

**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
LIFELINE/TRIBAL LINK UP ADVERTISING/OUTREACH  
ANNUAL REPORT  
JULY 1, 2016**

Company: Clarity Telecom dba Vast Broadband

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Sikeston, MO 63801

Telephone number: (573) 481-2765

Company contact: Kristin Burton

Study Area Code: 391652

Lifeline/Tribal Link Up Advertising/Outreach Activities:

X Advertise in media of general distribution.\* (See attached advertisement(s).)

X Letter to existing and new customers regarding the availability of Lifeline/ Tribal Link Up.\* (See attached bill message)

N/A Company's Lifeline/Tribal Link Up information in directory.

X Company's Lifeline/Tribal Link Up information available on Company website. (<https://www.vastbroadband.com/products/phone>)

X Company's information posted on USAC website.

       Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

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\*Required

# *Need Help Paying Your TELEPHONE BILL?*

**Vast Broadband's Lifeline discount may be able to help.** Lifeline is a government program that provides a monthly discount on telephone service to eligible households\*. Since 1985, the Lifeline program has helped millions of eligible Americans stay connected to family, work, doctors, and emergency services by making telephone service more affordable.

\*Lifeline is available on one telephone line per household and is nontransferable.

To see if you qualify for Lifeline,  
please visit [VASTbroadband.com](http://VASTbroadband.com).

