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#### **AT&T to Install All-Fiber Infrastructure in Cupertino**

**Cupertino, Calif., Aug. 20, 2014** — At a press conference this morning, AT&T announced it will expand its fiber AT&T GigaPower network to the City of Cupertino.

The all-fiber network will bring much needed ultra-high-speed Internet service to Cupertino. AT&T's GigaPower services will be targeted to consumers and small businesses, according to the announcement this morning.

AT&T is deploying additional fiber and electronics to the existing network in Cupertino to meet the growing demand for ultra-fast broadband. It is expected that the network enhancements will enable customers to have access to AT&T's fastest Internet speeds available to consumers.

"Cupertino is proud to be the first city announced in California set to receive the ultra-high-speed AT&T GigaPower network," said Cupertino Mayor Gilbert Wong.

"Cupertino is leading the way in creating an environment that fosters innovation, and the deployment of ultra-high-speed broadband service will further support innovation in our community, spur our local businesses, and result in even greater economic development in our city. We are very pleased to work with AT&T to offer this unprecedented service to our residents and small businesses."

“Cupertino is a community of innovators from around the world,” said Vice Mayor Rod Sinks. “We need great connectivity to compete globally. Since the very first discussion of this project less than four months ago, both Cupertino and AT&T have made the project a high priority. We look forward to rapid deployment of this service.”

On April 21, 2014, AT&T announced a [major initiative to expand its ultra-fast fiber-based AT&T GigaPower network](#) to up to 100 candidate cities and municipalities across the nation. As part of that announcement, AT&T said it is also considering other cities in the area including Campbell, Mountain View and San Jose as candidate municipalities for the service.

### **About Cupertino**

Cupertino, CA, is on the western edge of Silicon Valley against the foothills of the Santa Cruz Mountains. With a population of 58,000 within 13 square miles, Cupertino is 42 miles south of San Francisco and home to Apple Inc. and many other high-tech companies. Additional information about Cupertino is available at [www.cupertino.org](http://www.cupertino.org).