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WELCOME

Dear SHLB Conference Attendees,

Welcome to the **SHLB Coalition's Seventh Annual Conference: United States of Anchors!** A lot has changed in the past year with the election of President Trump altering the political landscape. While change is in the air, our goal remains the same – ensuring that every community anchor institution can obtain open, affordable, high-capacity broadband.

Broadband for anchor institutions continues to be a bipartisan issue. Policy-makers of all stripes and situations can unite around high-speed Internet. That's why the theme of this conference is "United States of Anchors." We are at a pivotal moment of progress in our country, and the benefits of uniting and forming public-private partnerships have never been more apparent.

Since last year's Conference, the SHLB Coalition has grown stronger – in our advocacy and in our membership. This time last year we launched our **Grow2Gig+ Campaign** to make gigabit speeds for anchors a national priority. As part of the campaign, we released our "Action Plan", a series of 10 policy papers that provides policy-makers with recommendations for improving broadband investment. These policy ideas have been a guiding light to navigate the new political atmosphere.

We have also seen our community grow. In just the past year, we've grown from just over 50 members to almost 100, making us one of the fastest growing broadband advocacy organizations in the country. With each new member, our voice becomes more powerful.

Thank you for uniting with us here this week. Together, we span the United States, we represent rural school districts, digital libraries, and remote health clinics. We include local and state government officials, and we shape federal broadband policies for the future. We invite you to celebrate our progress, develop ideas that will make a difference in your communities, and then **reunite** next year to tout our success!



John Windhausen, Jr
Executive Director



Emily Olson
Senior Director of Operations



Amy Robinson
Communications Manager

BECOME A SHLB MEMBER TODAY!



Every organization attending this conference is eligible to join the SHLB Coalition. SHLB is influential, forward-looking, and growing. Our membership almost doubled in the past year, a reflection of the strength of our mission and our inclusiveness. We can be your policy advocate, we can strengthen your legal and technical knowledge, and we can break down the silos that often separate anchors from industry.

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AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31



Workshops

12:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. | POTOMAC 2

E-rate E-rate and Fiber Workshop

The E-rate/Fiber Workshop will explore recent developments and future prospects for schools, libraries, and fiber providers seeking E-rate support to deploy fiber networks. The discussion will examine the recent round of questions from USAC concerning special construction, the information applicants must collect to receive approval, the allocation of fiber strands, and the timing for lighting dark fiber. Panelists will also discuss how to draft an RFP, evaluate competitive bids, obtain state matching funding, and overcome other funding hurdles.

1. Schools and Libraries - School and library representatives will provide their perspective on the competitive bidding process, including successes and challenges.

Moderator: Jon Bernstein, Bernstein Strategy Group

Speakers: Denise Atkinson-Shorey, CoSN; Sheryl Abshire, Calcasieu Parish Public Schools; Bob Bocher, American Library Association

2. Policymakers - Attendees will hear the perspective of FCC and USAC officials reviewing E-rate fiber applications and the audience will have an opportunity to ask their most pressing questions.

Moderator: John Windhausen, SHLB Coalition

Speakers: Elizabeth Drogula, Special Counsel, FCC; Craig Davis, Vice President, Schools and Libraries Program, USAC

3. Companies - Fiber companies and financing partners will provide examples of their progress in using E-rate to deploy fiber and will share their lessons learned.

Moderator: Rebecca Jacobs, Womble Carlyle Sandridge and Rice LLP

Speakers: Greg Green, Fatbeam; John Honker, Magellan Advisors; Mike Wilson, CostQuest

12:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M. | POTOMAC 6

Digital Inclusion Digital Inclusion Workshop

The Digital Inclusion Workshop, co-organized with the National Digital Inclusion Alliance (NDIA), will offer a targeted discussion of local and national efforts to promote equitable access and use of the Internet, plus an in-depth discussion of the FCC's Lifeline program.

1. Public Housing - Panelists will explore how public housing authorities can integrate digital inclusion efforts into their social programs.