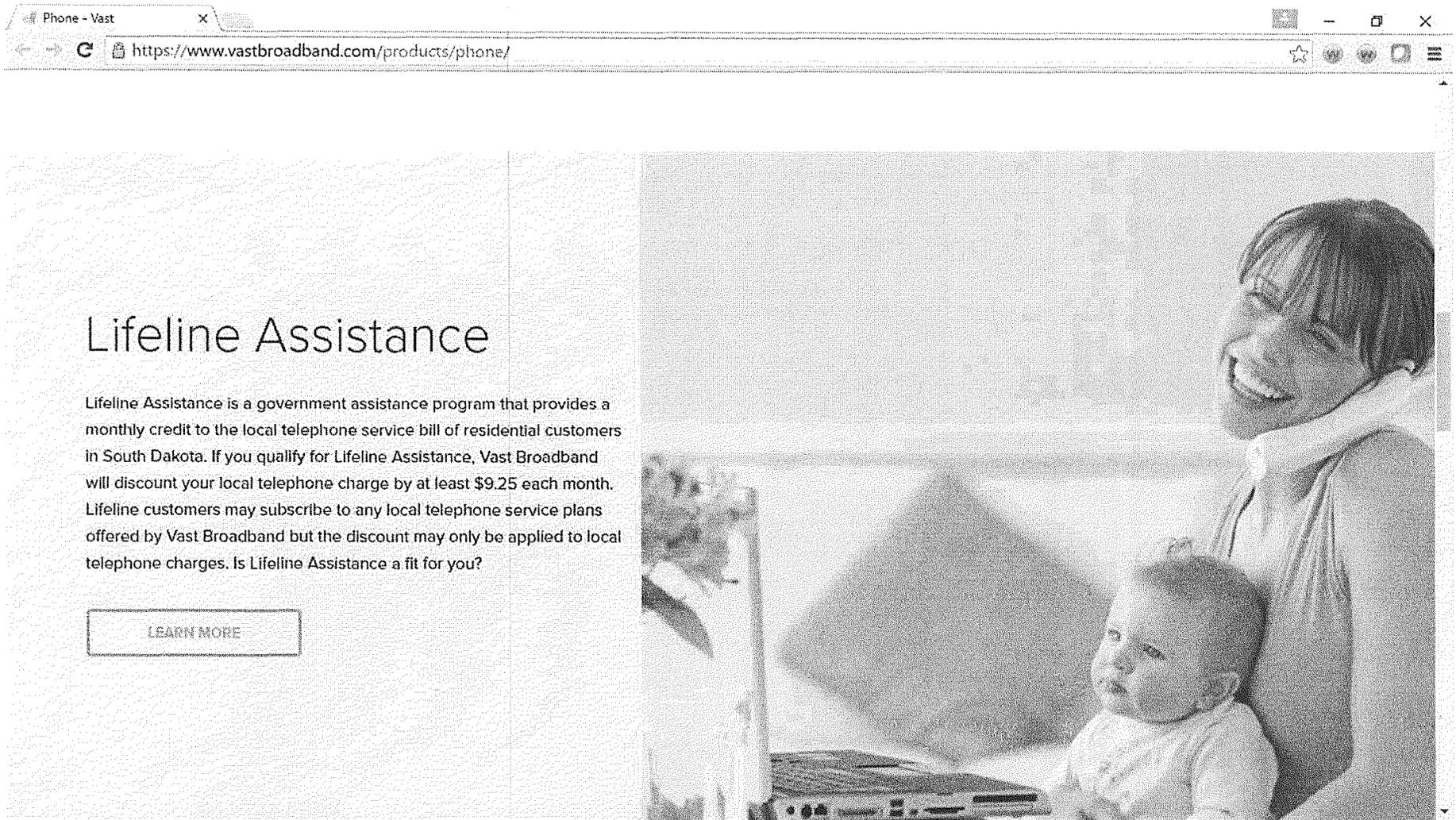


[VASTbroadband.com](http://VASTbroadband.com)



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Vast Lifeline Assistance Notice Link - <https://www.vastbroadband.com/products/phone/>



Phone - Vast

https://www.vastbroadband.com/products/phone/

## Lifeline Assistance

Lifeline Assistance is a government assistance program that provides a monthly credit to the local telephone service bill of residential customers in South Dakota. If you qualify for Lifeline Assistance, Vast Broadband will discount your local telephone charge by at least \$9.25 each month. Lifeline customers may subscribe to any local telephone service plans offered by Vast Broadband but the discount may only be applied to local telephone charges. Is Lifeline Assistance a fit for you?

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Contact Us  
www.vastbroadband.com  
1-888-745-2888

Account Number:  
Billing Date: 06/27/2015  
Total Amount Due: \$18.80  
Payment Due By: Jul 25, 2015

### Vast Broadband News

Did you know that with Vast Internet service you get Email with seven email addresses and the customizable Vast Customer Home Page that includes the latest news, weather and local TV listings? Vast offers speeds up to 50Mbps so whether you're a casual Internet user, or have a multi-user household, Vast has the right Internet speed for you! Go to [vast.com/internet](http://vast.com/internet) to learn more!

Replace your monthly paper statement with electronic copies that you can easily and conveniently view online anytime. To sign up, log into My Account on [vast.net](http://vast.net), click on Billing Center and select paperless statements.

### \$ Need Help Paying Your Telephone Bill?

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**DO NOT PAY-ACCOUNT IS DRAFTED AUTOMATICALLY**

#### STATEMENT SUMMARY

New Charges	\$17.30
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT DUE</b>	<b>\$18.80</b>

#### NEW CHARGES SUMMARY

Monthly Service Charges	\$18.80
<b>TOTAL NEW CHARGES</b>	<b>\$18.80</b>



An Administrative Fee will be applied to your account if the Total New Charges of are not received before .

Payments received after July 27, 20015 are not reflected on this statement.

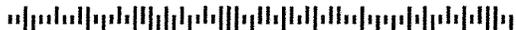
Detach and enclose this coupon with your payment. Please write your account number on your check or money order.

5100 S. Broadband Lane  
Sioux Falls, SD 57108

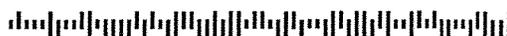
Account Number:  
Billing Date: 06/27/2015  
Total Amount Due: \$18.80

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

We proudly accept



VAST BROADBAND  
PO BOX 35153  
SEATTLE, WA 98124-5153





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**Customer Care**

**What is the Carrier Service Fee?**

The Carrier Service Fee helps cover administrative expenses for national and local regulatory fees and programs, as well as connection and account servicing charges. This fee is not a tax or charge required by the government.

**What is the Federal Access Recovery Charge?**

The Federal Access Recovery Charge (ARC) is related to changes in federal rules for the rates charged between carriers to carry telecommunications traffic. This is not a government mandated tax or fee.

