Home
Subscribe
Knowledge Center
About Pipeline
Innovation Awards
Executive Summits

January 2025, Volume 21, Issue 4

Past Issues
News Center
Research Center
Webinars
Events
Sponsors
Members

#### **FEATURED SPONSOR:**



#### IN THIS ISSUE

Al & Mobile Transformation
Efficient Mobile O-RAN & DAS
Satellite Connectivity Trends
eSIM, iSIM, IoT & Industry 4.0
US MVNO Growth Breakout
Satellite for IoT, 5G & 6G
V2X for Autonomous Cars
Mebile Edge Innovation
Al Risks & Really Smart Phones
GenAl Network Transformation
Letter from the Editor
IT & Telecom Technology News
Article Index





**NEWSWIRE** 



Agi, for distribution



of Reference of the state of th



**CONNECT WITH US** 

Follow @PipelineWire

**Back More** 

Agi, Rot. distribution

#### **Latest Issues**









**Advertising Placements** 

Sponsor Articles and Issues

**View More Issues** 

#### **TRENDING NEWS**

**BrainChip Provides Low-Power Neuromorphic Processing** 

Full Story>

NVIDIA Partners with Healthcare Leaders

Full Story>

Ericsson Enhances Enterprise 5G Portfolio

Full Story>

AT&T Enhances Florida Emergency Response

Full Story>

Keysight Signs Virtual Power
Purchase Agreement

Full Story>

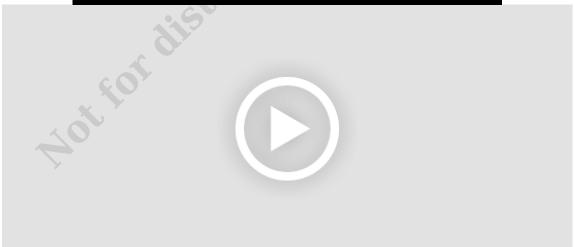
**VIAVI Introduces AI RSG** 

Full Story>

**View More News** 

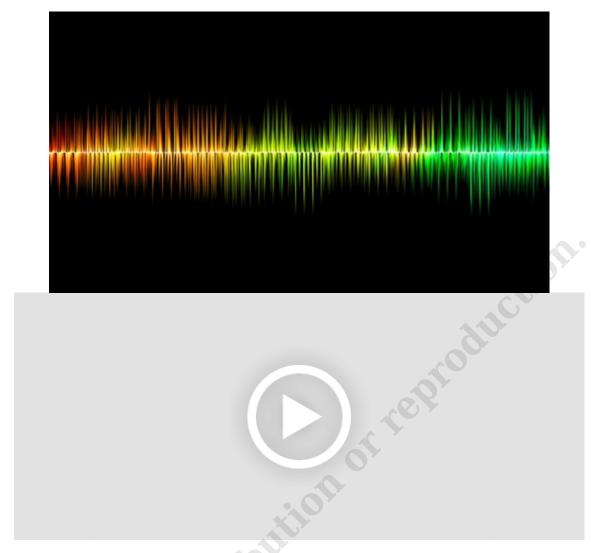
## **Featured Content**





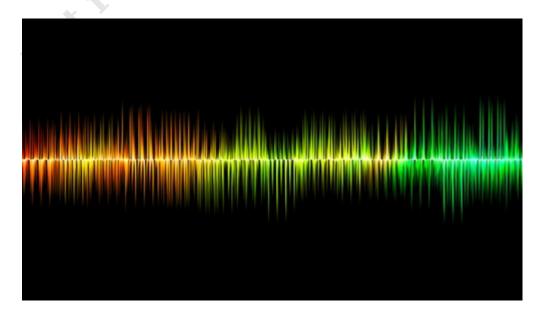
**End-to-End Solutions for Broadband Networks** 

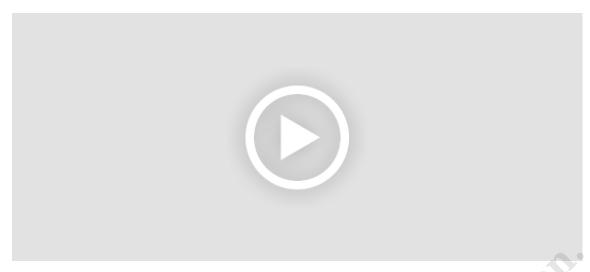
In case you missed Lindsay Broadband - a division of Technetix group at the SCTE Cable-Tec Expo, this video highlights the must-have, end-to-end solutions for your network.



