

California Advanced Services Fund (CASF)

The CASF program is one of the six Public Purpose Programs. Pub. Util. Code Section 281 (a) directs the CPUC to develop, implement, and administer the CASF program to encourage deployment of high-quality advanced communications services to all Californians.

Broadband Adoption Account

\$56.5 MILLION AWARDED

Awarded 498 digital inclusion and broadband access projects serving 415,617 participants in all counties of California.



CASF Adoption Account Project: Tech Exchange San Francisco Digital Literacy Project, which provided training to 50 individuals.

Public Housing Account

\$20.2 MILLION AWARDED FOR INFRASTRUCTURE AND ADOPTION PROJECTS

Awarded 539 projects, connecting 27,292 low-income households across 35 counties. Providing digital literacy training to 121 project locations with 28,308 residents in total.



CASF Public Housing Account Project: East Garrison Apartments Project in Monterey County, which provided free broadband services to 66 households.

Rural and Regional Urban Consortia Account

\$29.1 MILLION AWARDED

15 active consortia groups that are facilitating CASF infrastructure applications or assisting broadband deployment projects related to programs created under SB 156 and AB 164.

Infrastructure, Loan, and Line-Extension Account

\$344.6 MILLION AWARDED

Awarded 105 projects (4 Line Extension Program & 1 Infrastructure Loan) of which 93 last-mile/hybrid projects provide broadband access to 66,639 estimated potential households. The overall total number of potential households served when including middle-mile projects is 322,931.



CASF Infrastructure Project: Hunter's Hoopa Valley Broadband Initiative to serve 1,198 households of the Hoopa Tribe in Humboldt County.

Tribal Technical Assistance

\$7.3 MILLION AWARDED

Awarded 74 projects for 39 Tribes to provide technical assistance in developing market studies, feasibility studies, and/or business plans which support Tribes in their pursuit of improved communications.

CASF Account	In 2024		Since 2008	
	Total Projects	Total Awarded	Total Projects	Total Awarded
Infrastructure	5	\$46,624,124	100	\$344,621,327
Infrastructure Loan	0	\$0	1	\$40,997
Infrastructure Line Extension Program	0	\$0	4	\$2,071,101
Tribal Tech. Assistance	7	\$1,471,900	74	\$7,291,650
Consortia	0	\$0	62	\$29,063,200
Adoption	97	\$11,006,616	498	\$56,467,358
Pub. Housing	45	\$3,433,235.60	539	\$20,237,383
Total:	154	\$62,535,875.60	1,278	\$459,793,016



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