



# News Release

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## AT&T LAUNCHES ULTRA-FAST GIGABIT INTERNET SPEEDS IN MUNSTER AND ST. JOHN

*AT&T offers Internet speeds up to 1 gigabit per second on the 100% fiber AT&T GigaPower network and access to award winning TV services*

**MUNSTER, IND., MARCH 15, 2016** — AT&T<sup>1</sup> launched its ultra-fast Internet service today with speeds up to 1 gigabit per second to homes, apartments and small businesses in parts of Munster and St. John and surrounding communities.<sup>2</sup>

The launch of AT&T GigaPower network in these areas is in addition to the Northwest Indiana-area cities where AT&T had previously made the ultra-fast Internet service available: parts of Crown Point, Gary and Hammond. In the Chicago area, AT&T GigaPower is also available in parts of Aurora, Bolingbrook, Chicago, Des Plaines, Elgin, Hampshire, Huntley, Joliet, Manhattan, Mundelein, Norridge, Oswego, Pingree Grove, Plainfield, Plano, Shorewood, Skokie, Sugar Grove, Volo, Yorkville and surrounding communities.

Internet speeds up to 1 gigabit per second<sup>3</sup> over a 100% fiber AT&T GigaPower network enable you to instantly access the latest online movies, music, games, and can improve your experience when connecting to the cloud, videoconferencing and more. With speeds up to 1 gigabit per second you can download 25 songs in less than a second, a TV show in 3 seconds or your favorite HD movie in less than 36 seconds.<sup>4</sup>

“Having the fastest high-speed Internet option will help to attract future residents and businesses to our community,” said State Rep. Bill Fine (R-Munster). “So many small-business owners, students and individuals depend on reliable Internet service, so I am pleased to hear about the expansion.”

“More and more people in our community expect this type of service and this kind of speed,” said Munster Town Manager Dustin Anderson. “Many businesses view this as a necessity in order to grow their market and customer base. We’re excited about the launch of this new AT&T fiber-based service.”

“We’re proud to deliver our ultra-fast Internet service to residents and small businesses in Munster and St. John,” said Bill Soards, president of AT&T Indiana. “This investment in some of the fastest Internet speeds available will help small businesses compete in a modern economy and offers residential customers the high-speed connectivity so many people are requesting today.”

AT&T GigaPower customers also have access to the latest Wi-Fi technology, making it possible to enjoy our best in-home Wi-Fi experience, faster Wi-Fi speeds, expanded coverage and support for all of your devices.



Customers on the AT&T GigaPower network in the Chicago area will be able to choose between our [award-winning](#) DIRECTV or U-verse TV services.

When you sign up for qualified DIRECTV programming, you get access to a broad range of TV content on your compatible mobile device, even before we install your TV system, through our “Walk out Watching” program.<sup>5</sup>

In the home DIRECTV customers with qualified programming have access to more than 315 channels. DIRECTV offers more than 200 channels in full-time HD, and is the undisputed leader in sports. You can watch the programming you love, live or On Demand and experience it on almost any screen. DIRECTV On Demand offers access to more than 10,000 movies and shows to high-speed Internet customers with connected set-top boxes, including the hottest new Pay Per View releases available through DIRECTV CINEMA® (additional fees apply for new releases).

Customers on the AT&T GigaPower network who order AT&T U-verse TV service can watch and record up to 6 HD programs at the same time, and will be able to record and store more of your favorite shows – up to 900 hours of SD or 330 hours of HD programming.

Consumers in eligible areas can choose from single, double and triple play offers to ensure they have the right combination of services to fit their needs. The packages below include equipment, and waivers of installation and activation fees.

- U-verse High Speed Internet Premier: Internet speeds up to 1Gbps for as low as \$110 a month, or speeds up to 300Mbps as low as \$80 a month, with a 1-year price guarantee.<sup>6</sup>
- U-verse High Speed Internet Premier + TV: Internet speeds up to 1Gbps and qualifying U-verse U-200 TV for as low as \$150 a month, or speeds up to 300Mbps and U-verse U-200 TV as low as \$120 a month, with a 1-year price guarantee.
- U-verse High Speed Internet Premier + TV + Voice: Internet speeds up to 1Gbps with U-verse U-200 TV and U-verse Voice Unlimited North America for as low as \$180 a month, or speeds up to 300Mbps with qualifying U-verse U-200 TV and U-verse Voice Unlimited as low as \$150 a month, with a 2-year price guarantee.

We successfully launched the first AT&T GigaPower metro in Austin, Texas 2 years ago. That led to a [major expansion](#) in multiple U.S. metros beginning in 2014. In 2015 we marked a major milestone deploying the AT&T GigaPower network to more than 1 million locations, and we expect to more than double availability by the end of 2016.

AT&T GigaPower is now available in 20 of the nation’s largest metros areas, and we’ve announced plans to expand our ultra-fast Internet service in parts of 36 additional metro areas - which will total at least 56 metros served.

We plan to continue to roll out our fastest Internet services over a 100% fiber network to reach more than 14 million residential and commercial locations.



AT&T has invested more than \$2 billion in its wireless and wired networks in Indiana between 2012 through 2014, driving a wide range of upgrades to reliability, coverage, speed and performance for residents and business customers.

For more information on AT&T GigaPower, or to check availability, please visit [att.com/gigapower](http://att.com/gigapower).

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<sup>2</sup> Initial availability limited to select areas. May not be available in your area. Go to [att.com/gigapower](http://att.com/gigapower) to see if you qualify.

<sup>3</sup> Internet speed claims represent maximum network service capability speeds. Actual customer speeds may vary and are not guaranteed. Actual speeds vary based on factors including site traffic, content provider server capacity, internal network management factors, device capabilities and use of other U-verse services. For more information, go to: [www.att.com/speed101](http://www.att.com/speed101).

<sup>4</sup> Speed/Time examples are estimates.

<sup>5</sup> Limit 5 shows/devices at once. Channels vary. Access expires at earliest of 14 days/system installation. Data rates may apply. Additional restrictions apply.

<sup>6</sup> AT&T GigaPower Premier offer is available with agreement from customer to participate in AT&T Internet Preferences. AT&T may use Web browsing information, like the search terms entered and the Web pages visited, to provide customers with relevant offers and ads tailored to their interests. Taxes, additional fees and restrictions may apply. Pricing subject to change. Different offers and prices may apply for small businesses.

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