

SHENANDOAH TELECOMMUNICATIONS CO/VA/  
Form 8-K  
October 22, 2013

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) **October 22, 2013**

**Shenandoah Telecommunications Company**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Virginia**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-09881**  
(Commission File Number)

**54-1162807**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**500 Shentel Way**  
**P.O. Box 459**  
**Edinburg, VA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**22824**

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(540) 984-4141**

Not applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On October 22, 2013, the Company issued a press release announcing that the Board of Directors had declared a cash dividend of \$0.36 per share, an increase of \$0.03 per share or 9% over the 2012 dividend. The dividend will be payable December 2, 2013, to shareholders of record on November 6, 2013.

A copy of this press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(c) Exhibits**

99.1 Press release dated October 22, 2013

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**Shenandoah Telecommunications Company**

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(Registrant)

**/s/ ADELE M. SKOLITS**

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**October 22, 2013**

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(Date)

Adele M. Skolits

*Vice President - Finance and Chief Financial Officer  
(Duly Authorized Officer)*