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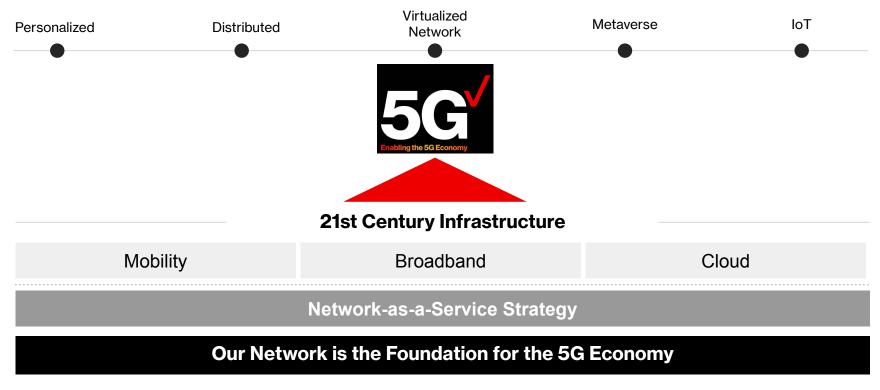


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# **Network-as-a-Service**



#### **Key Verizon Milestones**

# 2019

mmWave Acquisition

Verizon Intelligent Edge Network

First to 5G

Mix & Match Launch

Verizon 2.0 Model

First Industry Green Bond

# 2020

Nationwide 5G

Public MEC Launch with AWS

Private MEC Launch with AWS + Microsoft

**CBRS** Acquisition

Citizen Verizon

C-Band Acquisition

2021

**TracFone Acquisition** 

VMG Divestiture

10-Year NFL 5G Deal

**EDISON Alliance** 

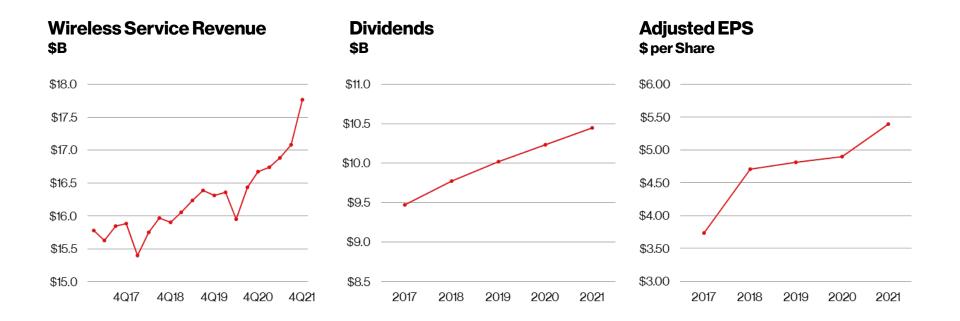
# 2022

**C-Band Deployment** 

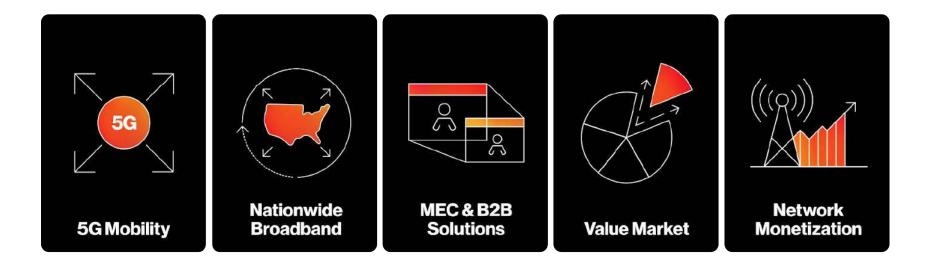
Mix & Match 4.0

Verizon Ultra Internet for Home & Business

#### **Delivering Financial Performance and Growth**



# **5 Vectors of Growth**



**5 Vectors of Growth Drive Verizon's Performance** 

#### **Financial Outlook Overview**

#### **Revenue Growth**

4% annual service and other revenue growth in 2024 & beyond

#### Leverage

Achieve target long-term leverage ratio of 1.75-2.0x by 2025

#### **Strong Margins**

NaaS to drive long-term consolidated Adjusted EBITDA growth at or above revenue growth

#### **Capital Intensity**

Reduction below pre-C-Band levels

**Return of Capital** 

**Dividends and Buybacks** 

ESG

Invest \$3B in Digital Inclusion by 2025 & carbon neutral operations by 2035

# Rima Qureshi

EVP & Chief Strategy Officer @QureshiVz **Network-as-a-Service Framework** 

Network-as-a-Service		
Disrupt Broadband Market	New Business Models	
Leadership in Mobility		
Fundamentals		

