Broadband Executive Order
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• This EO was developed as part of the Governor’s announcement last November of a state Broadband for All initiative.

• Directs certain state agencies and departments, including CalSTA, Caltrans, and CTC, to work together to help facilitate deployment and adoption of broadband services throughout the state.

• All state agencies and departments are directed to examine their processes and implement improvements in order to close the digital divide.

• Transportation will focus on fiber and fiber conduit deployment of the “middle mile” along the state highway system.
Caltrans Broadband Facilitation

Caltrans Broadband Efforts

- Establishing Broadband Coordinator Position
- Facilitating Standalone and Partnership Projects
- Developing and Maintaining Broadband Website
- Holding Collaboration Meetings
- Hosting Outreach Meetings

https://dot.ca.gov/programs/design/wired-broadband
Order #2 – State Broadband Action Plan
  • Caltrans is supporting CalSTA, as a member of the CBC, in the development of this Action Plan

Order #3, Data and Mapping
  • Caltrans to provide state-owned infrastructure and rights of way data to the CPUC for mapping

Order #9, Deployment – DGS State Property Inventory
  • This effort is being kicked-off next week
Order #7, Deployment
CalSTA and Caltrans are to work with the CTC to identify and incorporate the installation of conduit and/or fiber into all appropriate and feasible transportation projects along strategic corridors

- Investigate strategies and develop policies
- Review projects for feasibility of broadband installation
- Identify funding opportunities for conduit and/or fiber deployment