## Broadband Ready Communities (BBRC) Program

## **OVERVIEW**

The Pennsylvania Broadband Development Authority (PBDA) is in position to select areas of the state for investment of \$1.16 billion in broadband infrastructure funding, directing those funds to Internet Service Providers (ISPs) to bring high-speed internet to locations that have poor or no internet service.

Broadband Ready Communities (BBRC) is an optional program that aims to reduce procedural, policy, and permitting barriers to broadband deployment at the municipal level and prepares municipalities for a smooth transition to upgraded broadband infrastructure. Achieving the status of "Broadband Ready Community" signals to PBDA and to ISPs that a municipality is ready for broadband investments.

To learn more about the BBRC program, visit <u>westmorelandbroadband.org</u> where you can access informational videos and resources about the program.



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