





## Water Optimization in Affordable Housing

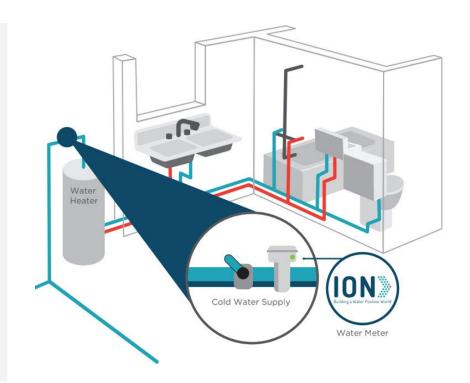






# **How ION Works**

- Our water optimization platform provides unit-level, real-time, actionable water performance data via smart sensors
- ION installs water sensors in EVERY unit of a property
- Normal Consumption or Leak
- Generates automated work orders so site personnel can stop water loss before it impacts a property's bottom line
- Saves time and resources of site staff in addition to utility costs.



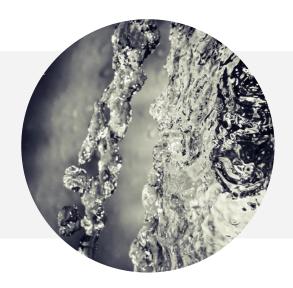




### **Affordable Water Performance**



Under ION Average Consumption Gallons per Bear on er Day (GBD)



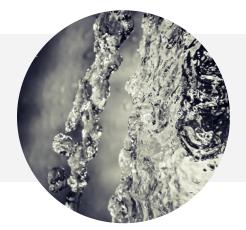
**Over 100** 

Affordable Housing Average
Gallons per Bedroom per Day (GBD)



### **Cost of Water Waste**





200B

**Excess Gallons** 



\$3B

Excess Expense



800K

**Excess Tons CO2e** 





### **But we install efficient fixtures...**

1 Low Flow Does NOT Equal Low Leaks

Newer and more **efficient plumbing fixtures still leak** and wasted water can be catastrophic

2 Budget Compliance Does NOT Equal Optimized Performance

The industry comps used to develop water and sewer proforma are using 2-3X the water they should be





## **ION Impact Opportunity**



- Number of bedrooms at your property or portfolio (average is two bedrooms per unit)
- Multiplied by 50 (average wasted gallons of water per bedroom every day)
- Multiplied by 365 days
- Multiplied by \$.015, the national average cost of water and sewer per gallon

**Total** = estimated annual wasted expense

Average annual cash-flow generation = \$547/unit



## **Impact of Water Optimization**



# Existing Water Performance of Top 25 Affordable Developers (Prior to Using ION)

Units	Bedrooms	Existing GBD
10,752	22,578	102



# Existing Water Performance of Top 25 Affordable Developers (Utilizing ION)

Units	Bedrooms	ION GBD
27,987	56,089	43

- Wasting over 1.2 billion gallons of water every year compared to Dominium and Kittle
- Emitting an additional 4,900 tons of CO2e every year
- Over \$18M of NOI literally goes down the drains every year







## **Impact of Water Optimization**

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#### **Standard Communities - Osprey Place**

- No pre-existing sensors or monitoring
- 109 units 289 bedrooms
- 82 GBD @ \$0.012 / Gallon
- \$103,797 per year expense

#### **Small Ridge Development - New Town**

- No pre-existing sensors or monitoring
- 123 toilets
- 19K gallons per day 155 GTD @ \$0.012 / Gallon
- \$83,220 per year expense

#### **Kittle Property Group - Bradford Gwinnett - Sale**

- No pre-existing sensors or monitoring
- Identified high consumption compared to ION properties
- Over 100 GBD

#### **Dominium - Crossing at Cape Coral - Acquisition**

- ION assessment for previous owner
- 110 GBD
- Decided not to implement prior to sale

#### **Standard Communities - Osprey Place**

- ION SPOE installation
- 37 GBD @ \$0.012 Gallon
- 55% Consumption Reduction
- \$56,962 Annual Savings

#### **Small Ridge Development - New Town**

- ION toilet only installation
- 3K gallons per day 24 GTD @ \$0.012 / Gallon
- 84% Consumption Reduction
- \$70,080 annual savings

#### **Kittle Property Group - Bradford Gwinnett - Sale**

- 50% Reduction in consumption + expense
- Two months of data in lead up to sale
- \$2.8M increase in sales price

#### **Dominium - Crossing at Cape Coral - Acquisition**

- ION is basis of design and platform was installed
- Within 30 days consumption reduced to 42 GBD
- \$16K per month savings = \$3.2M Value Add Transaction





## **The Benefits of Water Optimization**

Increased Debt Capacity

Optimized & Maintainable Proforma

Resident Impact

Increased Operating Income

Property Valuation

Value Add Acquisition & Exit Value







**MISSION:** Stop the waste of water in the affordable housing market so that savings can be repurposed to benefit affordable communities and our environment.

**OPTIMIZATION:** Platform allows affordable developers to reduce and maintain water consumption and costs by as much as 70 percent compared to industry averages.

**IMPACT:** Development and acquisition debt capacity, operating income, property valuation, and ESG initiatives.

**ION WATER - A Smarter Way to Manage Water.** 





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