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BEAD Initial Proposal Vols. I & II

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To access and review either volume of the Initial Proposal, as well as other documents and information about the State of Idaho's broadband expansion efforts under BEAD, we recommend visiting Linkup.Idaho.gov.

Comment directly:
broadbandcomments@commerce.idaho.gov

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

SEPT. 29 - OCT. 31, 2023
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30-DAY COMMENT PERIOD

SUBMIT COMMENTS TO
[BROADBANDCOMMENTS@COMMERCE.IDAHO.GOV.](mailto:broadbandcomments@commerce.idaho.gov)
**COMMENTS SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY
5 P.M. ON OCTOBER 31, 2023.**

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ADDITIONAL WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

IDAHO ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES SURVEYS

Idaho residents please visit Linkup.Idaho.gov to participate in the Idaho Digital Access Survey. Idaho organizational leaders, please let us know about current broadband plans in your area using the Stakeholder Questionnaire.

LINK UP IDAHO: BROADBAND 101 LISTENING SESSIONS

The Link Up Idaho Workshop Series: Broadband 101 Listening Sessions are designed to help you understand everything you need to know about internet, inform community members about broadband deployment and BEAD funding opportunities and collect feedback. Reserve your seat: <http://idaho-broadband101.rsvpify.com>.

MORE

Visit Linkup.Idaho.gov for information on **conferences, meetings**, and other events throughout the state as well as **focus groups, Tribal consultations**, and **ISP roundtables**.

EMAIL US

If you are unable to participate in our surveys or other engagement but would like to contribute information about your experiences with broadband connectivity in Idaho, contact broadband@commerce.idaho.gov.