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**Via Electronic Delivery**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W., Room TW-B204  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation  
WT Docket No. 04-264

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On September 23, 2004, Ms. Caressa D. Bennet of Bennet & Bennet, PLLC, counsel for Snake River Personal Communications Services (“Snake River”), and Mr. Kenneth C. Johnson of Bennet & Bennet, PLLC, met with Ms. Katherine Harris, Ms. Erin McGrath, Ms. Susan Singer, and Ms. Renee Crittendon. The meeting participants discussed the issues set forth in the Informal Request for Commission Action filed on behalf of Snake River in the above-referenced docket. Further, Ms. Bennet discussed the current state of the commercial mobile radio service (“CMRS”) market in rural Idaho and the need for the Commission to re-examine automatic roaming in light of recent and proposed consolidation in the CMRS industry. The attached customer service maps were shown to FCC staff for illustrative purposes.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission’s Rules, this letter is being filed electronically. Please refer any question regarding this matter to counsel for Snake River.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Caressa D. Bennet

Enclosures

cc (w/encls): Katherine Harris  
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# Snake River

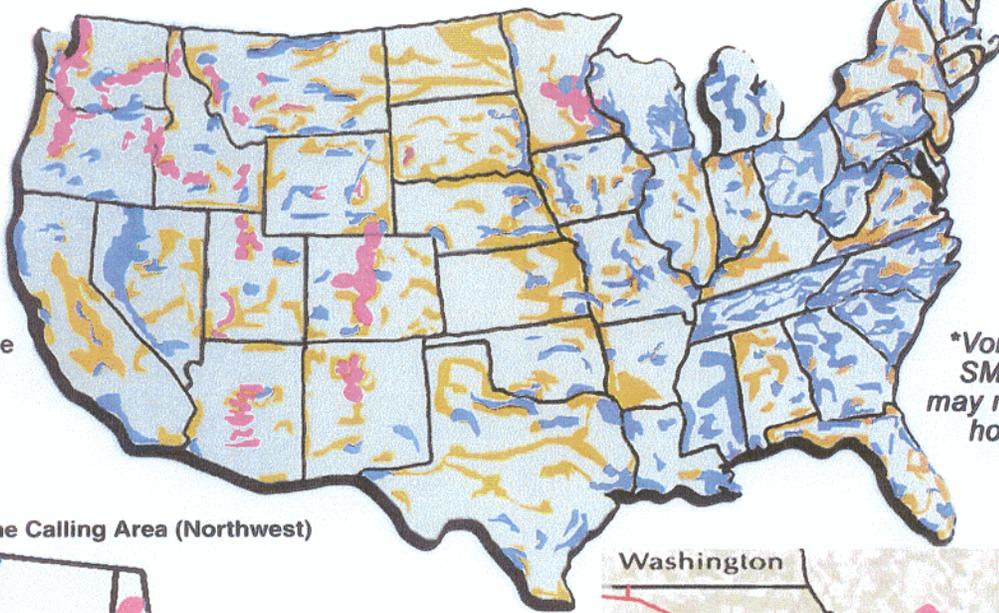
Personal Communication

Services

## Digital Coverage Maps

### Canada Coverage

- \$ .35 or \$ .69
- \*Multiple Carrier Coverage. Rates May Vary

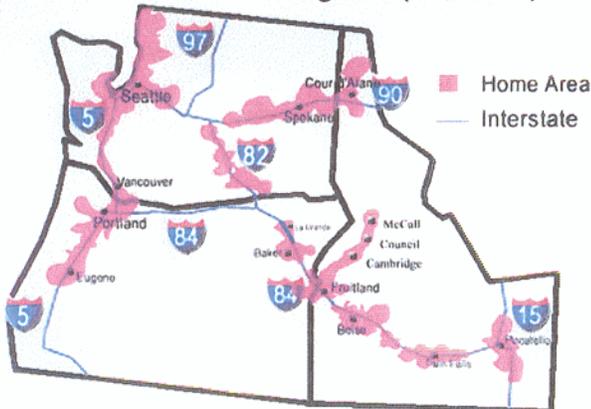


### National PCS Coverage

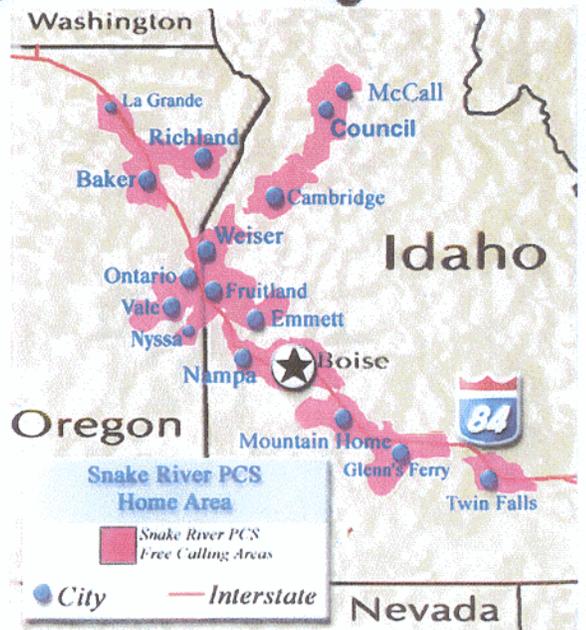
- Free Home Calling Area
- \$ .35 per minute
- \$ .69 per minute

\*Voice mail and SMS indicator may not work in all home areas.

### Snake River PCS Home Calling Area (Northwest)



"Home Territory" is an attempt to identify where you will have no roaming fees. It is not necessarily an indication of a service area owned or operated by Snake River PCS. Extra services such as SMS, Voice Mail and 7 vs 10 digit dialing may not be supported by our partnering network.



