



## Pueblo of Jemez Awarded Millions for Broadband Digital Equity

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## Pueblo of Jemez Awarded \$5.7 Million in Federal Digital Equity Grant



Today the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) announced that New Mexico's Pueblo of Jemez has been awarded \$5.7 million as part of the federal government's \$1.25 billion Digital Equity Competitive Grant Program. The funding from the program is designed to promote digital equity to support inclusion projects and digital skills.

The Pueblo of Jemez in Sandoval County will use the funds in a number of ways:

- provide free broadband access for Jemez's rural community to connect to its high-speed fiber network.
- provide free digital devices including laptops and tablets accompanied by Digital Navigators and Interns for technical support for set-up and troubleshooting.
- Implement comprehensive and tailored digital literacy and skills training.
- Conduct cybersecurity workshops and training about online threats such as phishing, identity theft and malware.
- Update and enhance existing public access computing centers.

Earlier this month the Pueblo of Jemez was awarded \$2.4 million from NTIA for broadband technical support, training, and awareness initiatives to boost participation in its tribal broadband program.

If you have questions about any of these opportunities, please contact us via email at [Broadband@doit.nm.gov](mailto:Broadband@doit.nm.gov).

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