

**Congress of the United States**  
**U.S. House of Representatives**  
**Committee on Small Business**  
2361 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515-6315

**NOTICE OF HYBRID HEARING**

**June 16, 2021**

**10:00 A.M., Zoom/ 2360 Rayburn House Office Building**

**TO: Members, Subcommittee on Underserved, Agricultural, and Rural Development**

**FROM: Jared Golden, Chairman**

**DATE: Wednesday, June 9, 2021**

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The Committee on Small Business Subcommittee on Underserved, Agricultural, and Rural Development will hold a hybrid hearing titled: “Supporting Small Entities through Investments in the National Infrastructure: Broadband.” The hearing is scheduled to begin at **10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, June 16, 2021 in Room 2360 of the Rayburn House Office Building**. Participating members can also join remotely via **Zoom**.

Access to reliable and affordable broadband service is imperative to not only the success of small businesses, but the overall economic development of the nation. Unfortunately, many parts of the country lack reliable access to broadband at benchmark speeds. As Congress debates an infrastructure plan, investing in the nation’s broadband must be part of the conversation. At this hearing, Members will examine broadband as a critical part of the nation’s infrastructure and strategies to reduce the digital divide.

A staff briefing will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Monday, June 14, 2021 through Zoom.

If you or your staff have questions, please contact Delia Barr, Professional Staff Member for the Committee.