



# Conquering the Digital Divide

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**Siklu**

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# Company snapshot

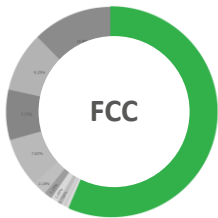
Siklu is a leading player in mmWaves solutions



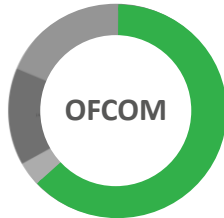
**Founded:** 2008

**Employees:** 100; Headquarters Israel;  
Presence in USA, CALA, EMEA and APAC

**Technology:** groundbreaking all-silicon  
innovations, mastering the art of mmWaves  
fixed wireless networks

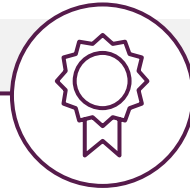


Siklu 57%



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Leading E-Band vendor in the US and the UK  
According to FCC & OFCOM



## Most Comprehensive

mmWave offering



60GHz  
V-Band PtP



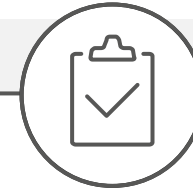
60GHz  
V-Band PtMP



70-80Ghz  
E-Band PtP



Network  
Planning Tool



## Most Deployed Links



45 Countries



100k  
Deployed



100K+ Number of Smart  
