

Baldwin County Board of Commissioners

312 Courthouse Square, Suite 12 Bay Minette AL, 36507

Dear Baldwin County Commission,

Mediacom is preparing to submit a project proposal to the Alabama Department of Economic Affairs (ADECA) through their Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD) Program. This proposal seeks funding to expand broadband services across parts of Baldwin County by building an estimated 1,750 miles of fiber to serve 14,001 unserved and 4,581 underserved locations. The project intends to provide qualifying locations with broadband download speeds of up to 2,000 Mbps and upload speeds of up to 1,000 Mbps.

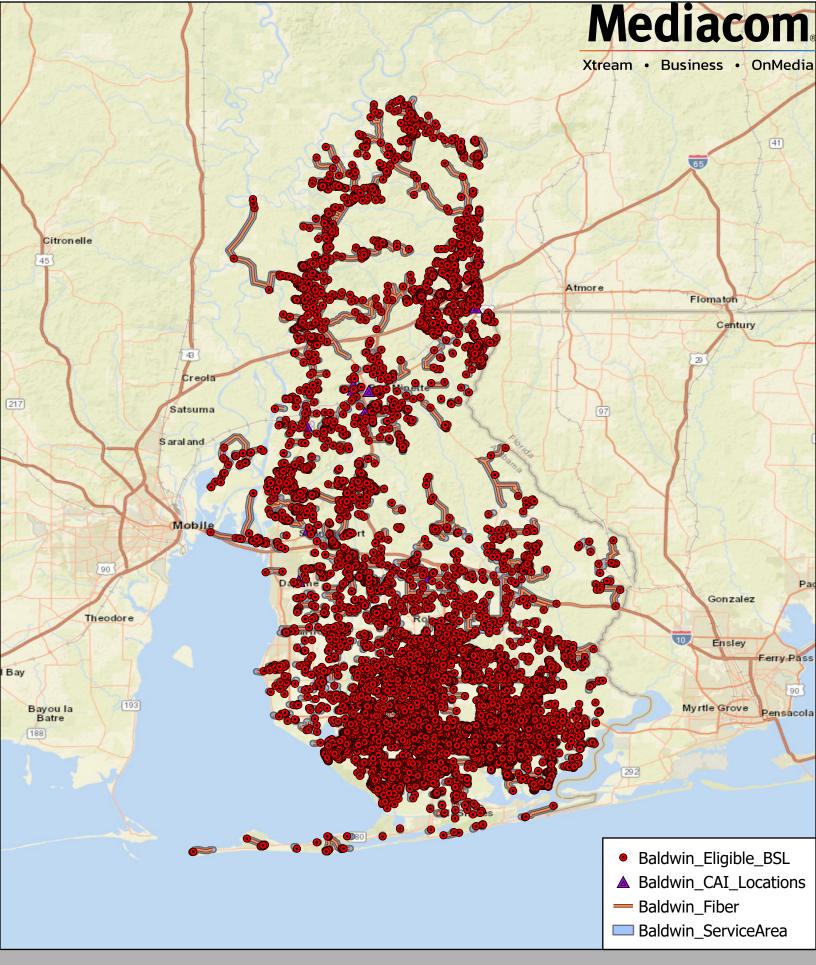
If funding is approved, the full project build is anticipated to take four years to complete. However, we will launch services in phases to deliver broadband access to locations as quickly as possible.

Community support is an important factor in scoring applications for the BEAD grants. Projects may receive up to ten points for including an official letter of support from the county, and any financial contribution towards the project. If Baldwin County is willing to provide financial support—at any level—it will significantly strengthen our application, increasing the likelihood of delivering broadband services to these unserved and underserved areas. We are happy to provide detailed financial information about the project or address any additional questions you may have.

A PDF map of the project area is attached. Please feel free to contact me directly at 850-934-2551 or via email at clord@mediacomcc.com with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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