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COVID-19 DIGITAL ACCESS TASK FORCE

Task Force Meeting Chat –August 22, 2022

- 07:39:03 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: ASU's Digital Trust Summit is scheduled for two days, 10/11/22 live on the Tempe Campus and 10/12/22 virtually during Cybersecurity Awareness Month, bringing together trust professionals, students, researchers & technologists to explore traversing digital realms with greater assurance. Details & registration at <https://uto.asu.edu/digital-trust-summit-2022> FYI.
- 07:41:16 From Janet Major to Everyone: <https://scitechinstitute.org/> SUMmit Sept 27
- AZTC's 6th annual Smart City + IoT Conference is on Thursday, September 8, 2022 at Venue8600 from 12:30-6:00 PM info & registration at <https://www.aztechcouncil.org/event/smartcity2022/> FYI.
- 07:42:01 From Shereka Jackson to Everyone: Future Stars-Adult STEM Party:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/adult-stem-party-tickets-387245480657?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>
- 07:44:26 From Janet Major to Everyone: Telehealth Awareness Week Sept 19 - 23
ATA/SWTRC will have events all week long and I will be doing my annual technology review for the American Telemedicine Association/all on Sept 22 @12pmThursday
- 07:50:38 From Janet Major to Everyone:
<https://healthsciences.arizona.edu/newsroom/news-releases/0822/tribal-area-health-education-center-will-address-tribal-health-care>
- 07:59:03 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: That is excellent, Jeff!
- 07:59:58 From Janet Major to Everyone: GO Jeff!
- 08:00:19 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: Happy to help, Jeff!
- 08:00:33 From corey Christians to Everyone: Hey Jeff! When will be able to submit a BEAD application?
- 08:02:15 From John Kelly to Everyone: Legislative plan for next year??? SURVIVE!
- 08:03:30 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: We should really consider a subcommittee that can study good broadband legislation in other states.
- 08:04:48 From Janet Major to Everyone: Here's an FYI news article - an interview with former President of the Navajo Nation, Peter McDonald, one of three remaining code talkers:
https://www.nationalnavajocodetalkersday.com/?utm_campaign=2af9eaaf-5f43-4509-9133-fa0a2b2610ed&utm_source=so&utm_medium=mail&cid=a64cbb7a-19f3-44ea-a685-31284d8919eb
- 08:05:32 From John Kelly to Everyone: The e-rate matching grant program is nearly exhausted. The legislature could recapitalize that.
- 08:06:33 From John Kelly to Everyone: Ilana: not sure what is good or not, but this is a summary of 2021 broadband bills around the country: <https://www.ncsl.org/research/telecommunications-and-information-technology/broadband-2021-legislation.aspx>

- 08:10:08 From Kirk Busch to Everyone: #MrBroadband ROCKS!
- 08:13:00 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: The FCC released their Future of the Universal Service Fund Report to Congress as required by the IIJA suggesting the FCC initiate a proceeding to consider the future support needs of networks serving high-cost and other hard to serve areas & creation of new support processes. Download the report PDF at <https://www.neca.org/docs/default-source/wwpdf/public/081522fcc2267.pdf> FYI. Good analysis & commentary from Benton Institute at <https://www.benton.org/blog/future-universal-service-still-future> as well.
- 08:14:59 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: Schools, Health & Libraries Broadband (SHLB) Coalition & Open Technology Institute have published a research paper “The “To and Through” Opportunity: An Economic Analysis of Options to Extend Affordable Broadband to Students and Households via Anchor Institutions” available at <https://www.shlb.org/policy/research/to-and-through> FYI.
- 08:19:30 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: ASU News: How Arizona can advance innovation, access in digital learning - State Senate, Congress members joined academic, industry leaders to discuss rapid transformation of digital learning at ASU conference (8/16/22) - <https://news.asu.edu/20220816-arizona-impact-how-arizona-can-advance-innovation-access-digital-learning>
- 08:21:52 From Ilana Lowery to Steve Peters(Direct Message): Are you still planning on my update?
- 08:23:14 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: Learn Platform has published a Digital EdTech Equity Dashboard showing daily edtech engagement by different student groups at <https://learnplatform.com/equity-dashboard> FYI.
- 08:25:06 From Janet Major to Everyone: ASU Prep is hiring technical support as they expand to Casa Grande, Tucson, other southern AZ locations
- <https://asuprep.asu.edu/contact-us/>
- 08:27:11 From Janet Major to Everyone: beautiful flyers :)
- 08:28:01 From Regional Carrillo to Everyone: haha no problem
- 08:28:01 From Kirk Busch to Everyone: Awesome Ilana, can you email collateral to entire azbsn group?
- 08:29:05 From Shelby Brown to Everyone: Cyber Readiness Grant: Apply for access to five cyber tools, no deadline to apply - <https://www.azed.gov/odtl/data-and-security>
- 08:29:26 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: The White House has released individual state fact sheets regarding the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) available at <https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2022/08/17/state-fact-sheets-how-the-inflation-reduction-act-lowers-energy-costs-create-jobs-and-tackles-climate-change-across-america/> with Arizona’s 2-page PDF at <https://www.whitehouse.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Arizona.pdf> FYI.
- 08:31:23 From Shereka Jackson to Everyone: Shereka Jackson - Founder/CEO of Future Stars, Inc. Making sure that all students have access to at technology career
- 08:31:51 From Kirk Busch to Everyone: Go #AzNatives!
- 08:32:30 From Heather Floyd to Everyone: Heather Floyd, Public Relations Specialist for Valley TeleCom Group (ISP), motivated to bring quality internet to rural AZ, to have a wonderful quality of

live in rural. Concerned about DEI programs reaching our rural residents, there is a great need here especially in digital navigation.