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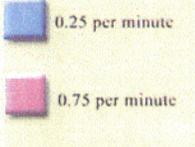
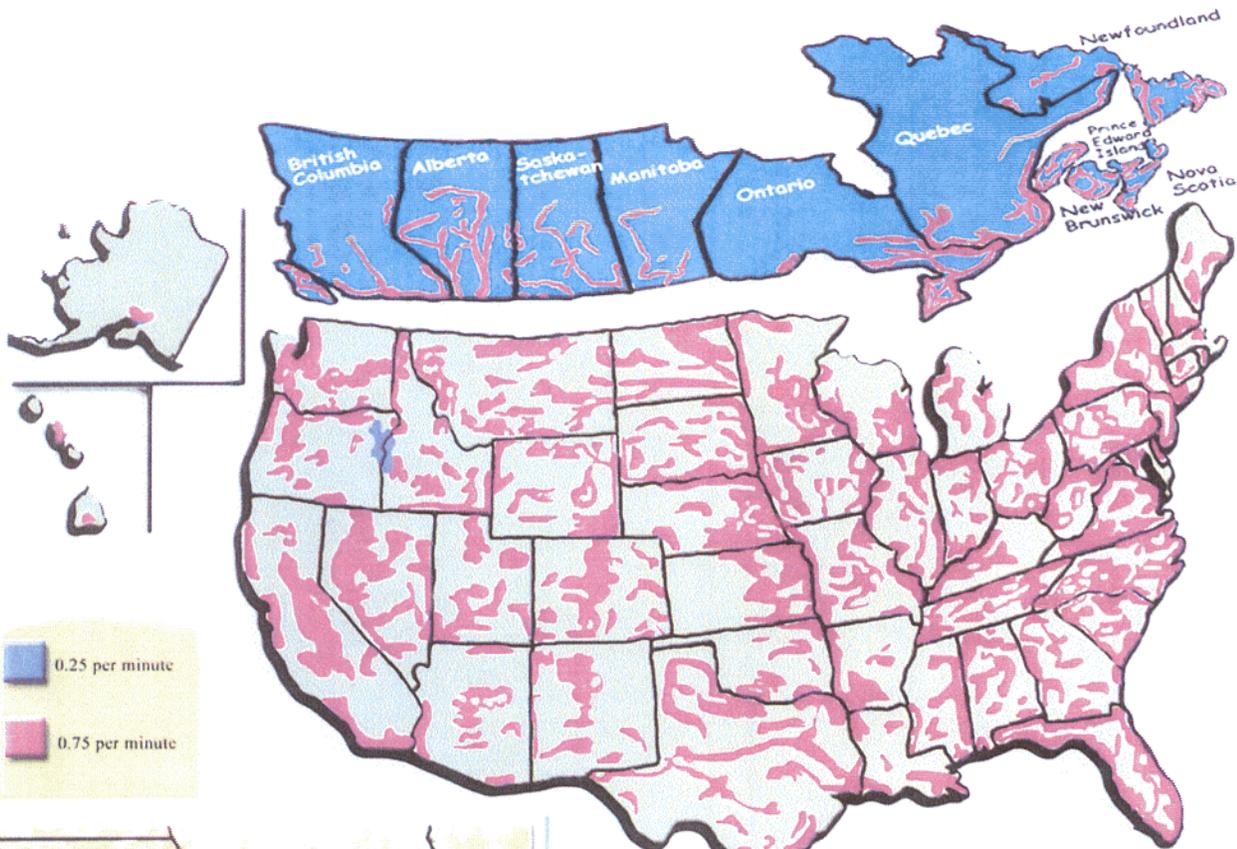
\*Coverage shown is approximate

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## PrePaid Digital Coverage Maps



\*Voice mail and SMS indicator may not work in all home areas.



### Home calling area:

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|-------------------|------------------|
| Cambridge, ID     | Baker County, OR |
| Council, ID       | Halfway, OR      |
| Emmett, ID        | Keating, OR      |
| Fruitland, ID     | La Grande, OR    |
| Glenn's Ferry, ID | Nyssa, OR        |
| McCall, ID        | Ontario, OR      |
| Midvale, ID       | Richland, OR     |
| Mountain Home, ID | Vale, OR         |
| New Plymouth, ID  |                  |
| Payette, ID       |                  |
| Weiser, ID        |                  |

# Prepaid Wireless

-  **No Monthly Bill**
-  **No Credit Check Required**
-  **No Contract**
-  **Free Domestic Long Distance**

With Snake River PCS Prepaid plans we credit your account with the amount of money you want us to. We deduct \$0.25 per minute of use when you are calling from your home calling area and we deduct \$0.75 per minute of use when you are calling from a roaming area. There are never any domestic long distance charges!

Paying in advance has its advantages. You can always check your available balance by dialing \*369, a free call from your wireless phone. When your balance is \$30.00 or less, you will get a one time notification of the balance until you reach the \$10.00 balance point. When your balance is less than \$10.00, you will receive a balance report every time you make a call.

You can always tell whether you are roaming or at home by watching the display on your phone. If your roaming indicator is not on, you are in a home area. If the roaming indicator is either solid or flashing, you are in a roaming area.

## Home calling area:

- |                   |                  |
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| Mountain Home, ID | Vale, OR         |
| New Plymouth, ID  |                  |
| Payette, ID       |                  |
| Weiser, ID        |                  |

-  0.25 per minute
-  0.75 per minute



You can add money to your account at any Snake River PCS store, or on your credit card from anywhere by dialing \*369, entering your PIN, and the amount you wish to add to your account.

**Snake River**  
Personal Communication Services

**452-7090**

