

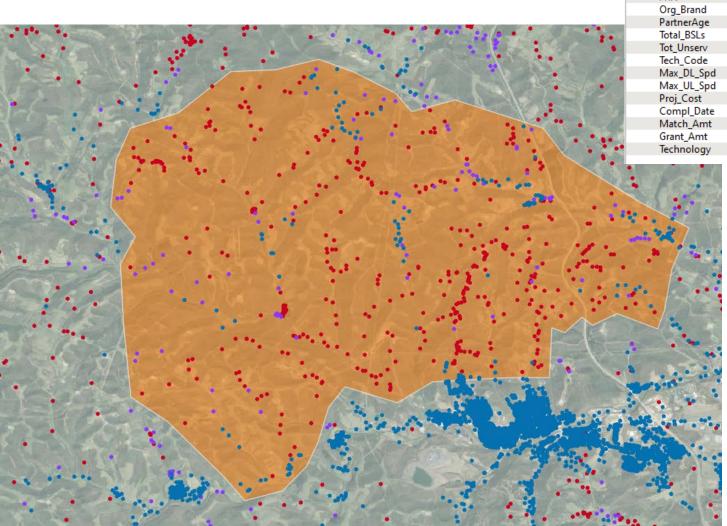
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

PENNSYLVANIA BROADBAND DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

PROPOSED PROJECT AREAS & CHALLENGE PROCESS



PROPOSED PROJECT AREA



FRN Org_Brand Internet4All Broadband NULL 12/31/2026 Optical Carrier / Fiber to the Premises



SUBMITTING A CHALLENGE FOR CPF

- Challenge is based on preventing infrastructure overbuild.
- Challengers will submit evidence to show that corresponding locations are currently served.
- Challenge submission includes:
 - A spreadsheet of National Broadband Map Location ID's to be challenged (.CSV File Format)
 - Corresponding written evidence to show that the locations being challenged are currently served.

Send email to: PBDA_CPFBIPChallenge@pa.gov



AFTER A CHALLENGE IS SUBMITTED

- Once challenges are submitted, PBDA will notify the entity that is being challenged.
- Challenged entities will have the opportunity to submit rebutting evidence.
- Challenging and rebutting evidence are then adjudicated and PBDA will notify both challenging and challenged entities of adjudication outcome.

More details to follow on PBDA website.



CHALLENGE TYPES

- Challenges may be submitted to correspond to the following challenge types:
 - 1. Speed Based on Speedtests
 - 2. Availability of Service (Existing Service)
 - 1. Physical Service Provision
 - 2. Fixed Wireless Availability
 - 3. Planned Provision of Service
 - 1. ISP plans to buildout service to that area within 1 year.
 - 4. Enforceable Commitments
 - 1. Grant funding commitment for infrastructure buildout
 - 2. E.x.: RDOF, UHSB, CAF-II, ARPA, etc.



CPF TIMELINE

- 8.10.23 8.24.23: Application Curing & Technical Review
- 8.10.23 8.23.23: Public Posting of Projects in GIS & Threshold Calculations
- 8.23.23 10.15.23: Challenge Period
- 8.23.23 10.15.23: Local Government Input
- 10.8.23 11.8.23: Challenge Adjudication
- 11.8.23: Permitting Review (This could be fluid)
- 11.8.23 1.7.24: Scoring
- 1.7.24 2.7.24: Project Deconfliction
- 2.8.24 3.10.24: Final Determination & Award Notification

QUESTIONS?

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