



County of Monterey

Item No.

Board Report

Board of Supervisors
Chambers
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Salinas, CA 93901

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Matter Type: BoS Agreement

- a. Authorize the Chief Information Officer or his designee to sign a Data License Agreement with the Central Coast Broadband Consortium to receive geographic information systems data for California Advanced Services Fund and Federal Funding Account grants submitted and awarded for broadband project areas; and
- b. Authorize the Chief Information Officer to amend future Data License Agreements, subject to County Counsel review, specifically for geographic information systems data related to broadband project approved areas within the County of Monterey jurisdiction.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

Central Coast Broadband Consortium (CCBC) is a not-for-profit organization with a goal to bridge the digital divide by ensuring reliable and affordable broadband access to all communities on the Central Coast. CCBC receives aggregated broadband related data that includes grant funded broadband project regions for the County of Monterey. This data is available in geographic information systems (GIS) useable formats that can be utilized to map regions of the county that have active broadband projects.

The data collected will allow the Monterey County Information Technology Department (ITD)- GIS team to identify the project areas approved and identify project areas that remain unserved and underserved. This information will be beneficial in engaging providers to focus in these areas for future broadband expansion.

The approval of this recommended action will enable the ITD GIS team to provide accurate broadband maps that aggregate data from multiple sources.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the Data License Agreement.

FINANCING:

There is no impact to the General Fund.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS STRATEGIC INITIATIVES:

The proposed Data License Agreement will allow the County to collaborate with Central Coast communities with a goal of sharing broadband data identifying unserved and underserved locations.

X Economic Development

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___ Health & Human Services

___ Infrastructure

___ Public Safety

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Attachments:

Data License Agreement