



Enabling National Public Safety Interoperability with Commercial Wireless Broadband Solutions in the 700 MHz Band

Karen Donahue
Marketing Strategy for State & Local Government
September 2007

kdonahue@alcatel-lucent.com

Tel: 812-477-1459

Outline

Wireless Network Trends

- Public Safety vs. Commercial

The Commercial Broadband Wireless Revolution

Market-driven Technological Innovation

Adapting Commercial Broadband Technologies for Public Safety

Enhancements to Meet Public Safety Requirements

National Capital Region Regional Wireless Broadband Network

The New Public Safety 700 MHz Band and Its Impact on the Future of Public Safety Wireless Communications

- Nationwide, interoperable Public Safety Broadband Network based on common, commercial, broadband technology

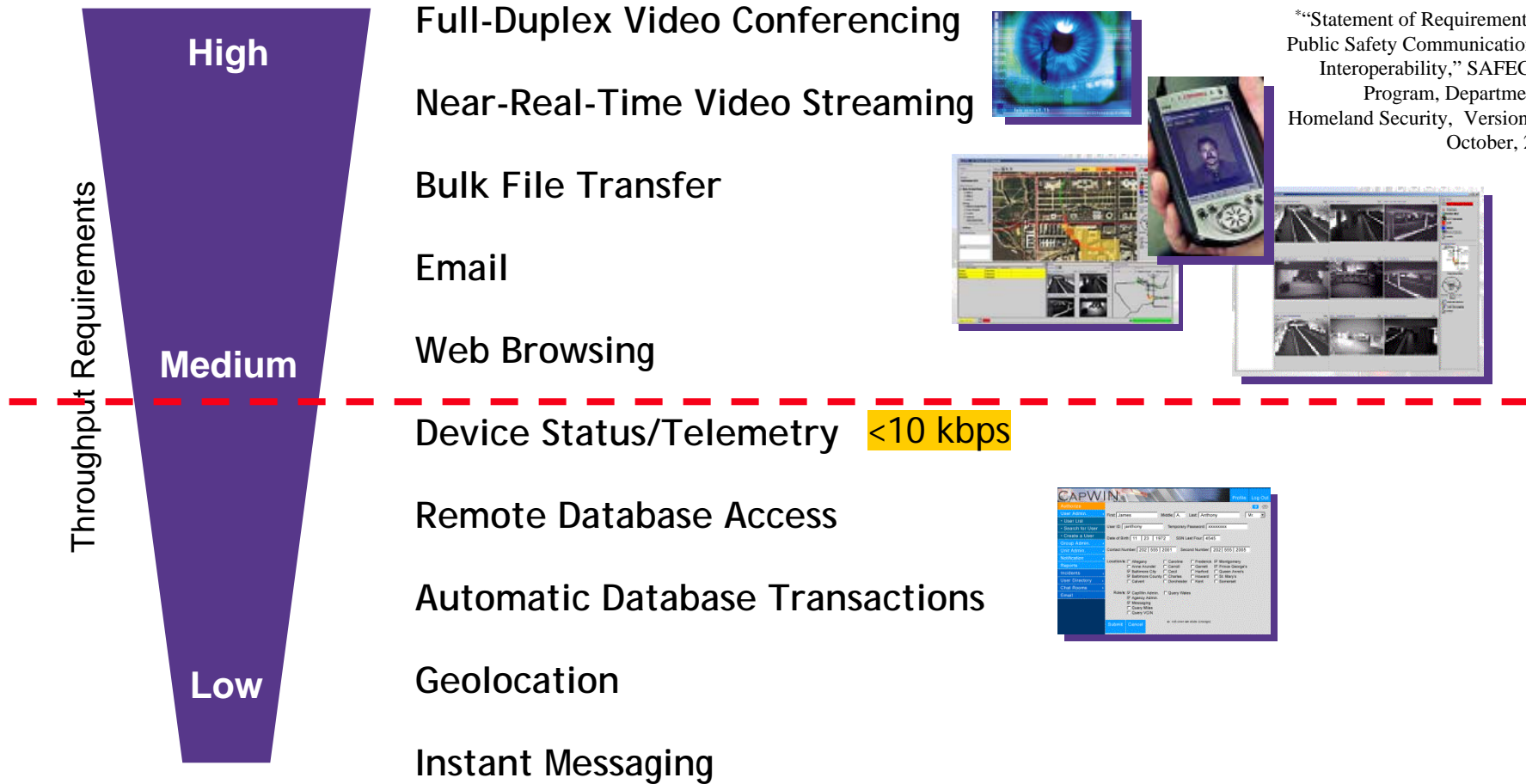


Wireless Networks for Public Safety Today

- Narrowband circuit-switched
 - 25 kHz → 12.5 kHz → 6.25 kHz
- Proprietary Solutions, No Scale Economies
 - “Single-vendor interoperability”
 - Project 25 standard
- Push-to-talk Group Voice
 - Limited use of user-to-user voice
- Wide Area Data @ <10 kbps data (if at all)
- Use of Commercial Wireless Service for non-mission critical services
- Re-banded Local Area Network Technologies in Public Safety 4.9 GHz Band
 - Hot Spot LAN coverage
 - Limited Coverage, Many Access Node Muni-WiFi Networks



Public Safety Wireless Data Needs*



Public Safety Data Needs Can Not Be Met with Current Wide Area Public Safety Technologies

Commercial Wireless Networks Today

Circuit voice, packet data

- Data speeds in excess of 3 Mbps (peak) today

Open Standards, True Multi-Vendor Interoperability

- Commercial Scale Economies

- >2 Billion users globally; ~1 public safety user for every 100 commercial customers

