

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 5

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June 15, 2021

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**Docket No. 20210070-TX** – Petition for designation as eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) in the State of Florida, by Windstream Communications, LLC.

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission grant Windstream Communications, LLC ETC status in Florida to Receive Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Auction (Auction 904) Support for Voice and Broadband Services?

**Recommendation:** No. Staff recommends that the Commission lacks jurisdiction to grant Windstream Communications, LLC ETC status in Florida. Staff further recommends that, as a provider of non-jurisdictional VoIP and broadband services, Windstream Communications, LLC should apply directly to the FCC for a Florida ETC designation.

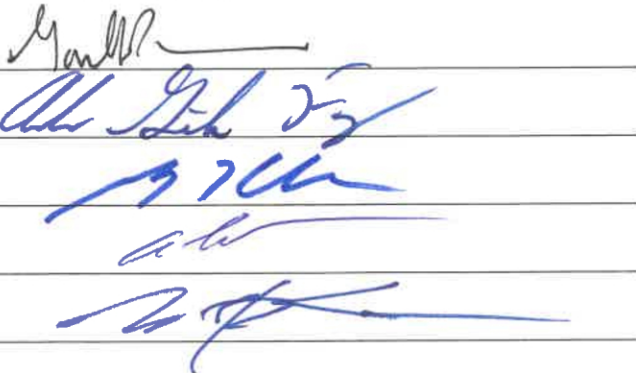
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**COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED:** All Commissioners

**COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES**

**MAJORITY**

**DISSENTING**



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**REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:**

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**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Proposed Agency Action Order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

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