

HELP US GET FIBER TO EVERY HOME IN ALLEN PARISH

The State of Louisiana has received \$375 million to extend broadband internet service to the state's rural areas. To capitalize on these available funds, the Allen Parish Broadband Committee has been formed, consisting of the Allen Parish School Board, Allen Parish Library, Coushatta Tribe of Louisiana, Allen Parish Police Jury, Oberlin, Kinder, Reeves, Oakdale, and Elizabeth. This Committee is applying for these funds to extend fiber internet to every home in Allen Parish.

For the Allen Parish application to be as competitive as possible, we need to show the need for broadband coverage in our Parish, and we need your help. The FCC says that "Broadband" is 25 Mbps down/3 Mbps up. We know that the vast majority of the parish needs to have this level of connectivity. The testing process is quick and straightforward. You need to click the link below to test and report your internet speed. If you use a mobile device, connect to your WIFI.

Speed test: <https://dra.gov/research/broadband-mapping/#speedtest>

To view the results in Allen Parish, click this link:

<http://expressoptimizer.net/projects/DRA/speedtestmap.html>.

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