## **City of Sumter**

## **Cloud Based Solutions**

Like many cities, the City of Sumter faced budget constraints that prohibited it from making a large investment to replace aging IT infrastructure. The city turned instead to a hosted desktop solution provided by VC3. This solution eliminated the need to purchase PCs, servers and specified IT equipment because all equipment replacements and upgrades are the responsibility of VC3, not the city.

VC3 hosts the city's applications and data in a secure offsite enterprise-class data center located in Columbia, SC. A built-in disaster recovery solution is also a byproduct of the hosted desktop solution as all data is backed up nightly to a data center located in Raleigh, NC. If a disaster occurs, city employees could connect to the off-site data center with any personal computer or mobile device with Internet access. This would allow the city to quickly continue providing city services.

VC3's hosted desktop solution also gives the City of Sumter access to the most current Microsoft Office Suite of products.