Network Leadership

Customer-Driven Models

Trusted Brand

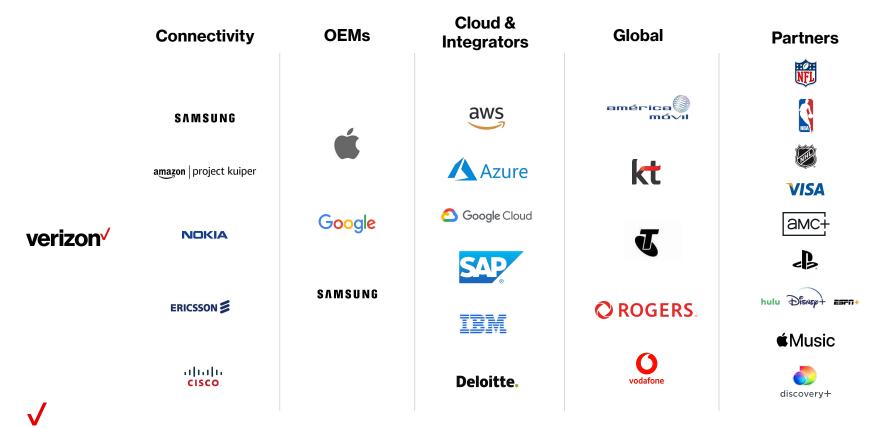
Financial Discipline

### **Investments Enabling Our Strategy**

Network	Spectrum	Acquisition
iEN	C-Band	Tracfone
OneFiber	mmWave	BlueJeans

#### Strategic Investments are the Key Enablers that Accelerate our Strategy

### **Building an Ecosystem Around Us**



### First-of-its-kind Strategic Partnership

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# Meta

- The Metaverse represents a new use case of Verizon's multi-purpose network
- Partnership to determine:
  - Verizon's network requirements to support XR cloud rendering and low latency streaming
  - Measure impact of edge computing with Verizon's MEC infrastructure on key performance metrics for metaverse optimized experiences

#### Verizon's Network will Enable the Metaverse

#### **Network-as-a-Service Overview**



- + Drive new customer growth
- + Increase revenue via step-ups, premium offerings and subscription services

#### **Measures of Success**

- + ARPA
- + Subscribers & Accounts
- + Premium Unlimited Penetration



- + Capture share
- + Fiber
- + Fixed Wireless Access (FWA)

#### Measures of Success

- + Households and Businesses Covered
- + Total Subscribers



MEC & B2B Solutions

- + Build on the first mover advantage
- + Edge computing and next-gen enterprise solutions

#### Measures of Success

+ Total Revenue



#### **Measures of Success**

- + Prepaid ARPU
- + Prepaid Subscribers
- + Prepaid Revenue



- + Return on invested capital
- + Wholesale, MVNOs, and other strategic partnerships

#### Measures of Success

+ Wireless Service Revenue

# **Addressable Market**



\$120B Serviceable Addressable Market Expansion over Next 5 Years

## More Pathways to Growth

- Consistent strategy driving execution
- Portfolio of assets designed to compete
- Vibrant ecosystem, redefining our market
- Multiple new paths to growth

