

Welcome to Sytek!

A service provided by Upsala Cooperative Telephone Association

Please fill out the attached application for telephone and/or internet service.

There is a required deposit of \$100 due when the application is returned to our office. It will be credited back to your account after 12 months of timely payments. Sytek has an installation fee which will be determined depending on the existing equipment at your home. This can be paid up front or with your first billing statement. **This is a separate and additional charge from the deposit.**

If you are requesting service for a newly constructed house, please allow 4 weeks for the installation, provided the ground allows for plowing of the Fiber To The Home (FTTH). If the ground is frozen, plowing/boring will be based on environment. If fiber needs to be plowed/bored, the installation fee is \$1,200 plus the plowing/boring fee. The \$1,200 installation fee may be waived with a 24 month contract.

If you are requesting service for an existing home, please allow two weeks for installation provided that FTTH was plowed at an earlier date. If fiber has already been plowed to the home, the installation fee is \$100. The \$100 installation fee may be waived with a 12 month contract.

If the application requires plowing of the Fiber-To-The-Home, our technicians will need to go to the site and measure. The first 250' on private right away (driveway to home) is free. The first 750' on public right of way (coming from our nearest ped to your driveway) is free. It is \$5.50 per foot after the 250' on private and \$5.50 per foot after the 750' on public. When our office has finished measuring, you will receive an estimate by email or by mail with the deposit amount required to start the installation of service.

Boring Fiber-To-The-Home will be 100% customer responsibility at \$12.00 per foot. Our technicians will need to go to the site and measure. When our office has finished measuring, you will receive an estimate by email or by mail with the deposit amount required to start the installation of service.

573 Telephone Service is \$22.57 plus surcharges and taxes. The following are local calls for Sytek customers:

845	Albany	547	Swanville
836	Freeport	584	Royalton
746	Holdingford	616, 631, 632	Little Falls

Here are just a few cell phone exchanges that are also local to the Sytek telephone customers: 228, 232, 302, 360, 374, 412, 414, 431, 630, 635, 639, 733, 735 & 803

VoIP (Voice over internet protocol) telephone service is available outside of the 573 exchange starting at \$29.99 plus surcharges and taxes. Business pricing is higher.



SYTEK SERVICE APPLICATION (complete BOTH sides!)

This is a fillable pdf form, click to download, open this document into Acrobat Reader, fill out <u>both</u> pages, sign and email to: <u>billing@sytekcom.com</u>, or print and mail to: Sytek • PO Box 277 • 117 South Main Street • Upsala MN 56384 Please call (320) 573-1390 with any questions about this form.

DATE OF APPLICATION APPLICANT NAME	CONTACT NUMBER		
MAILING ADDRESS	CITY-STATE-ZIP		
911 ADDRESS (service address if different) NEW HOME CONSTRUCTION? HAS FIBER ALREADY BEEN F	COUNTY OF SERVICE PLOWED?		
Yes No Yes No ARE YOU AN UPSALA WOULD YOU LIKE TO ROOM BECOME A MEMBER?	I AM INTERESTED IN (SELECT ONE) Internet only Telephone and internet Telephone only		
Do you want your name in the local phone directory and released to directory assistance? (\$1monthly fee for an unpublished number) Yes No PUBLISHED NAME PUBLISHED ADDRESS			

INTERNET SPEED

Customers speed experiences will vary, especially when accessing the internet wirelessly from various devices. Download speeds are via a wired connection and are up to 1 gig per second via a wired connection. Due to overhead capacity reserved to deliver the data, speeds may be less than 1 gig. Internet speeds through a wired or wireless connection are not guaranteed due to conditions outside of network control, including customer location, size of customer home, differences in home construction or age of customers devices and equipment.

A \$100 DEPOSIT IS REQUIRED WITH RETURN OF APPLICATION:

Your deposit is credited back to your account after 12 months of timely payments. INSTALLATION FEE:

- \$100* if fiber has already been plowed to your home.
- \$1200** if fiber has not been plowed to your home.
- If fiber has not been plowed to your home a separate plowing fee may be required.
- The installation fee may be waived with a *12 or **24 month contract.
- The installation fee is a separate and additional charge from the deposit.
- You may pay the installation fee up front, or with your first billing statement.
- A late payment charge of 1.5% per month (18% per year) will be applied to any amount past due.
- The minimum late payment charge is \$.50.

