



VOICE SMART NETWORKS LAUNCHES POWERFUL IT NETWORK ASSESSMENT TOOL

*Sophisticated Technology Assesses
Customers' Networks in Less Than 30
Minutes*

LOS ANGELES/VENTURA/ORANGE COUNTY/SAN DIEGO – August 28, 2012 – Voice Smart Networks, a leading unified communications provider, announced today that the company has started implementing a powerful IT network assessment tool. The sophisticated technology provides businesses with extraordinary insight into their IT infrastructure, critical devices and other endpoints. This tool enables Voice Smart Networks to immediately assess the stability of a customer's network and provide real-time recommendations to improve overall performance and security.

Voice Smart Networks deploys network assessments when meeting with small to mid-sized business (SMBs) in the local area. Technicians are able to plug a small device into existing servers and within roughly 30 minutes, those technicians are able to gain a comprehensive understanding of network activity and applications. During the discovery phase, the tool highlights existing threats on the network, security holes or other areas of concern. Interestingly enough, most problems are usually solvable with minimal effort. For example, the tool runs a password

strength analysis on every endpoint on the network and can identify potential risks to the network. More often than not, a simple password change can fix this problem. Additionally, Security Risk Report includes a proprietary Security Risk Score and chart showing the relative health (on a scale of 1 to 10) of the network security, along with a summary of the number of computers with issues. Another area of concern for most small business owners is when employees download software programs that drain bandwidth or expose the business to threats such as viruses. This tool can detect that and then Voice Smart Networks can begin remediating the problem.

After the discovery phase is conducted and the tool has uncovered network issues worth investigating, business owners receive an executive summary with all pertinent findings and recommended action steps. "It's very powerful to give our customers this level of insight into their network," stated Mark Wadnizak, Partner of Voice Smart Networks. "Business owners want technology to run efficiently so they can benefit from increased productivity and profitability. As their technology advisor, it is our responsibility to ensure this result."

ABOUT VOICE SMART NETWORKS

Founded in 1982, Voice Smart Networks is Southern California's leading data and voice company. The company's mission is to increase its customers' profitability, improve their productivity and give them a competitive advantage by implementing the right technology. Voice Smart Networks is the only provider that protects its customers from the two risks of technology - obsolescence and cost. As its customers' trusted technology advisor, Voice Smart Networks has earned the position as the market leader and its customers' business through quality products and services.

As a premier member of Technology Assurance Group, Voice Smart Networks is able to fulfill all of its customers' technology needs. This means that the organization is the ultimate resource for business phone systems (VoIP and Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) provisioning), Managed IT Services, Network Security, Video Conferencing and Disaster Recovery.

Voice Smart Networks delivers future technology today! For more information, please visit please call 800-500-2696 or visit us at www.voicesmartnetworks.com.