

Johnson Networks - Press Release

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Gorge Networks Acquires Johnson Networks

Hood River, OR—Gorge Networks announces its recent purchase of Johnson Networks, an Internet Service Provider based out of The Dalles, OR. Johnson Networks provides wireless broadband to businesses and residents throughout Southern Wasco County including the communities of Pine Hollow, Maupin, Tygh Valley, Juniper Flats, Pine Grove, Dufur, and Sportsman's Park. The purchase will allow Gorge Networks to expand its service area to nearly all of Wasco County.

Gorge Networks plans to continue to serve the company's existing customers as well as expand and improve upon the existing network of wireless towers it has acquired. The initial focus will be to integrate the two networks in order to provide quality broadband services, with the goal of adding voice services by early 2014.

Gorge Networks has focused on increasing its business customer base and developing products to best meet the needs of businesses throughout the Gorge. "We have so many great services to offer the businesses in these rural communities. I'm excited to get to work helping them be even more productive," says Alex Morris, Business Account Manager.

"We're excited to become a part of these communities. Providing quality service in areas that often get overlooked by other service providers brings us back to the roots of the company. We know rural and we know customer service and we look forward to sharing these strengths with our new customers," says Dan Bubb, CEO.

Founded in 1994, Gorge Networks has become one of the largest regional wireless service providers in the Northwest. We have grown to be the local service provider of choice for businesses and residents of the mid-Columbia area. We offer a complete suite of voice, data and telecom consulting services by leveraging our enterprise class voice and data network. Our local customer service is unparalleled in the industry and is what separates us from the rest.

Existing Johnson Networks customers will be contacted directly by our staff to go over any questions they may have. Existing and future customers can contact us at the Johnson Networks phone number or the Gorge Networks office at 541.386.8300.