

California Broadband ARRA Granted Projects

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California Projects Awarded

Project	Amount/Grant Date	Description
California Broadband Access Project - Level 3 EON LLC	\$3,291,994 March 2, 2010	RUS BIP Middle Mile project in CA to build 11 new Internet access points to serve 240,000 households, 9,900 businesses and 240 community anchor institutions at speeds between 50 Mbps to 10 Gbps. 39 jobs created.
State Broadband Mapping – Cal. PUC	\$2,343,760 Oct.5, 2009 \$5,637,544 Sept. 27, 2010 Total \$7,981,304	Statewide broadband mapping grant Additional monies for State broadband capacity building
Millerton Project - Ponderosa Cablevision	\$1,926,431 loan and \$1,926,431 grant March 4, 2010	The RUS BIP funding will provide Fiber-to-the Premises (FTTP) in a 31-square-mile area adjacent to Ponderosa's current service territory. Telemedicine & online education applications will now be accessible since the closest medical & school facilities require a 45 minute drive.

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Los Angeles Computer Access Network – City of Los Angeles	\$7,496,157 Granted Jan. 15, 2010	BTOP project to upgrade computers and broadband access in 188 low income technology centers (35 youth and senior centers).
Westside Broadband Project for Rural Central California – San Joaquin, Tranquility and West Fresno - Audeamus	\$2,741,505 grant w/ \$2,741,505 loan Granted Jan. 25, 2010	RUS BIP project linking 1,500 households and small businesses and other anchor institutions in an unserved/underserved community in rural Central Valley community
Transforming Neighborhood Network Centers - Housing Authority of Cty. of San Bernardino	\$1,239,980 Granted Feb. 18, 2010	BTOP project to expand 5 public computer centers located in public housing developments in San Bernardino County.
Broadband Awareness and Adoption Project - California Emerging Technology Fund	\$7,251,295 Granted March 1, 2010	BTOP broadband awareness and digital literacy training for low income communities in LA, Central Valley, Orange County, San Diego and Inland Empire. Impacts 130,000 persons.

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Computers for Youth Foundation/LA Unified School District Family Broadband Engagement Program – Computers For Youth	\$7,615,229 grant March 18, 2010	BTOP PCC program: The Computers for Youth Foundation and LA Unified School District will catalyze broadband usage among low income families by providing free refurbished computers, training, low cost broadband and tech support for 49 middle schools in LA with 74% or more of students on free or reduced lunch, impacting 34,913 individuals and 15,870 households. Creating 59 new jobs.
Mission Economic Development Agency	\$3,724,128 grant March 25, 2010	BTOP public computer center grant with \$2.5 million match to create 12 new public computer centers and expand 5 existing ones in Phoenix, Ariz.; Canoga Park, Los Angeles, and San Francisco, Calif.; Del Norte, Colo.; Blackfoot, Idaho; Wheaton, Md.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Kansas City, Mo.; Anthony, NM; Philadelphia, Pa.; and San Antonio and Laredo, Texas. Provide computer training and adult education to a low broadband adoption, high unemployment target population

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ZeroDivide: Tribal Digital Village Broadband Adoption Project	\$686,157	BTOP SBA: Increase broadband usage among the 15 Native American tribes in rural San Diego County as part of its Tribal Digital Village project. Help 8,900 tribal and 2,000 residents living in adjacent communities obtain broadband service and receive broadband awareness and adoption training.
California Broadband Cooperative, Inc.: Digital 395 Middle Mile	\$81,148,788	BTOP CCI: Middle mile broadband infrastructure project stretching from Barstow CA to Carson City, NV along Highway 395. Connecting 230 community institutions, and 62,400 persons and 2,500 businesses stand to benefit.

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Central Valley Independent Network (CVIN LLC): Central Valley Next Generation Broadband Infrastructure Project	\$46,619,757 CCI	BTOP Middle mile broadband infrastructure project stretching through 18 Central Valley counties. Connecting 63 community institutions, 3.6 million people and 160,000 businesses.
Motorola Inc.: The San Francisco Bay Area Wireless Enhanced Broadband Project (BayWEB)	\$50,593,757 CCI	BTOP For the BayWEB public safety project, Motorola will build an interoperable wireless public safety broadband network for the public safety entities in 14 counties in greater San Francisco Bay Area. It is a state of the art Long Term Evolution (LTE) next generation wireless system providing IP enabled interoperable communications abilities to 200 existing public safety sites and up to 50,000 public safety users.
Plumas Sierra Rural Electric Cooperative: Plumas Sierra Telecom Middle Mile Fiber Project	\$13,770,240 CCI	BTOP Middle mile project to connect 18 community institutions to broadband, including education and health care. 33,000 persons and 2,100 businesses stand to benefit.

