



## ORBEG Round 2 Project Descriptions

The Ohio Residential Broadband Expansion Grant Program (ORBEG) is a competitive broadband grant program designed to fund last-mile broadband infrastructure projects in areas currently lacking access to reliable, high-speed internet. This program is designed to provide internet service with speeds of at least 100/100 Mbps to households upon project completion.

This round of ORBEG will fund \$94.5 million in grant funding to two internet service providers for 6 projects serving 22 counties. As part of the grant process 12 internet service providers also committed to independently fund 51 additional projects within two-years to serve an additional 10,000 households and impacting areas in 25 additional counties.

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### Brightspeed

**Counties Covered:** Allen, Ashtabula, Columbiana, Knox, Mahoning, Shelby, Trumbull

**Award Amount:** \$11,358,720

**Number of Households:** 5,053

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Allen, Ashtabula, Columbiana, Knox, Mahoning, Shelby, Trumbull counties will have access to fiber-based broadband of up to 1 gigabyte per second symmetrical speeds to every household.

### Time Warner Cable Midwest

**Counties Covered:** Fulton, Henry

**Award Amount:** \$19,635,616

**Number of Households:** 7,275

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Fulton and Henry counties will have access to reliable high-speed internet using Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP) technology capable of delivering 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds.

Time Warner Cable Midwest

**Counties Covered:** Auglaize, Butler, Logan, Montgomery, Preble

**Award Amount:** \$17,471,275

**Number of Households:** 6,645

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Auglaize, Butler, Logan, Montgomery, and Preble counties will have access to reliable high-speed internet using Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP) technology capable of delivering 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds.

Time Warner Cable Midwest

**Counties Covered:** Ashland, Erie, Geauga, Lorain, Lucas, Wood

**Award Amount:** \$15,287,761

**Number of Households:** 5,289

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Ashland, Erie, Geauga, Lorain, Lucas, and Wood counties will have access to reliable high-speed internet using Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP) technology capable of delivering 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds.

Time Warner Cable Midwest

**Counties Covered:** Ashtabula, Columbiana, Portage, Trumbull

**Award Amount:** \$13,476,757

**Number of Households:** 5,036

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Ashtabula, Columbiana, Portage, and Trumbull counties will have access to reliable high-speed internet using Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP) technology capable of delivering 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds.

Time Warner Cable Midwest

**Counties Covered:** Defiance, Williams

**Award Amount:** \$17,269,871

**Number of Households:** 6,053

**Project Summary:** Upon completion of the proposed project build, residents in Defiance and William counties will have access to reliable high-speed internet using Fiber-to-the-Premises (FTTP) technology capable of delivering 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds.

Alphabetical List of All Counties Impacted by 57 New Broadband Projects

\*Denotes both an award and a two-year commitment

- Adams
- Allen
- Ashland\*
- Ashtabula
- Auglaize
- Belmont
- Butler
- Carroll
- Champaign
- Clinton
- Columbiana

Darke  
Defiance\*  
Delaware  
Erie\*  
Fulton  
Geauga  
Greene  
Guernsey  
Harrison  
Henry\*  
Highland  
Huron  
Knox  
Jefferson  
Logan\*  
Lorain\*  
Lucas\*  
Mahoning  
Marion  
Medina  
Mercer  
Miami  
Monroe  
Montgomery\*  
Noble  
Pike  
Portage  
Preble  
Sandusky  
Scioto  
Seneca  
Shelby\*  
Trumbull  
Union  
Warren  
Williams\*  
Wood