#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 27, 2021

#### Uniti Group Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-36708 (Commission File Number) 46-5230630 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

10802 Executive Center Drive Benton Building Suite 300 Little Rock, Arkansas (Address of principal executive offices)

72211 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (501) 850-0820

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Derecommencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

D Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock	UNIT	The NASDAQ Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company  $\Box$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

Uniti Group Inc. (the "Company") is furnishing this Current Report on Form 8-K to provide certain financial information of Windstream Holdings II, LLC, successor in interest to Windstream Holdings, Inc., and consolidated subsidiaries (collectively, "Windstream") regarding the period ended June 30, 2021. The financial information was provided to the Company by Windstream; the Company did not assist in the preparation or review of this financial information and makes no representation as to its accuracy.

The information contained in this Item 7.01, including the exhibit attached hereto, is being "furnished" and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act. The information in this Item 7.01 shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or into any filing or other document pursuant to the Exchange Act, except as otherwise expressly stated in any such filing.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

#### (d) Exhibits

Exhibit	
Number	Description
<u>99.1</u>	Select Windstream financial information regarding the period ended June 30, 2021
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 27, 2021

UNITI GROUP INC.

By: /s/ Daniel L. Heard

Name: Daniel L. Heard Title: Executive Vice President – General Counsel and Secretary **WINDSTREAM** 

# 2Q21 Earnings Presentation

August 16, 2021

Exhibit 99.1



### Safe Harbor Statement

This presentation includes forward-looking statements that are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual future events and results to differ materially from those expressed in the forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are typically identified by words or phrases such as "will," "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "project," "intend," "plan," "believe," "forecast" and other words and terms of similar meaning.

Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, guidance regarding 2021 financial and certain operational trends and our ability to successfully execute our 2021 company priorities supporting the guidance; anticipated net Kinetic broadband subscriber growth and higher speeds, including 1 Gbps speed availability, along with speed expansion to more households and businesses within our service areas; network expansion opportunities generally and related to funding from various future broadband programs and the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund; improved Enterprise contribution margin and acceleration of, and opportunities related to. Enterprise strategic sales and services; overall revenue growth and contribution margin trends in our business units; wholesale network and customer expansion opportunities for 2021; statements concerning the Master Lease arrangements with Uniti Group, Inc. ("Uniti"), including growth capital improvement reimbursements; expectations regarding plans, objectives, expectations and intentions and other statements that are not historical facts. These statements, along with other forward-looking statements regarding Windstream's overall business outlook, are based on estimates, projections, beliefs, and assumptions that Windstream believes are reasonable but are not guarantees of future events, performance or results. Actual future events and results may differ materially from those expressed in these forward-looking statements as the result of a number of important factors.

Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those indicated by such forward-looking statements include risks and uncertainties relating to current or future adverse economic, political or market conditions related to epidemics, pandemics, or other outbreaks of contagious diseases, including the current COVID-19 pandemic, and the impact of these conditions on our business operations and financial position, including the ability of our customers or our employees to conduct work in the normal course of business; risk and uncertainties relating to any continuing impact of our restructuring process on our ability to achieve our 2021 financial and operational goals and guidance parameters in light of the continuation of certain restructuring matters, including third party actions, claims or motions in the Chapter 11 process or on appeal until the court docket is closed; that the expected benefits of cost reduction and expense management activities are not realized or adversely affect our sales and operational activities or are otherwise disruptive to our business and personnel; further adverse changes in economic conditions in our markets unrelated to the COVID-19 pandemic; the impact of new, emerging, or competing technologies and our ability to utilize these technologies to provide services to our customers; general U.S. and worldwide economic conditions and related uncertainties; and the effect of any changes in federal or state governmental regulations or statutes. Windstream does not undertake any obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

# Participants





Tony Thomas Chief Executive Officer



Bob Gunderman Chief Financial Officer



Drew Smith Treasurer



Chris King VP, Investor Relations



# Second Quarter 2021 Highlights

Sequential Revenue Growth 6 <sup>th</sup> Consecutive Quarter of Kinetic consumer revenue growth Kinetic and Wholesale sequential services revenue growth Enterprise Strategic revenue growth of over 15% y-o-y	Consumer broadband growth of <b>9,500</b> subscribers in 2Q21 and <b>23K</b> YTD 60,000 net subscriber adds estimated for 2021 Kinetic average revenue per household up 3.5% y-o-y Kinetic consumer revenue growth up 5.1% y-o-y
Adjusted EBITDAR of \$424M Adjusted EBITDAR growth both sequentially (for third	1 Gbps & Interconnection Progress Constructed 134K new locations with 1 Gbps
consecutive quarter) and year-over-year Consolidated adjusted EBITDAR margin of 37.8% up	capabilities in 2Q; 124K consumer customers on 1Gbps facilities, a 20K increase in the quarter Total interconnection expense fell by over 13% year-
~250 bps y-o-y Consolidated cash expenses down 8.3% YTD	over-year on an annualized basis; legacy-TDM related expenses fell by ~16% y-o-y
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# **2021 Priorities Accelerate Path to Growth**