- 08:32:35 From Robert Alvarado to Everyone: Robert Alvarado - VP IT and Strategic Planning at Chicanos Por La Causa. Empowering Lives
- 08:32:37 From Jan Schiller to Everyone: Jan Schiller, jschiller@berkshire-consulting.com, delighting clients by collaborating and guiding the transformation of strategy into meaningful results. I put structure on ambiguity. Wildly important goal: leave the world better than I found it (and have fun doing it).
- 08:33:06 From Holly Henley to Steve Peters(Direct Message): Sorry I have to leave. Lots of great information today! Thank you.
- 08:33:47 From Corey Christians to Everyone: Corey Christians - Yavapai County Free Library District - Director - I work to provide all residents access to high quality free information, find ways for libraries to work together to provide cost-effective services, and I work to provide municipal services to rural areas
- 08:34:02 From Janet Major to Everyone: Janet Major
- Associate Director for Innovation & Digital Health
- Arizona Telemedicine Program & Southwest Telehealth Resource Center
- jmajor@telemedicine.arizona.edu
- Twitter @UA_ATP | Facebook | LinkedIn
- Sharing my technology and telecom expertise to reach people who need it the most, recruit and train the healthcare workforce of the future
- 08:34:06 From Andy Sinclair to Everyone: Andy Sinclair, AZ Dept. of Economic Security, ASinclair@azdes.gov, I want to reduce poverty via economic development
- 08:35:41 From Mala AZ State Library to Everyone: Mala Muralidharan AZ State Library E-rate Administrator. Ensuring that all Arizonans have access to affordable, reliable, sustainable broadband to do well whatever they want to do. mala@azlibrary.gov
- 08:44:50 From Kirk Busch to Steve Peters(Direct Message): let's don't rush reggie ... if folks have to drop, they can watch playback
- 08:45:15 From Robert Alvarado to Steve Peters(Direct Message): Hello Steve always good seeing you. Have to run to a meeting. Our schools could use the Teal program looking forward to contact info coming out. Thank you have a great day Steve.
- 08:47:14 From Sophia Braham to Everyone: if you need a contact at the dept of ed my email is sophia.braham@azed.gov
- 08:47:24 From Jan Schiller to Everyone: Fantastic program. Thank you, Reggie!
- 08:48:08 From Jan Schiller to Everyone: Great suggestion, Kirk. I would love to see the rest of the presentation 📎
- 08:48:32 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: Me too, thanks, @Kirk.
- 08:49:53 From Debbie Kovesdy to Everyone: Debbie Kovesdy, GenTech CEO STEM Instruction in over 100 classrooms Focusing on STEM instruction for low-socio. Yes its imperative there should be

digital access to all students, this broadband group has been exemplary in focusing on digital access. Also, I think its imperative we look at staffing STEM in schools.

- 08:51:14 From Debbie Kovesdy to Everyone: debbie@gentechsupport.com
- 08:54:51 From Debbie Kovesdy to Everyone: We've worked with TEALS a few years ago. I'd love to reestablish that partnership.
- 08:55:38 From Corey Christians to Everyone: Are there any opportunities for libraries to partner with Microsoft?
- 08:56:29 From Kirk Busch to Steve Peters(Direct Message): yes corey ... we will bridge you with the right MS folks
- 08:56:46 From Kirk Busch to Everyone:yes corey ... we will bridge you with the right MS folks
- 08:57:29 From Mala AZ State Library to Everyone: Are there any examples for partnering with libraries
- 09:00:54 From Jan Schiller to Everyone: What an awesome way to support teachers.
- 09:04:54 From Regional Carrillo to Everyone: Regional@tealsk12.org 623-999-7784
- 09:05:11 From Kelly Greene to Everyone: We would love to collaborate, too!
KGreene@SciTechInstitute.org
- 09:07:57 From Kirk Busch to Everyone:GO #STEMQueen!
- 09:08:28 From Janet Major to Everyone: digital health literacy
- 09:10:20 From Mala AZ State Library to Everyone: mala@azlibrary.gov
- 09:10:52 From Janet Major to Everyone: schools, school libraries are the hubs of the small communities
- 09:12:33 From Janet Major to Everyone: they are ambassadors for connectivity, too
- 09:13:34 From Regional Carrillo to Everyone: ah, ill be out of state that week
- 09:13:40 From Janet Major to Everyone: ACP info in Spanish & English, too
- 09:14:26 From Regional Carrillo to Everyone: Yes! our colleagues at the Data Center are wonderful at supporting community initiatives
- 09:14:40 From Janet Major to Steve Peters(Direct Message): Mala has her hand up
- 09:15:18 From Kelly Greene to Everyone: We are connected in the West Valley! They are huge supporters of the Chief Science Officers.
- 09:16:41 From Janet Major to Everyone: Thank you!
- 09:16:46 From Kelly Greene to Everyone: Have a great day!
- 09:16:58 From Shelby Brown to Everyone: Thanks everyone - have a fantastic day!
- 09:16:59 From Regional Carrillo to Everyone: bye everyone.