Moderator: Veronica Creech, EveryoneOn

Speakers: Jogchum Poedt, Housing and Urban Development (HUD); Abra Lyons-Warren, Council of Large Public Housing Authorities; William Watterson, Rhode Island Office of Innovation

2. Lifeline - The next session will focus on the FCC's Lifeline program and feature government officials, consumer advocates, and providers responsible for implementing the program.

Moderator: Amina Fazlullah, National Digital Inclusion Alliance (NDIA)

Speakers: Claude Aiken, Federal Communications Commission (FCC); Olivia Wein, National Consumer Law Center;

3. Innovation - The third session will be a deep-dive into innovative digital inclusion programs. It will discuss NDIA's grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) to create a Digital Inclusion Corps, and the Kansas City Public Library leadership role in the Kansas City Coalition for Digital Inclusion, in addition to other programs across the country.

Moderator: Cassie Bair, Mobile Citizen

Speakers: Carrie Coogan, Kansas City Public Library; Matthew Kopel, National Digital Inclusion Alliance (NDIA); Elizabeth Lindsey, ByteBack



Opening Networking Reception

5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM FOYER

Join SHLB in the foyer of the ballroom for networking opportunities, light refreshments, and a chance to browse offerings of our innovative exhibitors. Exhibitors will be located in the foyer all three days.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

7:30 A.M. – 8:30 A.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM FOYER

Breakfast and Registration

Conference registration is on the lower ballroom level of the hotel. A continental breakfast will be available before the conference begins.



Plenary Speakers

8:30 A.M. – 9:15 A.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Welcome Address

John Windhausen, SHLB Executive Director, and Crosby Kemper III, SHLB Board Chairman, will initiate the conference with a warm welcome. They will reflect on the successes of the past year and look towards SHLB's future and how anchors can unite our country and move us forward!



Speaker:

John Windhausen, Executive Director,
SHLB Coalition



Speaker:

R. Crosby Kemper III, Director, Kansas City
Public Library and Chairman, SHLB Board

E-rate Fiber Successes

Greg Green, CEO of Fatbeam, will discuss how the company uses the E-rate program to deliver broadband access services to schools and libraries across the Western United States. Fatbeam also provides both lit fiber and dark fiber services to healthcare, governments, and other anchor institutions. He will discuss the Fatbeam model and explore how the Fatbeam experience can succeed in other areas of the U.S.



Speaker:

Greg Green, Co-Founder & President,
Fatbeam

Breakout Sessions

9:30 A.M. – 10:45 A.M. | POTOMAC 2

Digital Inclusion

Community Partnerships that Close the Homework Gap

The Homework Gap is not a school or government problem, but a community problem. Although there is no "silver bullet" that will address the challenges faced by students without home internet access in every community, many schools and districts are finding creative solutions to these challenges. This panel will explore how schools can work collaboratively with government agencies and other community anchor institutions to improve students' access to online educational content. Topics to be discussed include HUD's ConnectHome program, the FCC's revamped Lifeline program, partnerships with libraries and other non-profit agencies, and partnerships with local business and community organizations.

Moderator: Susan Bearden, U.S. Department of Education

Panel: Dina Lehmann-Kim, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; Valerie Truesdale, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools

11:00 A.M. – 12:15 P.M. | POTOMAC 2

E-rate

Trends in E-rate Broadband Demand

E-rate provides crucial support to schools and libraries across the nation and has changed to meet evolving technologies. Funds for Learning has analyzed the latest E-rate funding requests to determine trends in pricing and speeds of broadband connections. Attend this session to learn about the average pricing, number of gigabit connections, build-out expenses, etc. and how your organization compares. Hear insights from Chairman Pai's staff regarding the future of the E-rate program.

Moderator: Reg Leichthy, Foresight Law + Policy

Panel: John Harrington, Funds for Learning; Nicholas Degani, Senior Counsel to Chairman Pai, FCC



Lunch

12:15 P.M. – 1:50 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Take a break from information-packed sessions at our plated lunch sponsored by MiCTA. MiCTA serves its national membership by coordinating group purchasing programs, monitoring telecommunications legislation, and working with vendors to ensure their members' technology needs are met.