Expand 1 Gig Broadband

 \$1.75 billion 5-year fiber program begins in earnest this year to push high-quality and cost-effective 1 Gbps designs and builds

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Improving Enterprise Revenue Trends

 Capture new revenue opportunities through the strength of our products, operational improvements, talented sales and support teams



Fast Track TDM Exit

 Initiate 3-year plan to migrate the majority of our CLEC customers off of the TDM network, which will improve customer experience while lowering cost structure



Maintain Product & Software Leadership

 Continue to maintain our best-in-class product portfolio across OfficeSuite, SD-WAN, optical networks and our digital experience

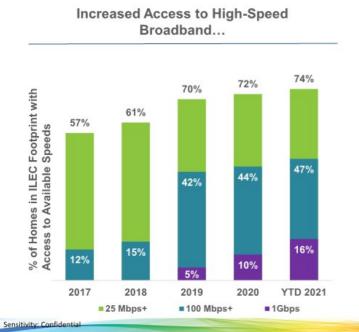


Consistently Deliver Excellent Customer Experiences

 Continue to deliver excellent customer service levels through technology upgrades to improve efficiencies

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# Enhanced Kinetic Broadband Speed Capabilities Driving Market Share Gains

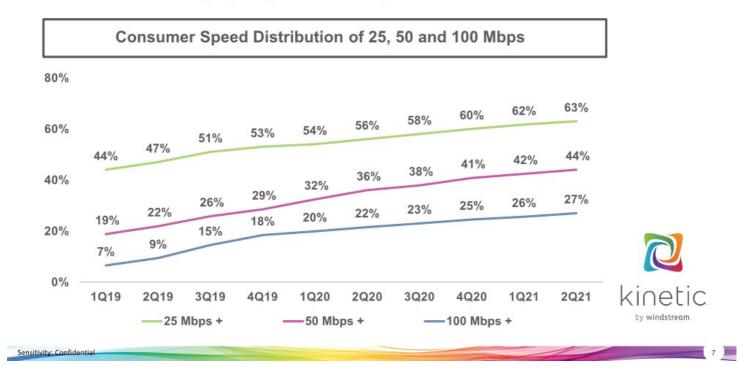


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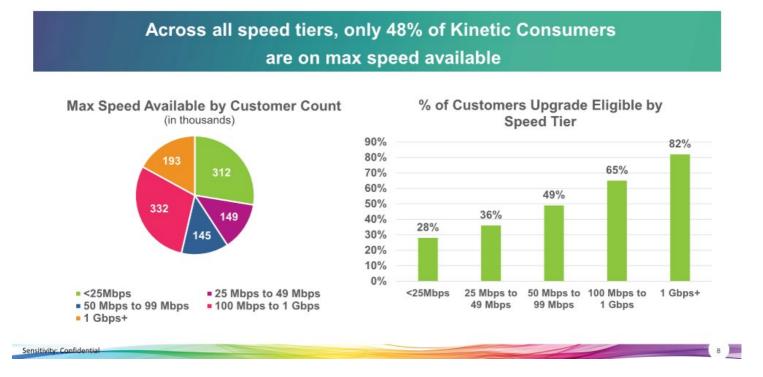
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# **Consumers Enjoying Faster Speed Tiers**



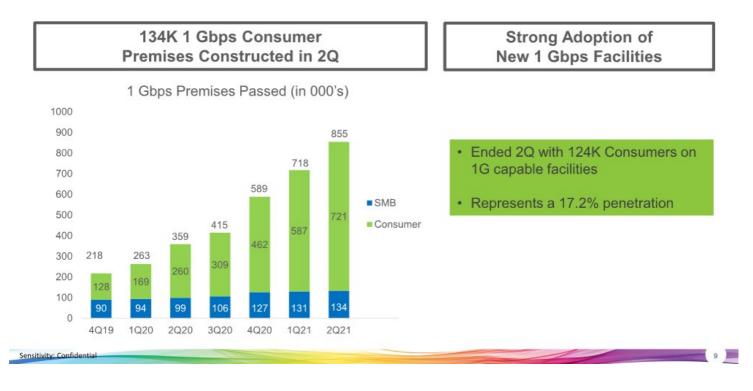
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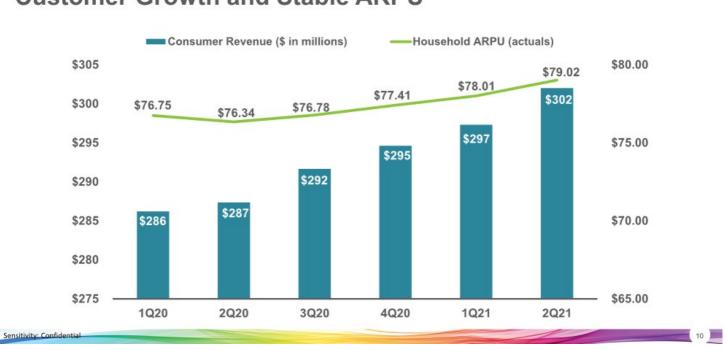
### More Speed Available to Activate





