





Secure Communications and Digital Transformation for Public Authorities

Beyond Communications, Enabling Digital Transformation



COMMUNICATION IS A KEY FACTOR FOR CRITICAL MISSIONS

Critical infrastructures



Crisis Response



Population Protection



Border Security



Maritime Security





PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION **COMMUNICATION CHALLENGES**

- Local-level as well as governmentallevel officers spend significant time on the move
- Everyone is equipped with a smart phone, with texting/Messaging being the fastest way to communicate
- Risk of rogue use of market apps
- Data confidentiality is an important aspect of the communication process
- Dealing with crisis management is now a real-time issue







GOOD NEWS

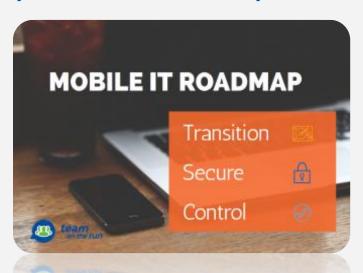
- Good News :Technology is here!
 - Smartphones/ tablets /Webrtc
 - OT/iOT, NFC, BLE,...
 - Networks
 - APIs
 - Communication tools (Whatsapp, Facebook, Google WeChat, Skype, Slack)
- It is affordable and very agile
 - Free tools
 - Cheap APIs





... AND BAD NEWS:

- Consumer tools are <u>not</u> ready for Public Safety use
 - Directory
 - Administration
 - Integration
 - Data control
 - Maintenance
- Security is an issue
- Organizational structure does always match Vendor philosophy
- Legacy IT is complicated to tie to new tools





- Public safety agents are overwhelmed by specific tools
 - Tetra handset for communication
 - Portable PC for accessing databases
 - Mobile phone for access to public networks
 - Multiple specific apps on their mobiles
 - Multiple paper forms to be filled
- Requires heavy training to use dedicated tools
- Delays Mission Critical actions
- Generates work overload in stressful situations
- Risk of reducing focus on Mission



ALL IN ONE SOLUTIONS BECOME AVAILABLE IN OPERATION (1)

- ✓ Mission Critical Push To Talk
- ✓ Communication on all types of IP networks (3G, LTE, Wifi) and all types of devices
- ✓ Time-critical information broadcast to the right team
- √ Safety Alert messages
- ✓ Secure and fully controlled environment





ALL IN ONE SOLUTIONS BECOME AVAILABLE IN OPERATION (2)

- ✓ Multimedia capabilities (photo, video streaming,...)
- ✓ Agile and flexible directory and group management
- ✓ Real-time Geo-location tracking
- ✓ Mission Process Management
 - Easy Mission Process Creation
 - Secure controlled access to critical databases
 - Digitalized Forms and Reporting





EXPECTED PRODUCT CAPABILITIES

Mission Critical Push-To-Talk

Comprehensive Instant Messaging

3GPP MC Data and File Sharing

Geolocation
Tracking
&
Reporting

Browser-based
Command
Console for
Team
Management,
Communication,
and Tracking

Remote Data Wipe Out Analytic Reporting for Team Management PMR, TETRA, and Other Radio Interoperability Available

Open API for Integrations

Mission Processes Integration





Use Cases



FIELD POLICE & FIRE BRIGADES

- Using Push-To-Talk to report or broadcast any abnormal incidents with dedicated secure voice channel.
- Geo-location feature enabled to report real-time location to the Control Center or Crisis Room.







REAL-TIME COORDINATION

- A fire broke out in a shopping mall, need to communicate between different groups at different locations
 - Police to evacuate people and relieve the traffic
 - Fireman to come to the location
 - Medical to come on site with the right medical resources for fire injuries
- Dispatcher dynamically sends key positions and dangers on map to foster all members real time situational awareness
- Dispatcher able to regroup dynamically the teams and release after, all in real time

Key point: Call without distance limitation. Real-time to group teams and members in the groups can inter communication with each other. Enhanced situational awareness and coordination



PATROL & EMERGENCY VEHICLES WITH GEO-LOCATION

 At each selected point, scans the NFC tag, a message will be sent automatically to the management system integrated (if any) or the officer's phone.

