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*Merry Christmas from
Lincoln Telephone
and
Lincoln Cable TV*

*Ken, Aaron, Tony
Teresa, Bryce and Jill*



DEADLINE

Any changes for the Dex Directory must be received by Lincoln Telephone Company **NO** later than December 30, 2011.

Please Call 362-4216. Thank you!

Call Completion Issues?

There is a serious problem with call completion throughout America's telecom network, yet to date, the FCC has appeared uninterested in addressing this issue. As you may have experienced, the problem manifests itself with long distance call set up times, the calling party hearing dead air, the called party picking up and hearing dead air, poor call quality, or one party being able to hear and not the other. This issue referred to by the telephone industry as a "call termination" or "least cost routing" is a national problem affecting most rural Telephone companies, all who have provided detailed documentation to the FCC. The problem arises as a result of originating long distance carrier transporting the call, generally through an intermediated carrier. In most cases, we've found that the intermediate carrier doesn't properly route the call with the required information or doesn't pass the call at all. In all cases Lincoln Telephone has investigated, the data necessary for us to complete the call is not received. Therefore, unfortunately, there is nothing we can do to resolve the problem. Lincoln Telephone is frustrated, as we know you are with these long distance carriers! We encourage you to file a complaint with the FCC at 1-888-225-5322 or www.fcc.gov/complaints.



November's Round-Up figure of \$118.24 went to the Blackfoot Valley Historical Society.

PLEASE REMEMBER...

When plowing snow this winter, keep an eye out for our Green Telephone Pedestals. If you would like us to mark them for you, please call 362-4216.



The best of all gifts around any Christmas Tree is the presence of a happy family all wrapped up in each other.

~Burton Hillis

Lincoln Telephone will be Closed Mon, Dec 26th And Mon, Jan 2nd



LINCOLN CABLE TV
Your Hometown Choice

Lincoln Cable TV regrets to inform our customers the necessity to increase our basic rate from \$26.00 to \$26.50 monthly, effective January 1, 2012. This increase is due to increases in programming fees. Lincoln Cable TV strives to bring you the best quality and variety of programs, including the unique Lincoln Lynx channel. We sincerely appreciate your subscribing to Lincoln Cable TV and hope you identify Lincoln Cable TV as being an entertainment value.