Backward Compatible Technology Evolution

Wide RF Channel Bandwidths

- 1.25 MHz, 5 MHz today → Evolution to 20 MHz and Higher

- Higher Data Rates, Spectral Efficiencies

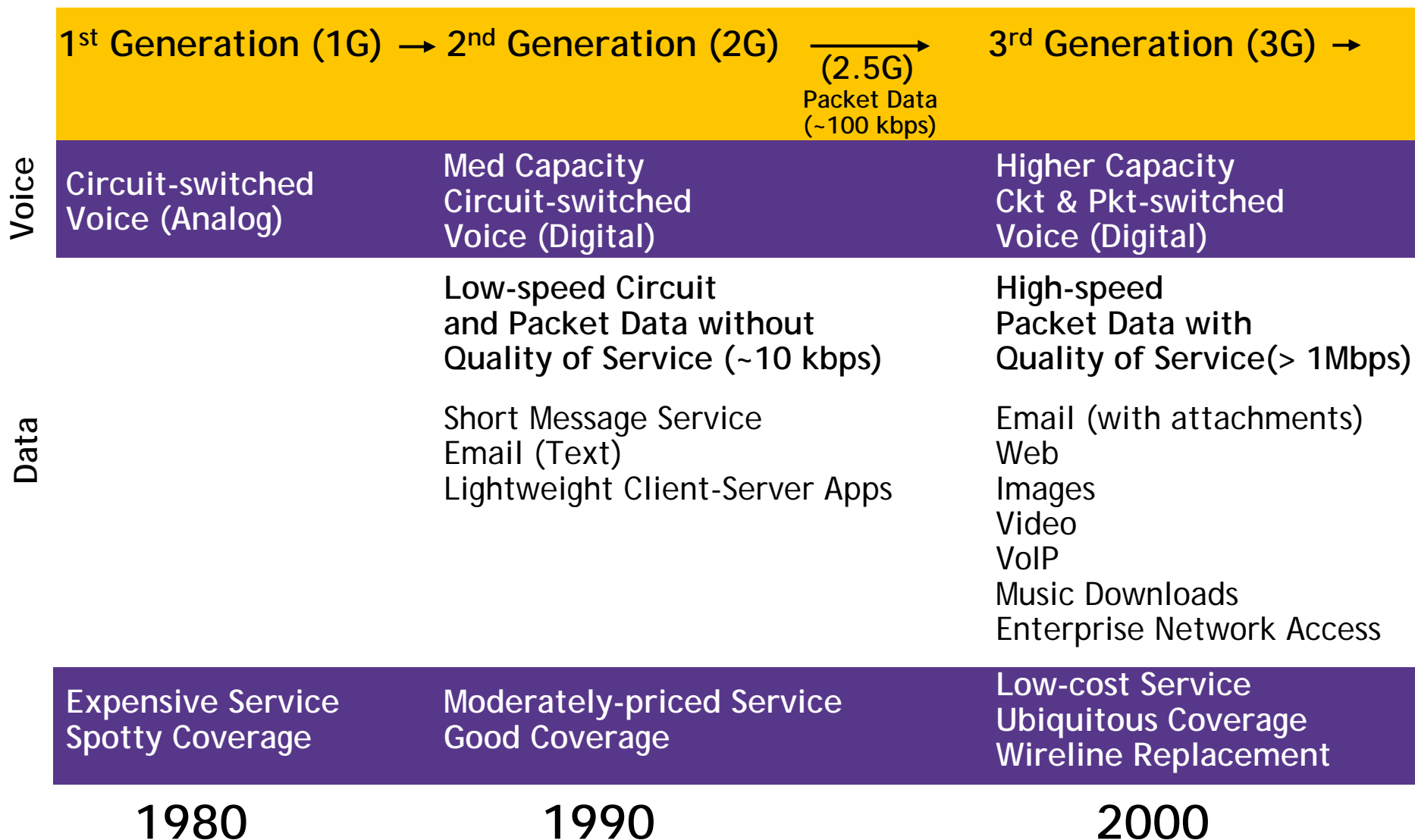
Point-to-point voice and data

- Technologies support broadcast

Migration to All-IP Networks



Commercial Wireless Technology Revolution



Factors Driving the Commercial Broadband Revolution

Billions of Customers

Competition Between Service Providers

- Low Cost, High Capacity Voice
- New Services (Differentiation) → Demand for Higher Bandwidths/Capacities

Limited Spectrum

