



## ***Van Buren Telephone Co., Inc.***

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### **Business Organization Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc.**

#### **Legal Name:**

- Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc

#### **Address:**

- 617 1<sup>st</sup> Street
- PO Box 430
- Keosauqua, IA 52565

#### **Business Structure:**

- C-Corp
- Privately held company
- 5 elected Board of Directors
- Tax-ID = 42-0576230
- DUNS = 006841084
- OCN = 351319
- CLLI codes
  - BRHMIAXORS4
  - BONPIAXORS5
  - CNTRIAXORS3
  - KESQIAXODS0
  - MTSTIAXORS4
  - STPTIAXORS7

#### **History**

- Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc. was created on July 30, 1923 to provide telephone service to customers in Birmingham, Bonaparte, Bentonsport, Douds, Keosauqua and Stockport. The Mt. Sterling exchange was purchased in 1943, and the Cantril exchange was purchased in 1952. Since our inception, Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc. has evolved from providing party-line phone service, to being a full-service provider of the most advanced phone, long distance and high speed Internet services available. As a part of a state-wide fiber network, VBT customers have access to cutting-edge

technologies and top quality services. Plus, as a local company, we are proud to support the communities we serve.

- We are the incumbent local exchange carrier serving the exchanges of Birmingham, Bonaparte, Bentonsport, Keosauqua, Stockport, and Mt Sterling.
- The majority of the exchanges are located in Van Buren County with a small portion in Jefferson and Henry County.
- We began fiber to the home in 2014. Currently the exchanges of Keosauqua, Bonaparte and Cantril are 100% fiber to the home (FTTH).
- We offer FTTH internet packages with speeds up to 100/50.
- We serve 961 fiber customers in the exchanges of Keosauqua, Bonaparte and Cantril.
- The exchanges of Birmingham, Mt Sterling and Stockport have DSL internet service serving 359 customers.
- The Stockport exchange is planned for FTTH beginning in Spring 2019 and is the project that is the subject of this application. We serve 155 DSL customers in this exchange and will upgrade them to fiber service once the project is complete.

#### Litigation

- No pending or threatened litigation or investigation(s).
- No contract default or termination.

#### Financial Capability

- \$3,500,000 annual revenue.
- Currently debt free.
- Three exchanges built out with fiber to the home with speeds offered up to 100/50.
- 1,320 total internet customers.
- 1,905 voice lines.
- Proven capability to effectively build FTTH in rural exchanges in Iowa.

## Table of Organization

George Manning  
Board President

Monte Hagge  
General Manager/COO

Rita Tedrow  
Accountant

Lisa  
Plowman  
Customer  
Service

Rhonda Best  
Customer  
Service

Holly  
Davison  
Customer  
Service

Deric  
Saunders  
CO  
Technician

Nate Adkins  
OSP  
Technician

Kit Newman  
OSP  
Technician

Tanner  
Billingsley  
OSP  
Technician