TELEPHONE CUSTOMERS ONLY	REQUIRED PIN/PASSWORD
,	Communications hone companies to
the account or legal power of attorney. If call of	discuss account information with the person(s) listed on detail or password information is required over the phone, ord in order for our customer service representative (CSR) hone.
ALL CUSTOMERS	
Please answer at least two questions, OR give u call in regarding your password or account info	us a password or PIN # so we can validate you if you ormation.
,	you to answer two or more of the following questions. In formation about your account, we will ask you one of about your account.
MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME FAVORITE TEACHER	FAVORITE PET'S NAME CITY YOU WERE BORN IN
SCHOOL YOU GRADUATED FROM	PIN/PASSWORD
SIGNATURE (Sytek accepts a digital signature or a hand	signature)
OPTIONAL RECURRING ACH/EBILL FORM	
Fill out the information below to save time and receive a paper bill	money! A \$2.00 surcharge will apply if you choose to
EMAIL (save \$2.00 and send pdf ebill only to this	
	I will call in my bank or credit card information
ACH/EFT PAYMENTS (please enclose a voided of	,
BANK NAME BANK ACC	OUNT NUMBER ROUTING NUMBER
CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS A \$2.00 surcharge will	apply for payments made via credit card.
VISA/MASTERCARD/DISCOVER	EXPIRATION DATE THREE DIGIT CODE
AUTHORIZED USER SIGNATURE (Sytek accepts a	digital signature or a hand signature) DATE



WHY MEMBERSHIP?

Why Join Us?

Serving Central
Minnesota since 1907,
our company has
grown into providing
many different services.
We are owned by our
members and run for
the benefit of our
customers. We're a
people-first organization
and our values are
centered in making a
positive and lasting
impact.

Membership

What does membership mean to me?

When you have a membership with Sytek (UCTA), you get exclusive voting rights, annual meeting review and a return on your investment. Sytek is currently paying members through 1980.

Earnings

- In 2019 we allocated **more** than 100% back to our members!*
- One time \$50 non- refundable membership fee

EXAMPLE: John Smith services cost him \$1,140.00 for the year, we allocated \$1,226.25 back to his account

*The amount of refund varies from year to year based on how much profit the cooperative makes in any given year and if there are any upcoming projects. Future refunds are not guaranteed and the decision on how much to return in cash to the cooperative members at any given time is made by the cooperative's board of directors and will vary from year to year.

WHEN SYTEK MAKES MONEY, 100% OF THE THE MONEY IS ALLOCATED BACK TO ITS MEMBERS

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

The undersigned (hereinafter called the "Applicant"), hereby subscribes to membership in a corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota under the name UPSALA COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE ASSOCIATION dba Sytek Communications (hereinafter called the "Cooperative") upon the following terms and conditions:

- The Applicant will pay an amount of \$50, which shall constitute the membership fee and must meet all conditions set forth in Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the Cooperative.
- 2. The Applicant will purchase from the Cooperative telephone or other communication services and will pay therefor monthly rates to be determined from time to time in accordance with the By-Laws of the cooperative, it being expressly understood that all amounts paid by Applicant in excess of operating cost and expenses of the Cooperative are furnished by Applicant as capital and Applicant shall be credited with the capital so furnished as provided in the By-Laws.
- 3. To the extent it may be necessary for the Cooperative to provide the telephone or other communication service to Applicant, the Applicant hereby grants to the Cooperative a right of way easement to construct, operate and maintain a telephone line or communication system on, over, or under the land describe below and in or upon

- all streets, roads or highways abutting said land. The Applicant further agrees that in the event that said Applicant does not own all private land or lands necessary to be crossed, as stated above, he or she or they shall obtain, on forms provided by the Cooperative, all necessary easements from the owner or owners of said land or lands and shall submit same to said Cooperative prior to installation of such communication service.
- 4. The Applicant will comply with and be bound by the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the Cooperative, and such rules and regulations as may from time to time be adopted by the Cooperative.
- The Applicant, by becoming a member or shareholder, assumes no personal liability or responsibility for any debts or liabilities of the Cooperative and it is expressly understood that Applicant's private property is exempt from execution for any such debts of liabilities.

This Application is made in consideration of similar applications by others and is understood to be an agreement with such applicants.

The acceptance of this application by the Cooperative shall constitute an agreement between the Applicant and the Cooperative and shall continue in force until cancelled by at least 30 days written notice given by either party to the other.