- Leverage Large Investment in Existing Spectrum Licenses

Huge Investment in Network Infrastructure

- Backward Compatibility, Re-Use of Existing Equipment

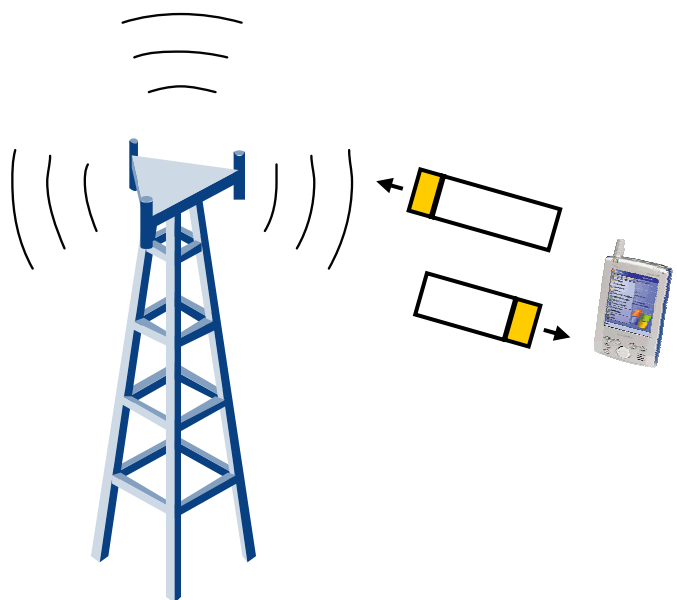
Global Standards

- Intense inter-vendor competition, competition between standards
- Scale Economies, Ecosystem

Devices

Commercial Broadband Wireless Innovations

Commercial Innovation: All IP Networks



Over-the-Air IP Header Compression
Inter- and Intra-User Quality of Service
Optimizations for:

- VoIP
- Push-to-Talk
- Video

Broadcast Multicast Service

...
It's all data...