**Predicting Colonial Pipeline: Mitigating Risk and Compliance** 

Mitigating risk and compliance for lawful intercept using lawful intelligence is explored in this Pipeline article feature SS8. Learn how CSPs can comply with lawful intercept regulation, while empowering law information with critical, real-time data.





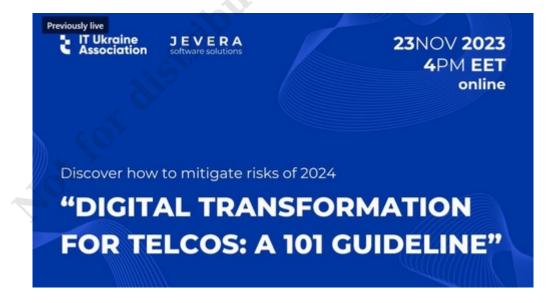
Podcast: The Evolution to 6G

The world's eyes are already looking forward to the potential of 6G. Demands resulting from innovative use cases, for instance specific requirements from different industries and other user groups, as well as overarching goals like sustainability, are driving the standardization and development of mobile technologies.

Request Video

**View More Videos** 

## **Latest Webinars**





PANEL DISCUSSION

# The Impact of Transformation

A Dynamic Panel Accussion Featuring
The Industry's Top Thought Leaders

0 2018. All rights reserved

**Pipeline** 

PANEL DISCUSSION

# The Network Transformation Imperative

A Dynamic Panel Jiscussion Featuring The Industry's Top Thought Leaders

0:2519.At rights received.

**Pipeline** 

PANEL DISCUSSION

# Agile Architecture for Digital Innovation

A Dynamic Panel Ascussion Featuring
The Industry's Top Thought Leaders

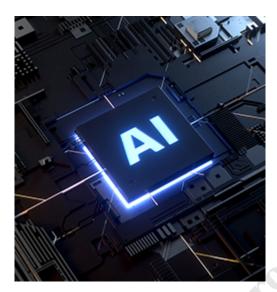
8 30 C. All rights recorded.

Participate in Webinars

Join Next Webinar

**View More Webinars** 

## **Latest Articles**



**AI & Mobile Transformation** 

Order Article Reprint Read More



Order Article Reprint Read More



**Satellite Connectivity Trends** 

## Order Article Reprint Read More



eSIM, iSIM, IoT & Industry 4.0

Order Article Reprint Read More

#### **Sponsor Articles**

### **Advertising Placements**

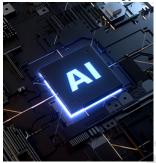
#### **TRENDING ARTICLES**



UI & UX Data Design



Telecom & IT Technology News



Enterprise ROI for GenAl



Flexible B/OSS for Self Service



Filling the Tech Skills Gap
View More Articles

## **Other Featured Content**







#### WiFi solutions

Rot distribut

For more than 75 years, CHR has designed, built, managed and more that networks that matter—including one of the first five LTEne twoks in the nation and fully integrated WNFF networks for the Department of Defence.

Whether your goal is to implement a WIFI network that guarantees outstanding coverage for broadband internet access on you're seeking new revenue streams by becoming a VoiP or Wineless Internet Service Provider, our experience enables the entire ecceptam.

CHR's WEFI Selutions include fee bleend-to-endor a to-carte options that range from concept, to construction, to customer management. Our certified engineers and best-of-breed partners stand ready to aid in every expect of your Wiff project.





