

2G Sunset: Where Do I Start?

Here's what you should keep in mind when considering the best way to keep your remote monitors online once 2G networks go down.



Be aware of future shutdowns

AT&T is shutting down its 2G network by the end of 2016, but they're not the only ones. Both Verizon and T-Mobile have announced plans to end 2G coverage by 2020.

Buy some time with T-Mobile

Switching to T-Mobile's 2G core network will keep your devices online until 2020, when T-Mobile will be discontinuing 2G service.

Consider CDMA

Switching to Verizon's 2G CDMA network will keep your devices online until 2019.

Evaluate service²

If you decide to switch to a new monitor, consider customer service in addition to cell or satellite coverage. You want a vendor you can trust to keep your devices up and running.

Mind your coverage maps

If you decide to switch to a 3G/4G network, make sure your remote monitors are located in an area with 3G/4G coverage. If they're not, satellite is probably the way to go.

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