ORDER NO. 00-071

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

UA 77

In the Matter of the Application of Central)	
Lincoln People's Utility District for an)	ORDER
Allocation of Exclusively Served Territory)	
(Area IIIC).)	

DISPOSITION: APPLICATION APPROVED

On December 2, 1999, Central Lincoln People's Utility District (CLPUD) filed with the Commission an application for an allocation of exclusively served territory (Area IIIC, which is located in Douglas County, Oregon, and includes the major part of the City of Reedsport and some rural areas primarily south of Reedsport). The application was filed pursuant to ORS 758.435 and OAR 860-025-0020 and docketed as UA 77.

Public notice of the application was published in *The Umpqua Post*, a newspaper of general circulation published in Reedsport, on December 8, 1999, and December 15, 1999. The Notice informed the public that any affected customer may request a hearing within 30 days of the notice. No one requested a hearing. Our Staff investigated the matter and does not object to granting the requested allocation.

We have reviewed the application and the administrative record. Based on our review, we find that CLPUD is exclusively serving the territory covered by the application in this docket. The application of CLPUD for an allocation of exclusively served territory should be approved.

A description of the CLPUD exclusive service territory requested in this docket is attached as Exhibit A to this order.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the application of Central Lincoln People's Utility District for an allocation of exclusively served territory (Area IIIC), as described in Exhibit A to this order, is approved.

Made, entered, and effective ______.

Ron Eachus Chairman Roger Hamilton Commissioner

Joan H. Smith Commissioner

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-014-0095. A copy of any such request must also be served on each party to the proceeding as provided by OAR 860-013-0070(2). A party may appeal this order to a court pursuant to applicable law.

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