

Mandatory 10-digit dialing is on its way for telephone customers in western Kentucky as part of the new 364 area code being added in the region.

The Kentucky Public Service Commission's Andrew Melnykovich says you can practice now

{audio}http://wcluradio.com/newscuts/110713areacode.mp3{/audio}

- Most businesses that use telephone services or those that have high-end equipment are already making the transition.
- The 364 area code is an overlay in the 270 zone, no one will have to change their numbers.
- The next area code that will need an overlay is 502, but that may not be needed for eight to ten years.