

Source of flooding and location	#Depth in feet above ground. *Elevation in feet (NGVD)
Approximately 4,000 feet upstream of Blonco Court Maps are available for inspection at the City of Billings Building Department, 510 North 29th, Billings, Montana.	*3,244
NEVADA	
Nye County (Unincorporated Areas) (FEMA Docket No. 7230) <i>Slime Wash:</i> Approximately 2,890 feet downstream of Depot Road Approximately 960 feet upstream of U.S. Highway 6	*5,887 *6,147
Maps are available for inspection at the Nye County Planning Department, 1114 Globemallow Lane, Tonopah, Nevada.	
OREGON	
Deschutes County (and Incorporated Areas) (FEMA Docket No. 7230) <i>Deschutes River (At Sunriver):</i> Approximately 4 miles downstream of General Patch Bridge At General Patch Bridge Approximately 1.7 miles upstream of General Patch Bridge	*4,161 *4,164 *4,166
Maps are available for inspection at the Deschutes County Community Development Department, 1130 Northwest Harriman, Bend, Oregon.	

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.100, Flood Insurance)

Dated: February 19, 1998.

Michael J. Armstrong,

Associate Director for Mitigation.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Parts 1 and 24

[WT Docket No. 97-82, FCC 98-28]

Installment Payment Financing for Personal Communications Services (PCS) Licensees

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission changed the February 26, 1998 election deadline for broadband Personal Communications Services (PCS) C block licensees to elect to continue under the existing installment payment plan or to elect one of the three alternative payment options. The deadline will be 60 days after publication of the Commission's forthcoming *Order on Reconsideration* in the **Federal Register**. The Commission also changed the payment resumption date for C and F block licensees to at least 30 days after the revised election date.

DATES: Effective February 24, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222, Washington, D.C. 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Shiffrin, Auctions and Industry Analysis Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, at (202) 418-0660.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The following is a synopsis of an *Order* in WT Docket No. 97-82, FCC 98-28 which was adopted on February 24, 1998 and released on February 24, 1998. A copy of the complete item is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center, Room 239, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. The complete text may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., 1231 20th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, (202) 857-3800. The complete *Order* also is available on the Commission's Internet home page (<http://www.fcc.gov>).

Summary of Action

1. On September 25, 1997, the Commission adopted a *Second Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, 62 FR 55348, October 24, 1997 ("Second Report and Order") which established January 15, 1998 as the deadline for broadband Personal Communications Services (PCS) C block licensees to elect to continue under the existing installment payment plan or to elect one of the three alternative payment options. On January 7, 1998, we changed that election date to February 26, 1998 in order to allow us time to respond to petitions seeking reconsideration of the *Second Report and Order*. See *Order*, 63 FR 2170, January 14, 1998. In the *Order*, we stated that "[m]oving the election date will serve the public interest by

permitting licensees to submit their election after final disposition of arguments raised on reconsideration."

2. Although we initially believed a February 26 election date would provide us sufficient time to respond to the arguments raised by petitioners, we now find it will take additional time to consider the numerous and wide-ranging issues involved. In their joint petition for reconsideration, Northern Michigan PCS Consortium L.L.C. and Wireless 2000, Inc. request that we extend the election deadline to a date that is 60 days after issuance of the reconsideration order. We agree with these petitioners that 60 days would provide licensees an adequate review period. Accordingly, we will move the election date for C block licensees to 60 days after publication of our forthcoming *Order on Reconsideration* in the **Federal Register**.

3. In order to provide licensees adequate time between the election date and the resumption of payment deadline, we will move the March 31, 1998 payment deadline for both C and F block licensees to a date that is at least 30 days after the revised election date. To avoid any potential confusion, the specific dates for election and payment resumption will be set forth in a public notice issued under delegated authority by the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

4. Accordingly, *It Is Ordered* that, pursuant to sections 4(i), 303(r), and 309(j) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 154(i), 303(r), and 309(j), the election deadline for C block licensees and the March 31, 1998 payment deadline for C and F block licensees are extended as specified herein and the petition for reconsideration filed by Northern Michigan PCS Consortium L.L.C. and Wireless 2000, Inc. is hereby *Granted in Part*. This Order shall become effective upon its release. See 5 U.S.C. 553(d)(1).

List of Subjects

47 CFR Part 1

Practice and procedure.

47 CFR Part 24

Personal Communications Service.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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