9:30 A.M. –10:45 A.M. | POTOMAC 4

Digital Inclusion

Smart Cities, Anchor Institutions and 5G Technologies

Smart city technologies, when built and deployed with residents and leveraged by community anchor institutions, can be used to create an active give-and-take between government and constituents. This session will discuss emerging smart city innovations like 5G technologies and urban sensors. We'll also discuss how these projects can engage with residents and leverage anchor institutions as platforms for digital citizenship.

Moderator: Denise Linn, Chicago Community Trust

Panel: Charles McKee, Sprint; Anne Schwieger, City of Boston Department of Innovation & Technology; Leon A. Wilson, Cleveland Foundation

11:00 A.M. –12:15 P.M. | POTOMAC 4

Digital Inclusion

Partnering with Local Housing Authorities

Housing authorities have the power to connect low-income residents. Learn about innovative housing authorities at the forefront of digital inclusion and how local digital literacy and equipment nonprofits are partnering with housing providers. The panel will discuss infrastructure options for housing authorities; digital literacy, equipment, and funding challenges; local partnerships; and new areas of opportunity like campus-wide Wi-Fi and mesh networks.

Moderator: Rebekah King, National Housing Conference

Panel: Dave Sevick, ComputerReach; Juleian Curtis, Cuyahoga Metropolitan Housing Authority; Kim Cole, DC Housing Authority



Workshop

9:30 A.M. –12:15 P.M. | POTOMAC 6

Financing

Public-Private Partnerships Workshop

This Workshop on Public-Private Partnerships (P3) will examine how local governments can work with private sector companies to expand the deployment and use of broadband services. The Trump administration has signaled a particular interest in P3s as a means of deploying infrastructure and Congress is considering legislation to promote P3s as well. Building partnerships among public, private and municipal entities is the key to connecting anchors.

1. What are P3s? - First, panelists will explore the broadband P3 environment, describe the typical workings of a P3 mechanism for procurement and financing, and offer insights for anchors and public entities to advance their interests.

Moderator:

Andrew Afflerbach, CTC Technology & Energy

Speakers:

Ashley Stelfox, CLIC

Waiching Wong, Infrastructure Advisory at IMG Rebel

Jeff Gavlinski, eX² Technology

2. P3 Case Studies – The second session will examine specific case studies where parties have collaborated to deliver service where higher speed connectivity either did not or was not perceived to exist.

Moderator:

Bob Collie, Parana River Group

Speakers:

John Burchett, Google Fiber

Paul Di Bastiani, Blue Star Networks

Heather Gold, Fiber Broadband Association

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Plenary Speakers

1:00 P.M. – 1:50 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Digital Learning with Gov. Bob Wise

Former West Virginia Governor Bob Wise has long championed education technology and digital equity. Gov. Wise is currently president of the Alliance for Excellent Education (the Alliance), a nonprofit organization that has become a national leader for transforming high schools.

A prominent voice promoting the effective use of technology to improve education for all students, Gov. Wise pioneered the first annual Digital Learning Day in 2012, a national awareness campaign.

Gov. Wise also led the Alliance's "Project 24," an initiative to help school districts effectively use technology. From Project 24 grew Future Ready Schools, a free, bold new effort to maximize digital learning opportunities. Future now represents more than 15 million students.



Speaker:

Bob Wise, Former West Virginia Governor

A Wireless Future TODAY

Skyler Ditchfield, CEO of California Internet, will provide an overview of his company's success in providing high-speed broadband to schools and libraries using fixed wireless services. He will describe the advantages of their 100% in house approach to engineering, design, land procurement, construction and data connectivity. He will also describe the circumstances that allow fixed wireless to be the most cost-effective solution in other markets across the country.



Speaker:

Skyler Ditchfield, CEO, California Internet

Breakout Sessions

2:00 P.M. – 3:15 P.M. | POTOMAC 2

Digital Inclusion < The Digital Equity Imperative in Schools

Digital Equity (access to online resources and services) is fast becoming a civil rights issue affecting millions of students, families, and communities across socioeconomic populations. That's why schools are partnering with state and local governments to help connect the communities most in need. This session will explore the opportunities to advance Digital Equity as well as how to overcome funding challenges and policy barriers. Hear thoughtful perspectives from education policy leaders, progressive school district leaders, and civic leaders on the forefront of Digital Equity.

