



EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 21

Directing the Public Service Commission to Redirect Funds Intended to Provide Voice Mail Services for the Homeless

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WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Legislature recently passed the 2001-2003 Wisconsin State Budget Bill (hereinafter "Budget"); and

WHEREAS, the Budget therein contains a provision and appropriation for the Public Service Commission (hereinafter "PSC") for the expenditure of \$6.9 Million from the PSC's Universal Service Fund (hereinafter "USF"); and

WHEREAS, as part of this \$6.9 Million appropriation the PSC is instructed to expend \$40,000 to establish and support the use of voice mail by homeless persons;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SCOTT McCALLUM, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by Federal and State law, do hereby:

1. Direct the PSC to not expend any funds over this biennium for the funding of voice mail for the homeless.
2. Direct the PSC to redirect, where permissible under the laws of Wisconsin, such monies for the purpose of funding programs that serve to provide food, shelter, health care or other related services to homeless persons.
3. Direct the PSC, in accordance with its authority, to suspend any administrative rule or provision providing for the funding of voice mail services for the homeless.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this seventeenth day of August in the year two thousand and one.

*Scott McCallum*

Scott McCallum  
Governor

By the Governor:

*Douglas La Follette*  
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