

## Paul Pitts, Executive Vice President- Customer and Network Operations



Paul Pitts has worked in the telecommunications industry for more than 30 years, in which time he has served in a variety of network positions with responsibilities ranging from field operations and network engineering to software security and production.

Prior to joining the NuVox team, Paul's career included employment at South Central Bell, Bellcore, BellSouth, and TriVergent Communications. From 2000 to 2001, he served as the Senior Vice President of Network Integration and Provisioning for TriVergent Communications, where he helped define and build the company's voice and data networks. Prior to that, Paul served as

the General Manager of Network Operations for BellSouth in South Carolina. He managed a number of functions, including installation, provisioning, maintenance, construction, Central Office operations, and engineering. Paul also served BellSouth as Corporate Director of Network Systems Support, overseeing network operating system platforms, performance contracts, and software security; and as Corporate Director of Network Reliability and Systems Support, supported the Network Reliability Centers, Proactive Maintenance Centers, and Disaster Recovery Operations.

Paul has been active in the community throughout his professional career, serving in roles including directorships in both civic and charitable organizations, elected public offices (Saraland City Council, Public Works Chairman, and Public Safety Chairman) and on numerous boards.