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GVTC TAKES SECURITY MONITORING TO THE NEXT LEVEL

Communication Company partners with Honeywell to launch interactive products

SMITHSON VALLEY, December 18, 2012 — GVTC is partnering with Honeywell to launch next generation security services for its residential and business customers. GVTC connectHome and connectOffice leverages Honeywell's award winning user interface, which allows customers to access the services from any Internet connected device including Apple, Android, and Blackberry smartphones.

These new security features include the ability to arm or disarm the system remotely via a computer or smartphone. Customers also have the ability to get text messages or emails about events that take place with sensors in a home or office. For example, a customer could set up a notification every time a door or window is opened along.

“We’ve seen our pilot customers get very creative finding practical uses for these services,” Internet and Security Product Manager, Tom Zanoli, said. “One customer set a rule to get a notification if their door doesn't open by a specific time, which to them would signal their child isn't home yet.”

GVTC is working to launch the next phase of connectHome/Office in early 2013 with features that include home automation such as thermostats, lighting controls, cameras, and door locks. They will be controlled using the same Honeywell interface.

Monthly pricing for GVTC connectHome/Office begins at \$14.95, which is in addition to the customer’s monthly monitoring charge. Detailed pricing information is available on GVTC.com.

About GVTC:

GVTC is a full-service communications provider offering high-speed Internet, digital cable TV, phone and home security monitoring across 2,000 square miles of South Central Texas. GVTC was the first company in the region to deploy fiber-to-the-home technology and through its next-generation fiber network has the fastest Internet speeds in its service area. The company was named Business of the Year by the Boerne and Canyon Lake Chambers of Commerce, selected the past five years as a *Broadband Communities* magazine Top 100 broadband provider, recognized by the *San Antonio Express-News* and *San Antonio Business Journal* as an exemplary employer, given the Fiber-to-the-Home Council's Chairman's Award, received a NTCA TeleChoice Award and twice named winner of the Broadband Multimedia Marketing Association's Marketing Excellence Award.

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