



Creating a Business for Mobile Phone Applications



- iPhone Apps from July, 2008 to now.
- False Starts.
- Filters for Good Business Ideas in the Mobile Space
- 2 New Mobile Phone Software Products
- Lessons Learned



- ■iPhone Gold Rush.
 - Who Made Money.
 - Who Didn't
- Good Ideas Bad Businesses
 - SayNDrive
 - SayNDial
 - SayMedia
 - Replace Parking Meters



- Compelling Use
- Profitable
- Differentiable
- Defensible
- Scalable



- TapNCharge Portable Credit Card Charging.
 - International Merchant Distribution Through Channel
- TalkDirect Click to Route Call on Web Pages
 - Routes Calls From Web Pages to Mobile Phones or Land Lines
 - Increases Sales Closings
 - Eliminates Waiting and Saves Call Routing Costs



- Run business ideas through basic filters.
- If you have a good idea, it's likely 10 other smart people with money have it too.
- If you get started when there is a buzz, you're too late
- Do what you know Find your edge
- Extend from your current assets