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## Consolidated Digital TV service now available in Litchfield

MATTOON— Consolidated Communications is now offering its digital TV service to the residents of Litchfield. Consolidated's Digital Video Services (DVS) provides high quality digital video service to subscribers through their existing telephone lines and provides an alternative to cable or satellite TV.

"We have made significant investments in equipment and our network to ensure we provide the highest quality service available," said Joseph Dively, senior vice president and president of Telephone Operations. "By utilizing new technologies and existing telephone lines, Consolidated Communications can now deliver exceptional quality TV service to the residents of Litchfield."

Instead of using a satellite or cable, Consolidated's DVS is delivered to customers via existing telephone lines. The service includes up to 200 all-digital local and premium channels, digital audio channels, Pay Per View programs and Movies on Demand, among other features. "For more than 100 years, Consolidated Communications has delivered preferred telecommunications products and services to customers in Central Illinois," Dively said. "Now the residents of Litchfield will also be able to count on Consolidated to deliver exceptional TV entertainment services."

DVS is available in three packages, with pricing beginning as low as \$21.95. All video packages also include an interactive program guide, remote controls, a digital gateway box that provides service to up to six televisions and free initial installation by Consolidated Communications technicians. DVS can also be packaged with Consolidated's telephone and DSL service for convenience.

Consolidated's DVS is also available in the nearby towns of Hillsboro, Irving, Witt, Raymond and Farmersville.

Area residents can visit the Litchfield Communication Center, 301 North Madison Street, for a demonstration of DVS and to see if they're qualified to receive the service or call Consolidated Communications Customer Service at 1-800-553-9981 for further information. Visit the Consolidated Web site at [www.consolidated.com](http://www.consolidated.com) to learn more about DVS.

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