

Greater Arizona Educational Leadership
AZBSN Arizona Broadband
Stakeholder Network
Arizona Telecommunications and Information Council
COVID-19 DIGITAL ACCESS TASK FORCE

Constituency building, collaboration, coordination, information sharing and communication

Who Is Participating

Representation across:

- State & Local Government
- Public Policy Makers
- Rural Community Leaders
- Economic Development
- Education & Health Services
- Public Safety and Libraries
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Internet Service Providers
- Businesses & Technology Companies

Digital Access Strategy Report

See our web site to download our comprehensive **Digital Access Strategy Report** that includes tactical and strategic recommendations and initiatives to address the Internet and other digital access needs of all Arizona citizens, including students, parents, teachers, seniors, library patrons and the general public, especially those citizens in tribal, rural and other underserved communities and low-income neighborhoods in Arizona.



About The Digital Access Task Force

COVID-19 has created an unprecedented demand for digital access, including affordable Internet and other digital inclusion resources. In response, AZBSN established the COVID-19 Digital Access Task Force.

Over 100 public and private leaders and industry experts are collaborating on development of recommendations and initiatives to address the critical Internet and other digital access needs in Arizona. These digital access colleagues are sharing information, ideas, resources, funding opportunities and best practices and; Engaging in joint projects and so much more.

Get Involved With The COVID-19 Task Force!

- See our web site for details and to sign-up for our Communications List to receive **infrequent** newsletters, updates & meeting announcements
- Attend our weekly Task Force meetings, and other webinars and networking events to connect with Digital Access Colleagues
- Keep up to date with weekly briefings and newsletters on Federal, Arizona and local initiatives and funding opportunities

About Internet Access and Digital Inclusion

Digital Inclusion and Digital Equity must always include these 5 elements:

- Affordable, robust, secure and reliable broadband Internet service;
- Free or affordable Internet-enabled devices such as computers, laptops and Smartphone's, as well as other digital equipment such as routers, hotspots and web cameras;
- Access to digital literacy and web literacy skills assistance and training;
- Quality, real-time technical support to enable them to use the devices, Internet and applications effectively;
- Access to applications, digital content and resources designed to enable and encourage self-sufficiency, participation and collaboration.

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