# Kyle Malady

EVP & President, Global Network and Technology

## **Global Networks & Technologies Enable NaaS**



Build the world's best networks



Deploy the world's best systems



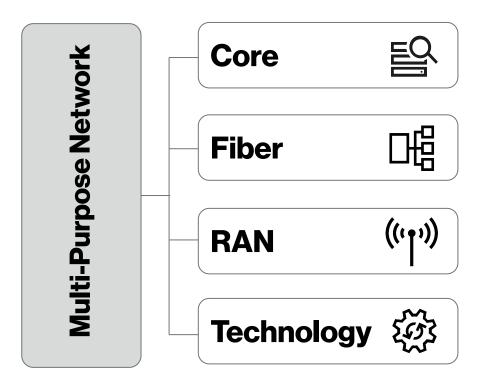
Drive best efficiency



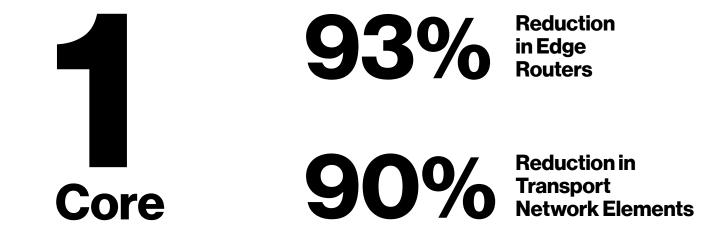
Develop the world's best culture

#### 4 Pillars Serve as Foundation for NaaS Strategy and Underpin the 5G Economy

# What Makes Us Different



Verizon Intelligent Edge Network Vision Supports NaaS



iEN Driving over \$1B in Cumulative Benefits

# **Virtualization is Transforming Networks**



RAN		Core
Virtualization Layer		
Compute	Network	Storage

Verizon is a World Leader in VRAN

# Fiber is Fundamental to NaaS

**Sites on Verizon Fiber** 

YE 2021



Expect 50% YE 2022

# Fios Open for Sale



Expect Incremental 550K in 2022

**Owned Fiber Assets Improves Performance and Reliability** 

**Fiber Owner's Economics** 

### **Expected Backhaul Increase**

#### **Owner's Economics Benefits**





Access cost savings in 2021

Fiber Owner's Economics Drives Cost Efficiency

**Transforming the Network** 







Copper Trouble Reduction YoY due to network transformation

**Copper to Fiber Transformation Drives Additional Cost Savings** 

# **Industry Leading RAN Design**

**mmWave** 

High density + Urban + Enterprises + Industrial

#### Mid-Band

Suburban + In-building + Complements mmWave

#### Low-Band

Wide Coverage Rural + Delivers IoT over distances

#### **Satellite**

Global Coverage + Enterprise grade connectivity + Automobile + IoT + Backhaul & Broadband + 5G Integration



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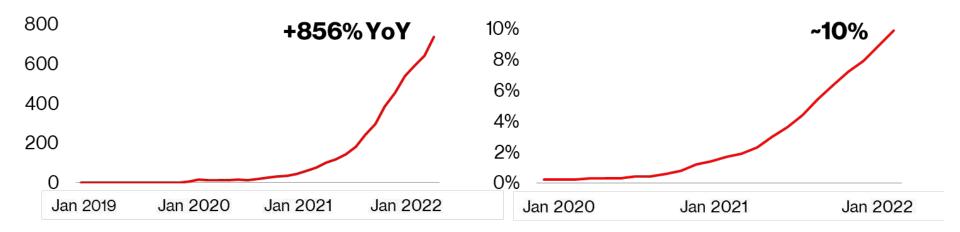
# mmWave Usage is Growing Fast

### mmWave Usage Growth

Avg. daily usage (TB)

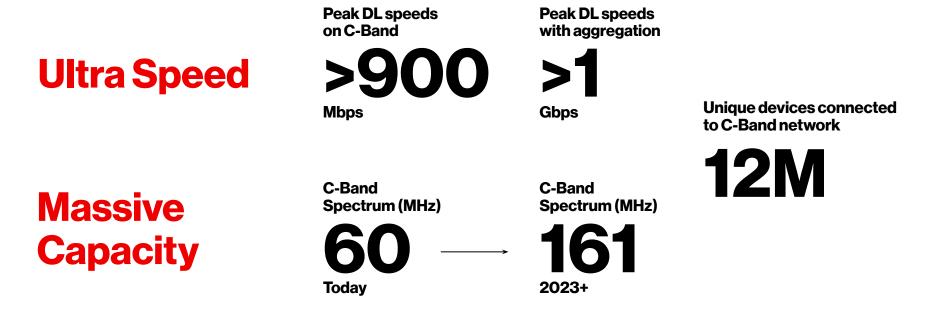
#### mmWave Usage in Deployed Footprint

Percentage usage on mmWave



#### mmWave is Vital to 5G Plan to Support and Scale Usage in Dense Areas

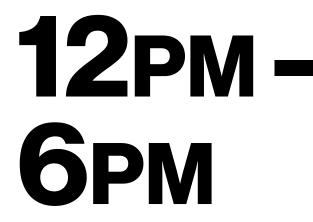
# **C-Band Performance**



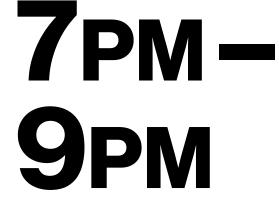
**C-Band off to a Fast Start with Better than Expected Performance** 

