Alternate Tunnel Encapsulation for Data Frames in CAPWAP: draft-zhang-opsawg-capwap-cds-01

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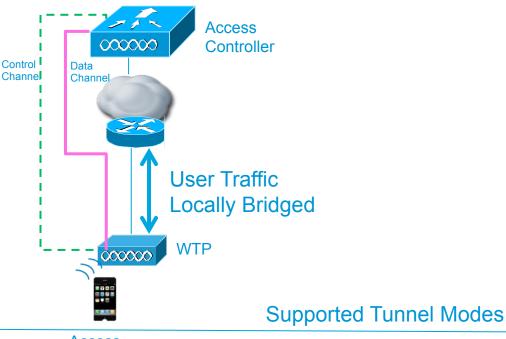
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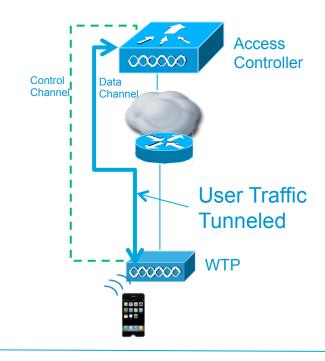
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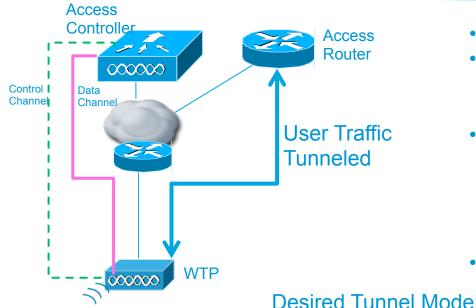
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Problem Statement







- Separate Control Plane from Data Plane
- Why Local Bridging is not an option
 - SP may not be same as Access Network Provider
- Extend Local MAC mode
 - CAPWAP Data channel for 802.11 Mgmt frames and security
 - User Traffic tunneled to AR instead of AC
- Multiple Additional Tunnel Encapsulations supported

Proposal

- Incorporated changes based on last meeting discussion
 - Generalized tunnel types to include additional tunnel encapsulation
- Defined new IEEE 802.11 Message Elements
 - Supported Alternate Tunnel Encapsulations
 - Alternate Tunnel Encapsulation
- WTP announces capability in Discover/Join request
 - Support for additional Tunnel Encapsulation (L2TP, PMIPv6-IP/GRE, etc)
- AC may configure Tunnel Encapsulation during WLAN configuration
 - AC may also configure WTP with additional parameters to setup tunnel (for example, IP address of Access Router, shared secret, etc). This is not described in the current draft.

Discussion

- Feedback on mailer
 - ✓ Add descriptive text on why this is needed
 - ✓ Describe how AR will be discovered
 - ✓ Document impact to RFC 5415 and RFC 5416
 - ✓ Editorial changes
- Next steps
 - This is the third version (second major revision after original submission). Is it on track to get it adopted?