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Foundation for California Community Colleges: California Connects	\$10,944,843	BTOP SBA: Provide outreach, training and educational support to increase digital literacy skills and broadband adoption for students and families, with an emphasis on low income Hispanic students in Central Valley region.
UC Davis: California Telehealth Network eHealth Broadband Adoption	\$9,145,027	BTOP SBA: California Telehealth Network will use grant to establish 15 model e-Health community projects to show how broadband can enhance health care delivery to patients including in home applications. CTN will also partner will libraries, community colleges, and others to engage in digital literacy training relating to health care information.
Youth Policy Institute: YPI Family Technology Project	\$7,203,563	BTOP PCC: Bring 1,500 computer stations and job training to 80 computer centers serving low income Hispanic and other high risk families in the Los Angeles region.

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Los Angeles Public Safety Broadband Network: LA-SafetyNet: Sustainable Broadband Adoption	\$154,640,000 Sept. 27, 2010	The Los Angeles Regional Interoperable Communications System Authority (LA-RICS) is proposing to deploy a 700 MHz public safety mobile broadband network across all of Los Angeles County, featuring almost 300 wireless 700 MHz public safety broadband sites using new and existing infrastructure.
Central Coast Broadband Consortium Public Computing Alliance: Sustainable Broadband Adoption	\$3,631,495 Sept 27, 2010	The Monterey County Office of Education, along with a coalition of local community institutions in California, is proposing to establish a series of new and enhanced public computer centers across the county that will serve economically vulnerable populations.

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Access to Careers and Technology- ACT: Sustainable Broadband Adoption	\$7,108,181 Sept. 27, 2010	The project proposes to place unemployed residents in IT-industry jobs by providing outreach, training, and services to at-risk youth, English as a Second Language individuals, public housing residents, the homeless, and people with disabilities.
San Francisco Community Broadband Opportunities Program (SF-CBOP): Sustainable Broadband Adoption	\$7,913,632 Sept. 27, 2010	The project intends to include an online support group for seniors via partner TYZE.com and collaborate with digital media nonprofit groups to provide training in digital media and dissemination of local user-generated digital content in ways that encourage broadband adoption.

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Cal-Ore's North Siskiyou Wireless Broadband	RUS: \$1,339,800 grant; loan \$446,600/BIP	Last Mile infrastructure project
Smarter Broadband: Smarter Broadband Project	RUS: \$1,874,043 grant; loan \$624,681	Last Mile infrastructure project
Softcom Internet Communications Inc.: Softcom Rural Broadband Expansion Project	RUS: \$5,069,125 grant; loan \$1,689,710	Last Mile infrastructure project
Calaveras Telephone Company: Fiber to the Home project	RUS: \$2,860,883; loan \$1,226,093	Last Mile infrastructure project

Multistate Projects

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University Corporation for Advanced Internet Development: US Unified Community Anchor Network	\$62,540,162 for all states and DC	BTOP CCI project
Access America Video Remote Interpreting – Deaf Action Center of Louisiana	\$1,380,513 LA, CA, TX, AL	BTOP PCC project to install 81 video conferencing stations at 19 existing stations that serve deaf and hard of hearing persons in Northwest Louisiana, and individual sites in CA, TX and AL. Broadband and videoconference technology will provide on demand, cost effective sign language at anchor institutions like hospitals, courts, public safety shelters, schools and libraries.
21st Century Information and Support Ecosystem: Make It Easy Where You Are - One Economy Corp.	\$45,527,735 - \$28.5 million grant with \$23 million match; CA & 32 other states	BTOP SBA: One Economy, the Broadband Opportunity Coalition and partners propose to increase adoption rates among the unserved and underserved through a comprehensive and integrated program that includes digital literacy, online content, affordable connectivity and public education that will overcome barriers to adoption and will maximize the opportunities inherent in the technology itself.

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Learner Web Partnership: A Multi-State Support System for Broadband Adoption by Vulnerable Adults: Sustainable Broadband Adoption	\$3,318,031 Sept. 27, 2010	Portland State University proposes to lead the Learner Web Partnership project to increase broadband use among low-income, minorities, and other vulnerable populations by teaching digital literacy along with English literacy, educating participants to become informed consumers, and providing access to career paths in the digital economy.