**Efficient Use of One Network for Mobility and FWA** 

# **Peak Mobility Usage**



Peak FWA Usage

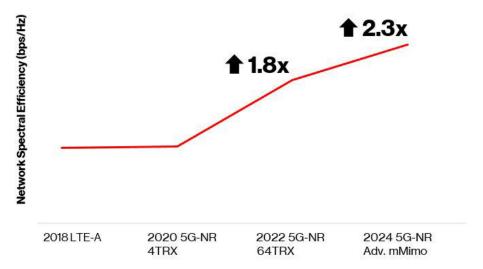


While customers are at work

While customers are binge watching video

Mobility & FWA Peak Usage is Complementary

# **Spectral Efficiency Forecast with C-Band**

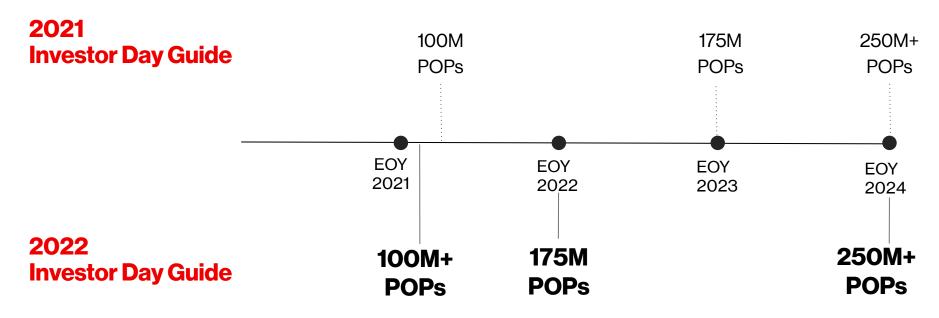


#### **Capacity Enablers**

- More spectrum
- Complementary usage patterns
- Bits per Hertz efficiency

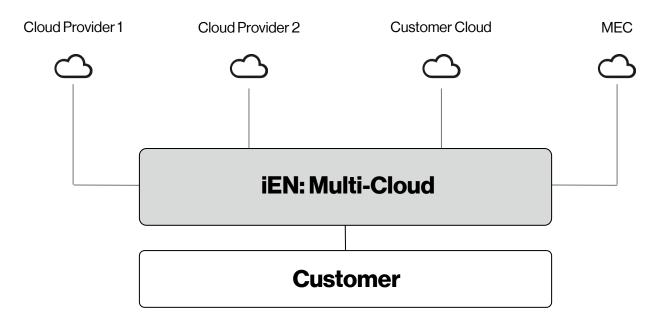
#### 5G Spectrum is 80% more Efficient than LTE

# **C-Band Coverage Exceeding Expectations**



**C-Band Deployment is Accelerating Faster than Original Build Plan** 

#### **Network Leadership in MEC & Multi-Cloud Services**



Leverage Intelligent Edge Network to Connect Customers to Multiple Cloud Environments

# **5G Services Evolution**

Capabilities

Technologies

 LTE, 5G Broadband, Fixed

 Wireless, Voice over LTE

 Consumer & Private

 Network Slices

 Evolved Packet Core

 Non-Standalone
 Standalone

 Ultra Reliable

**Cloud Native 5G Packet Core** 

5G Core Evolution will Enable Network Slicing Use Cases as the Ecosystem Evolves

**Advanced Fios Network** 

#### Multi-gig up to 10 Gbps symmetrical using NG-PON2



**Upgraded Technology Enhances Fios Customer Speeds** 

### **Internet of Things**

- Cloud integration and digitization
- Market-leading platform
- Coverage
- Low latency
- Real-time

#### Unique Network Capabilities Make Verizon an Ideal IoT Partner

#### More Pathways to Growth

- Network leadership in core, fiber, RAN and technology
- Reliable, differentiated and scalable platform
- Top engineering talent

# Tami Erwin

EVP & Group CEO Verizon Business @TamiErwinVz

#### **Path to Accelerated Growth**





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Be our customers' choice for their digital transformation journey Build on our strong leadership position

