



Service Offering: Buried Wire

Overview

Buried Service Wire (BSW) is defined as a cable installed underground from a telephone terminal to a CLEC's Network Interface Device (NID) that brings dial tone to the premises. A Network Interface Device (NID) is a point of interconnection between FairPoint communication facilities and terminal equipment, protective apparatus or wiring at the CLEC/end user's premises. FairPoint is not responsible for digging the trench and laying the conduit when the CLEC requests BSW. There may be occasions when a CLEC requests FairPoint to place BSW before the service is installed. If the CLEC/contractor has provided the trench, FairPoint will place the BSW in the trench. It is FairPoint's responsibility to place and maintain it. This wire does not belong to the CLEC/end user.

To request moves of Buried Wire the CLEC must issue a Local Service Request (LSR).

FairPoint will move wire for the following reasons	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renovations to home or business • Demolition of the building • Construction where service exists
Buried Drop/Wire may refer to the following	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The movement and/or relocation of the Network Interface Device (see NID Moves) • Changing Aerial Wire to Buried Wire • Move or change Outside Drop Wire or Protector
Requesting Buried Service Wire	
	<p>Required Forms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Service Request (LSR) • End User Form (EU) • Service Specific Form (Resale, Loop Service, etc)
	<p>The "REQTYP" (Request Type) on your LSR will depend on the type of service.</p> <p>When requesting a move of Buried wired, review FairPoint's Business Rules for the appropriate usage and value of each Field.</p>