



## News Release

### **100% Fiber Network Powered by AT&T Fiber Expands in Chicago Area**

*Ultra-Fast Internet Speeds Available to Homes, Apartments and Small Business Locations in Additional Chicago Area Cities*

CHICAGO. Aug. 22, 2017 —AT&T\* is now offering a 1 gigabit connection<sup>1</sup> on our 100% fiber network powered by AT&T Fiber<sup>SM</sup> to customer locations in the Chicago area, including in parts of Berwyn, Elmhurst, Evergreen Park, Oak Lawn and surrounding areas.<sup>2</sup>

Our fastest internet speed tier, AT&T Internet 1000, is now available to over 270,000 homes and small businesses in the Chicago area.

We previously announced ultra-fast internet speeds available in parts of the following counties/communities in the Chicago area:

- Cook: Chicago, Arlington Heights, Des Plaines, Elgin, Michigan City, Norridge, Skokie, Oak Park, Westchester, Wilmette.
- Dupage: Aurora
- Grundy: Channahon
- Kane: Aurora, Elgin, Hampshire, North Aurora, Grove, South Elgin
- Kendall: Oswego, Plano, Yorkville
- Lake: Libertyville, Mundelein, Volo
- McHenry: Crystal Lake, Huntley, McHenry
- Will: Aurora, Bolingbrook, Channahon, Joliet, Manhattan

The Chicago area is one of 57 metros nationwide where our ultra-fast internet service is currently available. We plan to reach at least 75 metros with our fastest internet service.

Today, we market a 1 gigabit connection<sup>1</sup> on our 100% fiber network to over 5.5 million locations across 57 metros. We plan to reach at least 12.5 million locations by mid-2019.

“Our customers are increasingly interacting with their world in more data-intensive ways,” said AT&T Illinois President Paul La Schiazza. “More people now are streaming content directly from their devices, and interacting with family and friends through live videos. For these reasons, we’re continuing to expand the availability of our fastest internet speeds to more Chicago-area communities.”

“Today, people rely on high-speed internet to stay connected to family, school, work, health care, news, entertainment and emergency responders,” said State Rep. Kelly Burke. “More



investment in fiber for high-speed internet is great news for our local residents, businesses and the economy.”

AT&T Internet 1000, is our fastest internet speed tier on our 100% fiber network. It is offered at \$70 per month for customers who bundle with another AT&T service on a single bill, or only \$80 per month standalone. Either way, there are no extra monthly fees and equipment is included with a 12-month agreement.<sup>3</sup> Customers are also able to add our [award-winning DIRECTV](#) or U-verse TV service as well. We have single, double and triple play offers to fit each customer’s needs.

### **What can I do with a service that starts with a 1 gig connection?**

You can download 25 songs in 1 second or your favorite 90-minute HD movie in less than 34 seconds.<sup>4</sup> Customers can enjoy our fastest upload and download speeds.

You can also quickly access and stream the latest online movies, music and games. These ultrafast speeds let you easily telecommute, video-conference, upload and download photos and videos, and connect faster to the cloud.

### **What is AT&T Fiber?**

Our 100% fiber network under the AT&T Fiber umbrella brand lets customers choose from a range of internet speeds, all over an ultrafast internet connection. This 100% fiber network is just one of the network technologies we plan to use to connect customers as a part of AT&T Fiber.

Frost & Sullivan recently recognized AT&T for its leadership in high-speed internet services. It awarded AT&T the 2016 Company of the Year Award for Broadband Access. The analyst firm praised AT&T for “rapidly evolving into a new form of telecommunications company; one that is based on the delivery of broadband access, both fixed and mobile, as well as services that ride that access.”

For more information on AT&T Fiber, visit [att.com/getfiber](http://att.com/getfiber).

### **AT&T in Illinois**

AT&T has invested more than \$3 billion in its wireless and wireline networks in Illinois between 2013 through 2015. This drives upgrades to reliability, coverage, speed and performance for residents and business customers.

<sup>1</sup>Actual customer speeds may vary. Download speeds are typically up to 940Mbps due to overhead capacity reserved to deliver the data.

<sup>2</sup>Initial availability limited to select areas. May not be available in your area. Go to <https://www.att.com/internet/> to see if you qualify.

<sup>3</sup>After 12 months, price moves to standard rate of \$90/mo.

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



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