Campus deployments globally

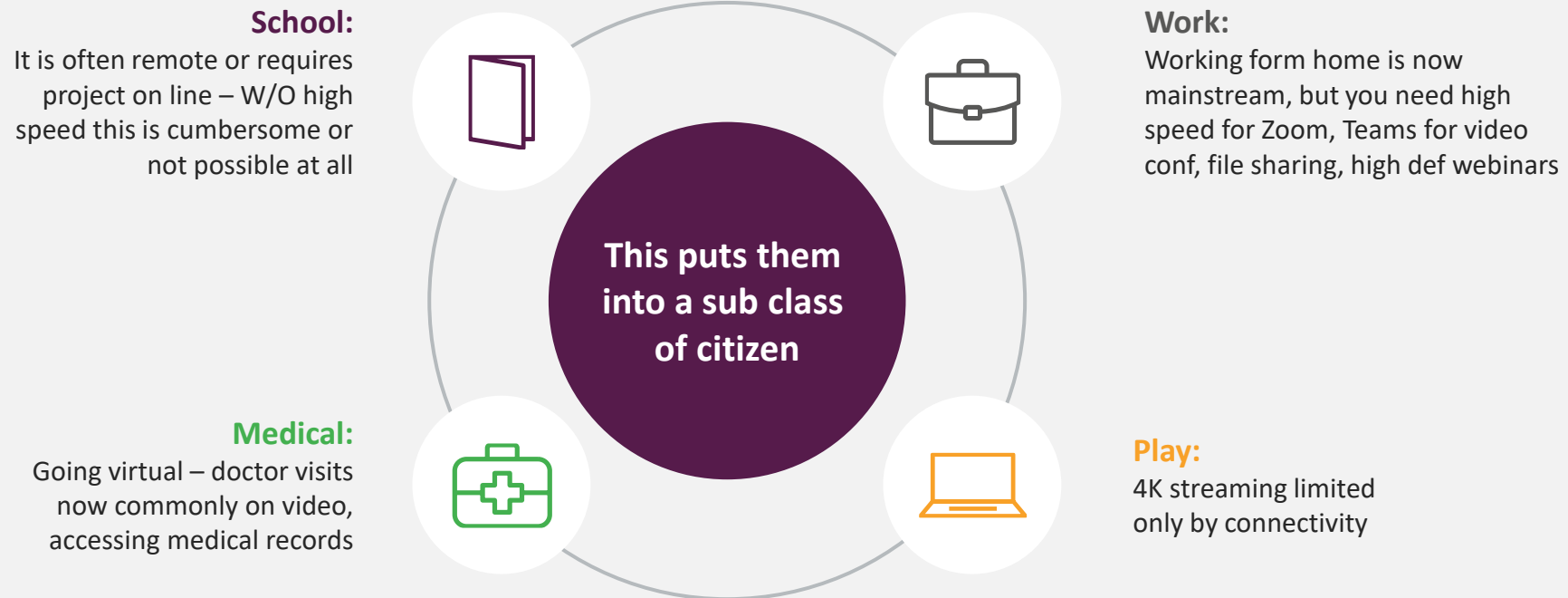


40  
Patents



# Digital Divide is not just a Rural Community Issue

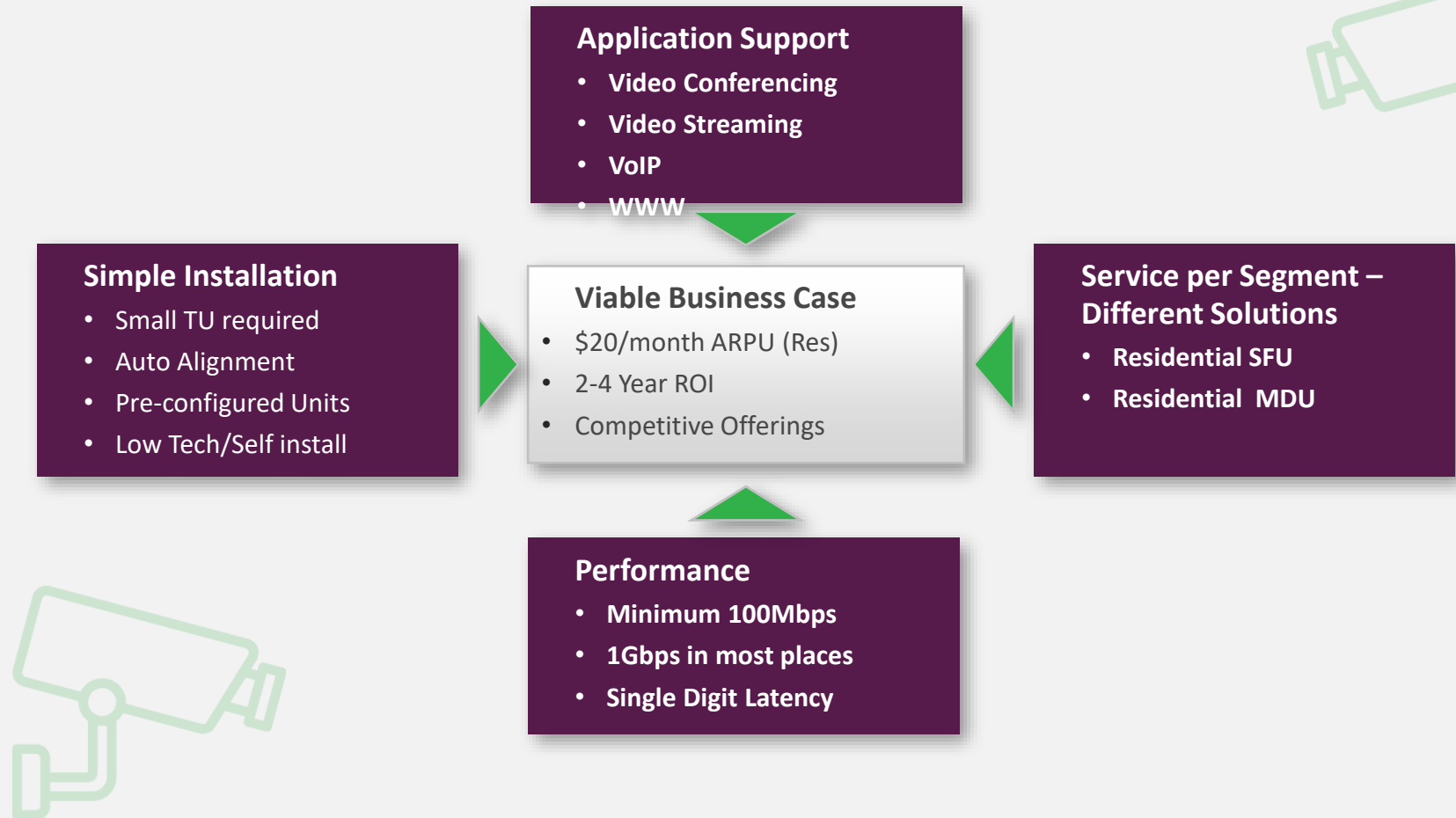
DD describes those who cannot access or use common applications due to slow speed connectivity



# Bridging the DD with Wireless

## Key Wireless Network Requirements

- Total Solution must be cost effective – meets the SFU business case with low ARPU
- Choice of solutions – one product does not fit all needs
- Competitive offerings to wireline – 1Gbps, low latency
- Rapid Response – bring up customers in days



# Digital Divide Connectivity Challenges



Support multiple  
applications



Future proof  
capacity



Reliable and  
Robust solution

**That's why we want fiber**

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High cost and  
slow ROI



Slow to deployment

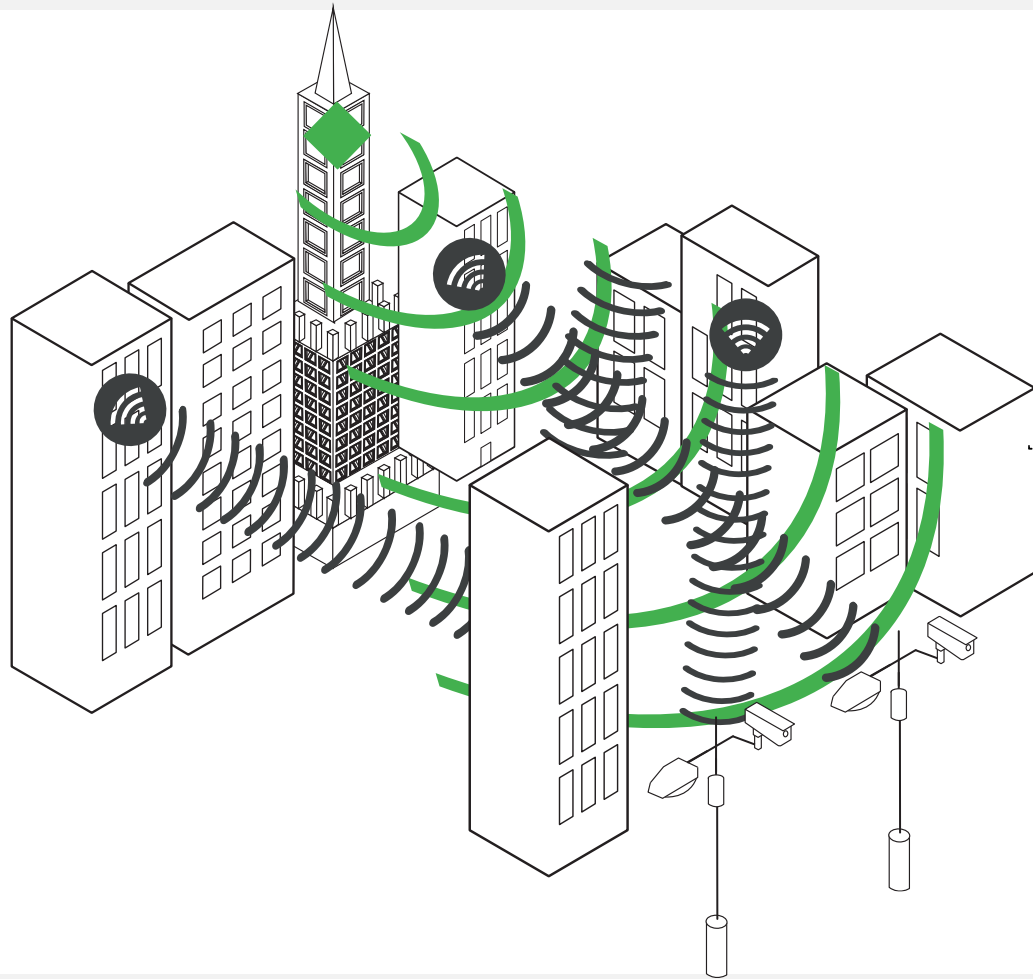
**But...Fiber is expensive to deploy and is time consuming**