Aut for distribution of the production.



#### **Creating Communities**

Communications service providers play a vital role in building rural America. Connecting unserved or under served communities through broadband technology improves their way of life and closes the digital divide by providing economic opportunities otherwise not possible.

CHR Solutions is a proven industry leader with over 75 years of experience and will help you invest in broadband. Our complete solution gives you the tools necessary to make strategic business decisions for building, marketing, and monetizing your network.

# ENGINEERING SERVICES Network Planning & Design

Broad band Viability and Feasibility Studies Outside Plant Engineering (Architecture, Field Notes, Design, Permitting) GIS/CAD Services Project/Construction Management

#### **BUSINESS SOFTWARE**

Custome r Manage ment
Billing
Service Activation
Sales & Marketing
Order Capture
Facilities Management
Dashboards
Case Management

#### BUSINESS CONSULTING

Regulatory
Mainstiffe
Product Moragement
Customers Service
pained
Cyber Security
NOC Mointoring
Itmoice Fulfillment
Systems Rollout

# ONTOLOGY

Know your network: Now.





Ontology 5 Intelligent 360 for Network Operators | v4.0.2015

# **Pipeline**

## Navigating the Chaos: Identity Access and Configuration Management Strategies for SDN & NFV







Know Your Customers, Keep Your Customers: Five Key Benefits of Using Automated Surveys to Gauge Customer Satisfaction

CSG International | September 2011

© 1011 Gib lipitoms bitomatismal, ins. All rights resourced.







Ontology, NFV and the Future OSS September 2015



## **Case Studies**



# WiTCOM deploys open multi-vendor solution to power smart city initiative

Secure open platform powers edge cloud for IoT, video and next-gen services

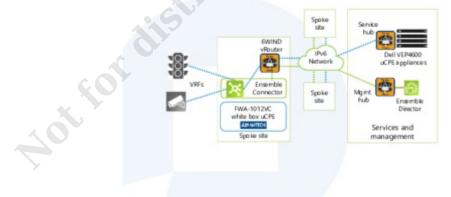
WiTCOM provides business customers, government institutions, and ITC service providers in Wiesbaden with professional telecommunication services and secure data genter services. Now WiTCOM is deploying an open uCPE platform as an edge cloud to host smart city services, including IoT, traffic control, surveillance, and wholesale services.

With network functions virtualization (IVIV) and universal CFE LCPE), smart city operators. The WITCOM can coid@ and efficiently deploy need generation services. And office the LCPE servers and software are deployed, the operator can use? It as a pattern for innovation, leve who ceil can be added dynamically, without changing the depolipment handware, deast calls investigate the useful depolipment.

decase, an ill service provider in controvatal funcio assembled a solution using bedieforwed supplies in power this innovative department, species gardine the suppliers learned up, about meta-fill cools is disperrequirements for performance and, ease of deploymented. The solution is deployed on a central hub site as well as remotes notes that the shown below?

Security is an essential element of the solution, and in provided by the distribilitation bruce visuser. The visuser is deployed in virtual machines (VMs) at each of the spokes and at the hubbs an aggregator.

The spoke sites are located in outdoor cabinets featuring the widely adopted FMA-BILINC white box vCPE from Advantach. This optimized and versatile appliano integrates the Intel Atom\*CLTBB processor B coved, and 29 8505 STP and 6e 8506 RMS interfaces, poweding sufficient compute headroom and flexible connectivity to



## **Brochures**

#### outsmart the fraudsters

#### ever-growing complexity of telecom fraud

telecomifraud is constartly evolving as foliosters. are finding new ways to convrit force using your in-retworks. Whether it is subscription force. Wanger, MEX hacking or international Newtone Share Fraud (IRSP), it can be difficult – even for experienced. fraud nanagers – to guero against the latest attack methods.

Although great strides have been made in mitigating floud access the industry, floud managers and consumers need to remain vigilant in their oursuit to keep the floudsters at ony.



