



“LET’S GET FAST” PLEDGE

Because we recognize and understand the critical importance of a strong broadband/high-speed internet infrastructure to our community and to businesses in the East Bay and because we recognize that our policies and practices have a direct impact on the East Bay’s broadband infrastructure and the ability of companies in the region to create jobs, the City/County of _____ officially endorses East Bay Broadband Consortium’s *Let’s Get Fast* Pledge.

We Pledge:

- *To help inform our community about how broadband is a critical 21st century infrastructure that increases economic competitiveness, improves public health and safety and helps build sustainable communities.*
- *To proactively open dialogues and share information via newsletters, social media and our website and to host meetings about the East Bay’s current broadband infrastructure and what needs to be done to address the future broadband needs of residents and businesses.*
- *To maintain the East Bay’s global competitiveness by conducting periodic reviews and learning from other regions, states and countries to ensure that we are best addressing the broadband needs of our community.*
- *To work with the East Bay Broadband Consortium and continue collaborating to identify and promote best practices that make broadband accessible and effective across the East Bay.*
- *To support strong broadband infrastructure solutions which move the needle from the current broadband minimum level (5 Megabytes per second) to an optimal level (100 Megabytes per second).*

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