## **1 Gbps Broadband Expansion Acceleration**





# Strong Consumer Revenue Results Driven by Customer Growth and Stable ARPU



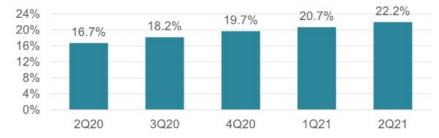
### Enterprise Strategic Revenue Growth Continues Strategic product revenue is \$390M annualized



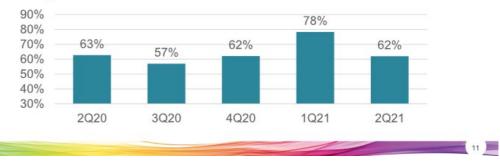
- Cloud services, increasing bandwidth demand & software enabled networks fueling Strategic Revenue growth
- 2Q21 Annualized Strategic Product Revenue is \$390M and growing 15% YoY while total Strategic Revenues are now over 22% of Service Revenues <sup>(1)</sup>
- Strategic sales 62% of total Enterprise sales in quarter

(1) Excludes Switched access and End user surcharges Sensitivity: Confidential

Strategic Revenue % of Total Service Revenue



#### Strategic Sales as % of Total Sales



### 2Q21 Financial Results

Unaudited Adjusted Pro Forma Results of Operations (non-GAAP)

Financial Overview <sup>(1)</sup>			20	20				2020		20	21	
(Dollars in Millions)		Q1	Q2		Q3	Q4		YE		Q1		Q2
Revenue												
Kinetic	\$	555	\$ 550	\$	553	\$ 549	\$	2,208	\$	546	\$	555
Enterprise		544	533		516	496	Ľ	2,089		481		471
Wholesale		73	75		75	73	L	295		76		76
Segment Service Revenue		1,172	1,157		1,144	1,119		4,591		1,103		1,101
Product Sales		21	20		18	15		74		15		20
Total Revenue and Sales	\$	1,193	\$ 1,177	\$	1,161	\$ 1,134	\$	4,665	\$	1,118	\$	1,121
Contribution Margin	10.00						Г		Г			
Kinetic	\$	322	\$ 314	\$	302	\$ 311	\$	1,249	\$	314	\$	312
Enterprise		92	100		85	84		361		91		90
Wholesale		33	31		31	35	Ι.	130		37		46
Segment Contribution Margin	\$	446	\$ 445	\$	418	\$ 430	\$	1,739	\$	442	\$	447
Shared Expenses		31	29		31	26		118		25		24
Adjusted EBITDAR	\$	415	\$ 416	\$	387	\$ 404	\$	1,622	\$	417	\$	424
Adjusted EBITDAR Margin %		34.8%	35.3%		33.3%	35.6%		34.8%		37.3%		37.8%
Segment Contribution Margin %												
Kinetic		56.6%	55.6%		53.4%	55.5%		55.3%		56.2%		55.3%
Enterprise		16.6%	18.6%		16.2%	16.8%		17.1%		18.8%		19.0%
Wholesale		44.9%	41.6%		42.1%	47.6%		44.0%		48.8%		54.0%

(1) All periods revised to present our historical revenues and the computations of Adjusted EB/TDAR to evolude revenues from customer contracts and floer asset sales sold to Uniti in conjunction with our emergence from restructuring

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#### **TDM Retirement to Accelerate Cost Reduction and Improve Customer Experience**

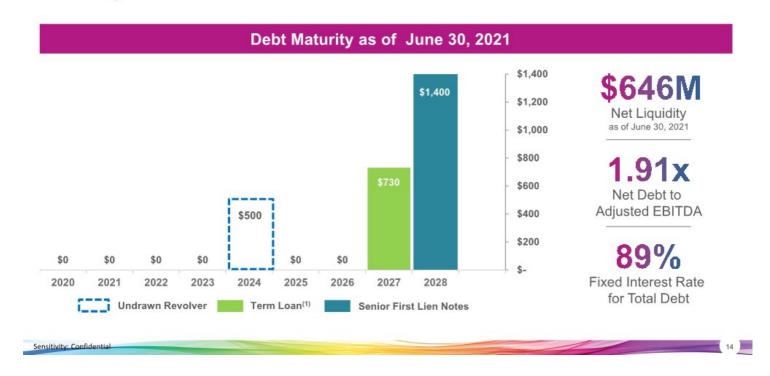
		Q20 Q20		Q21 ualized	YoY Change %
TDM	\$	299	\$	230	(23.1%)
IP/Ethernet		317	\$	286	(9.8%)
Last Mile Access		616	\$	516	(16.3%)
TDM		116	\$	80	(30.6%)
IP/Ethernet		36	\$	35	(2.7%)
Network Access		152	\$	116	(23.9%)
Voice/Other		29	\$	29	(3.1%)
Total Interconnect Access	\$	798	\$	660	(17.3%)
Network Real Estate	s	174	s	170	(2.5%)
Colocation		105	1	103	(1.7%)
Network Facilities Expense		279		273	(2.2%)
Fiber Expense		64		58	(8.7%)
Total Network Facilities & Fiber Expense	\$	343	\$	331	(3.4%)
Total Interconnect	\$	1,141	\$	991	(13.1%)

(1) Expenses Include Recurring Interconnection, Network Facilities and Fiber Expenses Only

