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### **Azure Wireless Announces Contract Award from University of Michigan for Wireless Local Area Network**

#### **Wireless network to provide untethered access to network resources throughout the University's campus in Flint, Michigan**

ROCHESTER HILLS, Michigan – August 22, 2006 – Azure Wireless announced that it has been awarded a contract to supply the University of Michigan with a dual mode, 802.11g/a wireless local area network that will provide 108 Mbps of mobile network access throughout the University's Flint campus.

Under the terms of the contract, Azure will supply and implement a turnkey wireless LAN from Aruba Networks. The network will include Aruba's Mobility Controller, ArubaOS Mobility Software with policy enforcement firewall, wireless intrusion protection and rogue access point detection, as well as Aruba's wireless access points.

"Azure demonstrated a strong understanding of wireless networks and is familiar with the experiences of early adapters of wireless, such as the University, as they attempt to enable more applications over wireless and was ready to help us in our planning for long-term requirements," said Erik Taipalus, LAN Administrator, University of Michigan Information Technology Services.

"Aruba's network technology was the only offering that allowed us to leverage our existing wireless network investment by utilizing the centralized management and security features with our 70 existing access points," continued Taipalus.

"We are very pleased to be awarded this contract by the University of Michigan. We continue to earn the wireless network business of an increasing number of prestigious institutions and enterprises and feel that this is one more example of the value that we provide to clients who understand not only the benefits of a wireless network, but also the importance of understanding the requirements for designing a network that accommodates long-range application requirements," said John Anderson, director of sales for Azure Wireless.

#### **About Azure Wireless**

Azure Wireless provides its clients and channel partners with innovative mobile computing and wireless networking solutions that produce productivity increases, efficiency gains and operating expense reductions through untethered connectivity. For more information, please visit <http://www.azuresol.com> or call 248-651-8210.

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