Support of All Applications (voice, video, data)
on a Common Technology

Commercial Innovation: Devices & Scale Economies (e.g., cdma2000)

**1,079 user devices currently on the market
(184 supporting 1xEV-DO today)**

Handsets



Personal Digital Assistants



Wireless Modules



- Built-in cameras
- Global Positioning Satellite (GPS) capabilities
- Color displays
- Common-off-the-shelf equipment can be ruggedized for use by first responders

PCMCIA Cards



Ruggedized PCs



Wireless Modems



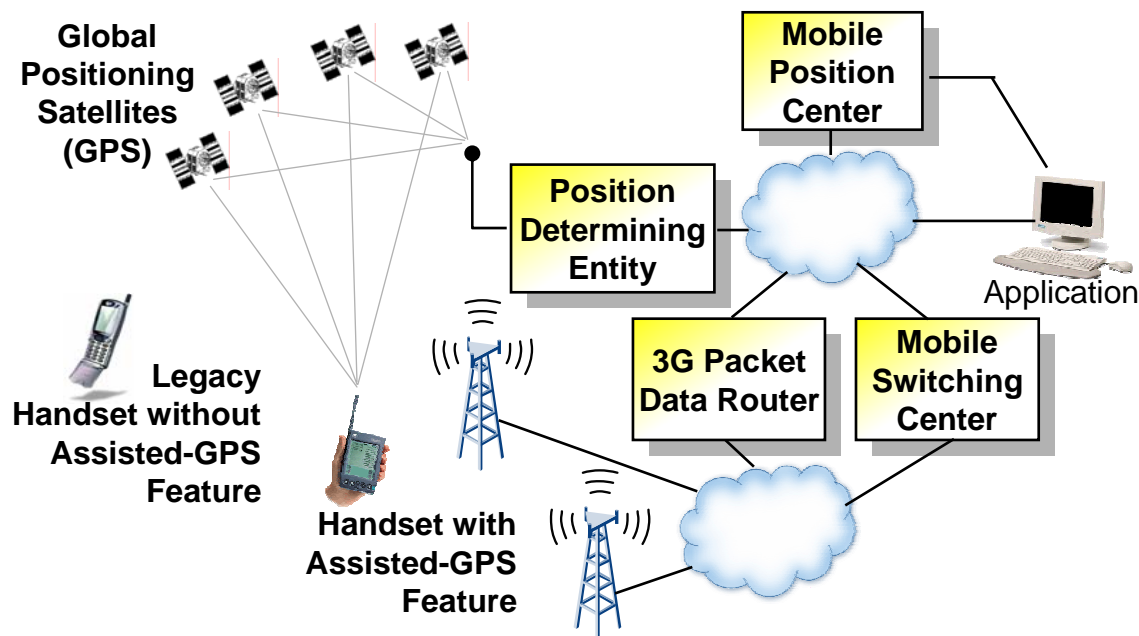
69 user device manufacturers

AirLink, Amoi, AnyDATA, Axesstel, BenQ, Benten, Casio, CEC, Cellvic, Commerciant, Compal, Curitel, Cyberbank, Cyberlane, Cypress Solutions, Daxian, eAnywhere, Ericsson, Gava Plus, Giga Telecom, Growell, GTRAN, Haier, Hanwha, Hisense, Hitachi, HP, Huawei, Intermec, Kyocera, Land-Cellular, LG, Maxon Australia, Mobile Compia, Modotel, Motorola, Movistar, Multitech Systems, National Semiconductor, Nokia, Novatel Wireless, PalmOne, **Panasonic**, Research In Motion, Samsung, Sanyo, Sanyo Tottori, Sewon Telecom, Sierra Wireless, SK Teletech, Skyworks, Sony Ericsson, Soutec, Synertek, TCL Mobile, Telson, Telular, Topex, Toshiba, Ubiquam, UTStarcom Audiovox, Vacom, VeriFone, Via Telecom, VK Corporation, Wavecom, Yiso Telecom, ZTE

Commercial Innovation: 3G Geolocation

Network Determines Best Method to Find Mobile

- Backward compatibility with legacy devices
- Technique selected depends on device, network capabilities



Handset-based techniques

- **A-GPS**
 - 50m (67% of calls)
 - 150m (95% of calls)

• Network-based techniques

- **A-GPS Fallback, Legacy Handsets**
 - 100m (67% of calls)
 - 300m (95% of calls)

Alcatel-Lucent: 3G Wireless for Public Safety

Bring the Benefits of Commercial Wireless Technologies to First Responders...