Aoi, for distril

#### the ripple effect

The CHCA 2017 Annual hraud Loss Survey estimates than 5298 is lost no finule each year. Of course, the actual case is a for higher cue to the collarers derings to your hand representing, organizational efficiency and pusc

In the highly competitive releasms marketplace, you In the highly compenitive releases multicaption, you are too seed on creating a retail branching in reviews services to different atteryourself from compenitors. Duch reclassings are service actived means here opportunities for fraudations to in it that your research. To combat this, your security and fraud strongies need to remain solubilities only service across absent of the latest techniques. For instance, detecting fraudation is made shared on meaning the call terrorises a conscious of cells on researching the call terrorises a conscious of cells on present and consideration of cells on present and considerations. ction. the call requires a conscion of calls to premium and unallocated numbers as they are happening. The good news is that with high-quality numbering data. you can proactively property curr business from being the unwitting victim of new attacks and criminal activity.

#### staying one step ahead

staying one step ahead

Even for the services in all managers, pulsar vining the focusions requires enhancing existing platforms are systems. This gives you added spin ligeope to descrip it acts and other halfy relaying the rise even of it is brand new to your networks when allows you no prevent reviews does and improve the consurgement. Comprehensive was abstractly shall allow you to prevent reviewely block as long the address members and perform to grateful getrooption of inhound traffic for call attempts.

iconectiv

## **Brochures**





Looming deadlines, limited resources and a fiercely competitive market. make it difficult to complete your wireless network. By outsourcing your ENGINEERING, FURNISH AND INSTALLATION (EF&I) we'll ensure the job is done right and on time.

CHR's experienced engineering and technical teams combined with our multi-vendor relationships and decades of regulatory experience ensure a successful integration of your wireless system - everything from site acquisition to optimization.

- · Network architecture and design
- Multi-vendor management and procurement advantages
- Logistics and support (Rack and Stack)
   Implementation and training
- Regulatory and finance
   FTTH, IP and IPTV specialties
- · 4G wireless core and site acquisition/turn up



AOI, ROIL BIRTH

713.351.5111 • info@CHRSolutions.com • www.CHRSolutions.com

## **Whitepapers**

### Testing the Cloud

Mark Sylor, New Technologist EXFO Service Assurance

#### INTRODUCTION

Broadband, backbone and mobile wireless service providers ser the cloud as an opportunity for growth. New applications running in the cloud drive new traffic to their network. The doud also offers new reserves from new services that can be odd to outstorners. The business models for carriers and how they relate to the doud are evolving quickly, but one fact is becoming dear: to advise success in the cloud market, carriers must actively ensure that they offer a high quality of service to cloud consumers. The best way to assess cloud mustar is to set the folious.

A doud is a shared computing platform scalable over the network used to run a variety of business or personal applications. The concept is hardly new; it has soots in service bureaus, cutsourced data centers and utility computing. What makes the cloud work today is the rise of the web brower as a thin client that allow individual users to run any application, the wide availability of high bandwidth networks, and whatlasten technologies for computers storage and networking. The cost savings, expanded reach, and improved quality gained by running an application in the cloud is proving to be a business success, as shown by the growth of doub.



Figure 1. Cloud players: cloud users, cloud consumers, cloud providers and cloud carriers

Cloud services are sold to cloud consumers who have a business need. To meet that need, the cloud consumer deplays an application to be on in the cloud for average community. The cloud isself is driver by cloud data centers that provide an environment for running the application. The data centers render applications are

networking. User access to the cloud data centers is provided by doubt damies. The doud provider manages the doud data centers and their servers, storage and networking. The conter manages the interconnection between the user and the cloud data centers. The application may be owned and managed by the cloud consumer or speciation.