# Connectivity Options for Bridging the Digital Divide

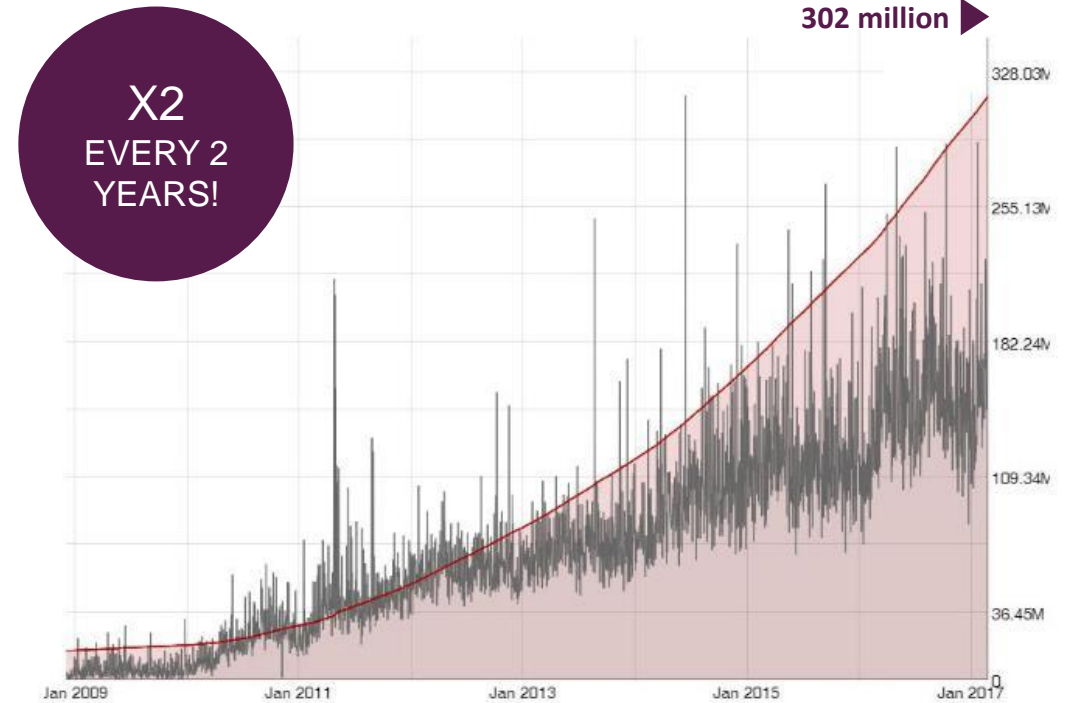
FIBER	LEGACY (5.xGHz) WIRELESS	Mobile 5G	mmWave WIRELESS FIBER*
<div>+ Secure</div>	<div>- Easily hacked</div>	<div>+ Secure</div>	<div>+ Secure</div>
<div>+ Multi gigabit capacity</div>	<div>- Limited capacity</div>	<div>+ Multi gigabit capacity</div>	<div>+ Multi gigabit capacity</div>
<div>- Expensive</div>	<div>+ Low cost</div>	<div>- High cost – monthly fees</div>	<div>+ Affordable</div>
<div>+ Very low latency</div>	<div>- High latency</div>	<div>+ Low latency</div>	<div>+ Very low latency</div>
<div>+ Reliable</div>	<div>- Interference</div>	<div>+ No interference</div>	<div>+ Reliable, Immune to interference</div>
<div>- Slow time to market</div>	<div>+ Fast time to market</div>	<div>- Time to market - carriers</div>	<div>+ Fast Time To Market</div>

\*Requires clear line of sight between radios

# Legacy Wireless (sub 6GHz) is Congested



WiFi interference is growing fast

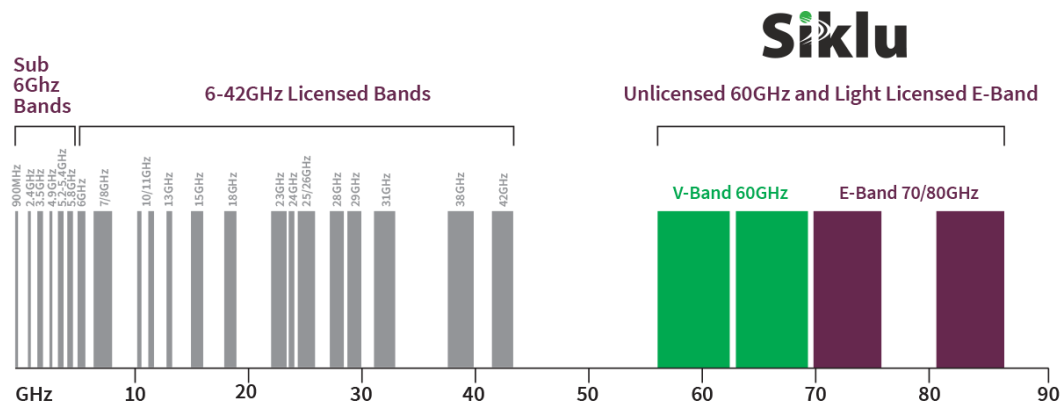


\* [www.wigle.net/stats](http://www.wigle.net/stats)

