

BROADBAND 101

Why more cities and counties are moving towards a fiber optic future



The Town of Breckenridge began analyzing the benefits of a high-speed data network in 2016 to support the need and justification for upgrading the town's Broadband capable networks. As our business, residential, and visitor communities come to rely

more on Internet-based solutions, it becomes clear that a municipal-owned infrastructure will best suit our needs now and in the future. We see an opportunity for this to better address the communication needs of the community.

LOOKING AT THE NUMBERS

30

million tons of CO2 emissions that could be reduced in Europe in 30 years by switching to fiber, according to a 2008 study.

5

times the speed in some communities that have opted into broadband. The chance to get one gig to your home greatly reduces download times.

115

million dollars in CO state funding is poised to be allotted over the next five years by Governor Hickenlooper for rural broadband development

OTHER QUICK FACTS



Environment Friendly

Fiber Optic consumes less and waste less energy than current coaxial cables.



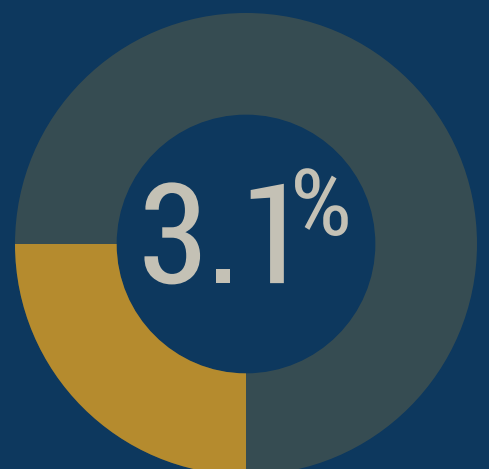
Educational Benefits

Broadband makes access to education much easier for community members.



Better Connection

No more watching with frustration as the wheel spins and you try to load your favorite show.



Did you know that a study found that fiber connection to a home correlates in a 3.1% increase in value?