Expand into new growth categories

#### **Network-as-a-Service**

Market Leader in Mobility and Fiber Broadband





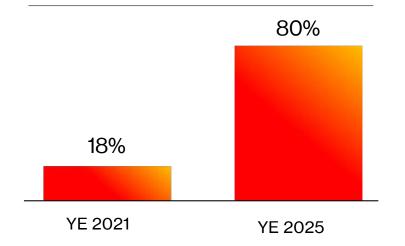
#### **Wireless Share**

#1 in Wireless across Enterprise, Public Sector & SMB **B2B** Fios Share

#1 broadband provider in Fios footprint

#### **5G Mobility**

#### **5G Phone Adoption Outlook**



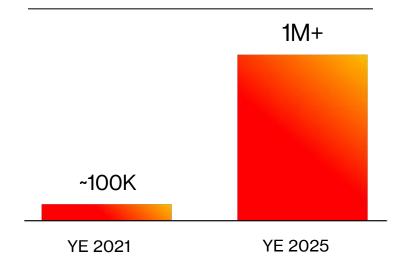
#### **Expected 5G Mobility Drivers**

- Continued growth in premium plan step-ups
- Suite of above network products
  - Security
  - One Talk
  - Unified Communications

4Q21 Delivered Highest Wireless Win Share in More than 2 Years; C-Band Accelerates Industry-Leading Market Share Growth

# **Nationwide Broadband**

Fixed Wireless Access (FWA) Subscribers





Expected FWA business locations covered by 2025

FWA as Primary Broadband Access for Every Customer Segment and New Use Cases

# Verizon Addressable Opportunity by 2025



- Rapid ecosystem development
- First and only player with all 3 major cloud platforms
- Seamlessly integrate Public and Private MEC into hybrid, multi-cloud solutions

**5G Enables Increased Sensor Capacity & Accelerated Adoption** 

# **Continued double-digit IoT connections growth expected**



# **Enterprise Private Networking Solutions**



Increased



**Productivity** 

Revenue **Opportunity** 



Cost **Savings** 



Network Customization



**Operations Monetization** 

#### Gateway to Enable 5G Private Edge Computing

**Private Networking Use Cases** 



Superior Network Positions Verizon to Drive the Market to Accelerated Adoption of Private Networks

# **Business Transformation**



New Customers & Revenue Acceleration



Enhanced Customer Experiences & Digital



Strong Cost Control & Business Simplification Initiatives

#### **Targeting 25% EBITDA Margin**

# More Pathways to Growth

- Building the 21st Century infrastructure:
  - Mobility, Broadband & Cloud
- Accelerating Growth with Many Ways to Win
- Delivering Transformational Customer Outcomes

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# **Even Stronger Consumer Group than 12 Months Ago**

Diversified brand portfolio







FamilyMobile

Verizon Prepaid

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Home broadband coverage

100M POPs mobility C-Band coverage

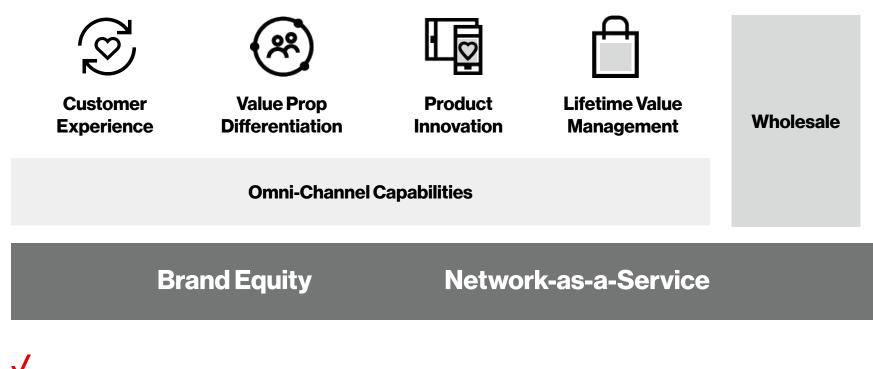


Connecting everyone, everything, everywhere



30M FWA HHs coverage

# Go to Market Strength

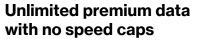


# Winning with Mix & Match 4.0 and C-Band



Expanded 5G Ultra Wideband coverage





The most hotspot capacity offered by any carrier

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6 entertainment subscriptions

