BEAD CHALLENGE



Were Your Organization's Internet Speeds Challenged? Connecticut's Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD) Program is working to enhance broadband access across Connecticut. But we need your help! The BEAD Challenge rebuttal phase offers community organizations an opportunity to ensure funds go where they are needed most.



WHO CAN BE PART OF THE BEAD REBUTTAL PHASE?

Any community organization that is on the challenged list

WHAT PROOF* IS NEEDED FOR A REBUTTAL?

Screenshots of provider web pages Emails/letters from providers Speed test results

*not an encompassing list

WHAT IS THE DEADLINE? Rebuttals must be submitted by JUNE 22, 2024 11:59 pm EST.

GET STARTED NOW!

- 1. Check the <u>list</u> to see if your organization was challenged.
- 2. If your organization is on the list, evidence has been submitted that you have access to a gigabit symmetric (1000 Mbps/1000 Mbps) service plan. If you are unsure if you have access, contact your internet service provider. If you agree the location does have access, no action is required.
- 3. If you disagree, a representative of your organization may submit counter evidence by registering in the BEAD Challenge Process <u>portal.</u>
- Submit a rebuttal. Read the Challenge Process Guide available on DEEP's website or contact DEEP
 for more information on how to collect and submit counter evidence.
 Email DEEP.Broadband@ct.gov or call 1-860-827-2861.