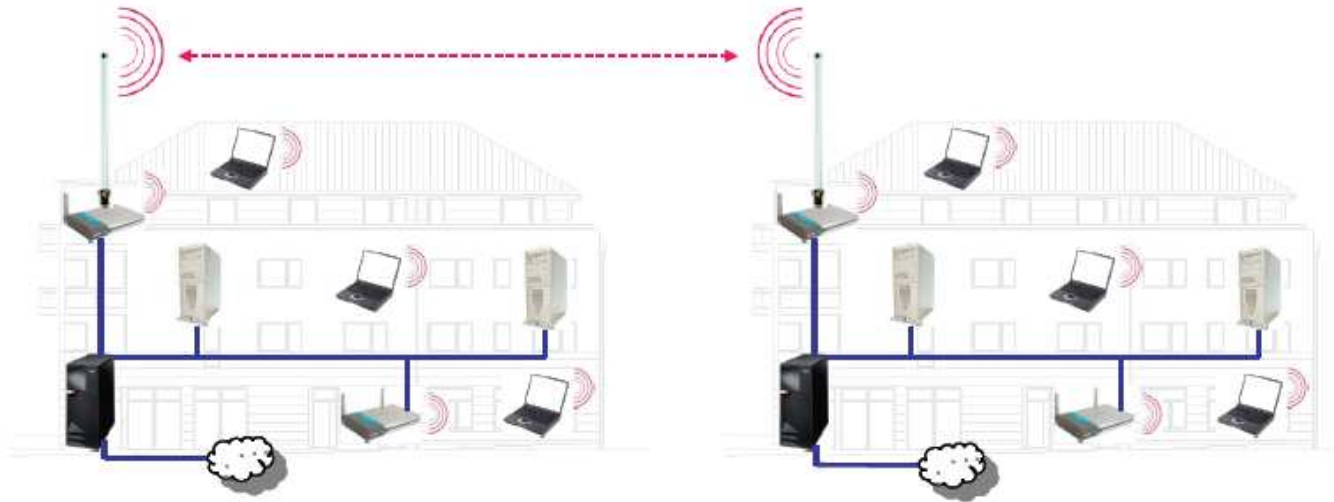# Urban Mesh Networks

• ad hoc networks in which each node in the network acts as an independent router

• Optimized Link State Routing Protocol (OLSR)

• Better Approach To Mobile Adhoc Networking (B.A.T.M.A.N.)

• Viable alternative to "last mile" / Infrastructure

• Community Networks

• Can overcome Non-Tariff-Barriers of former Monopolies