#### Mix and Match Offers Flexibility and Efficiency that brings more Value to Customers

**Personalized Customer Base Management** 





ARPA & Step-up Strategy



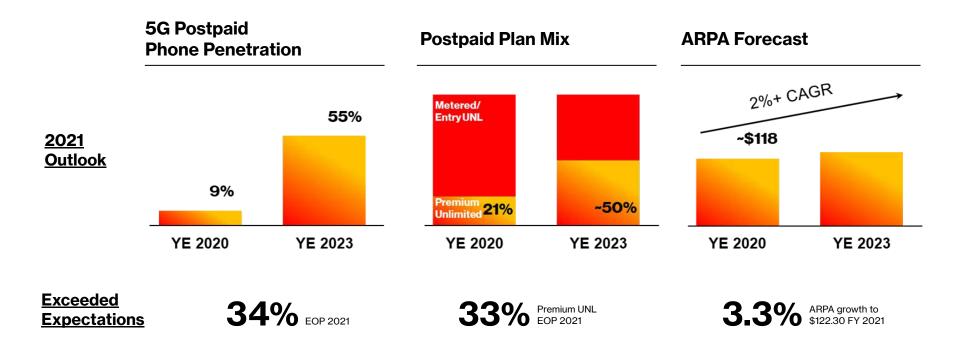
Personalized Upgrade Offers

#### **Maximize Yield**

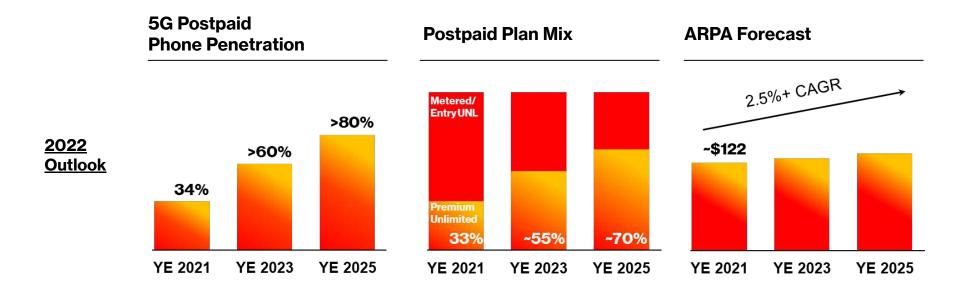
**Drive Lifetime Value** 

**Create Loyalty** 

# **Exceeding 2021 Investor Day Targets**



# **Raising our Outlook**



YE 2025 Nationwide Broadband Targets





#### **Expected HHs covered FWA**

**Expected Fios Open For Sale** 

**Opportunity to be THE Nationwide Broadband Provider in the U.S.** 

# Winning with Mobile & 5G Home











No contracts, data caps or extra fees, equipment included

50% off pricing for Mobile & Home customers

Self set-up enhancements

Base & Acquisition management to support stress free switching

Increase 5G Open for Sale (OFS)

#### **Disrupting the Industry with Unparalleled Experience**

**Home Broadband Subscribers** 

# 6.5M



Total Broadband Subscribers = Fios + Fixed Wireless Access

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**Scaling Value Drives Churn Benefits** 

**Incremental Improvement in Consumer Phone Churn** 



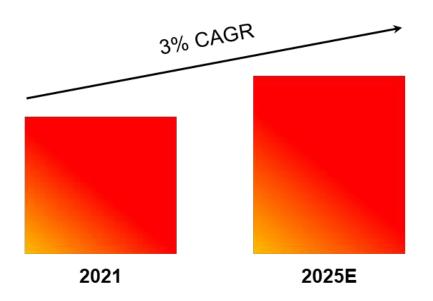


# **Unlocking Substantial Value**



# Verizon Value Market Outlook

#### **Prepaid Wireless Service Revenue**



## **Network Monetization**





Strong Revenue Stream

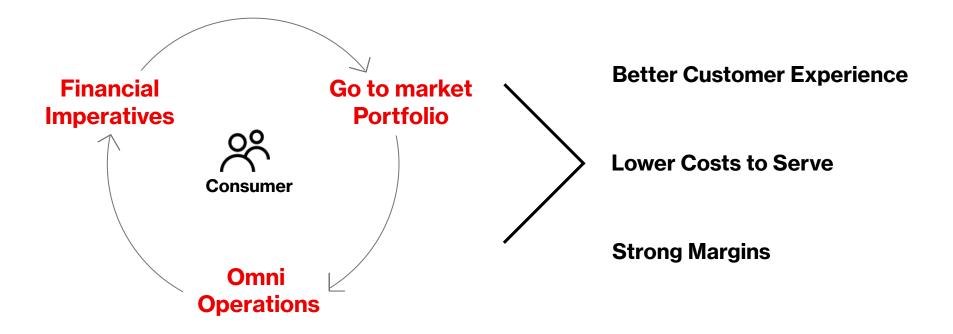
**Healthy Margins** 



**Open for Business** 

#### Network-as-a-Service Strategy Creates an Additional Pathway to Revenue Growth

# **Operational Excellence Model**



# More Pathways to Growth

- Multiple paths to grow
- Leading all customer segments
- Disrupting home broadband nationwide
- Agility and nimbleness
- Customer-centric model



