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NEXT GOOGLE FIBER CITIES

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Google decided to delay the announcement of which cities would be receiving Google Fiber to next year.

February of this year saw Google strike up talks with 34 different cities across nine metropolitan areas, in search of **the next best place to bring Google Fiber**, their high-speed internet service. The Google Fiber team was supposed to make a decision before the end of the year, **PCMag** reports, but have pushed back the announcement to 2015.

"We've been working closely with cities around the U.S. to figure out how we could bring them Google Fiber, and we're grateful for their vision, commitment, and plain old hard work," a Google spokeswoman told PCMag. "While we were hoping to have an update for cities before the holidays, we have a bit more work to wrap up; we'll be back in touch sometime early next year."

IGN has reached out to Google for further comment and will update if we hear back.

Google Fiber can run as fast as 1 Gbps, or 1000 Mbps (that's megabits per second). According to its website, where it would take over 2 minutes to download an HD movie with internet running at 50 Mbps, Google Fiber would only take seven seconds.

Fiber is available already in Kansas City, Austin, and Provo. If you're in any of these areas, learn more about the different Google Fiber packages on the **Google Fiber website**.

The **full list of candidate cities** who could potentially receive Google Fiber in the future includes:

- **Arizona:** Phoenix, Scottsdale, Tempe
- **California:** San Jose, Santa Clara, Sunnyvale, Mountain View, Palo Alto
- **Georgia:** Atlanta, Avondale Estates, Brookhaven, College Park, Decatur, East Point, Hapeville, Sandy Springs, Smyrna
- **North Carolina:** Charlotte, Carrboro, Cary, Chapel Hill, Durham, Garner, Morrisville, Raleigh
- **Oregon:** Portland, Beaverton, Hillsboro, Gresham, Lake Oswego, Tigard
- **Tennessee:** Nashville-Davidson
- **Texas:** San Antonio
- **Utah:** Salt Lake City

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