**Unified
communications
infrastructure shared
across cooperating
public safety agencies**

**Services that enhance
public safety mission
effectiveness**

**Seamless
Interoperability
between Legacy Public
Safety Radio and
Commercial Wireless
Technologies**

**Ruggedized
dual-mode
user devices**



While Leveraging Existing Investment
in Public Safety Radio Infrastructure and Training

Commercial Wireless Enhancements for Public Safety

Multi-level Priority Support

- End-to-end (pre-emptive) priority support for mission-critical services

Broadcast Multicast Service

- Streaming video, audio

High Capacity Uplink

- Video streaming



Fast call setup

- ~½ second Push-to-talk call setup times

System Hardening: Devices, Network

Communication In Absence of Fixed Infrastructure

- Deployable Equipment



National Capital Region Wireless Broadband Network

3G Commercial Technology (cdma2000 EV-DO Rev A)
in Public Safety 700 MHz Band

- Multi-agency, multi-jurisdiction (DC, MD and VA)
~35K users across 18 jurisdictions
- Initial Operation (FCC Waiver)
 - Same 2x1.25 MHz Channel Used in Every Sector
 - Engineered Coverage (for in-vehicle)
 - Downlink 306 kbps/Uplink 153 kbps (95% coverage)
- Applications: Video, Digital Imaging, Automatic Vehicle Location, Computer Aided Dispatch, Email, Mapping/GIS, Remote Database Access, Report Management System, Text Messaging, Telemetry/Remote Diagnostics
- March 2007: First Broadband Public Safety 700 MHz Two-Way Video Call



Alcatel-Lucent Deploys Nation's First
Public Safety 700 MHz Broadband Network

Public Safety 700 MHz

Public Safety 700 MHz

1997

Congress Allocates 24 MHz of 700 MHz TV Spectrum to Public Safety

1998

FCC Specifies Narrowband + Wideband
Public Safety 700 MHz Channel Plan

2005

Congress sets Feb 17, 2009 Clearance Date for 700 MHz Spectrum
DHS/NTIA Report asks FCC to Investigate Whether Public Safety
700 MHz Band Should Accommodate Broadband

2006

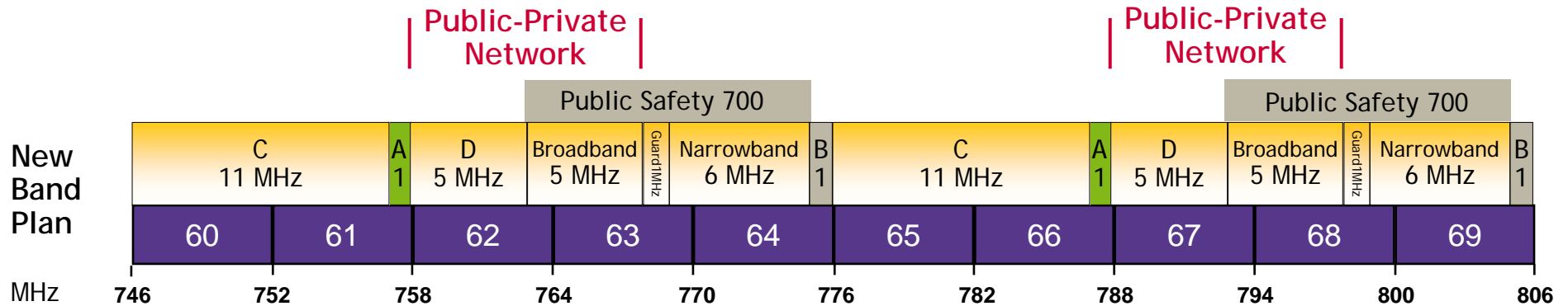
FCC Solicits Input on Changes to the Public Safety 700 MHz Band,
and other portions of the band

-
2007

Aug 10,
2007

FCC Revises Public Safety 700 MHz Band Plan,
Public-Private Public Safety Network Based on State-of-the-Art
Commercial Broadband Technologies

Licensing (Public-Private)