Moderator: Erik Heinrich, Ruckus Wireless

Panel: Keith Krueger, CoSN; Andrea Bennet, CETPA; Rajesh Adusumilli, Arlington Public Schools; Vijay Sammeta, Civic Foundry

3:30 P.M. – 4:45 P.M. | POTOMAC 2

Digital Inclusion < Using TV WhiteSpace for Wireless Broadband

Schools, libraries, hospitals and other anchor institutions are increasingly using TV WhiteSpace — the unused bandwidth between television channels — to bring broadband connectivity to people on the wrong side of the digital divide. Don Means will discuss the grant awarded by IMLS to provide initial funding for libraries to deploy TVWS technology to serve underserved populations in their communities. Paul Garnett, Affordable Access Initiatives at Microsoft, and Elwood Downing will discuss how Microsoft and Merit Network are using TVWS to provide Internet connectivity in Michigan and around the world.

Moderator: Don Means, Gigabit Libraries Network

Panel: Paul Garnett, Microsoft; Elwood Downing, Merit Network, Inc.



2:00 P.M. – 3:15 P.M. | POTOMAC 4

Financing Financing State Broadband Networks

This panel will explore two different, successful state models for financing broadband networks. Nebraska has created a completely self-funded statewide network that has grown over 10 years to include 300 entities serving 100% of Nebraska public schools and colleges on less than \$1.6 million per year. Minnesota has funded a State Office of Broadband Development and also created a "Border to Border" infrastructure competitive matching grant fund. This session will discuss how the Nebraska and Minnesota models for serving CAIs can be replicated in other states.

Moderator: Tom Rolfes, State of Nebraska, Office of the CIO

Panel: Michael Ruhrdanz, University of Nebraska; Jason Axthelm, NebraskaLink, LLC; Danna MacKenzie, Office of Broadband Development at State of Minnesota; Matt Schmit, P3 Strategies

3:30 P.M. – 4:45 P.M. | POTOMAC 4

E-rate E-rate and Lowest Corresponding Price Enforcement

The FCC adopted the Lowest Corresponding Price rule in the E-rate program several years ago, but the rule has only recently been the subject of an enforcement action. The rule is intended to ensure that schools and libraries have the benefit of the lowest possible prices, but both service providers and applicants have been uncertain about how the FCC enforces this rule. This panel discussion, led by the law firm of Kelley, Drye and Warren, will explore the interpretation of this rule, recent enforcement efforts, and how service providers and applicants can ensure that they do not run afoul of this important measure.

Panel: Joshua Guyan, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP; Steve Augustino, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP



Workshop

2:00 P.M. – 4:45 P.M. | POTOMAC 6

Telehealth Rural Health Care Workshop

The FCC's Rural Health Care (RHC) Program is under strain. Demand for funding exceeded the \$400M cap for the first time in 2016, and funding for 2017 is expected to be even tighter. SHLB is working with telehealth applicants, Congress, and the FCC to fund these networks, but the future of the program is uncertain. This Workshop will focus on the short-term and long-term future of the RHC program.

1. Funding Recipients - Tim Koxlien (TeleQuality), Walt Magnusson (Brazos Valley, Texas) and Rebecca Manna (Kalispell Regional Healthcare) will provide their perspective on obtaining funding from the program. TeleQuality is one of the largest recipients of RHC funding and the Brazos Valley Council of Governments received multi-year funding to deploy one of the largest fiber telehealth networks.

Moderator:

Jeff Mitchell, Lukas, Lafuria, Gutierrez & Sachs, LLP

Speakers:

Tim Koxlien, TeleQuality Communications, Inc

Walt Magnussen, Texas A&M University

Rebecca Manna, Kalispell Regional Healthcare

2. RHC Administrators - FCC and USAC staff responsible for administering the RHC program will provide key insights into the future of this crucial program.

