Setting Up Your MX870 In Default Mode (Tel Priority Mode) With An Answering Machine DSL/Cable Modem Connection
Connecting The Phone Lines
Is your answering machine built into your phone?

- **YES**
  - Click Here or Go To Page 12

- **NO**
  - Click the Next Button
Fax to Phone Line Connection

**Before**

- Wall jack
- DSL/Cable Modem
- PC
- (Existing Phone Cord) to Answering Machine
- Hand Set (Phone)

**After**

- Wall jack
- DSL/Cable Modem
- Canon printer with included phone cord
- PC
- (Existing Phone Cord) to Answering Machine
- Hand Set (Phone)
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the provided phone cord into the DSL/Cable Modem
Fax to Phone Line Connection

• Plug the provided phone cord into the “L” jack in the rear of the multifunction
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Remove the white plug from the upper jack
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the second phone cord into the jack marked with an image of a “telephone” located on the rear of the multifunction.
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the second phone cord into the answering machine
Fax to Phone Line Connection

• Plug the third phone cord into the answering machine
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the third phone cord into the phone
Fax to Phone Line Connection

**Before**

- Wall jack
- DSL/Cable Modem
- (Existing Phone Cord)
- Hand Set (Phone)

**After**

- Wall jack
- DSL/Cable Modem
- Hand Set (Phone)
- (Existing Phone Cord)
- (Phone Cord included with Canon printer)

Before (Existing Phone Cord)

After (Existing Phone Cord)
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the provided phone cord into the DSL/Cable Modem
Plug the provided phone cord into the “L” jack in the rear of the multifunction.
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Remove the white plug from the upper jack
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the second phone cord into the jack marked with an image of a “telephone” located on the rear of the multifunction.

(Existing Phone Cord)

Wall jack

DSL/Cable Modem

(Existing Phone Cord)

(Existing Phone Cord)

Hand Set (Phone)

(Phone Cord included with Canon printer)
Fax to Phone Line Connection

- Plug the existing phone cord into the phone
Setting Up The Receive Mode
Step 1

Turn on the MX870 by pressing the **ON** button.

Step 2

Press the **FAX** button.
Step 3

The fax standby screen will appear.

Step 4

Press the center FUNCTION button.
Step 5

The Receive mode settings screen will appear.

Step 6

Use the **UP** or **DOWN** button to select “TEL priority mode”.
Step 7
Ensure that “TEL priority mode” is highlighted.

Step 8
Press the OK button.
Step 9

Your MX870 is now set to Tel priority mode. Notice that the mode is listed on the fax standby screen.
Receiving A Fax

To receive a fax when you are home you will:
• Pick up the handset on the phone connected to the MX870.
• Listen for fax tones.
• When the tones stop hang up the handset.
• The MX870 will receive the fax document.

To receive a fax while you are away:
• The answering machine will answer the call.
• If fax tones are heard by the MX870 it will take over the call and receive the fax document.

IMPORTANT: In order to receive a fax, you must either pick up the handset on a phone that is connected to the MX870 or let your answering machine answer the call.