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- 2Q21 annualized run-rate of ~\$990M in interconnection, network facility and fiber expenses; annualized decline of over 13%
- Approximately \$583 million of Legacy TDMrelated expense including Network Facility expense; annualized decline of 16%
- Launched 3-year program to migrate CLEC TDM customers to newer technologies; moving from circuit-level to market-level optimization
- The focus on market-level TDM removal will enable greater reductions in network real estate and collocation expenses

# **Strong Balance Sheet with No Near-Term Maturities**





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# **2021 Financial and Operational Guidance**

- Adjusted EBITDAR down ~ 1% from 2020 level
- Capex flat from 2020 level; anticipate ~\$200-\$225 million of Uniti GCI funding
- ~\$170 million in cash interest; minimal cash taxes
- Broadband Net Adds of ~ 60,000

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• Low single-digit Kinetic consumer revenue growth y-o-y

# Appendix



### Contents:

• Quarterly supplemental schedules (Pro Forma)





### **Supplemental Financial Information**

Windstream Holdings II, LLC ("Windstream", "we", "us", "our") has presented in this Investor Supplement unaudited pro forma adjusted results, which excludes revenues from customer contracts and sales of fiber assets transferred to Uniti Group, Inc. ("Uniti") in conjunction with our emergence from bankruptcy, as further discussed below. Our adjusted pro forma results also exclude depreciation and amortization, straight-line expense under the master leases with Uniti, equity-based compensation expense, restructuring charges, and certain other costs. We have also presented certain measures of our operating performance, on an pro forma adjusted basis, that reflects the impact of the cash payment due under the master leases with Uniti.

Our business operations are organized into three segments: Kinetic, Enterprise and Wholesale. The Kinetic business unit primarily serves customers in markets in which we are the incumbent local exchange carrier ("ILEC") and provides services over network facilities operated by us. The Enterprise and Wholesale business units primarily serve customers in markets in which we are a competitive local exchange carrier ("ILEC") and provide services over network facilities primarily leased from other carriers. During the second quarter of 2021, we completed the migration of certain enterprise customers to our primary billing system. As a result of this migration, the classification of certain enterprise revenues changed from Advanced IP/TDM and Other to Strategic revenues. We also reclassified recurring fees billed to customers from Other to Advanced IP/TDM. Prior period revenue information for Enterprise has been revised to reflect these classification changes.

On September 21, 2020, Windstream Holdings, Inc., Windstream Services, LLC together with each of their direct and indirect subsidiaries, collectively the Debtors, emerged from bankruptcy pursuant to a court approved plan of reorganization. In connection with the reorganization, a new legal entity, Windstream Holdings II, LLC was formed and became the successor reporting entity post-emergence. Windstream Holdings II, LLC is a private company with no publicly registered debt or equity securities. Although generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP") requires us to present our operating results for periods prior to September 21, 2020 separate and apart from our operating results for fiscal year 2020 in this Investor Supplement. Management believes that this combined presentation provides more meaningful comparisons to historical periods for each of our key performance metrics of revenues, contribution margin, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDAR, Adjusted Fiee Cash Flow and Adjusted Capital Expenditures and is useful in identifying current business trends.

We use Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDAR, Adjusted Free Cash Flow and Adjusted Capital Expenditures as key measures of the operational performance of our business. Our management, including the chief operating decision-maker, consistently uses these measures for internal reporting and the evaluation of business objectives, opportunities and performance, and the determination of management compensation. Management believes that Adjusted Free Cash Flow provides investors with useful information about the ability of our core operations to generate cash flow. Because capital spending is necessary to maintain our operational capabilities, we believe that capital expenditures represents a recurring and necessary use of cash. As such, we believe investors should consider our capital spending and payments due under our master leases with Uniti when evaluating the amount of cash provided by our operating activities.



# Supplemental Financial Information

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Service revenues	5	2,394 7	5	1,101.5	\$	1,103.2	5	4,591.3	5	1.118.6	\$	1,143.6	\$	1.157.4	5	1,171.7
Product and fiber sales		34.3		19.T		14.6		73.7		15.4		17.5		19.5		21.3
Total revenues and soles		2,239.0	=	1,121.2	_	1,117.8	=	4,665.0	_	1,134.0	_	1,161.1	_	1,176.9	_	1,193.0
outs and expenses:																
Cost of services		1,965.0		530.6		534.4		2,304.9		590.4		585.7		578.2		580.6
Cost of sales		33.0		15.8		17.2		78.5		15.6		19.5		21.7		21.5
Selling, general and administrative		390.7		151.3		149.4		660.3		154.1		169.2		161.1		175.9
Costs and expension		1,398.7	_	697.7	_	201.0		3,043.5	-	730.1	_	774.4	_	761.0		778.0
ustad EBITDAR (A)		840.3		423.5		416.8		1.621.5		403.9		386.7		415.9		415.0
Cash payment under master leases with Uniti		(332.2)		(166.4)		(165.8)		(662.3)		(165.9)		(165.8)		(165.6)		(165.0)
Cash received from Uniti per settlement accomment		49.0		24.5		24.5		24.5		24.5						
insted EBITDA (B)	5	557.1	5	281.6	5	275.5	5	983.7	5	262.5	5	220.9	5	250.3	5	250.0
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Adjusted EBITTDAR margin		37.5%		37.8%		37.7%		34.8%		35.8%		33.3%		35.3%		34.8%
Adjusted EBITEDA margin		24.9%		25.1%		24.6%		21.1%		25.1%		19.0%		21.3%		21.0%
sted Capital Expenditures	5	509.8	5	251.K	3	258.0	5	1,001.1	5	234.9	5	246.1	5	247.7	\$	232.4
tad Free Cash Flow (D)	\$	59.5	5	58.3	5	1.2	\$	(197.8)	\$	29.1	5	(59.9)	5	(68.5)	\$	(58.5)
		As of														
Leverage Ratio:		5/36/2021														
Long-term debt, including current maturities (E)	\$	2,139.3														
Add: Capital lease obligations		35.4														
Less: Cash and cash equivalents		(176.8)														
et debt	5	1,968.9	(1)													
		Twolve oths Ended														
		534/2021														
Adjusted EBITDA	5	1,640.5	(2)													
Net leverage ratio (F) - computed as (T)/(2)	_	1.91x														
blc hquidity as of Janc 30, 2021:																
Cash and cash equivalents.	5	175.8														
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See page 32 for comparisons of Adjusted ERITDAR, Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA.

