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GVTC GigaRegion® earns national award

SMITHSON VALLEY, October 1, 2015 — GVTC accepted an industry honor for its creative approach to leveraging [fiber optics](#) and gigabit Internet speeds. Cablefax The Magazine presented our company its [Independent Technology Award](#) for the [GVTC GigaRegion®](#) Rollout.

Our partnership with Boerne, Bulverde and Gonzales to create The GVTC GigaRegion® to market gigabit technology for economic development and higher quality of life caught the attention of Cablefax judges. As did the marketing strategy, which included a GVTC GigaRegion® workshop that distributed materials and marketing plan each of our partner cities can use to promote itself as part of the GigaRegion®.

The Independent Technology Award is part of the 2015 Top Ops Awards which recognizes achievements in the cable operator industry. Communications Manager Bruce Forey accepted GVTC's award during a ceremony in New York City, on October 1. #FastInternet

About GVTC:

GVTC is a full-service communications provider offering high-speed Internet, digital cable TV, phone and interactive home security monitoring to residential and business customers. GVTC's fiber network spans over 2,200 miles across a service area that covers areas of far north San Antonio, the Texas Hill Country and South Central Texas. Through its fiber network, GVTC's 1 Gbps Internet connection is available to more than 40,000 rooftops. GVTC also offers an extensive selection of business communication services available throughout its service area, New Braunfels and San Antonio. In June 2014, the GVTC GigaRegion® was formed with the cities of Boerne, Bulverde and Gonzales. Through this unique public-private partnership, GVTC and the GigaRegion® cities jointly market the benefits of a fiber network, along with economic incentives, to compete for jobs and improve quality of life.

GVTC is frequently recognized for business excellence. The accolades include selection as a Top 100 Fiber to the Home Company by Broadband Communities Magazine, for seven consecutive years. GVTC also received the 2014 Broadband Vision Award for Service Provider by the Broadband Multimedia Marketing Association. In 2015, GVTC was chosen for a Top Operator Award by CableFAX Magazine. The San Antonio Express-News and San Antonio Business Journal have recognized GVTC as an exemplary employer, on multiple occasions. The company's philanthropic arm, The GVTC Foundation, is approaching two million dollars in donations to charitable organizations, since its establishment in 2006. Learn more at GVTC.com