

Florida Office of Broadband CPF- Broadband Infrastructure Program Open Comment Period



The Florida Office of Broadband (Office) received \$247.8 million from the U.S. Treasury for the Capital Projects Fund Broadband Infrastructure Program to deploy broadband Internet infrastructure in unserved and underserved areas throughout the state, prioritizing rural areas. The application window for the Capital Projects Fund Broadband Infrastructure Program (Program) opened on February 28, 2023 through April 21, 2023.

An Open Comment Period is provided from April 7, 2023, through April 28, 2023 to receive public comments on the applications submitted for the Program. Any comments submitted or received during the open comment period will be collected by the Office for consideration and review. Comments are considered informational and must be directly addressed to a specific application. Please note, DEO is under no obligation to address or act on the comments received but will consider the public's feedback.

When completing the Open Comment Form, commenters should complete all fields of the form and provide the information necessary to either express support or to inform the Office of any issues or concerns with an application or its proposed service area. **Please limit one form to a single application.** Once the form is complete, email the form and any supporting documentation to broadband@deo.myflorida.com. **Do not submit your forms through .zip files as all .zip files will be blocked from being received through the Broadband inbox. Incomplete forms will not be reviewed.**

Project Details

Application Number*:

Name of Person / Entity completing the form*:

Email*:

Please select one of the following that describes your comment or concern*:

Choose an item.

Comments & Concerns

1. Overlapping service areas

1,500 character limit

2. Projects underway in proposed project service areas

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3. Projects planned but not underway in proposed project service areas

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4. Disagreement with project

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5. Technical needs

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6. Cost or billing

1,500 character limit

7. Internet speed issue

1,500 character limit

8. Comments in support of the project

1,500 character limit

9. Other comments

1,500 character limit

Confidential Information: DEO takes its responsibilities under Chapter 119, F.S., and Article I, Section 24 of the Florida Constitution very seriously. Any and all information that a submitter believes is confidential under Florida Law should be so identified at the time of submission and a redacted copy of the same material provided concurrently with the claim of confidentiality. Each individual portion of the redacted copy that the submitter asserts is confidential must contain a citation to the specific law making the content of the redacted portion confidential. A submitter's failure to comply with this provision may serve to waive any applicable confidentiality of the information at issue.