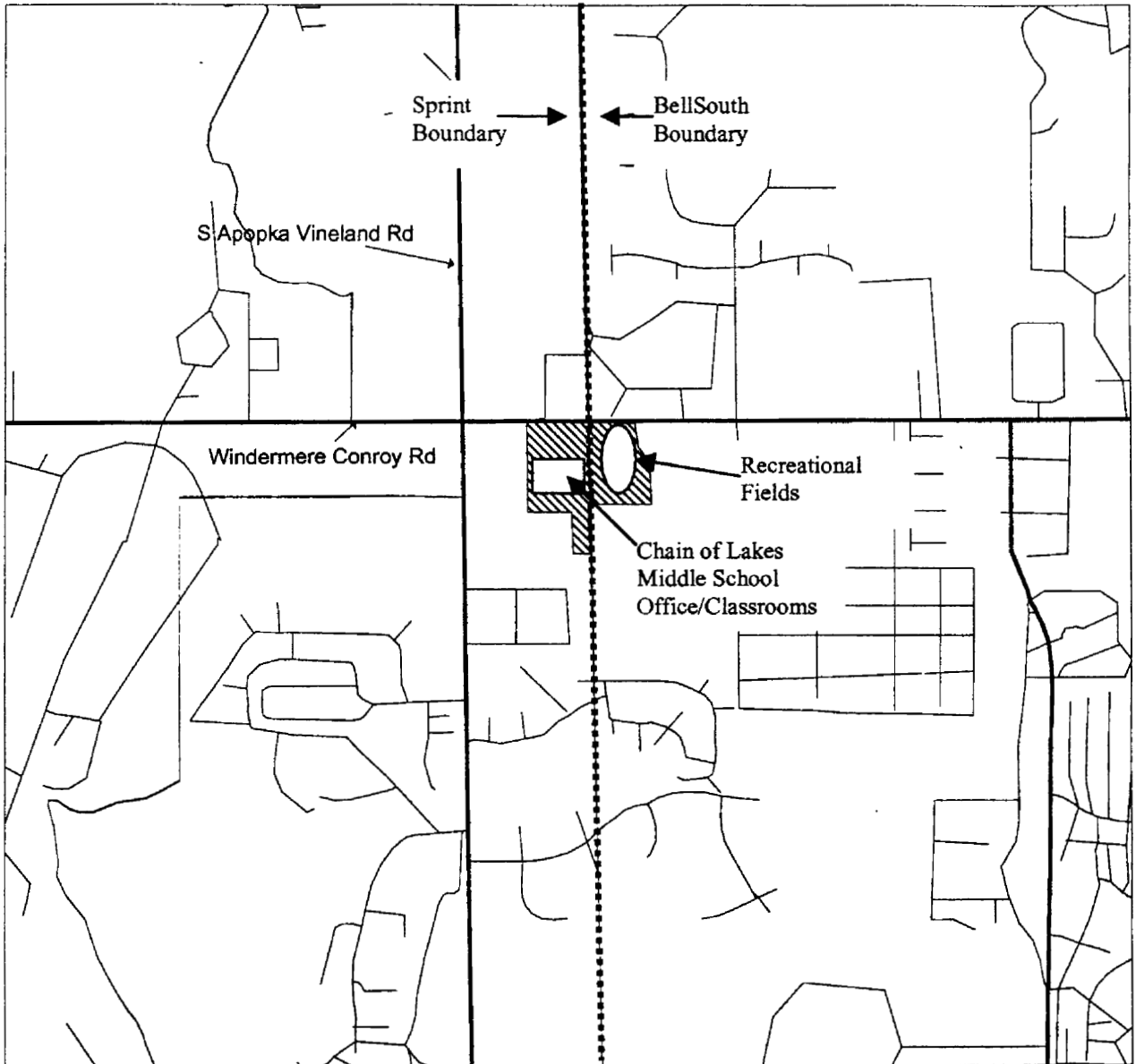
REMINGTON OAKS LOCATION MAP



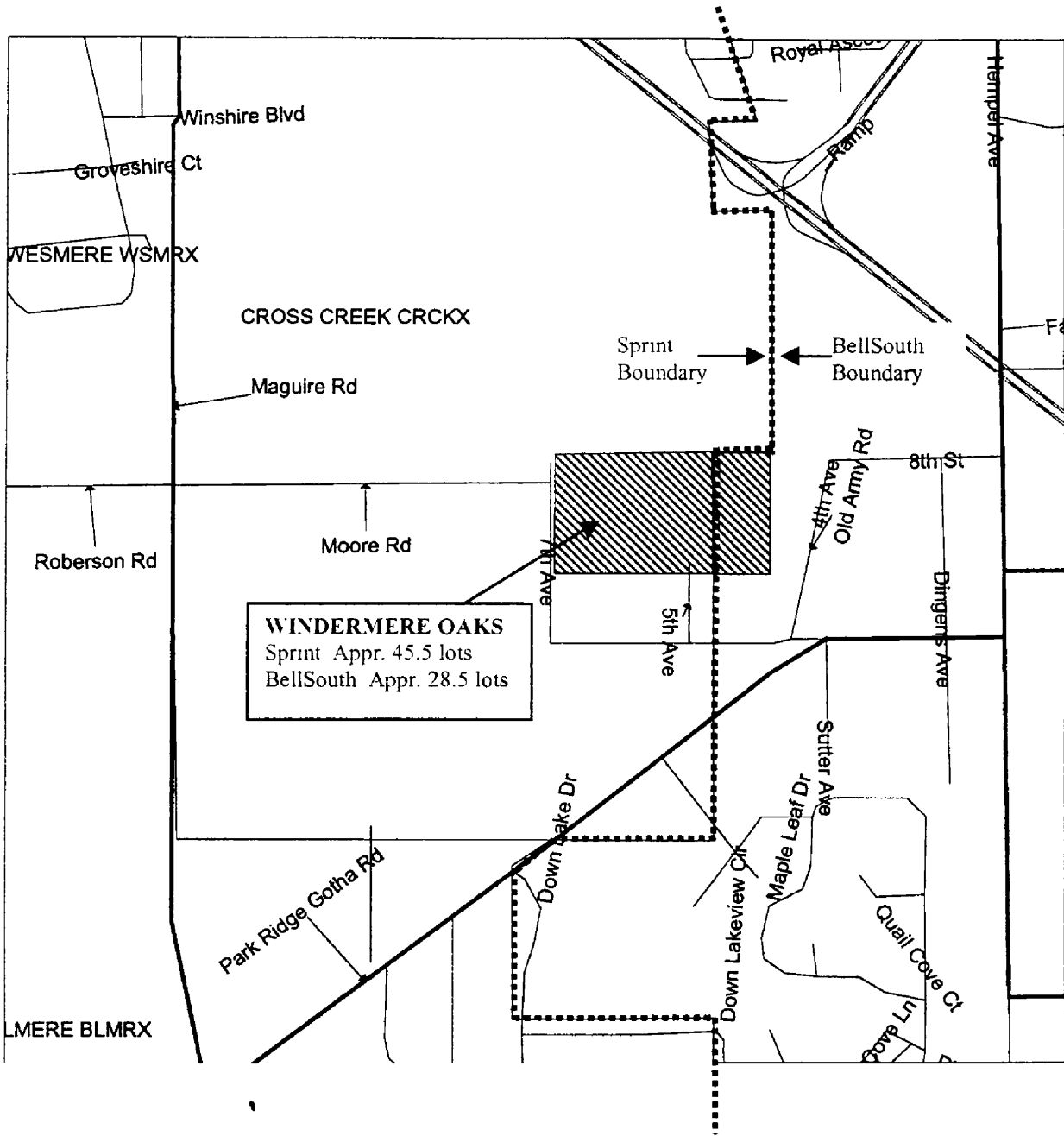
BALLENTYNE LOCATION MAP



CHAIN OF LAKES MIDDLE SCHOOL LOCATION MAP



WINDERMERE OAKS LOCATION MAP



RESIDENCE INN - HORIZONS AT ORLANDO