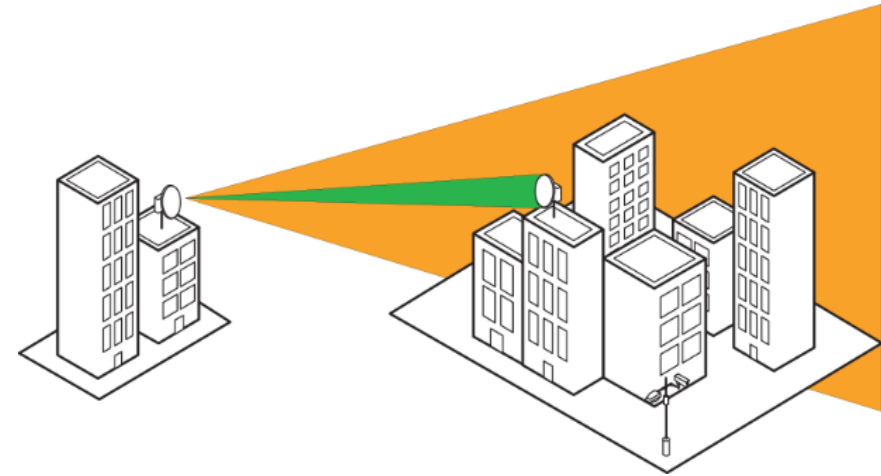


# What is mmWave Wireless?

Widest spectrum - High capacity!



Narrow beams - No Interference!



E-Band (70/8 GHz)  
Lightly licensed , 10GHz

V-Band (60 GHz)  
Unlicensed, 14GHz

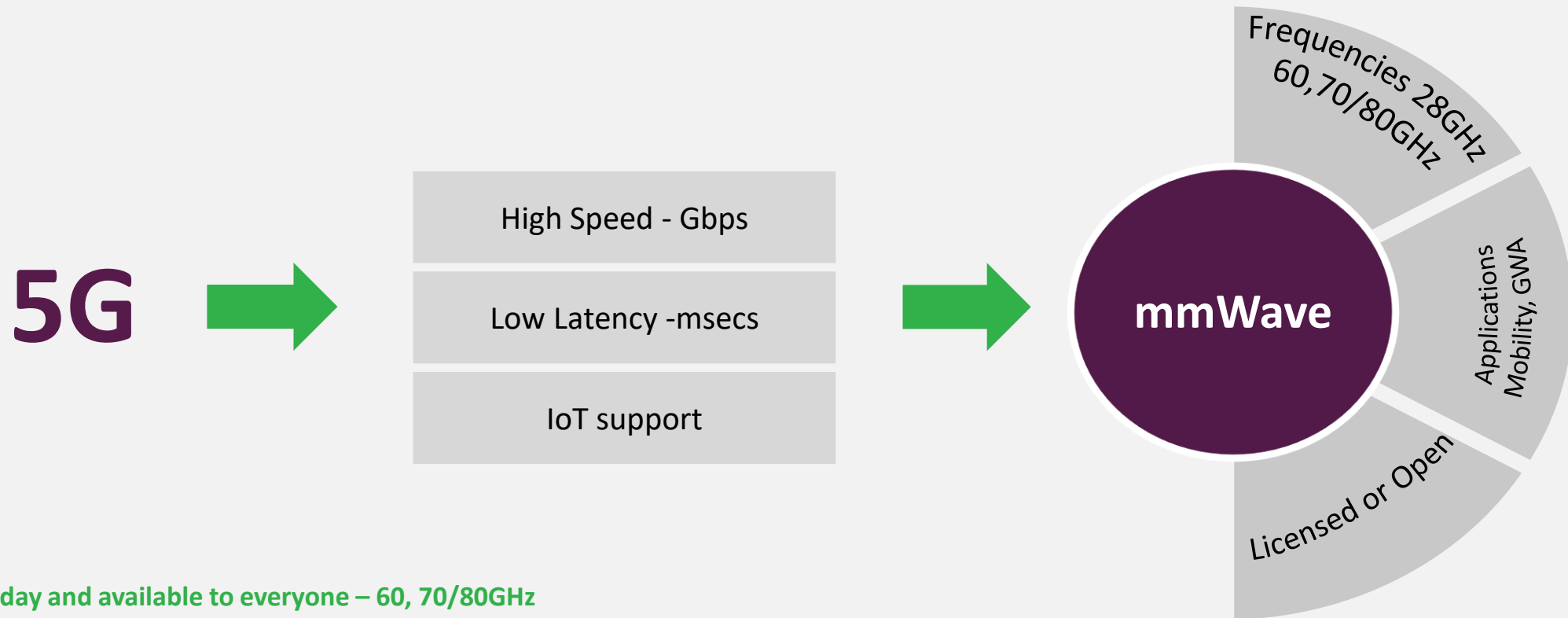


# Fixed 5G mmWave Options



# The Flavors of 5G

## Fixed (GWA) and Mobile (5G NR) Summary



5G is here today and available to everyone – 60, 70/80GHz

**GWA** - Mobile Operators have no incentive, and \$\$ dis-incentives to use licensed bands for fixed applications

- -\$1.8/GB vs \$0.05/GB revenue generation

**Smart Cities** - have a choice for their 5G networks – fixed or mobile

- Massive price premium for using 5G NR mobile networks in fixed applications

# WiFi Today

802.11ay

**Standard completed in 2019**

**Considered an extension/enhancement of 11ad**

**Fundamental changes in the PHY**

**PHY changes result in Massive increase in capacity**

Channel increased to 8.6 GHz w/ Channel Bonding

256QAM

4x4 MUI MIMO

Up to 40Gbps today, 100GBps future

**Range ~1000 feet**

**Outdoor operation a focus**

**PMP Topology**



Facebook and industry leaders such as Siklu have joined to promote a new standard under the TIP umbrella - Terragraph (TG)