EVP & Chief Financial Officer

# **2021** Goals Delivered

- Acquired C-Band and achieved 100M POPs Target
- Completed TracFone acquisition
- Divested non-core assets
- Achieved financial targets

# **Platform for Accelerating Performance**









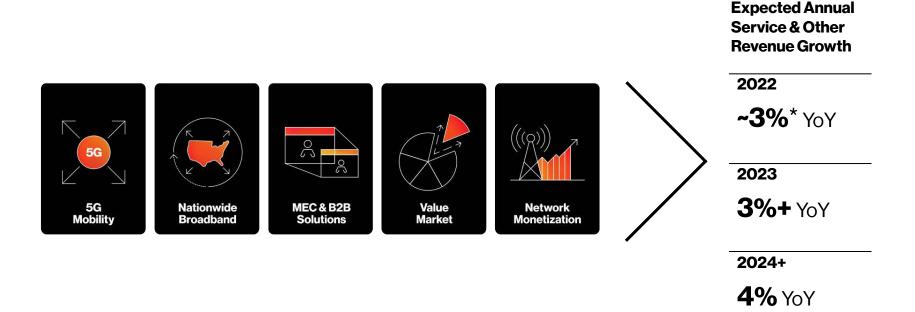


Revenue Growth

Operating Leverage Capital Efficiency Free Cash Flow Conversion

Capital Allocation Model

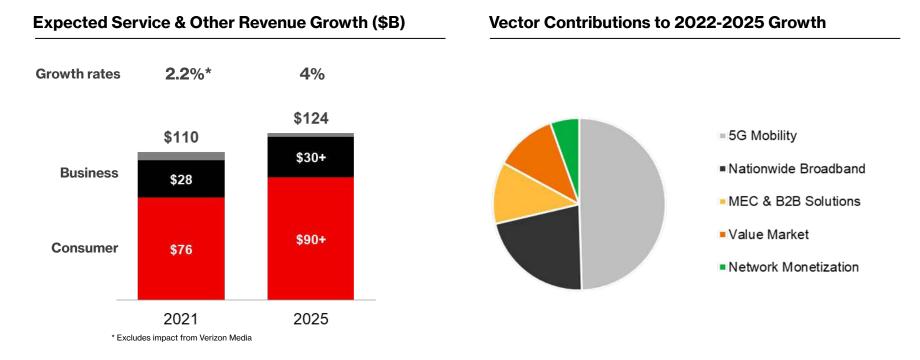
# **5 Vectors Drive Accelerating Revenue**



#### Proof Point: FWA Scaling Quickly. Positioned to Deliver 150K+ FWA Adds in 1Q22

\*Organic (excludes Verizon Media Group and TracFone)

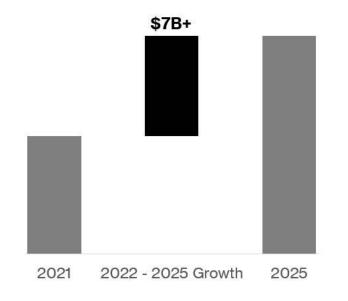
# **Revenue Growth Drivers**



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# **5G Mobility Growth Drivers**

#### **5G Mobility Growth Outlook\***



#### \* Vector includes postpaid net adds, ARPA/ARPU, and device protection

#### **Expected Key Drivers**

#### Consumer

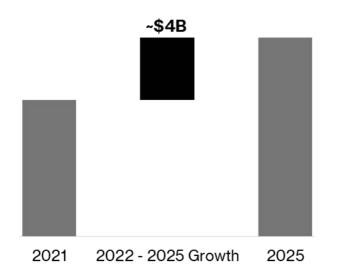
- 2.0%+ ARPA CAGR thru 2025 (excl. FWA)
- ~2/3 from Premium mix and ~1/3 from products
- · Growth from subscribers and accounts
- Customers with 5G phones are 2.5X more likely to take premium unlimited

#### **Business**

- Growth from market leadership expansion
- 5G adoption grows to 80% by year end 2025
- SMB premium mix of ~70% by year end 2025

