



## **ZAYO BANDWIDTH EXPANDS FIBER-TO-TOWER WIRELESS NETWORK OFFERING IN SPOKANE AND COEUR D'ALENE**

**LOUISVILLE, Colo. – Dec. 18, 2009** – Zayo Bandwidth, a provider of bandwidth infrastructure solutions for carrier, enterprise and government customers, announced today that it will deploy TDM and Ethernet services to 45 wireless tower sites in Spokane, Washington and Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

The Spokane / Coeur d'Alene deployment will enable the delivery of high-speed, Long Term Evolution (LTE) wireless network services, and also expand existing network capacity and bandwidth to accommodate increasing demand for 3G and 4G technologies. This expansion increases Zayo's national tower footprint to more than 1,300 locations.

"As an industry leader of fiber-to-tower deployments, we are able to provide cost-effective next generation Ethernet and traditional TDM services that will scale to support increasing bandwidth requirements for evolving 3G and 4G technologies," said Chris Murphy, Vice President, Sales and Business Development for Zayo Bandwidth. "This deployment enables our Spokane and Coeur d'Alene customers' greater access to wireless backhaul services and is consistent with our corporate vision of delivering comprehensive bandwidth infrastructure to all of our customers."

"Zayo's deployment into Spokane/Coeur d'Alene highlights our ability to support the increasing bandwidth requirements of emerging technology and add value by backhauling traffic to key Northwest aggregation sites," said Brad Cheedle, SVP Sales and Marketing.

### **About Zayo Bandwidth**

Zayo Bandwidth, a wholly owned subsidiary of Zayo Group, owns and operates fiber optic networks totaling over 20,000 fiber route miles. Zayo Bandwidth ([www.zayo.com/bandwidth](http://www.zayo.com/bandwidth)) offers services in 131 markets spanning 23 states. Zayo Bandwidth's mission is to provide responsive bandwidth infrastructure solutions and a strong and growing network.

### **About Zayo Group**

Based in Louisville, Colo., Zayo Group ([www.zayo.com](http://www.zayo.com)) operates four business units, including Zayo Bandwidth, zColo, Zayo Enterprise Networks and Onvoy Voice Services, and primarily provides telecom infrastructure services to carriers, wireless service providers, Media, CATV, Internet and other bandwidth intensive businesses. Telecom infrastructure services, including bandwidth infrastructure and neutral collocation are provided on Zayo's ~20,000 route mile fiber and neutral collocation network that spans 131 markets and 23 states. For various Group updates, follow Zayo on Twitter: ZayoGroup.

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