Information included in the message can be date, text,



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LOCATION BASED BROADCASTING

- Traffic police is currently handling the traffic roads avoiding traffic congestion and potential risks for incidents
- Dispatcher selects several police personnel nearby the area and start to broadcast a call, inform them to go to particular places to handle the situation
- Selected personnel receive relevant video streams coming from field smartphones, fixed cameras or drones
 - Key point: A dispatcher can initiate a broadcast call to a group of select people of a targeted location, from the command console map and routes all relevant information/media to relevant personnel

team EXAMPLE: REAL TIME RESPONSE on mission WITH VIDEO STREAMING

- Activate video streaming in case of emergency with user location shown on dispatch console
- Dispatcher will have vital information about what happened and where in real time, and can make decisions on response
- Incoming Emergency Calls take highest priority, and disconnect all pre-existing calls for the call recipient





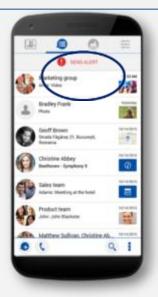
EMERGENCY ALERT

- Police officer on street finds someone suspicious. He presses the alert button when walks to interrogate that person.
 - Alert message/notification send to command center
 - Location message send same time with message, people will be shown in red to indicate the emergency status
 - Automatic call to command center
 - Body camera video recording and streaming automatically triggered to record officer action

Key point: Emergency Alert with message, location, video and call. Enhances personnel security and provides evidence in case of litigation

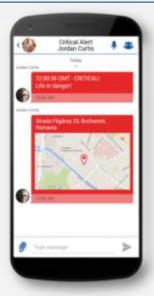


EXAMPLE OF EMERGENCY ALERT IMPLEMENTATION









Alert button triggers Buzzer, Message Geolocation

Configurable by Admin

- Type of message
- List of people to receive
- Buzzer or not







MY MISSION: PREPARATION

- Lengthy checklist of hazards for health and safety the police have to consider before carrying out an emergency mission
- Time consuming paper work, need to fill out at the station and obtain signature from a commanding officer
- Communicate and/or get authorization from other public safety stakeholders (fire brigade, health services, municipalities,...)
- Check list approval are essential to avoid possible future legal action
- While on mobile, not able to obtain the proper check list before taking an emergency action

Key point: Fill check list on mobile as emergency happens to obtain immediate approval. No waste of time in paper work before a mission. Pull out the right document for approval while on mission. Secure Electronic Authorization



MY MISSION: EXECUTION

- Dispatcher has sent all relevant processes for the mission
 - Roadside vehicle checking process
 - Speeding ticket process
 - Crime scene investigation process,...
- Evidences (pictures, videos, witness recordings, external databases information...) are taken/accessed on site, contributed immediately to the process and communicated to relevant authorities who can start investigations/other processes
- Process can be handed over to other entities and or officers
- A discussion thread is associated to the process. All relevant stakeholders are part of it and get notified of process status evolutions

Key point: Process and associated discussion is the thread around which mission is conducted



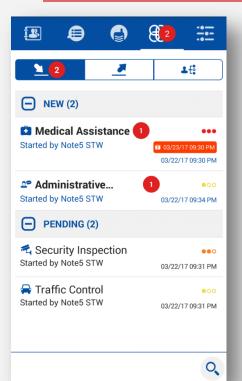
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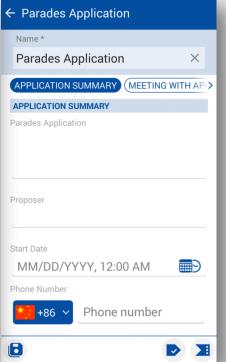
- At the end of the mission the last officer in charge completes the process
- Notification is sent to relevant authorities for information/approval
- An electronic and/or paper report is edited, consolidating all information gathered during the mission
- All contributions to the process are tracked, time stamped and auditable
- All conversations, chats,... are tracked, time stamped and auditable

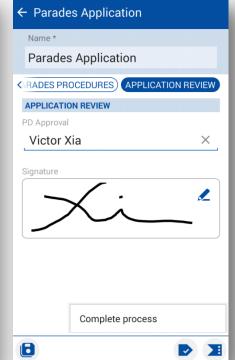
Key point: Less time spent on paperwork/reporting.
Automatic archiving. Electronic Formats and
Audit Tracks available.