Terragraph is a Layer 2/3 wireless mesh protocol for 60GHz networks

Based on 11ay

Terragraph has two primary applications

Gigabit Wireless Access for homes and business

Smart Cities

TG represents Siklu's *Third Generation multipoint 60GHz product*

N366 - TG compliant Base Station

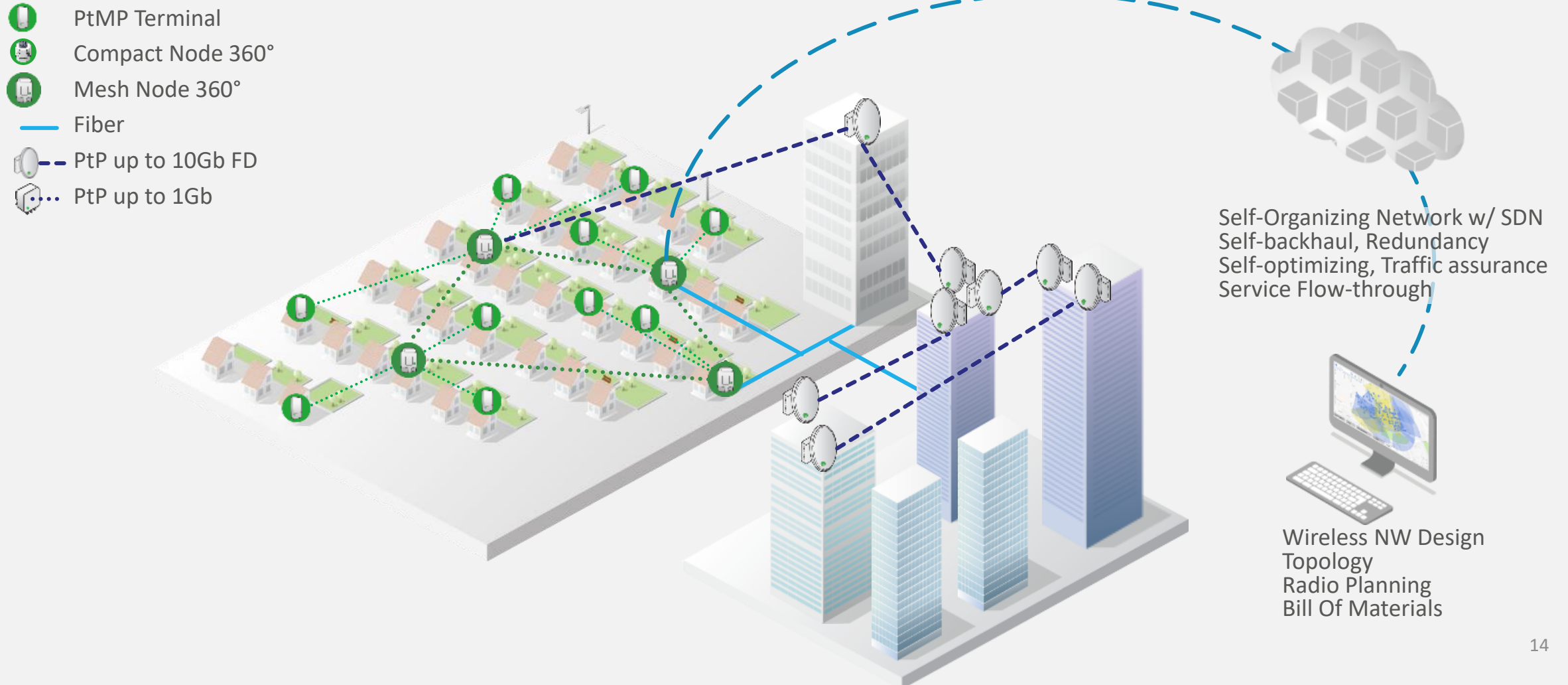
cTU - Industry's smallest subscriber unit





