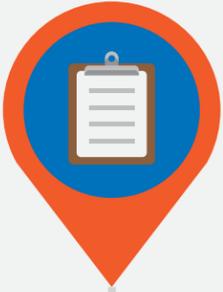




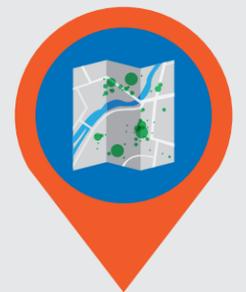
Strategic Broadband Roadmap

The Road to Improving Broadband Access at the Local Level



Conduct a Citizen Survey

Insight into areas of unmet demand, impact of broadband on K-12 education and businesses, barriers to adoption, and citizens' utilization of broadband.



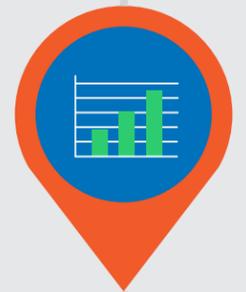
Capture Unmet Demand

Leverage state demand capture website to record citizens' needs and then prioritize access expansions to fill immediate need.



Facilitate Expansions

Review and discuss local policies and processes to remove barriers and facilitate broadband deployments.



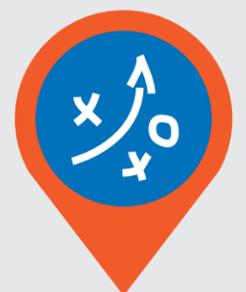
Aggregate Demand

Review Community Anchor Institutions' strategic plans to better understand the future broadband capacity needs to drive a strategic plan that will ensure capacity is available to support the future of the community.



Economize Telecom Expenditures

Review current contracts between community entities and combine to lower costs where possible. Leverage money saved for broadband infrastructure to expand services/capacity.



Create Strategic Plan

Utilize the information gathered through the previous steps to define future strategies to meet the needs of today and tomorrow and participate in the New Virginia Economy.

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