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# Supplemental Financial Information WINDSTREAM HOLDINGS II, LLC UNADDITED PRO FORMA ADJUSTED RESULTS OF OPERATIONS (NON-GAAP) QUARTERLY SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION - REVENUE SUPPLEMENT for the quarterly periods in the years 2021 and 2020 (In millions)

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2021

				2021								2020				
Service revenues:	- C	Total	. 2	nd Qtr.	2.2	lst Qtr.	1.1	Total	. 4	ith Qtr.	· · · · ]	Srd Qtr.	. 1	ind Qtr.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	lst Qtr.
Kinetic:			_						-							
High-speed Internet bundles	\$	552.2	s	279.0	5	273.2	\$	1,047.2	S	269.3	\$	264.8	5	258.1	\$	255.0
Voice only		39.6		19.4		20.2		89.6		21.4		22.2		22.7		23.3
Video and miscellaneous	_	7.6	_	3.7		3.9	-	23.0	_	3.9	_	4.6	_	6.6	_	7.9
Consumer		599.4		302.1		297.3		1,159.8		294.6		291.6		287.4		286.2
Small business		135.9		68.2		67.7		275.5		67.2		68.3		69.0		71.0
Large business		82.0		40.4		41.6		177.6		41.9		43.4		45.4		46.9
Wholesale		122.3		61.9		60.4		251.1		62.2		61.9		62.7		64.3
Switched access		10.6		5.3		5.3		22.4		5.6		5.6		5.8		5.4
CAF Phase II fanding		87.7		43.8		43.9		175.5		43.9		43.9		43.8		43.9
State USF		19.5		10.2		9.3		75.1		15.3		20.0		19.9		19.9
End user surcharges		43.5		22.6		20.9		70.7		18.7		18.7		16.2		17.1
Kinetic		1,100.9	_	554.5	_	546.4		2,207.7	_	549.4	_	553.4	_	550.2	_	554.7
Enterprise:																
Advanced IP/TDM (A)		594.4		295.5		298.9		1,346.1		311.2		325.5		348.1		361.3
Strategic (B)		190.6		97.6		93.0		346.0		91.4		87.7		84.7		82.2
Other (C)		104.5		47.5		57.0		275.1		61.9		69.3		73.3		70.6
Switched access		7.9		4.0		3.9		20.0		4.5		5.1		4.8		5.6
End user surcharges		54.5		26.1		28.4		101.4		27.3		28.0		21.7		24.4
Enterprise	_	951.9	_	470.7	_	481.2	_	2,088.6	_	496.3	=	515.6	_	532.6	_	544.1
Wholesale:																
Core wholesale (D)		151.7		76.2		75.5		294.6		72.8		74.5		74.5		72.8
End user surcharges		0.2		0.1		0.1		0.4		0.1		0.1		0.1		0.1
Wholesale		151.9		76.3		75.6		295.0		72.9		74.6		74.6		72.9
Total service revenues	_	2,204.7	_	1,101.5	_	1,103.2	_	4,591.3	_	1,118.6	_	1,143.6		1,157.4	_	1,171.7
Product sales:																
Kinetic product sales		22.1		10.4		11.7		49.8		10.5		11.3		14.3		13.7
Enterprise product sales		4.2		1.3		2.9		23.9		4.9		6.2		5.2		7.6
Wholesale fiber sales		8.0		8.0				-		-		-				-
Total product and fiber sales	1	34.3	_	19.7		14.6	-	73.7	_	15.4	_	17.5	_	19.5	_	21.3
Total revenues and sales	s	2.239.0	5	1.121.2	5	1.117.8	5	4.665.0	5	1.134.0	5	1,161.1	s	1.176.9	s	1.193.0

(A) Advance IP/TDM reservacy consist of dynamic Internet protocol, dedicated Internet access, multi-protocol kibel switching services, integrated voice and data, long distance, managed services, and inte-division multiplexing ("TDM") voice and data services.
 (B) Strategic revenues consist of Software Defined Wile Area Network ("SD-WAN"), Unified Communications as a Service ("UCarS"), OfficeSuite, and associated network access products and services.
 (C) Other services primely onesist of stage-based linear leasting in researce and mesor services.
 (D) Core wholesale revenues primary onesist for providing their connections, data transport and wireless backtural services.