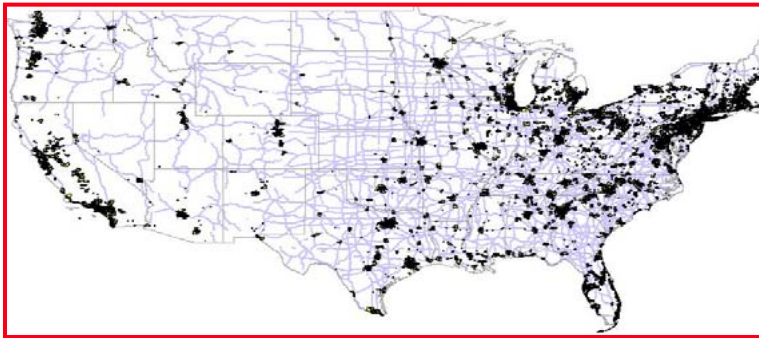
Public Safety Broadband Block

- Single, Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Licensee
- FCC Ends Regional Licensing Regime used for Narrowband spectrum
 - Regional Planning Commissions don't control broadband spectrum

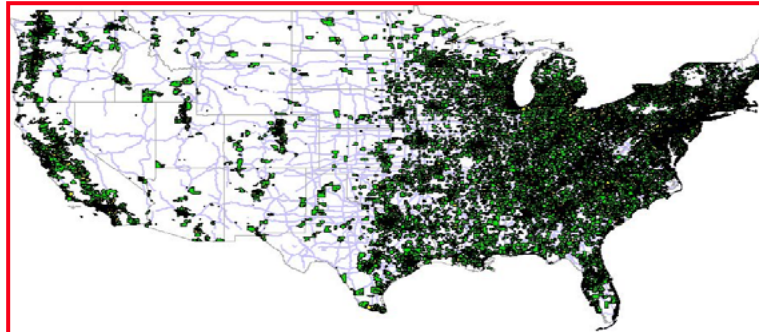
D-Block

- Auction of a Single, Nationwide License with encumbrances
 - D-block winner must build Public-Private Public Safety Broadband Network
 - Public Safety Broadband Licensee negotiates Network Service Agreement on behalf of ALL public safety users/agencies

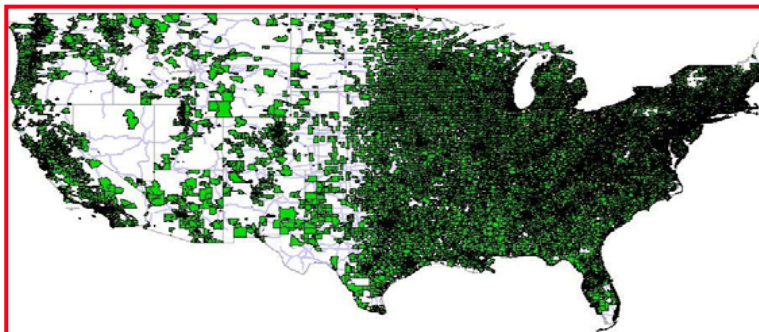
Public-Private Network Buildout Requirements



75% of US Population
by 2013



95% of US population
by 2016



99.3% of US population
by 2019

Actual Rollout
Schedule to be
Specified in
Network Sharing
Agreement

Public-Private Network Services for Public Safety

“Broadband Technology Platform supporting mobile voice, video and data...seamless interoperability...platform should include state-of-the-art technologies reasonably made available to the public safety community High Speed Data”

- Voice, Video, Data
- Push-to-Talk
- 1-to-1 and 1-to-Many Communications
- Handset with Satellite Capability

Spectrum Auction to Begin Jan 16, 2008

Public Safety Devices Envisioned for Public-Private Network

PCM/CIA Cards



Ruggedized External Modems



PDA's (non-ruggedized)



Ethernet Bridges



Ruggedized PCs with internal modems



Ruggedized Public Safety Handhelds (without satellite)



Ruggedized Public Safety Handhelds (with satellite)



New (Market-Driven) Devices ?

