

Rapidly Deployed Secure Housing in Hostile Environments

MetroLink Solutions, Inc. has a unique solution for secure housing, workspace and communications requirements in hostile environments. The **QwikCamp** system can be rapidly deployed to locations virtually anywhere in the world where a threat to personnel, facilities and assets may exist. QwikCamp provides a level of security and comfort rarely available in high-risk hostile environments.



Security Features

MetroLink's QwikCamp secure modular facility incorporates a variety of safety and security features designed to provide for the protection of personnel and assets. These include:

- A secure limited-access entrance with guard shack and holding area,
 - An outer perimeter, surrounded by a twelve-foot chain-link fence with stands of security barbwire,
 - An inner 'T-wall' barrier capable of preventing aimed or stray rounds from entering the living space,
 - A variety of TraceGEO perimeter security sensors, including motion, seismic and acoustic detectors, installed in the zone between barriers, and in strategic locations inside and outside of the compound,
 - SITE MAST-R video surveillance systems, employing high-resolution, low-light and infrared cameras, along perimeters, at access gates and inside the compound,
 - Optional Kevlar module inner liner and safety glass, capable of stopping a 7.62 mm round,
 - The compound is designed and landscaped with a minimum of site 'clutter' with open areas that can be easily monitored,
 - There are a number of additional and supplemental security features included, but these are of a confidential nature and can be discussed with qualified inquirers.
- In addition to the technology-based security features noted above, MetroLink also offers a complete physical security package including:
- Armed guards to protect the site, and restrict access to authorized personnel only,
 - Low profile personal personnel to protect personnel from the threats of kidnapping and personal injury,
 - High profile security and convoy escorts when traveling to and from the compound,
 - Translators and English speaking administrative support personnel.

QwikCamp Housing

QwikCamp housing units are designed to provide for efficient work spaces and comfortable living quarters. The living space is equipped with well-appointed furnishings, the latest entertainment systems and comfort features normally found only in high-end hotels.

The dining facilities are designed to accommodate a gourmet kitchen, capable of preparing western style meals in any part of the world. Additional modules can house offices, medical facilities, commissary/convenience store, weapons storage and communications.

A typical compound can be configured to accommodate fifty or more transient personnel and twenty to twenty-four extended stay personnel. The following modules can be selected and incorporated into the QwikCamp-SMF compound:

- Administration units with private offices, common office area and restrooms,
- Kitchen unit fully equipped with a commercial kitchen, pantry and restroom,
- Dining unit capable of seating sixteen to twenty four people,
- Three room 'bunkhouse' sleeping twelve with four bunks per room,
- Three and four bedroom units with queen beds, dressers, closets and restrooms,
- Sanitary facilities, with private showers, sinks and toilets,
- Secure weapons distribution with weapon lockers, ammunition storage and locker rooms,
- Communications module with operator consoles, workshop and equipment area,
- Optional medical aid station, bunker and commissary modules.

Communications

The communications package is user defined, but can include systems for entertainment, Internet access, VoIP connectivity and tactical communications. This includes:

- Two-way radio systems in the aviation, marine, VHF and UHF bands configured to operate on user-defined and government assigned channels,
- Satellite uplink and downlink facilities that can be used to provide Internet and VoIP service to the facility for workplace and personal communications.
- Satellite downlink facilities and cable distribution systems for entertainment television.
- Wireless broadband systems, strategically located both indoors and outdoors, to provide ubiquitous Wi-Fi coverage throughout the compound.
- An internal VoIP telephone system providing a high degree of reliability and quality for business and personal communications.
- Support data systems to provide for the local caching of data, secure storage of files, and network management functions.
- Back-up and emergency power.

Environmental

QwikCamp modules integrate highly efficient environmentally friendly systems that include these features:

- The highest 'R' rating for any structure of its type, allowing for efficient cooling and heating in the harshest of environmental extremes,
- A wide variety of alternative and back-up power options including wind generation, solar cells, fuel cell and diesel generators,
- Efficient and sanitary storage and treatment of potable water,
- State-of-the-art treatment, storage and disposal of solid waste and brown water,
- Safe and secure storage of fuel in buried tanks with re-enforced concrete lids,
- Covered walkways and sunshades to shield personnel from sun, rain when walking between modules,
- Attractive landscaping with patio and garden areas for outside dining and after-hours relaxation.

The MetroLink Centralized Service Unit

The MetroLink Centralized Service Unit (CSU) houses many of the life support and communications systems noted above. The CSU is completely self-contained and can support up to twenty modules. Views of the CSU are shown below:



QwikCamp Floor Plans



THREE BEDROOM, TWO BATH UNIT



BUNKHOUSE UNIT



KITCHEN UNIT

The principals of MetroLink have lived and worked in high-risk hostile environments for decades. As such, they are sensitive to the needs for both comfort and safety in what many times is an undesirable environment. That is why the MetroLink 'QwikCamp' Secure Modular Facility concept is indisputably the best compromise between living in a comfortable and appealing environment, while being assured that the best in security technology, hardware and personnel are in-place to ensure safety.

About MetroLink Solutions

MetroLink Solutions, Inc. provides a wide variety of telecommunications applications, products and support services designed to bring world-class voice, data and video services, for education, healthcare and community development, to remote and rural areas of emerging markets worldwide. MetroLink also provides sophisticated security technology supporting a wide variety of perimeter, facility and personnel safety solutions in high-risk situations. MetroLink has formed strategic alliances with leading providers of protective security services, proprietary applications and advanced security hardware. These unique alliances are focused on ensuring the safety of personnel, safeguarding critical facilities, tracking the whereabouts of assets and monitoring the movement of vehicles in hostile and high-risk environments.

Many of MetroLink's security products and services were originally designed for use by the Department of Defense, and are in use by security agencies around the globe. Military versions of a number of these systems are in use today, supporting critical applications in hostile environments around the world.

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