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## **PREQUALIFICATION**

### **Program Details**

**Program Name:** Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program (BEAD)

**Administrator:** North Carolina Department of Information Technology, Division of Broadband and Digital Equity

### **Key Dates**

- **September 16, 2024** – Prequalification application window opens for submissions
- **November 1, 2024** – **Prequalification application window closes**

### **Eligible Applicants**

- Cooperatives
- Nonprofit Organizations
- Public-Private Partnerships
- Private Companies
- Public or Private Utilities
- Public Utility Districts
- Local Governments

### **Prequalification Requirements**

- **Applicant Qualifications (Financial, Managerial, Technical, and Organizational)**
- **Organizational Information**
- **Compliance Certifications**
- **Public Funding Commitments**

### **Application Process**

- Submit prequalification materials via NC's [Broadband Data Exchange Web Application](#)

## Links & Contacts

- [NC BEAD Prequalification Guidance Document](#)
- [NC BEAD Prequalification Response Form](#)
- [NC Broadband Data Exchange Web Application](#)
- [NC BEAD Prequalification Checklist](#)
- [NC BEAD Prequalification information for providers](#)
- [NC Division of Broadband and Digital Equity](#)
- Questions: [BEAD@nc.gov](mailto:BEAD@nc.gov)

- Opportunity Evaluation
- Effective Grant Writing
- A Track Record of Success