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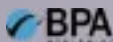
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This issue is a terrific preview of the Broadband Properties Summit in Dallas, September 11 – 13. You'll see dynamic presentations from industry leaders and world-class speakers that include:

John Stadter, CEO of ComSpan-USA. The story of how a small Oregon city spawned one of the most advanced FTTH networks in the country — *the first super-speed GPON deployment* — contains vital lessons for companies and communities everywhere. Stadter and his partners at Leducor Technical Services are going to be a very sought-after crew at our conference. *Catch the story now on page 54.*

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Richard Holtz, CEO, InfiniSys. It just happened! *Verizon's first FiOS MDU deployment has been lit.* Read about the challenges faced by InfiniSys on this milestone achievement. *See page 41.* One of the players in this history-making event is **Henry Pye of JPI**, MDU chairman of the Summit. Henry has developed a brilliant multifamily program with speakers that include **Eric Cevis**, vice president of the team at **Verizon Enhanced Communities.** American MDUs have started getting FTTH in big numbers — as we have been promising would happen — and the Summit is going to be Knowledge Central on the subject. At the apex of the world of MDUs and PCOs are Summit participants **Bryan Rader** and **Bill Burhop** of the **IMCC.** Check out our extensive coverage of the IMCC meeting — *it begins on page 46* — and sign up now to commune with Bryan and Bill in Dallas.

Jorge Ortiz, CEO, Interfibra. At the Summit you'll hear from Ortiz about the strategies used by his innovative Mexican company to successfully deliver Triple-Play services to low-income households for just \$25 per month. You can back-

ground yourself on this exceptional story now — *turn to page 58.* Then round out your knowledge in Dallas by questioning Senior Ortiz in person. Other leaders from abroad include **Marco Westenberg** of **Volker Wessels Telecom Group** in the Netherlands, and **Mustafa Kaddoura** from Dubai Internet City — a pioneer in the region with FTTH.

The Hon. Hilda Legg — broadband champion. Our magazine's vice chairperson stirs up audiences around the country with her astute and powerful talks on the critical need for broadband communications. As national director of the Rural Utilities Service, Ms. Legg oversaw billions of dollars of federal funds for infrastructure improvements. She also developed an acute awareness of the economic payoffs that await a nation capable of uniting its distant corners and communities with high-speed connectivity. *Read the story that starts on page 20.* Then register today to be sure you see her in person.

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