Moderator:

Bill England, Health, Resources & Services Administration

Speakers:

Karen Lee, USAC

Radhika Karmarkar, FCC



Membership Meeting

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4:45 P.M. – 5:30 P.M. | CONFERENCE THEATRE

State of SHLB

The SHLB Coalition is pleased to hold its first annual Membership Meeting. Join SHLB Executive Director John Windhausen and SHLB Board Chairman Crosby Kemper III as they review last year's successes and look to SHLB's strong future. They will review key takeaways from the Membership Survey as well as highlight SHLB's recent growth. They will also provide SHLB's vision for the future, outline advocacy strategies in the next year, and reveal exciting new member benefits. SHLB Members are welcome to provide feedback and thoughts.



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John Windhausen, Executive Director,
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Speaker:

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Networking Reception

5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM FOYER

Relax after an action-packed day of panels with some food and drinks. The reception is a great opportunity to get to know the other conference attendees and speakers. Thank you to CTC Technology & Energy for sponsoring this reception!

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7:30 A.M.–8:30 A.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM FOYER

Registration and Continental Breakfast



Plenary Speakers

8:30 A.M.–9:30 A.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Partner Up!: Kent County's P3 Success Story

A community's approach to broadband deployment can define success or failure. That's why SHLB's Broadband Action Plan and SETDA's Broadband Imperative, both released in the past year, supported careful broadband planning, Public-Private Partnerships (P3s), Dig Once policies, and gigabit connectivity among other recommendations. Larry Irving and Tracy Weeks will outline these best practices and then turn the conversation over to the perfect case study for success – Kent County, MD.

Kent County went from having underserved areas with dial-up to having an international fiber optic presence thanks to careful planning and partnerships. Join Scott Boone, Brett Hill, and Mark Wagner, as they share Kent County's broadband journey. Learn how schools, libraries, and other anchors were the foundation for this fiber vision and how to apply Kent County's model to your city or county.

Moderators:

Larry Irving, Principal, The Irving Group

Tracy Weeks, Executive Director, SETDA

Speakers:

Scott Boone, Director of Information Technology, Kent County

Brett Hill, CEO, FTS Fiber

Mark Wagner, CEO, ThinkBig Networks



Breakout Sessions

9:45 A.M.–11:00 A.M. | POTOMAC 2

E-rate Creative Solutions for Rural and Public Libraries

Rural, tribal, and public libraries have limited resources and often lack access to technical support for their broadband connection. This panel will review two different solutions to address these unique needs. Internet2 will discuss its Toolkit that walks library practitioners through various information technology/broadband components. Next, the State Library of Iowa will review its participation in the national Libraries E-rate Assessment and Planning (LEAP) project intended to discover ways the E-rate program could increase broadband capacity in public libraries. As part of this program, the State Library of Iowa developed an educational program and helped librarians across the state increase broadband opportunities.

Moderator: Susannah Spellman, Internet2, USUCAN

Panel: James Werle, Internet2; Jay Peterson, State Library of Iowa; Holly Wolcott, Nebraska Library Commission

11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. | POTOMAC 2

Telehealth 2 for 1 Health Solutions: Consortium Building and Digital Health Literacy Skills

This panel is a two-for-one session on wide-ranging telehealth issues. The first half will answer how a new health consortium becomes established. The Virginia Rural Health Association and the Indiana Rural Health Association will explore how mentorship can guide consortium development with mentorship funding, established lines of communication, and information sharing. The second half will examine HackHealth, an after school program to increase students' engagement with digital health literacy skills. Health consortiums, telehealth programs, and technical skills are all crucial components in improving community health.

Panel 1: (M) Beth O'Connor, Virginia Rural Health Association; Ally Orwig, Indiana Rural Health Association; Mindy Thorpe, Virginia Rural Health Association

Panel 2: (M) Beth St. Jean, University of Maryland College of Information Studies; Christie Kodama, University of Maryland; Rebecca Oxley, Robert Goddard Montessori School



Lunch

12:30 P.M.–2:00 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Enjoy a closing buffet sponsored by Henkels & McCoy Inc. H&M designs, build, and maintains infrastructure for utility and communications markets.