Public Safety Network of the Future

Commercial, Open-Standard Broadband Technology

- Leveraging Commercial Technology Innovation today and into the future

Support of All Envisioned Public Safety Applications

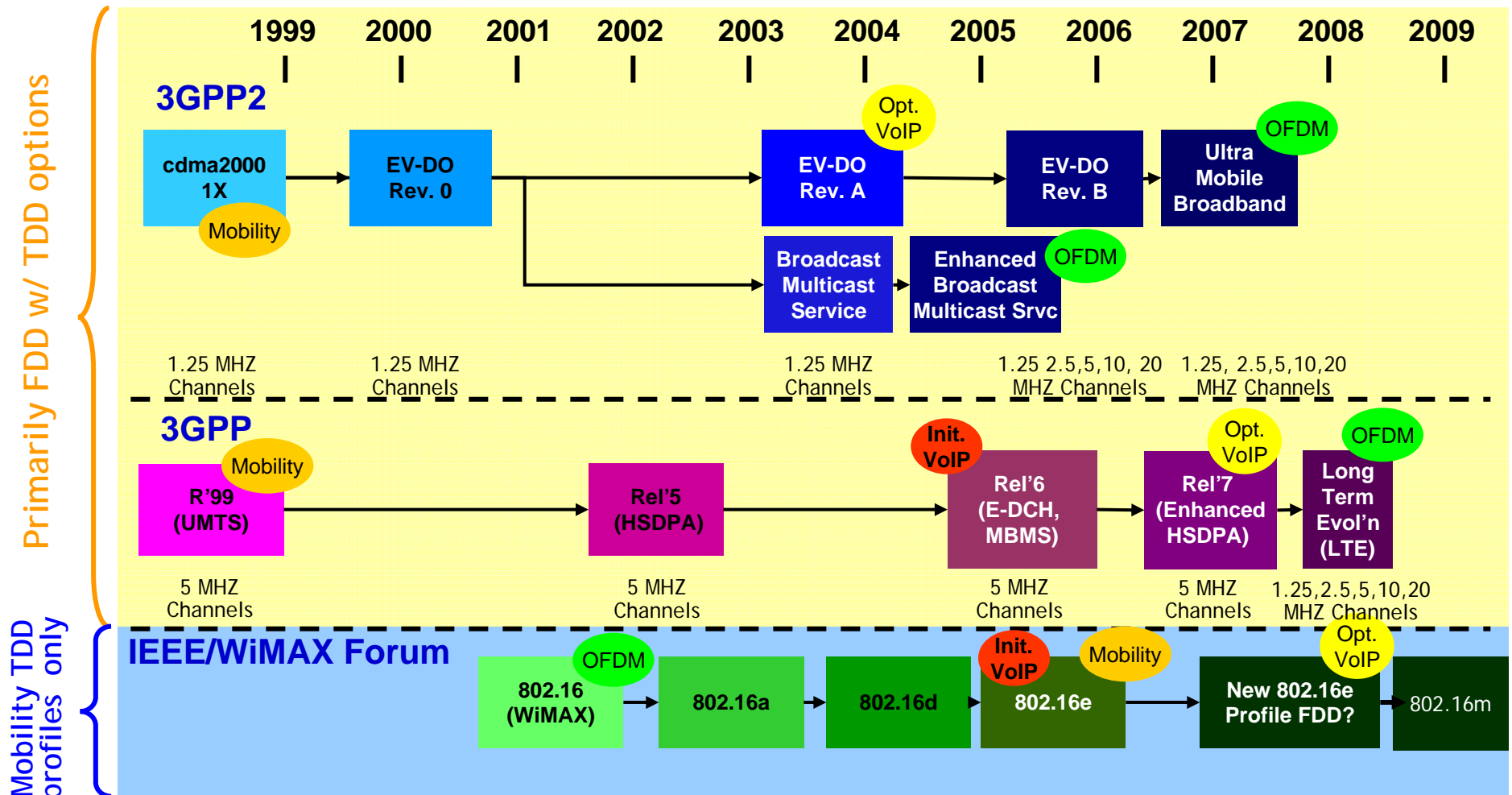
- Voice, video, data

Shared Spectrum, Shared Infrastructure

Lower-cost User Devices, Multi-vendor, Multiple Form Factors

Seamlessly Interoperable Nationwide Network
for our Nation's First Responders (Finally!)

Standards Evolution: Commercial Broadband Technology



Note:

- Dates shown are standards completion dates (or expected completion dates). Initial deployment lags standards by >1-3 years.
- "Initial VoIP" not as spectrally efficient as "Optimized VoIP". "Optimized VoIP" for 802.16 is TBD.
- "Mobility" indicates when each particular standard supports mobility inter-operability between the terminal and BTS.