

#### ORBEC

**Oklahoma Rural Broadband Expansion Council** was created to improve, expand and reduce the cost of high-speed internet connectivity in rural Oklahoma. The council will create recommendations for new policies and incentives to achieve this goal.

#### Council

- House (Co-Chair)
- Senate (Co-Chair)
- Tribes
- Academia
- REC
- Municipality (2)
- State Tech
- State Admin
- Rural Business
- Rural Health
- Provider (5)

#### **Sub-Committees**

- Geographic Boundaries
- Adoption Rate
- Policy Impacts
- Grant Rules\*

#### House Bill 2928

...requiring Oklahoma Department of Commerce and the Council to annually update certain map using data collected...

\*Commerce mentioned 10 times

#### An Act

ENROLLED HOUSE BILL NO. 2928

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An Act relating to rural broadband; requiring private broadband service providers and certain satellitebased broadband private providers to submit map data by certain date; requiring certain supplemental map data submission by certain date; authorizing the promulgation of certain rules; requiring certain public entities to submit certain map data in certain form annually; requiring private providers and public entities to disclose certain information on properties served and speeds of Internet service; allowing for process to correct map inaccuracies; providing that certain information remain confidential; requiring the Rural Broadband Expansion Council to determine data submission format; excepting certain information from disclosure; requiring third party to collect data; requiring data be submitted by certain process; requiring Oklahoma Department of Commerce and the Council to annually update certain map using data collected; stating map requirements; allowing for certain annual evaluation; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

SUBJECT: Rural broadband

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#### **ARPA**

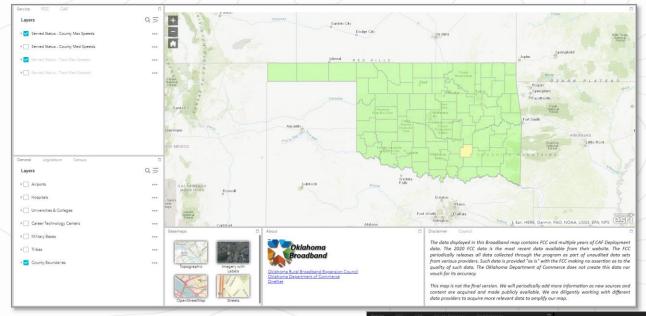
#### **American Rescue Plan Act**

#### \$3.19 Billion to the State of Oklahoma

• \$1.87 Billion available to the state of Oklahoma for investment into projects that will benefit all Oklahomans

• \$1.32 Billion available to Oklahoma counties, cities & local communities

## Oklahoma Department of Commerce



#### **Public Map**

## **Internal Map**



# **Challenges**

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- Orders of magnitude larger than what we're used to working with
- Data Sizes
- Software Capabilities & Limitations
- Hardware Capabilities & Limitations

# Questions?