the glassy production to high early degrees become the content and asserting the content and account of the content accou

directly to the se- priented KPIs care ther is determine they are independ providers. Cloud p If the carrier owns can offer the servi-	settly to the service sold to cloud consumers. These service need of the careot be measured by any one actor; together, they are is determined by the business relationship between them, it is determined to the the business relationship between them, it is determined indigenedest, cloud carriers ofter \$1.40 as assumes to cloud notices. Cloud provides in turn ofter \$1.40 as to cloud consumers, the carrier owns the cloud provides, then the single organization ofter the service-level agreements (\$1.40.1). These \$1.40 are one tor dening carriers and provides to test the cloud.				
	Definition				
Cloud User	A person or organization that uses and benefits from the cloud.				
Cloud Consumer	An organization or person that buys senices from the cloud provider to use or run an application.				
Cloud Provider	A person or organization that provides a cloud service.				
Cloud Carrier	A communications service provider that provides connectivity and transport between users and the cloud or within the cloud.				

dire 1. Crossf actors

Is this complex business environment, carriers have strength. First, hery own the retearch fast connects users to the application numing in the cloud. Second, they provide the clouds that connect cloud data centres to the internst and each other. Bind, they can provide the executly and privacy customers wint through dedicated circuits or virtual private networks that solder one counter's traffic from another's. Finally, they know blook to offer a high-quality service backed by the pacentenes of an SEA.





#### CHALLENGE

The Company was looking for a single vendor to deliver a comprehensive solution that combined agent-led customer care, multi-channel inbound and outbound customer interaction management, 1st and 1rd party collections, in-store data lookup (Neverse Phone Append), and consolidated outsterner reporting while simultaneously reducing overall customer care costs. The initiative was to consolidate services being handled by two vendors and connect one of the Company's selected inhouse operations.

dion.

CSG deployed inbound and outbound self-service customer care and collections solutions that utilized two of its direct customer interaction delivery channels; interactive Voice Response (IVR) and direct mali (postcard notification), By utilizing these proactive outsomer interaction delivery channels, CSG was able to supplement current agent activity with automated self-service interactions, which helped the Company control costs and increase agent productivity and outstorer or ovenlence.

- Integration with the Company's historical database for customer identification
- Dynamic customer routing to the appropriate associate based on skill set to facilitate first call resolution
- Desligned an enhanced pre-collection strategy that leveraged outbound interactive voice messaging and Postcard Reminders for past-due videos and games
- Secure Payment IVR (CSG is a PCI-DSS Level 1 Service Provider) for customer self-resolution of past-due accounts
- In-store account lookups based on home telephone number (Reverse Phone Append)
- Customer Sattsfaction Surveys allow the Company to improve the customer experience based on customer feedback
- Speech-enabled in bound NPI solution for in-store and online customers, which supports self-inquiry and self-resolution interaction with the company's between the self-inquiry and self-resolution Payment. NP Payment. NP Payment NP Paymen
  - Delivers reporting to separate corporate and franchisee store collections
  - score connections

    Integrates with the Company's collection associates
    to augment automated systems

    Past-due Direct Mall Postcard Reminders deliver a hard-cop
    written format enminder that an item is past-due and gives
    the oustomer self-service options to purchase the past-due,
    teem Immediately by calling into CSO's self-service Secure
    Payment NM

- Implementation of Automated Collection Solutions reduced the Company's annual collection costs by \$1.7 million
- 1st party Automated Co lections notifications and self-cure options significantly reduced the number of accounts being sent to 3rd party collections outting average collections costs per outcomer by more than 50%.
- Solution generated approximately \$2.9 million in additional collections
- Solution decreased the Company's client roll rate by 3% as well as its days sales outstanding (050) and delinquency rates





### Embracing A Catalog Driven Social Network

#### By Faisal Ishaq

Principal Solutions Architect & Regional Sales Director ConceptWave Software Inc.





Keep your distributed network ship-shape by ensuring that globally dispersed access points don't represent security leaks. Our Secure Access and Single Sign-on Solution gives you a crows-nest view of who is accessing network elements, and the potential impact.

