


House Bill 2455

Includes developing and expanding broadband Internet access service as a form of economic development for which Oregon Business Development Department may fund loans and grants for use in Eastern Oregon Border Economic Development Region.

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- ▶ Broadband in the Border Region lags behind Idaho.
 - ▶ Idaho, as a state, has poor broadband access
 - ▶ But neighboring Payette County is aggressively increasing their broadband
 - ▶ Improved broadband would expand business opportunities and economic development.