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				2021			_					2020				
Kinetic	_	Total	2	nd Qtr	1	st Qtr.	_	Total	_4	di Qtr.	3	rd Qtr	2	nd Qtr.		st Qtr.
Revenues and sales:																
Service revenues	\$	500.4	5	302.1	2	297.3		1,159.8		294.6	2	291.6	\$	287.4		286
Product sales	*	22.1		10.4		11.7		49.1	*	10.5		11.3		14.3		13
Total Consumer	_	621.5		312.5		309.0	_	1,209.6		305.1		302.9		301.7		200
Small business		135.0		68.2		67.7		275.5		67.2		68.3		69.0		71
Large business		\$2.0		40.4		41.6		177.6		41.9		43.4		45.4		4
Wholetale		122.3		61.9		60.4		251.1		62.2		61.9		62.7		64
Switched access		10.6		5.3		5.3		22.4		5.6		5.6		5.8		
CAF Phase II funding		\$7.7		43.8		43.9		175.5		43.0		43.0		43.8		4
State USF		19.5		10.2		93		75.1		15.3		20.0		19.9		19
End user sucharges		43.5		22.6		20.9		70.7		18.7		18.7		16.2		17
Total revenues and sales	_	1.123.0		564.0	_	558.1	-	2.257.5		550.0		564.7		564.5		56
Costs and expenses		496.9		252.7		244.2		1,009.0		249.1		262.9		250.5		246
Kinetic contribution margin	5	626.1	5	312.2	5	313.9	5	1,248.5	-	310.8	\$	301.8		314.0	5	32
Kinetic contribution margin %	3	55.8%		55.3%	3	56.2%		55.3%		55.5%		53.4%		55.6%		56
Kinetic retail contribution margin (A)	5	538.4		358.4	5	270.0		1.073.0		256.9		257.9		270.2		271
Kinetic retail contribution margin %	•	52.0%	•	51.5%	•	52.5%	•	51.5%	•	51.7%	•	49.5%		51.9%	•	53.
Enterprise																
Revenues and sales:																
Service revenues	5	951.9	5	470.7	\$	481.2	5	2,085.6	5	496.3	\$	515.6	\$	532.6	5	544
Product sales		4.2	-	1.3	-	2.9		23.9	-	4.0		6.2		5.2		
Total revenues and sales	_	956.1		472.0	_	484.1	_	2.112.5		501.2		521.8		537.8	_	55
Costs and expenses		775.2		382.3		392.9		1,751.7		416.9		437.1		437.6		46
Enterprise contribution margin	5	180.9	\$	89.7	5	91.2	5	360.8	\$	\$4.3	\$	84.7	\$	100.2	\$	9
Enterprise contribution margin %	-	18.9%	-	19.0%	-	18.8%	-	17.1%	-	16.8%	-	16.2%	-	18.6%	-	16
Wholesale																
Eevenues and sales:																
Service revenues	5	151.9	5	76.3	5	75.6	\$	295.0	5	72.9	\$	74,6	5	74.6	\$	7.
Fiber sales		8.0	_	8.0					_			-	_			
Total revenues and sales		159.9		84.3		75.6		295.0		72.9		74.6		74.6		7.
Costs and expenses	_	77.5	-	38.8	-	38.7		165.2		38.2		43.2		43.6		4
Wholesale contribution margin	5	82.4	5	45.5	5	36.9	\$	129.8	\$	34.7	\$	31.4	\$	31.0	\$	33
Wholesale contribution margin %		51.5%		54.0%		48.8%		44.0%		47.6%		42.1%		41.6%		44
(A) Excludes CAF Phase II funding.																
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WINDSTREAM HOLDINGS II, LLC UNAUDITED PRO FORMA ADJUSTED RESULTS OF OPERATIONS (NON-GAAP) QUARTERLY SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION for the quarterly periods in the years 2021 and 2020

(In millions)

