



# One Maryland Broadband Network – Eastern Shore Cecil County

Bi-weekly Status Report 08/23/13 - 08/30/13

#### Industry Term Definitions:

<u>'Stick Diagram'</u> – Drawing of a utility pole that shows the height of pole, every attachment on the pole, the amount of space (inches or feet) between each attachment and where the new utility will attach.

<u>'Right of Way'</u> – Permission given to an entity allowing them to place a utility underground, along a street, road or highway. <u>'Application'</u> – Drawings of utility poles given to the utility companies that show where existing and new utilities will be placed

on the pole. Each Application consists of approximately 100 poles.

<u>'Ride Out'</u> – Visual inspection of every pole in an Application with representatives of the Phone, Power and Cable TV companies.

<u>'Make Ready'</u> – The cost a utility company charges to relocate their cables in order to allow another attachment to be made to an existing pole.

'Segment' - An area of proposed underground excavation consisting of approximately 3.5 miles in distance.

<u>'Dark Fiber'</u> – Industry term for fiber optic cable that is installed but is not being utilized.

'Light' - Industry term for making newly installed fiber active with network traffic.

#### **Fiber Engineering:**

- Lateral Underground/Aerial Engineering
  - 59 sites engineered

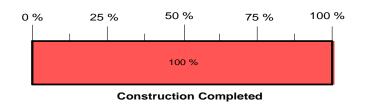


## **Backbone Construction:**



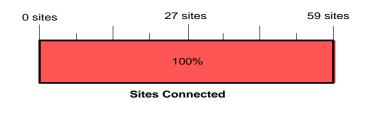


- Backbone
  - Complete
- Applications 1–10 and 13-17
  - DPL license received
  - Aerial construction complete applications 1–10 and 13-16 and 17



#### Site Construction:

- Lateral construction to 59 sites complete.
  - Fiber deployed to 59 sites



## **Network Engineering Services:**

- Network architecture and splice schematic design in progress.
- o Network MD POP State Multi-Service Center at 170 East Main Street, Elkton





#### **Project Management:**

- Reviewed project status, updating project docs, updating budget.
- Fiber Routing Architecture
  - Identify Hubs for network design
    - Perryville Middle School Perryville, Md.
    - Cecil College North East, Md.
    - Bohemia Manor High School Chesapeake City Md.
    - Circuit Court Elkton, Md.
    - Network Md. State Multi-Service Center Elkton, Md.
- Meeting with CIO and Stakeholders

#### Issues/Risks:

Network Configuration

Network Maryland fiber allocation approved

## Work for next Status Period:

• Working on Splicing and Fiber turn over package



One Maryland Broadband Network Overview Legend

 OMBN Sites OMBN Proposed Fiber Routes
MDBC Existing Fiber Route DOIT\_Existing\_Fiber

Freeways - Highways Major Roads Streets Rivers ---- Railroads

State Parks Major Water City Boundary County Boundary



