

For utilities who select the MegaNet<sup>TM</sup> AMI Network, KP provides both on premise and Software-as-a-Service (hosted) solutions.

## **ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE**

## SOFTWARE HOSTING SERVICES



## Key benefits of the Software as a Service program are:

- Time & cost savings, no need for extensive and expensive IT department
- Eliminate the need for in-house server and other related infrastructure
- Secure data centers spread at multiple locations
- Quick & reliable access to MCM data base
- 24/7 network & intrusion monitoring
- Eliminates additional software installation, upgrade, and maintenance



For utilities who wish to purchase and maintain the data servers and software, KP offers a perpetual license for all applications to run on Windows® based server platform and Microsoft SQL. For the Water utility, KP would recommend Dell® PowerEdge™ servers or any other Windows SQL 2014 (or newer) compatible server, typically a Dell PowerEdge 905 with 2 CPUs with both database and web application servers.

The MCM database server runs SQL
Server™ 2014 (or newer), 64-bit
Enterprise Edition. However, due to the
increased benefits of cloud based
computing and the cost of managing
and replacing expensive servers, more
and more utilities are opting to select
KP hosted model for software. By
utilizing this service, the data will be
maintained in an offsite location. This
state of the art data storage facility

provides climate controlled facilities along with redundant lines of communication to provide the Water utility the most secure and reliable data services available on the market. Either way the Water utility will have the exact same levels of software access and capability with any IP enabled device in either an on premise or hosted environment.







