## WyoLink Support Manager's Report to the PSCC June 3, 2009

WyoLink still has 40 sites active, with the 41<sup>st</sup> scheduled to come on line at Narrows Hill in the next two weeks. Volunteers continue to drive and test WyoLink, and these reports are being compiled by WYDOT Telecommunications and submitted to the WyoLink Support Office for review.

Motorola, WyoLink and representatives from the Forest Service and Power Companies will be walking five sites to finalize plans and work schedules for this summer. The sites that will be walked are Snow King, Windy Ridge, Hell Hole, Salt Pass and Pinkham Mountain.

The WyoLink Office is working closely with Right of Way and the US Forest Service to keep the Special Use Permits on track for the sites in the Big Horn and Bridger Teton National Forests. Construction will begin at Jelm Mountain this spring as soon as the WYDOT Microwave Shop obtains the necessary equipment. Bid documents are being prepared for the reflector at Dome Peak, and that permit should be in hand this week.

New consoles have been cut over at the Sheridan PD and Park County, and cut overs are scheduled for Fremont County and Niobrara County in the coming weeks.

Motorola is preparing summaries and maps of the portable coverage testing that was conducted in Platte, Fremont, Hot Springs and Albany Counties.

WyoLink and Motorola are working on a loading analysis to determine how much system capacity will be necessary to handle the anticipated voice and data traffic as more low speed data is utilized on the WyoLink system.

The Cheyenne Water Tank site is waiting for the power upgrade by Union Wireless to be completed. After this upgrade is complete, the rest of the construction work at this site can be completed.

The summer construction season is here, and both Motorola and WyoLink are poised to make the most of this season.