

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY RSA #4 CELLULAR)	
GENERAL PARTNERSHIP D/B/A BLUEGRASS)	
CELLULAR FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A)	
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND)	CASE NO.
NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT A CELL SITE IN THE)	2018-00178
COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY IN THE)	
COUNTY OF MARION)	

ORDER

On September 20, 2018, Kentucky RSA #4 d/b/a Bluegrass Cellular (Bluegrass Cellular), a Kentucky General Partnership, filed an application seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) to construct and operate a wireless telecommunications facility. The proposed facility consists of an antenna tower not to exceed 250 feet in height, with attached antennas, to be located at 149 Preston Loop, Gravel Switch, Kentucky. The coordinates for the proposed facility are North Latitude 37° 35' 34.44." by West Longitude 85° 02' 41.75".

Bluegrass Cellular has provided information regarding the structure of the tower, safety measures, and antenna design criteria for the proposed facility. Based on the application, the design of the tower and foundation conforms to applicable nationally recognized building standards, and a licensed professional engineer has certified the plans.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:063, Bluegrass Cellular has filed statements of having provided the required notifications regarding the proposed construction. Pursuant to 807

KAR 5:063, Bluegrass Cellular has filed evidence that the county judge/executive and all property owners within 500 feet and contiguous to the cell site have been notified of the proposed construction. The notices solicited any comments and informed the recipients of their right to request intervention. To date, one public comment has been filed with the Commission but intervention has not been requested.

Bluegrass Cellular has filed an application with the Federal Aviation Administration and the Kentucky Airport Zoning Commission seeking approval for the construction and operation of the proposed facility. Those applications have been approved and the approvals were filed with the Commission.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that Bluegrass Cellular has demonstrated that a facility is necessary to provide adequate utility service and, therefore, a CPCN to construct the proposed facility should be granted.

Pursuant to KRS 278.280, the Commission is required to determine proper practices to be observed when it finds, upon complaint or on its own motion, that the facilities of any utility subject to its jurisdiction are unreasonable, unsafe, improper, or insufficient. To assist the Commission in its efforts to comply with this mandate, Bluegrass Cellular should notify the Commission if the antenna tower is not used to provide service in the manner set out in the application and this Order. Upon receipt of such notice, the Commission may, on its own motion, institute proceedings to consider the proper practices, including removal of the unused antenna tower, which should be observed by Bluegrass Cellular.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Bluegrass Cellular is granted a CPCN to construct a wireless telecommunications facility. The proposed facility consists of an antenna tower not to exceed 250 feet in height, with attached antennas, and to be located at 149 Preston Loop, Gravel Switch, Kentucky. The coordinates for the proposed facility are North Latitude 37° 35' 34.44." by West Longitude 85° 02' 41.75".

2. Bluegrass Cellular shall immediately notify the Commission in writing, if, after the antenna tower is built and utility service is commenced, the tower is not used for a period of three months in the manner authorized by this Order.

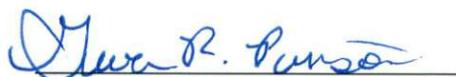
3. Documents filed, if any, in the future pursuant to ordering paragraph 2 herein shall reference this case number and shall be retained in the post-case correspondence file.

4. This case is closed and removed from the Commission's docket.

By the Commission

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