				2021								2020				
		Total	2	2nd Qtr.		1st Qtr.		Total		4th Qtr.		3rd Qtr.		2nd Qtr.	1	st Qtr.
Total segment revenues and expenses			92.00				2.2				2.5		1000			
Revenues and sales:																
Service revenues	\$	2,204.7	\$	1,101.5	\$	1,103.2	\$	4,591.3	S	1,118.6	S	1,143.6	\$	1,157.4	\$	1,171.7
Product and fiber sales		34.3		19.7		14.6		73.7		15.4		17.5		19.5		21.3
Total segment revenues and sales		2,239.0	<u> </u>	1,121.2		1,117.8	1.1	4,665.0		1,134.0	_	1,161.1		1,176.9	_	1,193.0
Total segment costs and expenses		1,349.6		673.8		675.8		2,925.9		704.2		743.2		731.7		746.8
Segment contribution margin	\$	889.4	\$	447.4	\$	442.0	\$	1,739.1	S	429.8	\$	417.9	\$	445.2	\$	446.2
Segment contribution margin %	5 A	39.7%		39.9%		39.5%		37.3%		37.9%		36.0%		37.8%		37.4%
Consolidated revenues and sales																
Service revenues	\$	2,204.7	\$	1,101.5	\$	1,103.2	\$	4,591.3	S	1,118.6	S	1,143.6	\$	1,157.4	\$	1,171.7
Product and fiber sales	192201	34.3	23	19.7	- 67	14.6	053208	73.7	6380	15.4	23	17.5	225	19.5	-02463	21.3
Consolidated revenues and sales	\$	2,239.0	\$	1,121.2	\$	1,117.8	\$	4,665.0	S	1,134.0	S	1,161.1	\$	1,176.9	\$	1,193.0
Consolidated costs and expenses																
Segment costs and expenses	S	1,349.6	\$	673.8	\$	675.8	\$	2,925.9	\$	704.2	S	743.2	s	731.7	\$	746.8
Shared expenses (B)	25	49.1	12	23.9	12	25.2	100	117.6	0.5	25.9	7.9	31.2	25	29.3		31.2
Consolidated costs and expenses	S	1,398.7	\$	697.7	\$	701.0	\$	3,043.5	\$	730.1	S	774.4	S	761.0	s	778.0
Consolidated																
Adjusted EBITDAR	S	840.3	S	423.5	\$	416.8	\$	1,621.5	s	403.9	S	386.7	\$	415.9	\$	415.0
Adjusted EBITDAR margin		37.5%		37.8%		37.3%		34.8%		35.6%		33.3%		35.3%		34.8%

(B) Shared expenses are not allocated to the segments and primarily consist of accounting and finance, information technology, legal, human resources, investor relations, and outsourcing activities that are centrally managed and are not monitored by management at a segment level.

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	<u></u>			2021			_					2020				
	_	Total		2nd Qtr.		lst Qtr.	_	Total	-	4th Qtr.		Brd Qtr.	2	2nd Qtr.		lst Qtr.
Kinetic Operating Metrics:																
Households served		1,276.1		1,276.1		1,272.7		1,268.0		1,268.0		1,269.3		1,262.7		1,247
Net household additions (losses)		8.1		3.4		4.7		29.1		(1.3)		6.6		15.5		8
YOY change in households served		1.1%		1.1%		2.0%		2.3%		2.3%		2.5%		1.5%		-0.
Average revenue per household served per month	\$	78.53	\$	79.02	s	78.01	s	77.11	\$	77.41	\$	76.78	s	76.34	\$	76.
High-speed Internet customers		1,131.9		1,131.9		1,122.4		1,109.3		1,109.3		1,102.3		1,089.4		1,067
Net customer additions		22.6		9.5		13.1		60.0		7.0		12.9		22.1		18
YOY change in high-speed Internet		3.9%		3.9%		5.2%		5.7%		5.7%		6.0%		5.3%		3.
Average revenue per high-speed Internet customer per month	\$	82.13	\$	82.51	\$	81.61	\$	80.85	\$	81.18	\$	80.55	\$	79.78	\$	80.3
Service Revenues Used in Average Revenue Per Month																
Computations Above (per page 3):																
Kinetic consumer service revenues	\$	599.4	s	302.1	\$	297.3	S	1,159.8	\$	294.6	\$	291.6	s	287.4	\$	286
High-speed Internet bundle revenues	\$	552.2	\$	279.0	s	273.2	s	1,047.2	\$	269.3	s	264.8	s	258.1	\$	255
Enterprise:																
Strategic sales as a percentage of total Enterprise sales (A)		70.4%		61.9%		78.3%		62.7%		62.1%		57.0%		62.7%		68.
Total Capital Expenditures:	S	509.8	\$	251.8	S	258.0	s	1,021.4	\$	274.9	s	266.4	s	247.7	S	232
Claims settlements at emergence	10	-		-	12	-	100	(20.3)		-	100	(20.3)			12	
Adjusted Capital Expenditures	\$	509.8	\$	251.8	ŝ	258.0	\$	1,001.1	\$	274.9	\$	246.1	\$	247.7	\$	232
Adjusted Capital Expenditures by Segment:																
Kinetic	s	339.3	\$	165.6	S	173.7	s	674.6	\$	183.4	s	160.9	s	173.5	\$	156
Enterprise		105.0		52.0		53.0		201.9		\$5.7		46.6		49.8		49
Wholesale		65.5		34.2		31.3		124.6		35.8		38.6		24.4		25
Adjusted Capital Expenditures	\$	509.8	\$	251.8	S	258.0	S	1,001.1	3	274.9	\$	246.1	s	247.7	S	232

