

VELCO's Statewide Radio System Overview

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Mission, Vision & Values

Our mission

VELCO's mission is to serve as a trusted partner.

Our vision

VELCO's vision is to create a sustainable Vermont through our people, assets, relationships and operating model.

Our values

VELCO values people, safety, sustainability, creativity and great work.

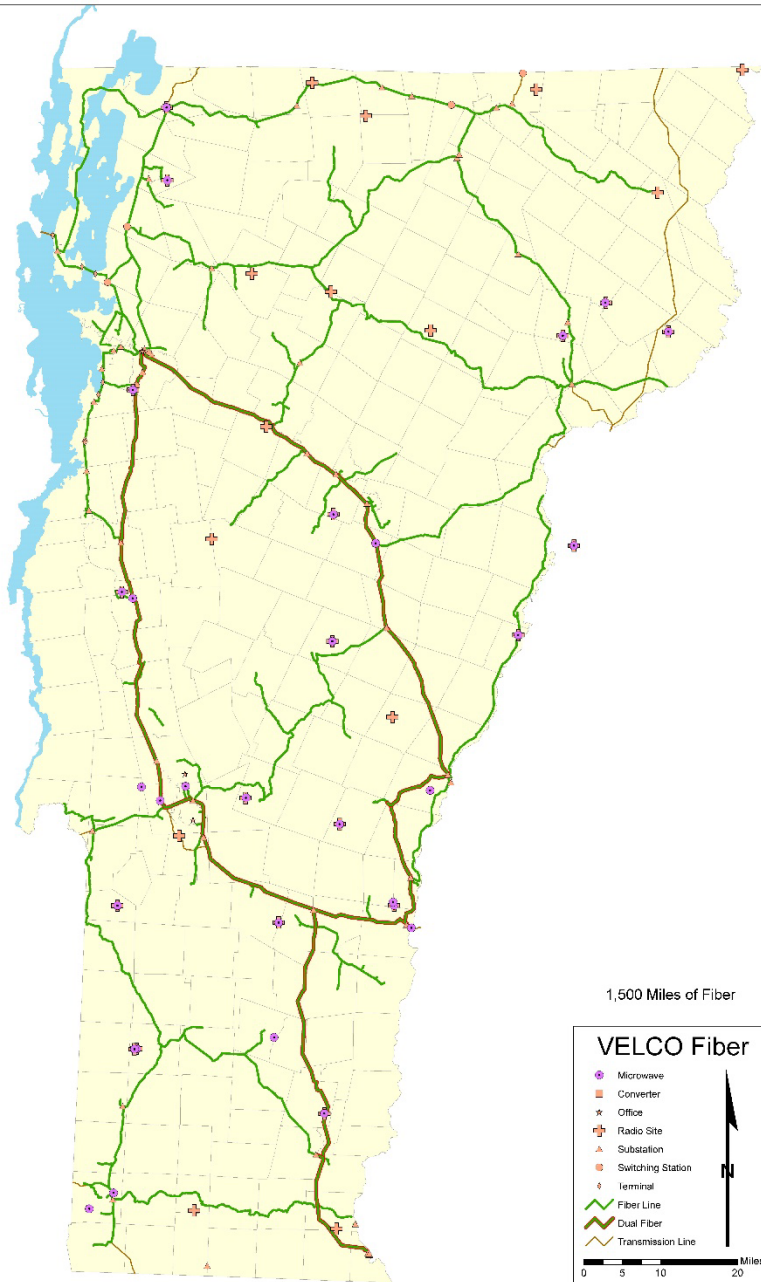
To live our values we...

- Treat everyone with respect.
- Respond with urgency and care.
- Unconditionally support and empower one another.
- Share information.
- Think outside the box.



Statewide Radio System

- Statewide coverage for the safe and reliable operation of the electric grid
- Critical safety infrastructure for utility workers
- Analog trunked radio network comprised of 54 radio sites (19 owned by VELCO)
- Over 1,100 users
- 70,000+ calls each year
- Emergency call functionality



VELCO supports §248a extension

- 248a was instrumental in VELCO's success in building the Statewide Radio System.
- The network is critical for the safety of our utility workers and the public.
- 248a provides clarity in the process, time, costs, and ultimately constructability of wireless infrastructure while ensuring good local involvement and consideration.

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