#### Know your crew

Securing large, multi-vendor, multi-technology networks can be a daunting task. With thousands of personnel accessing thousands of network elements, the problem is clear flut a consistent. set of security procedures can help—as long as you know they are being followed. Still, how can you manage security in an environment who is different element manage ment systems all handle uper accounts and auditing differently? Secure Access and Single Sign-on from Nakina Systems sockes these complex issues by assigning security privileges by user in a central location and tracking activity in easy to access reports.

#### Watching the horizon

For distrib

When something goes wrong, the ability to quickly audit who accessed network elements, if they made any changes, and from what network entry point they accessed them, can make the difference in meeting service level agreements. Nakina Systems' Secure Access solution allows security ad ministrations to implement a single use ninterface to control and manage all access

to network elements and element management systems in the network A based ange of security policies can be created and enforced networkwide, and administrators can audit activity at anytime.

#### Set sail safely

Nakina's multivendor security management solution offers the ability to:

- Centralize security policy at ministration via a single tool that integeries into existing corporate identity management systems
- Standardise the implementation of security policies access multi-vendor environments
- Enforce robust and consistent security policies with automated network-wide security measures like password aging and minimum alphanumeric password requirements.
- Customize security privileges at the individual user it well and define and assign privileges to a user or group of use is based on job responsibilities.

#### Key Punctions

The Nakina Secure Access and Single Sign-on solution addresses four key problem areas:

Network Element Security

This between soldes the security
administrator to automate and centre by
makege user password management
across all activors demonstrated and a lament
makegement systems.

Duer Security Proxy

This allows uses a single portal with his or her own unique account cardentals and a list of authorise of applications or elements, significantly simplifying and improving the end-use reoperience.

User Privileges
This eachies the security administrator to assign user access privileges by network element or element mesage ment system.

Restricting

This enables the Security Administrator toce stally log, review the activity of and terminate solect individual serversions.

WWW.NAKINASYSTEMS.COM





Use the Pipeline Marketing Planner to cleate an integrated pagem to achieve your annual marketing objectives and corporate shallow. Select the brand building, lead-generation, thought be elenting, and content creation services that will propel your company to new success. Plan the timing of these activities to coordinate with the issues of Pipeline that align to the topics most important to your company.

	UPCOMING ISSUES											
	, 1, 1/1.											
STRATEGIC MARKETING OBJECTIVE	5	A SE	Market Market	1	Mark .	1 and of the			The state of the s			A STATE OF THE STA
RAND BUILDING:	30	200	3 1	1	8 1	4	400	Park Add	S. co	6	000	Sec. of
Renel Site Americing				D 1								
Entested, Intractive Article Absertaing												
Waskly Neveleter Advertising			- 0							- 0		
Monthly Neverletter Advertising		- 0	0		0	0		0	0		0	
Spolight/Article with Cover Page Lago		-	- 0	-	0	0		- 0	0	- 0		
Executive Spolight/Video Interview		0	- 0	0	0	0	0	0		0		0
Cover Page Corner-emp.		0	0	0	0		0	0		0		0
Cover Page Lago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cover Page Executive Photo-		0	0	Ö	0	0		0	0	0		
Tradeshow Neverletter Advertising			0			0	0		0			
ET Execute Summit Events		0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0		
Tradeshow and Event/Partisenhips		0	0	0			0	0	0	0		
Weiner Branding Sponsoning	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	-				
Intervation Awards Sponsonthip	0		Ö									
Marketing, Writing, and Design Services		0	0	0	0		0	0		0	-	0
HOUGHT LEADERSHIP:												
Company, Executive, or Technology Spotlight Articles												
Sportsonel ThoughtLeadership Articles								- 0				
Commissioned Articles												
Executive Spotight/Video Interview												
Whiteboard Videos												
Whitegaper Writing and Distribution												E .
Resource Center Asset Hosting		0	-	0	0	0	0	0		0	Ö.	
Mariatplace Shectary Usalings		0	Ö	0	0	Ö	0	-	0			
Industry Reports and Surveys		0	-	n n	0	0	0	Ö	0	40.4	D	
ET Emoster Summit Events	-	0	Ö	0	0	Ö	0	Ö	Ö		Ö	
Provoton Awards	0	0	0	-	D	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö		0
Weatur Parkipeton	0	0	0	Ö	0	0	0	Ö	0		Ö	0
Roeline QuestSpeaking & Event Support	0	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	ö	Ö	Ö	i i		ö	0
Rhaline Guest Stepping	ŏ	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	Ö	ü	100	Ö	
EAD GENERATION:												
List Rantals with Lead Reports		0							0			
DiscCometAdvating	- I	- 0	Ö		0		0					
Resource Center-Asset Houling	0	-	0	- 0	0	0	0			0		
Contant Distribution and Syndrodism		- 0	Ö									
SpriightAtion	0	0	0	0	0	0					H	
Sportured Articles										- D		
									-			
Digital or Physical Article Reprints ET Executive Suremit			0		0							
					0			D.		-		
Waterproof & Extended Lood Convention			U		U							
Makebias DirectoryListing						L						



