

## **Companies Offering Local Telephone Service in Maryland**

Residential and business consumers have choices for local service. Over one hundred companies have applied for and received authority to offer local service in Maryland. You may obtain a complete list of these companies from the Maryland Public Service Commission's [utility listing](#).

Due to rapid changes in the market for local telephone service, we are unable to provide specific information about current service offerings, rates or optional services. We suggest that you consult the customer guide pages located in the front section your local residential (white pages) telephone directory for list of local telephone service providers that may be offering service in your area.

Companies may offer various services and package deals. We suggest that you discuss your particular telecommunications needs with each company. Before you sign up with any company make sure that you fully understand all the terms and conditions.

## **Companies Offering Prepaid Local to Residential Customers in Maryland**

Residential consumers have a choice of companies offering prepaid local service. For your convenience we have included information on those companies that are providing prepaid local service to residential customers. We suggest that you contact each company for current rate information.

The basic service rate for the prepaid service includes unlimited local calling within the customer's local calling area, as well as access to toll-free telephone numbers and 911 service. If directory assistance (411) service is available, you are entitled to six free directory assistance calls per month. Some local carriers may offer optional features such as Caller ID, Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Voice Mail, etc. for an additional cost.

Companies that offer a prepaid local service do not offer long distance toll service. You may make long distance calls with a prepaid long distance calling card.

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