

Regulatory Requirements

Virginia Department of Environmental Quality

(276)-676-4800 <http://www.deq.virginia.gov>

Buchanan County Health Department (276)-935-4591

Building Inspector (276)-935-5872

Cooperative Extension (276)-935-5093
<http://offices.ext.vt.edu/buchanan/>

Virginia Health Care Foundation (804) 828-5804

<http://www.vhcf.org>

Virginia's Tobacco Indemnification & Community Revitalization
Commission (804)-225-2027

<http://www.tic.virginia.gov>

Natural Capital Investment Fund (304) 876-2815

<http://www.wvncif.org>

People Inc. Financial Services (276)-623-9000

www.businesstart.org

Virginia Coalfield Economic Development Authority

www.vaceda.org

(276)-889-0381

Financing

US Government Guaranteed Loan Programs

US Small Business Administration (SBA)

(804) 771-2400 <http://www.sba.gov>

US Department of Agriculture-Rural Development

(804)-287-1552 <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov>

State & Local Loan Programs

Buchanan County-Cumberland Plateau (276)-889-1778

www.cppdc.com/base_page.php

Virginia Community Capital (540) 797-2628

<http://www.vacommunitycapital.org>

Virginia Small Business Financing Authority

(276)-676-5571

http://www.dba.state.va.us/financing_business.shtml

Virginia Economic Development Partnership (VEDP)

(276)-623-1536 <http://www.YesVirginia.org>

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Business Licensing & Registration

Local Requirements

Buchanan County Chamber (276)-935-4147

State Requirements

VA Department of Professional & Occupational Regulation (804) 367-8500
<http://www.dpor.virginia.gov>

Virginia Department of Taxation (804) 367-8037
<http://www.tax.virginia.gov>

Utilities & Business Services



Water/Sewer

Buchanan County PSA (276)-881-8097



Gas/Utilities

Central Oil of Virginia Corp. (540) 483-5342
<http://www.cleanheat.com/>

Appalachian Power (800)-956-4237
www.appalachianpower.com

Dominion Virginia Power (800)-383-5582
<http://www.dom.com/dominion-virginia-power/index.jsp>

Duke Energy (276)-669-3688
www.duke-energy.com



Telecommunication/Internet

Citizens (276)-637-6485
www.citizens.coop

EMBARQ Corporation (866)-380-9990
www.embarq.com

Sprint (866)-805-9890
<http://www.sprint.com/index.html>

Verizon Virginia (800)-998-6181
<http://www.verizon.com>

Suddenlink (877) 415-9534
<http://www.suddenlink.com/>

Nextel (877)-639-8351

Expert Wild Blue (800)-670-8682
<http://expertwildblue.com>

EarthLink Business Internet (866)-321-4936
www.earthlink.biz/index.jsp

Zoning

Industrial Development Authority (276)-935-4003
www.buchanancountyida.org

Small Business Development

Virginia's Philpott Manufacturing Extension Partnership (434)-582-6136
www.vpmep.org

Virginia Department of Business Assistance (276)-676-5571
www.dba.state.va.us

Virginia Economic Development Partnership (276)-623-1536
www.YesVirginia.org

Location-Buildings & Sites

Blue Ridge Builders & Developers, Inc. (276) 952-6048
www.blueridgebuildersanddevelopers.com

Bizzack Construction Llc. (276)-935-1882