Previous Balance.....	\$0.00
<b>SERVICE CHARGES</b>	
05/06 - 06/05 BROADCASTER TV SURCHARGE .....	\$8.30
05/06 - 06/05 Phone Local Service-Vacation .....	\$9.00
05/06 - 06/05 ACCESS RECOVERY CHARGE.....	\$1.50
<b>Total Service Charges.....</b>	<b>\$18.80</b>
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT DUE.....</b>	<b>\$18.80</b>
<b>SERVICE LOCATIONS</b>	
296 ARIZONA AVE WATERTOWN SD 57201	



Franchise Authority: City of Worthing (SD0220) 605-372-4113 PO Box 277 Worthing, SD 57077

Change of Address Effective Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home # \_\_\_\_\_

Business # \_\_\_\_\_

**YES**, Please enroll me in Vast Broadband AutoPay Program. I authorize Vast to automatically charge my credit/debit card the total balance due on my Vast Broadband statement on the payment due date each month. I understand the balance due may vary month to month depending on the services provided and the statement will be sent to me approximately two weeks before the payment due date. I may cancel at any time by written notice to Vast Broadband.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card  VISA  MasterCard  Discover  American Express

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name As On Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code Of Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Bank Account  Checking (attach a voided check)  Savings

Bank Account #: \_\_\_\_\_

Routing and Transit #: \_\_\_\_\_



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## COMPANIES NEAR ME

### South Dakota

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Clicking on the header label of each column will sort the table by that column.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Phone</u>	<u>Service Type</u>
<a href="#">AT&amp;T Mobility</a>	800-377-9450	Wireless
<a href="#">Budget Mobile</a>	888-777-4007	Wireless
<a href="#">City of Brookings Telephone Fund</a>		Wireless
<a href="#">James Valley Wireless</a>	800-556-6525	Wireless
<a href="#">Northern Valley Communications</a>	888-919-8945	Wireless
<a href="#">Standing Rock Telecom</a>	701-854-7098	Wireless
<a href="#">Northern Valley Communications</a>	888-919-8945	Home Phone
<a href="#">Alliance Communications</a>	800-701-4978	Home Phone
<a href="#">Beresford Municipal Telephone</a>	605-763-2500	Home Phone
<a href="#">C.R.S.T. Telephone Authority</a>	605-964-2600	Home Phone
<a href="#">CenturyLink</a>	800-244-1111	Home Phone
<a href="#">City of Fairth Municipal Telephone Company</a>	605-967-2261	Home Phone
<a href="#">Golden West Telecommunications</a>	855-888-7777	Home Phone
<a href="#">ITC Telecom</a>	800-417-8667	Home Phone
<a href="#">James Valley Telecommunications</a>	800-556-6525	Home Phone
<a href="#">Jefferson Telephone Company</a>	712-271-4000	Home Phone
<a href="#">Kennebec Telephone Company</a>	605-869-2220	Home Phone
<a href="#">Midcontinent Communications</a>	800-888-1300	Home Phone
<a href="#">Midstate Communications</a>	605-778-6221	Home Phone
<a href="#">Midstate Telecom, Inc</a>	888-214-1431	Home Phone
<a href="#">Mt. Rushmore Telephone Company</a>	605-666-4411	Home Phone
<a href="#">RC Communications, Inc.</a>	800-256-6854	Home Phone
<a href="#">Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association</a>	800-256-6854	Home Phone
<a href="#">Santel Communications</a>	888-978-7777	Home Phone
<a href="#">SS Telecom</a>	605-676-6000	Home Phone
<a href="#">Swiftel Communications</a>	605-692-6211	Home Phone
<a href="#">TrioTel Communications, Inc.</a>	800-242-1925	Home Phone

<a href="#">Valley Telecommunications Cooperative Association</a>	605-437-2615	Home Phone
<a href="#">Vast Broadband</a>	888-745-2888	Home Phone
<a href="#">Venture Communications</a>	800-824-7282	Home Phone
<a href="#">West River Telecom</a>	800-748-7220	Home Phone
<a href="#">Western Telephone Company</a>	800-824-7282	Home Phone

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