

## Solutions Case Study

# RIVERSIDE TRANSPORT INC.

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### INDUSTRY

Trucking

### SOLUTIONS IMPLEMENTED

Bare Metal Cloud, Virtual Private Cloud, and Managed Services with a footprint in two of LightEdge's Data Center facilities



### BUSINESS CHALLENGE

Before partnering with LightEdge, Riverside Transport Inc., was hosting their critical infrastructure in-house. They were looking for a scalable solution that could grow alongside their company.

With downtime affecting their daily productivity, Riverside Transport Inc. needed a Cloud hosting and Disaster Recovery solution that was designed for operational and financial efficiency. They were looking for a company that was well-known and trusted by others. That is when they found LightEdge..

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**— Brian Hedge,  
IT Director,  
Riverside Transport Inc.**



## OPTIONS CONSIDERED

Riverside Transport Inc. vetted multiple vendors. They were looking for a complete portfolio of high speed, secure, redundant, and scalable services. They compared multiple local data center and cloud providers, before selecting LightEdge as their top choice.

"We meet with Ryan [LightEdge's Business Development Consultant] and Roger [LightEdge's Director of Business Development] and they were very knowledgeable and trustworthy," said Brian Hedge, IT Director at Riverside Transport Inc. "You could tell they wanted us to succeed and the data center tour was extremely impressive."

Riverside Transport Inc. also received recommendations from other current LightEdge customers.

## SOLUTION

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### LIGHTEGE FAST FACTS

- ▲ At 31.3 percent, Iowa has the largest share of wind-generated electricity than any other state.
- ▲ LightEdge has a fiber backbone connecting all of our data center facilities.

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### WE CAN HELP YOU, TOO, IF...

- ▲ You require the scalability and stability of a UCS platform
- ▲ You want the security of an active/responsive Disaster Recovery environment

## Riverside Transport Overview

Riverside Transport was founded in the fall of 1993 with 10 Owner Operators, 20 Trailers, and a philosophy that still holds true today. "Our vision is to be the top performer in all that we do." We strive to be a top employer, provide superior service to our customers, and earn corporate respect from our competitors, so that we can be the company that everyone looks up to. Our 20+ year history is proof that we are here to stay and can provide a stable partnership for our employees and customers.

Today Riverside Transport operates over 1500 pieces of equipment and employs close to 500 people. We have Operation terminals in Kansas City, KS, Owensboro, KY, Chattanooga, TN, and Chehalis, WA. Our freight network ranges from Over the Road Long Haul, Short Haul Regional, Local, and Dedicated.

To learn more, visit [www.riversidetransport.com](http://www.riversidetransport.com)

## LightEdge Overview

LightEdge offers a full stack of best-in-class IT services to provide flexibility, security, and control for any stage of a customers' technology roadmap. Our solutions include premier colocation across seven purpose-built data centers spanning Des Moines, Kansas City, Austin, Omaha and Raleigh, industry-leading private Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) and cloud platforms, and the top global security and compliance measures.

Our owned and operated facilities, integrated disaster recovery solutions, and premium cloud choices make up a true Hybrid Cloud Solution Center model.