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9:45 A.M.–11:00 A.M. | POTOMAC 4

Digital Inclusion **How CAIs Promote Community Broadband Access**

Mobile Beacon will present new research on how CAIs use its unlimited, 4G LTE mobile broadband service. The discussion will also explore how CAIs with Mobile Beacon's service are able to impact an entire community. Session participants will learn about device and data usage trends by end users as well as how technology skills and knowledge transfer within a community. In addition, Mobile Beacon and PCs for People will share results from an in-depth study of their digital inclusion program in the Twin Cities, which helped connect over 25,000 individuals and families below the 200% poverty line in 2016.

Moderator: Angela Siefer, NDIA

Panel: Katherine Messier, Mobile Beacon; Casey Sorensen, PCs for Peoples; Samantha Schartman–Cyck, Connect Your Community

9:45 A.M.–11:00 A.M. | POTOMAC 6

Trump Administration **Potential Impact of the Trump Administration on the USF Program**

Learn what changes can be expected for the Universal Service Fund under FCC Chairman Pai and the Trump Administration, with an emphasis on the four support programs. The panel will look closely at how President Trump's campaign promises align or diverge from the goals of the Universal Service Fund and how the FCC might change the focus of the programs. Some of the questions include: How will the Connect America Fund interact with the proposed Infrastructure legislation promised by President Trump? Will E-rate funding be determined by a per-student formula? Will the FCC reinstate the Lifeline Broadband Providers whose authorization was rescinded? How will the Rural Health Care program deal with its funding shortfall?

Moderator: Danielle Frappier, Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Panel: Michael Flood, Kajeet; Chip Slaven, Alliance for Excellent Education; Patricia Cave, WTA; Alan Hill, J.A. Hill Group/INCOMPAS

11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. | POTOMAC 4

Digital Inclusion **The Ins and Outs of Broadband Planning for Communities**

Learn the ins and outs of broadband planning and needs assessment. Through its Community Broadband Planning Grant, the ConnectME Authority awarded funds to four communities to produce plans defining local broadband needs and goals. The communities partnered with Axiom analyzed broadband infrastructure as well as municipal procedures and rules. Just as important, the broadband plans also addressed Digital Inclusion by providing affordable equipment, digital literacy training, and public computer access. Axiom and ConnectME are also partnering with NTIA to develop the BroadbandUSA Connectivity framework and online tool. This planning framework can help local leaders, businesses, and carriers leverage national data and local insights to advance their broadband goals. NTIA will share an update on new planning approaches and collaborations from communities across the country.

Moderator: Susan Corbett, Axiom Technologies

Panel: Laura Spining, NTIA; Lisa Leahy, ConnectME Authority

11:15 A.M.–12:30 P.M. | POTOMAC 6

Trump Administration **Spectrum and EBS Policy in the Trump Administration**

Wi-Fi and EBS spectrum could not be more integral to America's economic future. Mobile and Wi-Fi connected devices will generate almost 70 percent of all Internet traffic this year. For those in need of increased educational or career opportunities, medical services, and financial services, smart national spectrum policies will be crucial to ensuring enough capacity for affordable access as well as the space to innovate. This panel will review EBS wireless deployments supporting schools in Northern Michigan and Kings County, CA, and will explore the prospects for the FCC to grant the industry consensus proposal for new licenses to be issued in EBS "white spaces" in the coming year. The panel will also discuss the prospects that the FCC will allocate more unlicensed spectrum for Wi-Fi services.

Moderator: Todd Gray, Gray Miller Persh LLP

Panel: Lynn Rejniak, NEBSA; Danielle Pineres, NCTA; Ellen Satterwhite, WifiForward



Congressional Lunch

1:00 P.M.–2:00 P.M. | REGENCY BALLROOM

Hear it from the Washington source itself. Congressional staffers will discuss the prospects for legislation addressing broadband deployment, digital inclusion, and the much-anticipated infrastructure bill.





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