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January turned out to be a time of solidifying and improving. Not just in Marrowstone Wireless FTTH (Fiber To The Home) processes but, also in yours truly having eye surgery. I have now completed cataract/lens replacement in both eyes and am healing while literally watching as my eyesight improves day by day. What a miracle of modern medicine!

Today is especially exciting to us within M.W. as Ken Nelson is in the middle of his first complete install of buried FTTH on Griffith Point Road without “training wheels!” We stand by to support him, of course, as needed to assure success but the past months of training and improving processes is now paying off in Ken becoming a highly skilled FTTH installer which is very rare in the world at large and also being a customer-loving individual concerned with their needs! A combination extremely rare indeed!

I am also excited that I am still being called upon to install new Microwave radio Internet connections to those very few properties on the East side of Marrowstone who are just learning from their neighbors of our service. The more clients we have the faster we can build out the new FTTH infrastructure across the entire Island.

During February and March we hope to complete the rest of the Griffith Point Road mainline fiber on the poles so we can expand the base of new FTTH connections. As we build out to the corner of Griffith Point Road and Flagler Road we will be preparing a Fiber interconnection to our upcoming North-South Fiber Backbone that will run the full length of Flagler Road.

The Fiber Backbone will carry Broadband Internet sourced by our Microwave Radio system from the North end of the Island and will carry Broadband Internet sourced by the PUD/NoaNet Fiber at the South end of the Island. Each of the Fiber Head-End neighborhood control points (such as the current Griffith Point Rd. unit) will be fed both these sources from the Fiber Backbone. Each Fiber Head-End is equipped with automatic Fail-over switching so that if one source fails the other source will pickup the feed until the prime source is repaired.

I am frequently asked how soon we will reach individuals' locations with the FTTH and as I explain to them I remind them “Rome was not built in a day.” As we continue to build the physical infrastructure, the real and difficult building of human support infrastructure is also taking place. Seeking the people with the right stuff that want to be part of this effort with their hearts. People who value others first and are willing to go the extra mile in service. People with ethics that others can place trust in. These few are the ones we pray for to be a long-term part of this company. We can train them in the specialized knowledge needed to support the physical infrastructure. I thank God for those people now associated with us and for those that are on the way to us.

Happy Valentine's Day! Each day you go out in this world, carry love with you because someone is going to need it...

Peace, David