About The Company

Powerline Equipment Specialists (PES) was founded by James Wagner, formerly of Wagner-Smith Equipment Co., a manufacturer of powerline construction equipment. James was a 4th generation family member working for Wagner-Smith, a company founded by his great grandfather in 1917. In 2000, Wagner-Smith was sold to MDU Resources and James stayed with the company for 7 more years making sure the transition to new ownership went as smoothly as possible. In early 2008, James started Powerline Equipment Specialists for the purpose of offering powerline contractors and utilities an assortment of equipment from different manufacturers. This new company helps provide a non-biased source for the absolute best equipment to match their specific needs. PES can help assess the type equipment needed, provide the technical specifications, and then source either new or used equipment depending on the customer's preference. Add to it years of shipping equipment into the international markets and you have a company that offers a complete service for any customer worldwide.