# Siklu Vision – GWA

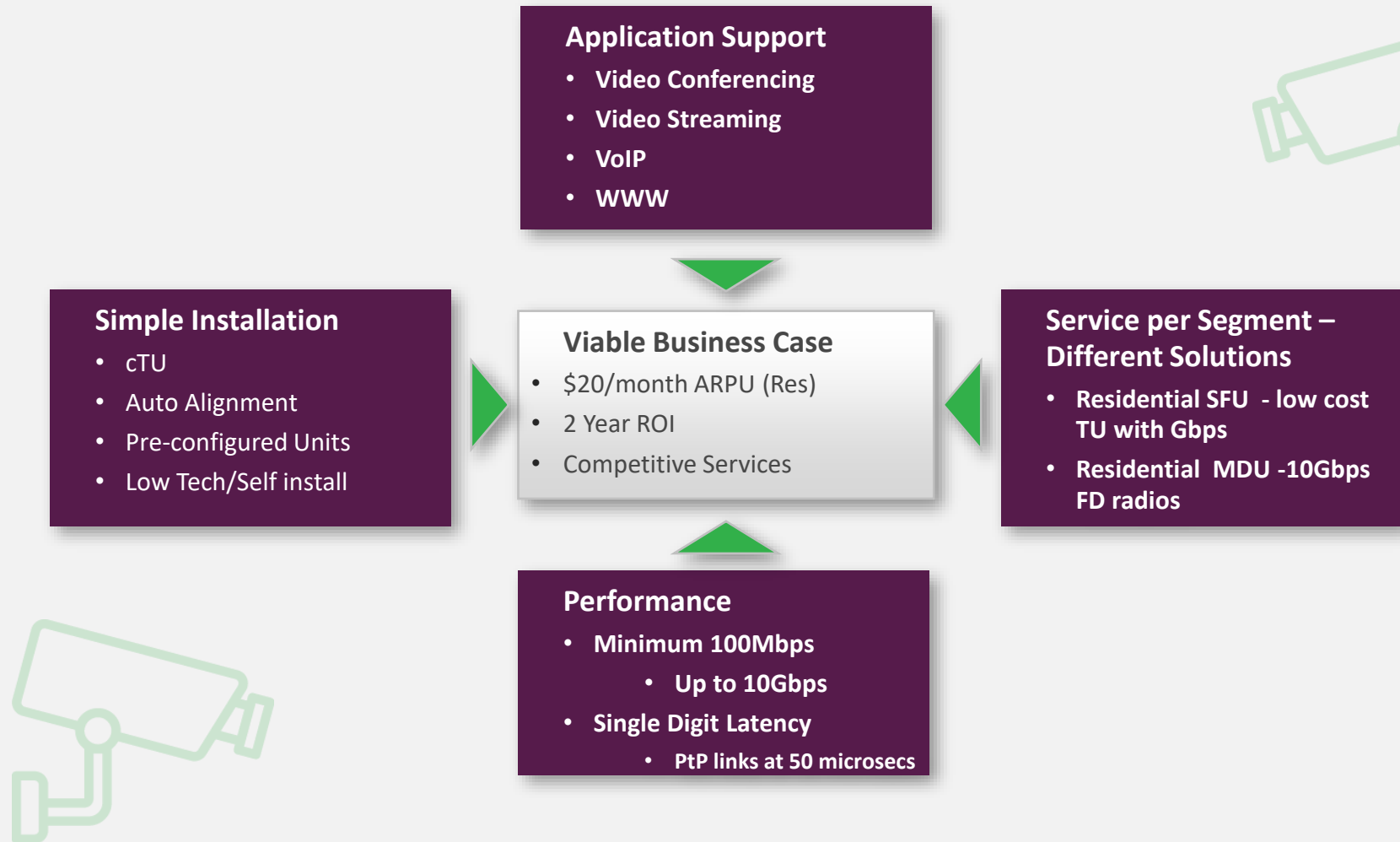
End-to-End Gigabit Wireless Access with Siklu PtP/PtMP portfolio



# DD and mmWave

## Requirements and how they are addressed

- Total Solution must be cost effective – sub \$200 Tus in 2021
- Choice of solutions – Siklu has PtP, PtMP and Mesh Solutions
- Competitive offerings to wireline – mmWave goes from 1Gbps to 10Gbps Full Duplex
- Rapid Response – Wireless by its very nature can be installed in a day





# Guest Speaker Interview

- Dorothy Baunach – CEO  
DigitalC
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## digital© Overview

### Vision Statement:

DigitalC is committed to bridging Greater Cleveland's digital divide by providing residents with equitable pathways to the digital future.

### Mission Statement:

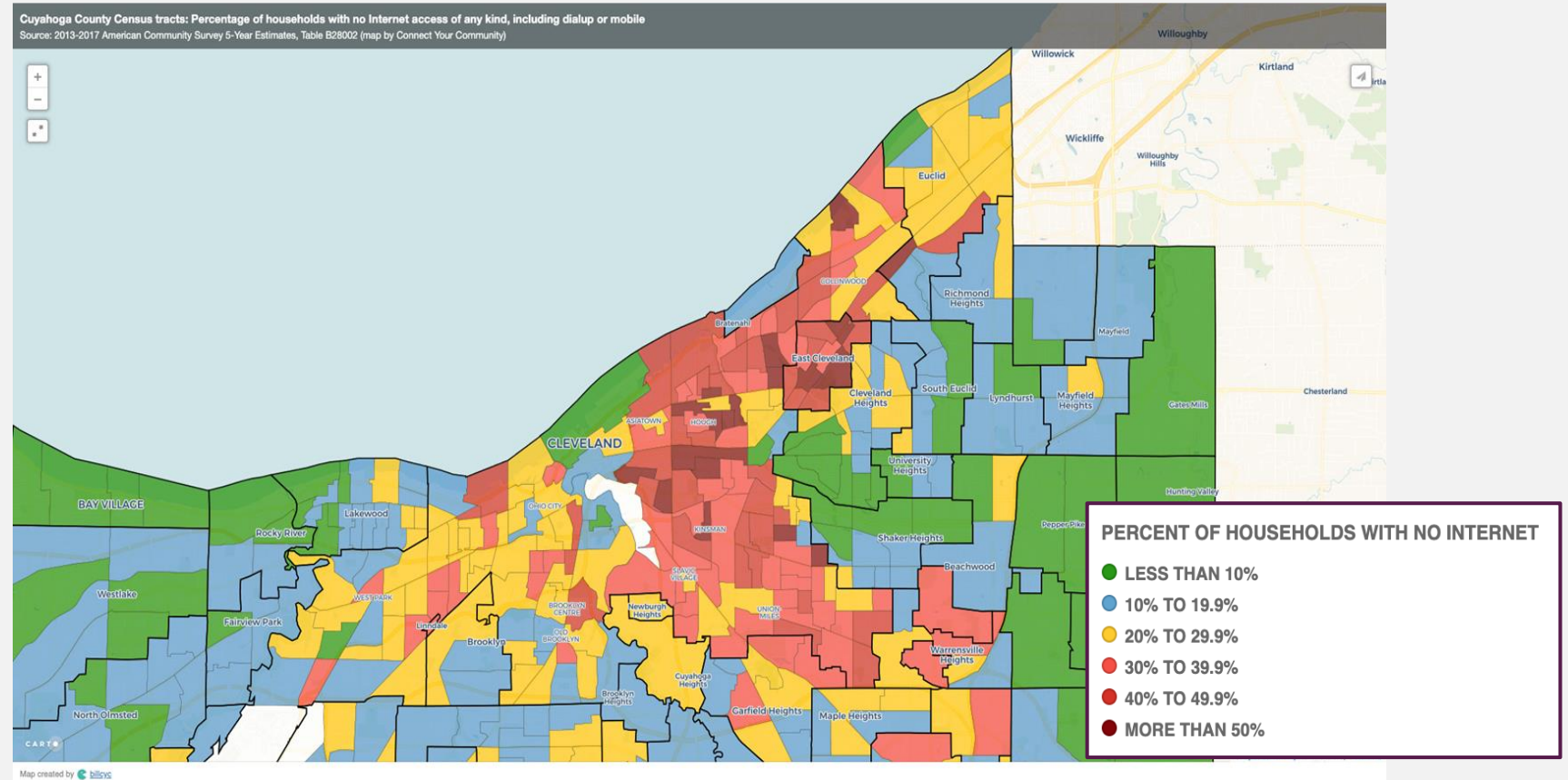
We foster digital inclusion for all Cleveland residents through partnerships that create access to 1) affordable high-speed Internet; 2) training and devices; and 3) inclusive shared space for community engagement and innovation.