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	- C		2021			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					1020				
		Total	2nd Qtr.	-	lst Qtr.	_	Total	4	th Qtr.	34	l Qtr.	2n	d Qtr.	1	lsi Qir.
ADJUSTED FREE CASH FLOW:															
Operating income (loss)	\$	148.7	\$ 75.0	2	73.7	\$	87.4	5	71.9	5	(23.4)	s	24.8	s	14.1
Depreciation and amortization	100	358.6	181.5	_	177.1	<u> </u>	829.4		164.5	1.000	212.4	-	219.9	-	232.6
EBITDA		507.3	256.5		250.R		916.8		236.4		189.0		244.7		246.7
Adjustments:															
Straight-line expense under master leases with Uniti		317.5	158.8		158.7		662.4		158.0		167.3		168.3		168.8
Cash payment under master leases with Units		(332.2)	(166.4)		(165.8)		(662.3)		(165.9)		(165.8)		(165.6)		(165.0)
Cash received from Uniti per settlement agreement		49.0	24.5		24.5		24.5		24.5		-		-		-
Revenues related to customer contracts and fiber assets sold to Unit		-	-		-		(23.9)		-		(7.6)		(8.4)		(7.9)
Restructuring charges		4.4	2.4		2.0		19.0		2.6		4.4		5.6		6.4
Other costs (A)		7.8	4.1		3.7		44.1		5.2		33.2		5.3		0.4
Equity-based compensation		1.1	1.7		1.6		3.1		1.7		0.4		0.4		0.6
Adjusted EBITDA	_	557.1	281.6		275.5	_	983.7	-	262.5	-	220.9	_	250.3	_	250.0
Adjusted Capital Expenditures		(509.8)	(251.8)		(258.0)		(1,001.1)		(274.9)		(246.1)		(247.7)		(232.4)
Uniti funding of growth capital expenditures		92.1	40.4		42.7		84.7		55.6		29.1				(0.24.4)
Cash paid for interest on long-term debt obligations		(84.2)	(15.9)		(68.3)		(224.1)		(14.1)		(63.7)		(70.3)		(76.0)
Cash (paid) refunded for income taxes, net		41	(5.0)		91		(1.0)		Course of		(0.1)		(0.8)		(0.1)
Adjusted Free Cash Flow	5	50.5	\$ 583	5	1.2	5	(157.8)	8	29.1	\$	(50.0)	\$	(68.5)	5	(38.5)
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COMPUTATION OF ADJUSTED EBITDA:															
Operating income (less)	\$	148.7	\$ 75.0	s	73.7	s	87.4	s	71.9	5	(23.4)	. 5	24.8	s	14.1
Depreciation and amortization expense		358.6	181.5		177.1		829.4		164.5		212.4		219.9		232.6
Straight-line expense under master leases with Uniti		317.5	158.8		158.7		662.4		158.0		167.3		168.3		168.K
Revenues related to customer contracts and fiber assets sold to Uniti							(23.9)				(7.6)		(8.4)		(7.9)
Restructuring charges		4.4	2.4		2.0		19.0		2.6		4.4		5.6		6.4
Other costs (A)		7.8	4.1		3.7		44.1		5.2		33.2		5.3		0.4
Equity-based compensation		11	17		1.6		31		1.7		0.4		0.4		0.6
Adjusted EBITDAR	_	840.3	423.5		416.8	_	1,621.5		403.9		386.7		415.9	_	415.0
Cash payment under master leases with Uniti		(332.2)	(166.4)		(165.8)		(662.3)		(165.9)		(165.8)		(145.6)		(165.0)
Cash received from Uniti per settlement agreement		49.0	24.5		24.5		24.5		24.5		(mora)		(140.0)		(105.0)
Adjusted EBITDA	-	557.1	\$ 281.6		275.5	-	983.7		262.5	-	220.9	-	250.3	-	250.0
Additional Edit LAN	-	221.1	3 281.0	<u> </u>	203	-	583.7	<u> </u>	2023	-	220.9	-	230.3	-	250.0
(A) Other costs for the periods presented consist of the following:															
		Total	2021 2nd Otr.		Ist-Otr.	-	Total	4	th Ofr.		1020 1 Otr.	2.	d Otr.		Ist Ott.
Spend commitment penalties (1)	5	- Colle	s	5	or gr.	\$	24.0	5	urqu.	5	22.8	5	0.8	5	0.4
Professional, legal and consulting fees - post-bankruptcy (2)	3	8.9	4.6		4.3	. 5	10.1		10.1				0.6	- P -	0.+
COVID-19 incremental expenses (3)		0.0	(0.5)		(0.6)		10.0		(4.9)		10.4				
	-	7.8	5 41		(0.6)	-	44.1		5.2	-	33.2	-	5.3	-	0.4
Other cests	5	7.8	3 4.1		3.7	3	94.1	3	5.2	2	55.2	2	3.5	2	9.4
(1) Reserve for penalties attributable to not meeting certain spend commitme	ris under	discount pla	ns with other carrie												
(2) Post-emergence costs associated with the Chapter 11 Cases, as well as co					n projects.										
(3) COVID-19 related costs primarily consist of non-cash accrned vacation ;						e-time b	streft netwitt	ine eren]	lowes to carr	v over u	to 40 hours	of series	ad vacation	to 2021	and nav
premiums for Kinetic field technicians. Amounts in 2021 primarily reflect							course prenting	on suits	services on each	A cross of	A STATE OF LOT LOT LAD			10.0003	ana 640
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