

# Oregon Broadband Office

House Interim Committee on  
Economic Development and Small Business

September 21, 2022



# Activities 2022



Program Development -  
Technical Working  
Group



Program Development –  
Listening Sessions



Draft rules and  
handbooks



Applied for State Digital  
Equity Planning grant



Applied for Broadband  
Access, Equity and  
Deployment planning  
Grant



Finalizing ARPA Capital  
Projects Grant Plan  
application

# Activities 2022, continued

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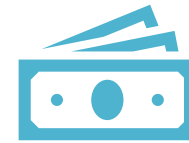
Continued  
recruitment/hiring/proposing  
FTEs



Continued community  
presentations



Mapping Project



Preparing for the next  
biennium's budget

# Funding

- \$500K, Economic Development Administration Grant for Broadband Mapping **SECURED (Federal)**
- \$1.5M, Oregon Broadband Fund (Universal Service) **SECURED (State)**
- \$157M, American Rescue Plan Act Capital Projects **IN-PROGRESS (Federal)**
- \$782K+Formula, Infrastructure Bill – Digital Equity **IN-PROGRESS (Federal)**
- \$100M+Formula, Infrastructure Bill – Broadband Equity, Access & Deployment **IN-PROGRESS (Federal)**

# Funding/Engagement Timelines

## 2022

- Spring: Technical Working Group, Listening Sessions
- Summer: apply for Digital Equity, BEAD, and Capital Projects,;
- Fall: rules public comment period
- Late Winter 22/23: launch Technical Assistance application cycle and Capital Projects application cycles

## 2024

- Winter: BEAD challenge process then 20% BEAD funds released
- Winter/Spring: launch BEAD, Digital Equity and Capital Projects cycles
- Fall/Winter: Final BEAD proposal due

## 2023

- NTIA announces BEAD and Digital Equity allocations
- Winter/spring: Public Engagement for BEAD and Digital Equity
- Summer: BEAD 5 Year Action Plan due; Capital Projects application cycle 2
- Summer/fall: Digital Equity Plan due
- Fall: BEAD Initial Proposal due