# Broadband in Cleveland

**Top 5 Least  
Connected City in  
the US  
45K+  
Unconnected  
75K+ No Fixed  
Broadband  
Subscription**





# Interview with Dorothy Baunach

CEO DigitalC

## Q1

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Is DigitalC doing this on your own or are you partnering with others?



# Interview with Dorothy Baunach

CEO DigitalC

## Q2

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Do you work closely with the city? Are there government funds available?



# Interview with Dorothy Baunach

CEO DigitalC

## Q3

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Why or how did you determine that mmWave networks were the solution?



# Interview with Dorothy Baunach

CEO DigitalC

## Q4

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What is the status today, and where do you hope to be in one year?



# Additional Case Studies



# Jade communication

Alamosa Co



## Challenge

Spring Creek fire wiped out much of the fiber connectivity leaving most of the town without internet access

## Results

mmWave PtP and PtMP gigabit solution to deliver Next-Day internet

***“Siklu have shown that even in rural and suburban locations their solutions deliver an excellent customer experience and a solid business case for Jade.”***



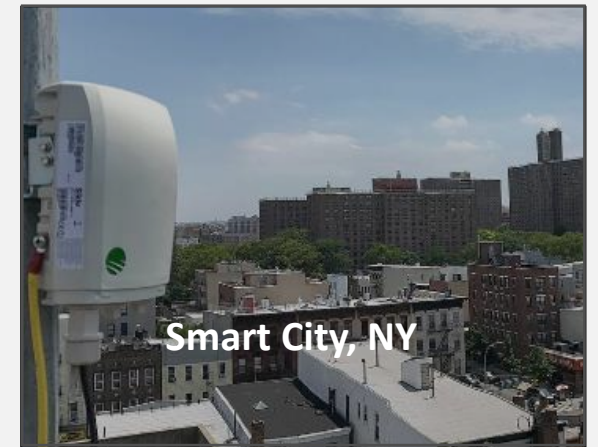
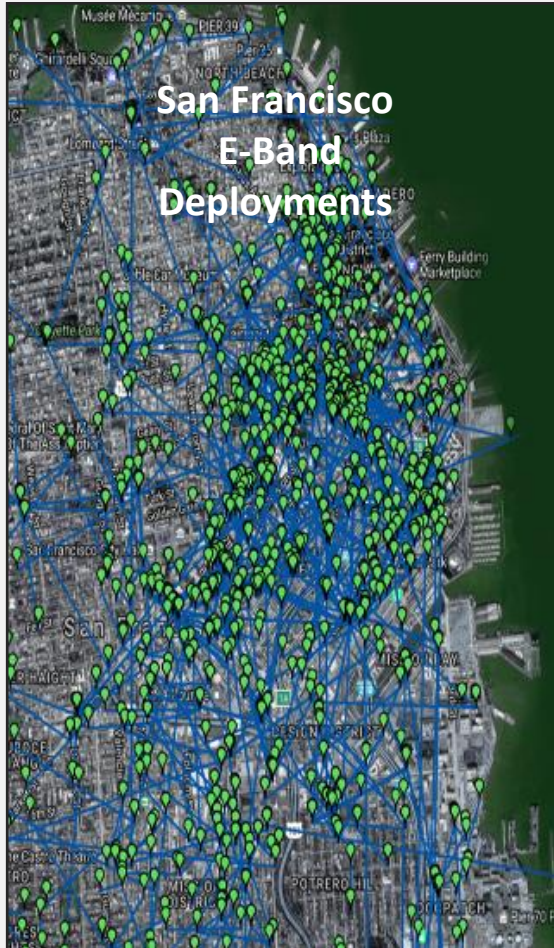
*Josh Wehe, Jade*





# Internet Access

For Everyone, Everywhere





# mmWave Product Offering

## Backhaul & Edge



### Roof Top High-Capacity “Backhaul” 70/80 GHz Point-to- Point

- Up to 10Gbps full duplex capacity
- $\leq 3$  km Range
- Rooftop or pole mounted



### Street-level “Edge” 60 GHz Point-to- Point

- Dual PoE-Out
- 100Mbps to 1Gbps aggregated
- $\leq 1$  km Range



### Street-level “Edge” 60 GHz Point- to- Multi- Point

- Auto alignment plug & play
- Up to 1.8 Gbps capacity
- $\leq 300$ m Range (90 deg. angle)
- 1 BU: up to 8 TU's

