Exhibit VW-1

Vicky Weatherwax

Professional experience

Over 20 years of experience with increasing responsibility in the communications sector, including network design, construction, project management and network cost optimization.

2007 - Present FairPoint Communications Portland, ME

VP, Internal Business Solutions **July 2009 - Present**

- Responsible for enhancement of internal organizations processes and infrastructure in order to grow customer base, increase customer satisfaction and delivery.
- Facilitate strategic planning and resource allocation; establish operational processes and improvements; ensure quality control and compliance with organizational requirements for quality management.

Director, Central Office Engineering & Planning **September 2007 – July 2009**

- Responsible for COE planning and design and implementation, maintaining central office equipment and inter office network infrastructure to support voice and data customer needs.
- Lead role in design, installation and cutover of new ACD / Call Center, SS7 management, Advanced Intelligent Network and Operator Service/Directory Assistance network to support Maine, New Hampshire & Vermont conversion from Verizon systems.
- Disciplines; Traffic & Capacity, Field Engineering, IOF Planning & Design, Translations, Collocation Engineering, Special service engineering (SS7, 911, Vmail, AIN) and Data Engineering with a staff of six Managers and 65+ engineers and planners.

1998 - 2007 US LEC Corp. Charlotte, NC

Director, Network Design

Promoted June 2005

- Reporting directly to the SVP of Engineering provided key planning and technical recommendations for US LEC's network evolution.
- Responsible for identification, evaluation and implementation of updated and optimal network topology and equipment with a focus on cost savings and future product and growth capabilities.
- Responsible for the installation of 18 Softswitches that support Voice of Internet Protocol (VoIP) as well as other voice and data services.
- Installed collocations to support local Ethernet to the customer premise and lowered cost $500k annually.
- Manage staff of Network Engineers.

Member of Technical Staff, Engineering

Promoted September 2002

- Responsible for developing, initiating, and implementing large multi-function projects to enhance network functionality.
- Resulted in over $4.5 million annualized savings.

Program Manager, Advanced Intelligent Network

Promoted July 2000

- Responsible for development, installation, and management of AIN network and platform including 800 Incoming and account codes products.
- Developed processes and procedures for E911 and LNP implementation and maintenance.
- Installed SS7 network, including all backbone and link installs between internal switches, carriers and Local Exchange Carrier (LEC).

Manager, Network Planning

- Responsible for building, maintaining and managing network. This included facility capacity and network trunking and new switch installations.
- Managed team of eight Planning & Traffic Engineers as well as Project Coordinators. Hiring and firing authority.

1996 - 1998 Sprint PCS Irvine, CA

Project Manager

- Responsible for switch installations and cell site builds for Southern California and Nevada markets. Coordinated efforts between inside Engineering team, construction team, Carrier Access Providers and Local Exchange Companies for all builds.
- Installed SS7 network, which included four SS7 switch (STP) installations, backbone, build and link interface to Bell Operating Companies and Carriers.
- Assisted in implementation of multi-state Asynchronous Transport Mode (ATM) network build, managing network naming (DLCI) and assignments.
- Built and managed inventory database for network circuitry down to trunk level and equipment assignments.
- Wrote script and database for monthly Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG) update to assist traffic and translations teams in routing and number administration.
- Attended multiple Industry Meetings concerning number assignments, portability, overlays and area splits.

1995 - 1996 Nextel Communications San Diego, CA

Site Development – Leasing / Zoning Manager

- Responsible for all property issues including zoning, leasing and post construction for cell sites for San Diego and Imperial Counties.
- Coordinated contractors and Engineers to manage schedules, testing and build costs.
- Managed all billing and reporting to corporate for all builds and staffing costs.

1984 - 1995 University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA

Director of Administration, Freshman Writing Program

1990 - 1995

- Responsible for $3M budget, signature authority for all expenditures.
- Management of 120 Instructors, eight full-time support staff and 20 part-time student assistants. Hiring and firing authority, scheduling, training.

Manager IT / Operations, Computing Services

1984 - 1990

- Responsible for campus wide computing for main systems and three student labs. Monitored, serviced and maintained multiple large scale computers and peripheral

hardware including IBM, AMDAHL and DEC. Labs contained MACs and IBM desktop computers for student use.

- Managed twenty full-time staff and eighty part-time students servicing covering five shifts for 365 days a year 24 hours a day.

Education

Wake Forest University, Babcock School of Business

MBA 2006, Emphasis International and global study.

University of Phoenix

Bachelor of Science, Information Technology