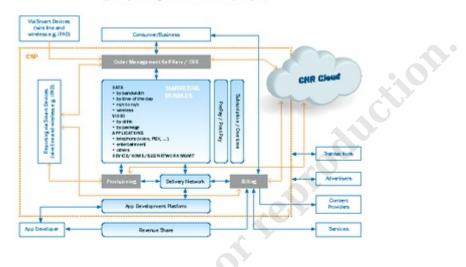
# **cloud** services

Leveraging the power of Cloud Services is cracial to the future of your company. With conveying technologies and crippling competitive pressures, CHRS Cloud offers ensured in secretain times. Its ading your basiness becomes only a question of how high and how fair you wantitle Cloud to carry you.

#### GENERATE NEW REVENUE

WEN CHR Souttons' Cloud Services, the sky is the limit. Drive down operating costs, improve efficiencies and create new revenue streams to elevate your business.

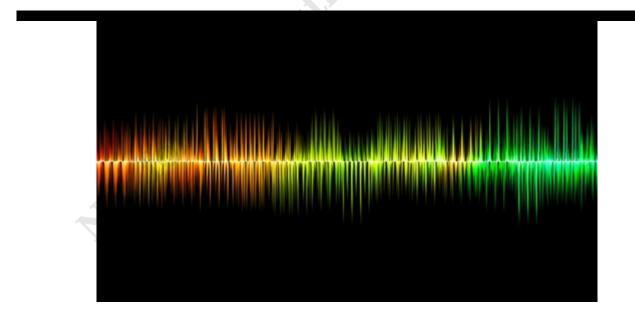
Over the list several years, CHR has constructed a leading edge cosystem which supports advertising, applications, ten inactions, services and context. This ty neighbb environment offers limities opportunity for cleaning new necessar which is capital expense.



CHRSolutions

ph 713.361.6111

email info@CHRSolutions.com





remain in compliance during regulatory change



Regulatory considerations are crucial to the success of any communications company. Do you need expect testimony or interpretation of a tariff or FCC order? Perhaps you've worked about ONLEA, CPNI and Red Flag compliance, or need a wiseless, efficience or interconnection agreement. More importantly, do you need arbitrations in interpretation and identifying the revenue impacts of the FCC's most recent USFyICC Reform Order?



- Regulatory monitoring
  Revenue inspacts of USE/ICC seform

ph 713.351.5111

email info@CHRSolutions.com

#### **Upload Content**

#### **View More Content**

© 2025, All information contained herein is the sole property of Pipeline Publishing, LLC. Pipeline Publishing L.L.C. reserves all rights and privileges regarding the use of this information. Any unauthorized use, such as copying, modifying, or reprinting, will be prosecuted under the fullest extent under the governing law.