# SmartHaul™ Cloud Based Tools

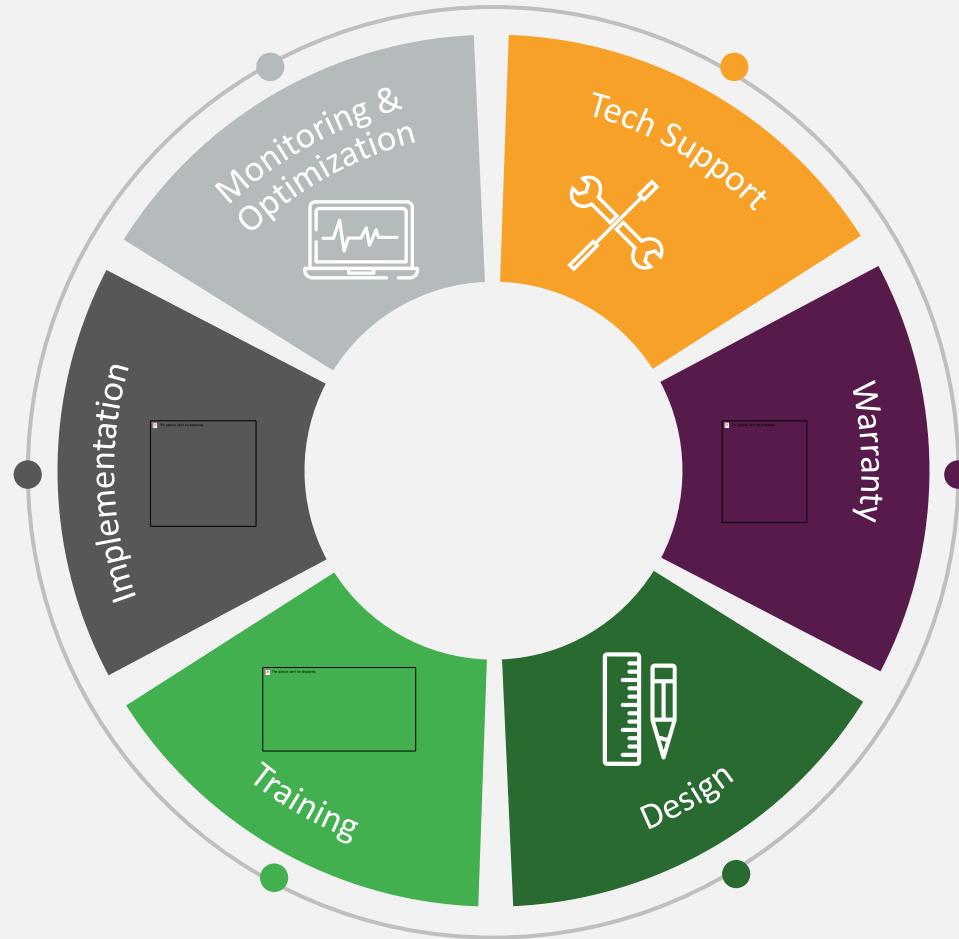
Wireless Network Design Engine (WiNDE), Element Management Systems (EMS)

Planning and management tools for network designers and managers





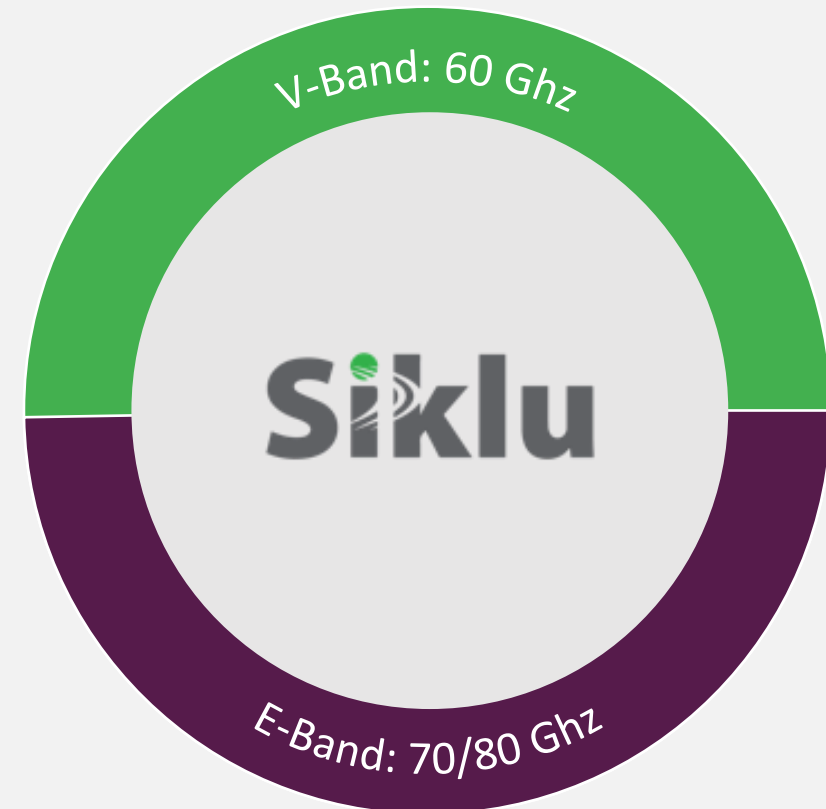
# Complete Service Offering



# Summary

- 01 Fiber performance with Wireless flexibility
- 02 Quick deployment, rooftops and street level
- 03 Secured Multi-Gigabit connectivity
- 04 Supports the Business Case needed to bring gigabits to all
- 05 Virtually Zero interference
- 06 Successfully deployed +100,000 units globally

***“Siklu – All mmWave, all the time”***



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# THANK YOU

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