# **Nationwide Broadband Growth Drivers**

#### **Broadband Revenue Outlook\***



\*Note: Includes both Consumer & Business FWA + Fios Revenue

#### **Expected Key Drivers**

#### FWA

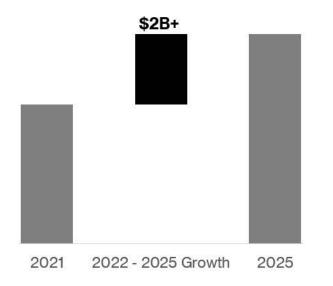
- 50M Households Covered by YE 2025
- 14M Businesses covered by YE 2025
- 4M–5M Subscribers by YE 2025

#### Fios

- >18M Open For Sale by YE 2025
- **~8M** Internet Subscribers by YE 2025
- Consumer Internet-only mix grows from 40% to 50%+ by YE 2025

# **MEC & B2B Solutions Growth Drivers**

MEC & B2B Solution Revenue Outlook\*



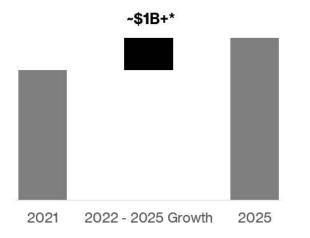
#### \* Vector includes IoT, MEC, Private Wireless Networks, BlueJeans and other services

#### **Expected Key Drivers**

- IoT revenue grows from **\$1.5B+** in 2021 driven by double-digit connections CAGR thru 2025
- **~\$1B** of growth from Public MEC by YE 2025
- Scaling private networks, delivering private MEC and solutions revenue

# **Value Market Growth Drivers**

#### Prepaid Revenue Growth Outlook



\* Tracfone contribution only includes incremental revenue post acquisition

#### **Expected Key Drivers**

- Growing subscriber base over long term
- Shift to unlimited plans and growth in value added services driving ARPU
- Migrating 6M+ off-net subs helps drive ~\$1B in synergies

# **Operating Leverage Plan**



Operating Scale from Multiple Revenue Sources



Network Owner's Economics

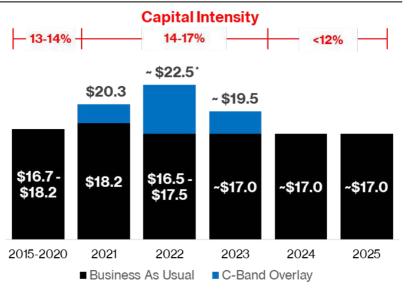


Adjusted EBITDA Growth at or Above Revenue Growth

#### \$300M 2021 Fiber Access Cost Savings and Annualized Savings Approaching \$1B by 2025

# **Improving Capital Efficiency over Time**

Capex Outlook (\$B)



\* At the mid-point of 2022 guidance

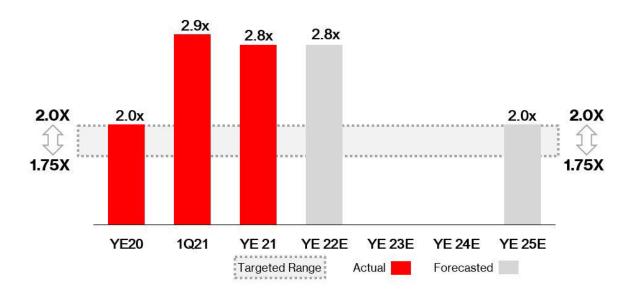
#### **Expected Key Drivers**

- C-Band accelerated \$10B spend concludes in 2023
- \$3B run-rate savings from key programs by 2024
  - Less reliance on **4G LTE** capacity over time
  - Completion of **One Fiber** core build in 2023
  - **iEN** efficiencies result in virtualization benefits

#### Positioned for \$20B-\$22B FCF in 2023 and Expected to Expand thereafter

# **Target Leverage Ratio**

Leverage Ratio (Net Unsecured Debt/Adjusted EBITDA)



**Revenue Growth plus Capital Intensity Reduction Support Deleveraging** 

# **Capital Allocation Model**



Commitment to Dividend





- Capital Expenditures
- Spectrum
- Mergers & Acquisitions
- 15 consecutive years of increases
- Target net unsecured debt to adjusted EBITDA range of 1.75x – 2.0x
- Efficient return of excess cash flow to shareholders

# **More Pathways to Growth**

- Clear path to 4% annual service and other revenue growth in 2024+
- Adjusted EBITDA growth at or above revenue growth
- Efficiencies drive lower capital intensity and overall spend
- Target leverage ratio remains at 1.75x 2.0x with share repurchases considered at 2.25x

