Task Force Meeting Chat – July 18, 2022

- 09:37:50 From Karen Ziegler to Everyone: That's awesome for Nicole and AZ!

- 09:39:36 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: The Arizona Commerce Authority announced 20 awardees of the Arizona Broadband Development Grant Program (ABDG, https://www.azcommerce.com/broadband/arizona-broadband-development-grant-program/) including $75.7M to 14 awardees in rural counties and $23.6M to six awardees in urban counties spurring $112.8M in local matching funds. See the ACA press release at https://www.azcommerce.com/news-events/news/2022/7/arizona-commerce-authority-announces-100-million-in-broadband-grants/ for more info.

- 09:46:18 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Website for Connect Pima effort: https://webcms.pima.gov/cms/One.aspx?portalId=169&pageId=870984

- 09:51:46 From Janet Major to Everyone: Ajo and Tohono O Odham are great news for our telehealth in libraries project

- 09:52:43 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Jeff, you have been so critical to these relationships and progress in expanding access to new ISPs! Kudos and thank you for your dedication to this!

- 09:53:09 From Janet Major to Everyone: Agreed!

- 09:53:48 From Lindsay Dietz to Everyone: These are great news. I agree with Cindy

- 09:56:12 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: YAY JOY!!!!!

- 09:56:16 From Kirk busch to Everyone: Joy ROCKS!

- 09:56:30 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: Good job, Joy!

- 09:57:30 From Joy Whiting to Everyone: thanks so much Jeff! Iit was this group that led the way, as Jeff said. I can't thank everyone here enough...so appreciative of this task force!!

- 09:58:00 From Vaughn Croft to Everyone: service to rural areas has been much needed for so long

- 09:59:27 From Erin Carr-Jordan to Everyone: Congratulations, Joy! Amazing work!!!

- 10:00:25 From Mala Muralidharan to Everyone: Yay Joy... Stupendous! More power to you!

- 10:01:05 From Holly Henley to Everyone: Congratulations, Joy!

- 10:05:51 From Debbie Kovesdy to Everyone: This is amazing

- 10:06:09 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Right, @Debbie?!?! SO good!

- 10:11:02 From Janet Major to Everyone: GO JEFF!

- 10:11:44 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: Ditto. Jeff, you have done amazing work for the state!

- 10:11:57 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: Microsoft publicly launched its Digital Equity Data Dashboard at https://aka.ms/DigitalEquityMaps with an overview at

https://blogs.microsoft.com/on-the-issues/2022/07/14/digital-inequity-dashboard-broadband-access/ FYI.

- ➤ 10:12:03 From Mala Muralidharan to Everyone: Absolutely Amazing! Look forward to the execution
- ➤ 10:12:53 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: And aren't these new markets for Cox?
- ➤ 10:13:26 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: Also Broadband.Money's Ready Speed Rank broadband maps combines FCC Form 477 data with Measurement Lab (MLab) & Ookla datasets with access by state at https://broadband.money/state-broadband-grant-portals FYI.
- ➤ 10:14:15 From Debbie Kovesdy to Everyone: Jeff... I'm pretty sure you need your own helicopter as well.
- ➤ 10:14:53 From Janet Major to Everyone: they have a health team @Cox
- ➤ 10:15:08 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Affordable Connectivity Program!
- ➤ 10:15:24 From Shereka Jackson to Everyone: Thanks Cindy
- ➤ 10:15:28 From Erin Carr-Jordan to Everyone: Absolutely wonderful to see all of this progress! Great job, Jeff and team!
- ➤ 10:15:35 From Mauricio Orozco to Everyone: AARP might be a good partner for Senior population. Thanks
- ➤ 10:16:01 From Erin Carr-Jordan to Everyone: indeed
- ➤ 10:16:17 From Joy Whiting to Everyone: Jeff is a champion for sure!! thanks again!
- ➤ 10:16:27 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: AARP is promoting Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) Anyone can contact me about this program! cindyhogan333@gmail.com
- ➤ 10:17:37 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: I'm here!
- ➤ 10:18:01 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: Thanks, Erin! We're excited to work with you!
- ➤ 10:19:37 From Vaughn Croft to Everyone: in rural areas where fiber and cable connections are difficult, are there satellite connections
- ➤ 10:22:00 From Ilana Lowery to Everyone: We'd be happy to share our new digital inclusion materials to you, Mala!
- ➤ 10:22:06 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Way better and more affordable! They pay $90/ month for 25/3 right now!
- ➤ 10:22:12 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: In Ajo
- ➤ 10:23:03 From Vaughn Croft to Everyone: low income residents probably find $90/month way to costly
- ➤ 10:23:40 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: CoSN has issued their Student-Home Internet Connectivity Findings report available at https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/jennifer.boronyak/viz/CoSNHomeInternetConnectivityFindingsJuly2022/DataStory FYI.
- ➤ 10:26:37 From Mala Muralidharan to Everyone: If anyone want to attend SHLB conference - today is the last day for early bird www.shlb.org
- ➤ 10:27:18 From Erin Carr-Jordan to Everyone: Thanks, Mala!

- 10:27:19 From Kirk busch to Everyone: #USDC23 Jan 26th 202
- 10:27:19 From Mala Muralidharan to Everyone: It is in-person CrystalCity VA
- 10:28:08 From Janet Major to Everyone: https://www.americantelemed.org/events/2022-telehealth-awareness-week/
- 10:28:48 From Janet Major to Everyone: https://telemedicine.arizona.edu/event/webinar/2022-07-20-arizona-telemedicine-council
- 10:29:55 From Janet Major to Everyone: NDIA info re: DIW 2022
-    https://www.digitalinclusion.org/diw22/
- 10:30:13 From Joy Whiting to Everyone: Congratulations on Grand Canyon Milan. You did an awesome job keeping everyone on track!
- 10:32:08 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Right, and now if they are eligible they can get $30 discount on GOOD service vs. the $10 not as good service.
- 10:32:16 From Mark Goldstein to Everyone: Mesa City Council Takes Landmark Vote to Bring High-Speed Internet Access to Every Premise in the City (from 4 fiber providers: Google Fiber, SiFi, Ubiquity & Wyyerd) (7/12/22) - https://mesanow.org/news/public/article/2978
- 10:34:32 From John Kelly to Everyone: Kelly, which contract vehicle is the State using for cooperative purchasing of services?
- 10:34:42 From Cindy Hogan to Everyone: Thanks, great update, Kelly!
- 10:35:18 From Kelly Krusee to Everyone: Cyber Resources Grant (open to K12s, libraries, Higher Ed) - application/interest form: https://www.azed.gov/odtl/cybersecurity
- 10:35:26 From Janet Major to Everyone: Thanks Steve!
- 10:35:43 From Kelly Krusee to Everyone: State Cooperative Purchasing Program, interest form for K12: https://www.azed.gov/odtl/digital-devices
- 10:36:33 From John Kelly to Everyone: Thank you! Great updates everyone.
- 10:37:20 From Kelly Krusee to Everyone: John, there are many. This is the state's website with all the details: https://spo.az.gov/programs/cooperative
- 10:43:11 From Shereka Jackson to Everyone: Future Stars, Inc will be hosting our 1st Fundraiser. On Sept 9, 2022 at Az Science Center from 6:00pm - 8:00pm. More information to come. Tickets and Sponsorships information will be provided. Any help would be appreciated.
- 10:50:00 From Mala Muralidharan to Everyone: Fernando https://www.usac.org/about/affordable-connectivity-program/acp-enrollment-and-claims-tracker/