Date: / / /	Applicant's Name:	FIRST	
Address:	City:	State: Zip:	
Telephone Number: ()	Email:		
Signature of Applicant:			
	(Sytek accepts a digital signature	or a hand signature)	

Office Use Only: Certificate Number ______

This application for membership is optional and requires non-refundable one-time fee of \$50.00.

SYTEK LONG DISTANCE CARRIERS Signature 573 Telephone Number Date Pic Freeze YES NO A PIC freeze prevents unauthorized account changes without customer approval for landline phone numbers. If a port out request is submitted, the PIC freeze feature tells the new provider no change can be made until the customer removes the freeze. I want a Long Distance Carrier YES NO If Yes: You must select a long distance carrier from each column to provide your 1+ dialed long distance service for calls both within your calling area (IntraLATA) and outside your calling area (InterLATA). **InterLATA** <u>IntraLATA</u> *AT&T *AT&T Residential Residential 1.800.222.0300 1.800.222.0300 **Business** 1.800.222.0400 **Business** 1.800.222.0400 *MCI *MCI Residential 1.800.444.2222 Residential 1.800.444.2222 **Business** 1.800.888.0800 **Business** 1.800.888.0800 **SYTEK SYTEK** Residential Residential 1.320.573.1390 1.320.573.1390 **Business Business** 1.320.573.1390 1.320.573.1390 I understand there is a monthly charge of \$3.95 and 14 cents per minute for Sytek Long Distance. There are no call plans or international calling available. Signature

*If you choose AT&T or MCI for your long distance, it is your responsibility to call them and discuss their fees and choose a plan.



Design Your Own Telephone Service

Sytek "special package" offers big savings on popular features that make your life easier.

A \$29.75*/30.20** Monthly Value For Only.....

\$7.95/Month

An Annual savings of More Than \$262

For just \$7.95 per month you get Any or all of the following:

Voice Mail	4.00		Automatic Recall	1.50
Voice Mail with Internet pkg	2.50		900 Number Blocking	NC
Simultaneous Ring	2.00		Automatic Callback	1.50
(Voice Mail Required)			Selective Call Forwarding	1.50
Call Waiting	1.00		Calling Number Delivery*	3.50
Call Forwarding	1.00		(Caller ID Box may be req	uired)
Three-Way Calling	1.00		Calling Number and Name Delive	ry**3.95
Speed Calling (8)	1.00		(Caller ID Box may be req	uired)
Speed Calling (30)	1.75		Calling Number Delivery Bl	ocking –
Personal Ringing	2.00		Per Call - No Monthly	Charge
Call Forwarding Busy Line	2.00		Calling Number Delivery Bl	ocking –
Call Forwarding Don't Answe	er 2.00		Per Line - No Monthly	Charge
Remote Activation of			Termination Call Managem	ent NC
Call Forwarding	2.00			
	Voice Mail with Internet pkg Simultaneous Ring (Voice Mail Required) Call Waiting Call Forwarding Three-Way Calling Speed Calling (8) Speed Calling (30) Personal Ringing Call Forwarding Busy Line Call Forwarding Don't Answer	Voice Mail with Internet pkg Simultaneous Ring (Voice Mail Required) Call Waiting Call Forwarding Three-Way Calling Speed Calling (8) Speed Calling (30) Speed Calling (30) Personal Ringing Call Forwarding Busy Line Call Forwarding Don't Answer 2.00 Remote Activation of	Voice Mail with Internet pkg 2.50 Simultaneous Ring 2.00 (Voice Mail Required) Call Waiting 1.00 Call Forwarding 1.00 Three-Way Calling 1.00 Speed Calling (8) 1.00 Speed Calling (30) 1.75 Personal Ringing 2.00 Call Forwarding Busy Line 2.00 Call Forwarding Don't Answer 2.00 Remote Activation of	Voice Mail with Internet pkg 2.50 Simultaneous Ring 2.00 Call Required) Call Waiting 1.00 Calling Number Delivery* Call Forwarding 1.00 Calling Number and Name Delivery Speed Calling (8) Speed Calling (30) Personal Ringing 2.00 Calling Number Delivery Bl Call Forwarding Don't Answer 2.00 Calling Number Delivery Bl

Contact us for details! 573.1390 – Option #1

To sign up.... Simply check the features that you would like above, sign below and return this form to us. We will mail a confirmation letter to you once the features have been installed and will also include instructions on how to use the features.

There will be a \$15.00 set-up fee charged to your account.

Signature:	Date:
Telephone Number:	