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- Civil construction team deployment
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Installation
- Fully trained and experienced professional installers for central office and/or remote locations nationwide
- Provide quality and timely installations, while maintaining a safe and secure work environment
- Handle multiple projects of any scale nationwide, or with multiple end customers for suppliers
- Assist with end-customer contacts to verify site readiness and any special requirements

PIM TESTING
Passive Inter-Modulation (PIM) testing has become synonymous with antenna system installation and maintenance. The activity of testing requires investment in equipment and personnel training which began in 2010 and continues with the rapid deployment of Long Term Evolution (LTE) technology.

DAS Solutions
- Wireless customer satisfaction is driven by excellent coverage where cell phones are used. More than 50 percent of all calls originate or terminate inside buildings. In-building cellular coverage and capacity is a key component of maintaining uniform grade of customer’s wireless experience.
- MasTec Network Solutions’ active distributed antenna system-based solutions provide consistent technological agnostic coverage. We review criteria such as providing coverage for multiple frequency bands and simultaneously supporting multiple carriers through a complete solution portfolio.

GREEN ENERGY SOLUTIONS
We have developed methods to conserve energy and create broadband infrastructure deployment that is sustainable and overall more environmentally friendly. Our efforts have yielded innovations resulting in minimizing or eliminating equipment shelters associated with HVAC and reducing power and battery usage on each site.

BUILD TO SUIT
MasTec Network Solutions’ philosophy – It’s just good business – evolved by providing quality, customized and comprehensive services to our customers. When developing a build-to-suit project, we provide our customers with exactly what they need while eliminating excessive costs and waste. A build-to-suit can offer several advantages:
- Alows tenants to achieve maximum space efficiency
- Space is designed specifically for the tenant
- New construction allows you to incorporate the most cost-effective energy systems
- Operating and occupancy costs are reduced
- The project’s design projects your image
- Provides for future expansion

Our strength lies in our ability to source innovative technology solutions and deliver projects on-time, within budget and at the highest quality achievable.
Civil Construction

Our construction division employs experienced construction professionals in the telecommunications infrastructure industry. We are geographically positioned to support our growing customer base.

From turnkey tower construction to rooftop installations, CAT 5 and fiber wiring, our construction division can perform any site deployment efficiently and cost effectively.

Our services include:
- Site preparation
- Civil work
- Prefabricated buildings
- Tenant improvement
- Electrical
- Telephone facilities installation
- Monopole and tower construction
- Antenna and coaxial cable installation and testing
- Fiber and T1/DS3 testing and acceptance

Maintenance

Effective maintenance begins with framing and ranking objectives. Planning different phases and tasks, and monitoring and ensuring deliverables are consistent with preventative measures are the cornerstones of a successful outcome.

MasTec Network Solutions’ service portfolio enables our customer to focus on their core business – customer service and market development – while ensuring effective network maintenance and yielding significant reduction in operations expenses.

The MasTec Network Solutions maintenance program delivers visibility into the status of every single site in the nation from anywhere and at anytime. Real time information enables predictable budgeting, efficient headcount and performance evaluations.

Our maintenance services include:
- Microwave backhaul/cell site transport maintenance
- Cell site maintenance
- Pre-disaster preventative maintenance
- Disaster recovery

Equipment Installation & Commissioning

MICROWAVE, CELLULAR, OPTIC TRANSPORT, COLO AND DATA CENTER

We specialize in installation, de-installation and commissioning of wireless and wireline communication systems. We install DC power systems, enable multi-media transmission systems and create the support infrastructure for new and existing sites by providing:

- Procurement and equipment identification
- Warehousing and inventory control
- Delivery to site
- Sweep testing
- Commissioning
- Optimization
- Integration
- Maintenance
- Configuration databases
- Network management systems
- Battery and rectifier systems
- Training
- System support
- Equipment maintenance and assembly

INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGEMENT

- Accurate scheduling system ensures time-to-market and cost-of-entry-into market
- Identify superior resources and precise logistics management
- MasTec Network Solutions’ Zero Defects Program ensures superior network performance
- Utilizes historical and predictive analysis to develop trends and elimination of errors
Microwave Engineering

RADIO ENGINEERING SERVICES
- Radio bench testing
- Rack and radio installation
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ANTENNA SYSTEM INSTALLATION SERVICES
Our COMTRAIN-certified installation crews are able to provide antenna and line (L&A) installation services on a broad range of antenna systems. All of our tower technicians complete customized tower climber safety, fall protection, and rescue programs before beginning their tenure.

Our crews are experienced in the installation of licensed and unlicensed microwave paths utilizing antennas ranging from two to 12 feet in diameter from a variety of manufacturers, including Andrew and RFS. We also employ the use of the latest test equipment from XL Microwave and Anritsu for path alignment and sweep testing.

MICROWAVE PROJECT ENGINEERING
In addition to in-field personnel, we also have a staff of in-house engineers that specialize in:
- Network mapping using programs such as MapInfo and TopoUSA
- Path engineering using Pathloss 5.0 that includes final path design and report
- Site candidate and donor selection
- FCC licensing and coordination
- Vendor selection and ordering
- FCC regulatory compliance / microwave site audits: display of on-site link license documentation coordinates verification, license status, detailed site surveys, elevated, field-verified LOS, complete life cycle project management

CUSTOMIZED LEASED BACKHAUL SERVICES
MasTec Network Solutions has created customized leased backhaul services for cellular carriers and network operators. Our customized services can include the temporary or short-term lease of unlicensed microwave backhaul services, such as radio, antenna and outdoor enclosures as a part of the system.

MAINTENANCE / TROUBLESHOOTING
Because not all network operators’ needs are alike, MasTec Network Solutions customizes maintenance packages to service your microwave network. From routine monthly maintenance to round-the-clock maintenance of your microwave system, we can deliver a maintenance package that matches your network reliability and financial needs.

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