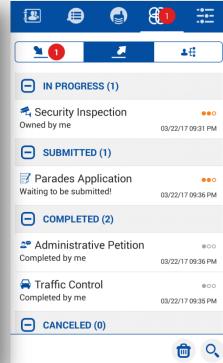


EXAMPLE: MISSION PROCESS USER INTERFACE



















Reception of a task as a step of the process IN tab

Processing the task as a step of the process Process page

Complete Process Process page

Step submitted/Process completed List **OUT** tab

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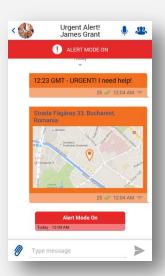


Key Success Factors for technology adoption

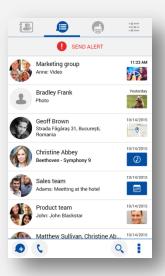


on mission INTUITIVE USER EXPERIENCE

- User interface parallels that of consumer IM apps
- Easy learning curve less training necessary
- Promote a platform that remains intuitive even under stress
- Simultaneous VoIP call / PTT, geolocate, and IM / file share











CONNECTIVITY EVERYWHERE

- IP based: benefit from IP ubiquity
 - Compatible with all types of Networks
 - Tactical LTE bubbles deployable on the field
 - Commercial 2-3-4G coverages close to the coasts
 - Wi-Fi + VSAT
- Local Wi-Fi connectivity with tactical server
- Fully secured and encrypted





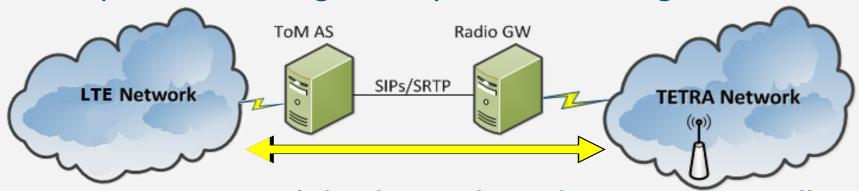






INTERCONNECT WITH EXISTING SYSTEMS

Complement existing PMR by interconnecting with them

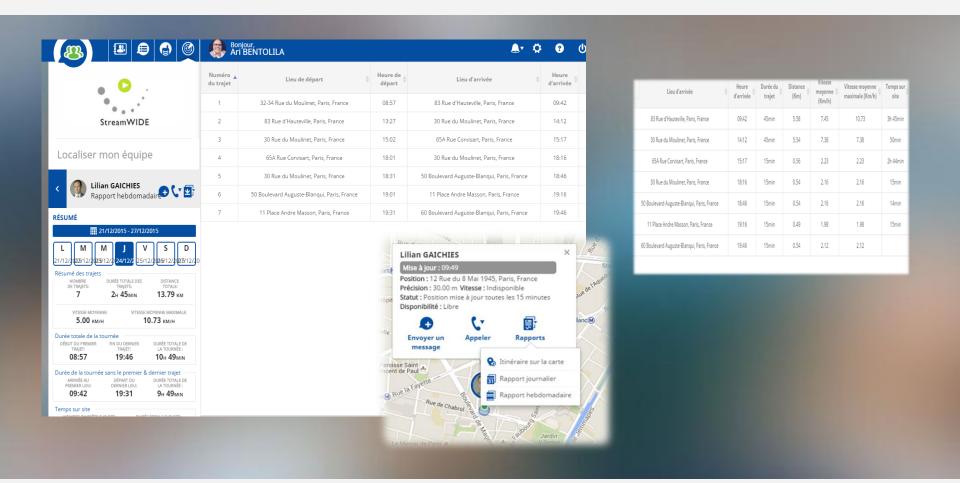


- Interconnect central databases through Open APIs to allow field personnel to retrieve filed info and feed processes
- Integrate Mission Processes with existing specific applications











MANAGE DEPLOYMENT

- Start with a prominent/influential department
- Designate a sponsor in the targeted department and train him/her
- Associate all stakeholders
- Prepare answers to their concerns:
 - Geolocation/Tracking
 - Privacy vs Audit Track
- Progressive deployment:
 - Provide same communication services as legacy systems
 - Introduce Digital Transformation by carefully choosing one process to implement
 - Let users propose new processes to implement
- Communicate successes
- Scale up and create users communities to share best practices

Key point: Get all stakeholders in the loop. Be Progressive.



QUESTIONS?