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OVERSIGHT HEARING

State Broadband Investments: Progress Towards Connecting the Unserved

1021 O Street, Room 1200
March 7, 2023
9:00 a.m.

I. Welcome

- Senator Steven Bradford, Chairman
Senate Energy, Utilities and Communications Committee

II. Overview of Legislative Broadband Investments

- Brian Metzker, Principal Fiscal & Policy Analyst
California Legislative Analyst's Office

III. Status of the State-Owned Middle Mile Broadband Initiative

- Liana Bailey-Crimmins, Director
California Department of Technology
- Mark Monroe, Deputy Director, Broadband Middle Mile Initiative
California Department of Technology

IV. Status of Last Mile Broadband Investments

- Rachel Peterson, Executive Director
California Public Utilities Commission
- Robert Osborn, Director, Communications Division
California Public Utilities Commission

V. Impacts on Local Broadband Infrastructure and Adoption Plans

- Kome Ajise, Executive Director
Southern California Association of Governments
- Stephen Cheung, CEO and President
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- Tracy Rhine, Senior Legislative Advocate
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VI. Public Comment