Problem-solving in the broadband space can be complicated. Connected Nation’s teams can help. Our nearly 25 years of experience is at your fingertips.

I have children in school who need access to high-speed internet for their education.”

–Lowell, MI

WORKING TO CLOSE THE DIGITAL DIVIDE

Everyone Belongs.

Our mission is to improve lives by providing innovative solutions that expand the access, adoption, and use of high-speed internet and its related technologies.

THE DIGITAL DIVIDE IS

16.9 million school-age children

42 million Americans

1/3 of American workers lacking digital skills

13% of tribal residents

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“I work from home. I will lose money if I have to go to the office due to drive time, child care, and gas money.”

~Glasgow, KY

**Conducting** groundbreaking research & analysis

- Leading cutting-edge research in telehealth, telework, broadband planning, digital inclusion, and more.
- Award-winning Geospatial Services offering broadband mapping, engineering, and technical services.

**Leading** in broadband policy & advocacy

- Advising policymakers as the “go to” resource for state lawmakers, broadband offices, federal leaders to track, plan, and promote broadband work.

**Helping** smaller cities and rural areas keep pace

- Building carrier-neutral internet exchange point (IXP) facilities on university campuses in regional hub communities.
- IXPs matter because they help lower cost, increase speeds, and foster competition.
- At the start of 2024, 14 states and 3 territories did not have an IXP.

**Advancing** digital inclusion

- Addressing the need for telework guidance and digital skills training for ALL people – no matter their age or background.

**Connected Nation has been busy...**

**Developing** maps and analyses in 17 states

**Mapping** 40% of the US land mass for connectivity

**Verifying** broadband coverage for 250,000+ road miles

**Providing** 60,000+ internet enabled devices

**Training** 15,000+ adult-learners on digital skills

**Conducting** 1,000+ workshops and job fairs across 17 states

**Partnering** with 1,300+ community groups for digital equity programs

**Training** and job placements for 1000+ Digital Works grads

**Providing** technology assistance & planning

- We’ve provided guidance to state broadband offices, governors, and other state-level leaders in 30+ states and territories.
- We’ve also provided local and regional planning in 650+ communities through our Connected Community Engagement Program.

**Administrating** more than $87 million in federal broadband grants

**Providing** policy briefs on broadband-related legislation

**Serving** on the Digital Equity Advisory and Broadband Deployment Advisory Committees for the FCC

**Providing** strategic communications services for state and local leaders