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CASE STUDY

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MIKE PATAK
OWNER
MIKE'S CLASSIC CARS

COMPANY

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LOCATION

Elkhorn, NE

INDUSTRY

Classic Automotive Restoration and Sales

SERVICES

Mike's Classic Cars restores and sells classic cars, emphasizing in Fords and Shelbys. The company also provides maintenance services and assists other car enthusiasts in finding rare parts for their own restoration projects.

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Mike's Classic Cars was opened in 2004 by owner Mike Patak after leaving Quality Pork International after 27 years. Mike had always had a dream of owning a business dedicated to selling and restoring classic and muscle cars from the 1960s and 1970s, with Fords and Shelbys as the main focus.

Being in the classic car restoration industry, Mike's Classic Cars relies heavily on the Internet to research parts and industry trends. The satellite service the company had before was slow and weather-reliant, meaning the service went down during storms. The slow speed and service interruptions caused work to be interrupted and productivity to go down.

"The satellite service we had before was very slow; it was almost like a dial-up Internet connection. Plus, when the weather was bad, the satellite would black out and cause our Internet connection to go down."

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Mike's Classic Cars switched to Great Plains Communications in February 2015 to a symmetrical 20 mbps download and 20 mbps upload plan. The drastic change in bandwidth has allowed Mike's Classic Cars to research parts and trends faster. According to the owner, the Internet service from Great Plains Communications is 10 times faster and more reliable than the previous satellite service.

"When Great Plains Communications installed our 20 mbps Internet service, the process went quickly and smoothly. I appreciate the fact that their technicians were courteous and professional. Since then, I haven't had any reason to contact them because everything about our Internet service is working great."

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