

Subject Broadband funding

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Summary

Transfers \$60 million dollars in fiscal year 2022 and again in fiscal year 2023 from the general fund to the border-to-border broadband fund account. Funds in this account are used primarily for grants to fund the acquisition and installation of middle-mile and last-mile infrastructure for high-speed broadband internet service in unserved and underserved areas. This section is effective the day following final enactment.

The border-to-border broadband fund account previously received funding in the following amounts: \$10.588 million in 2016, \$35 million in 2017, \$20 million in 2018, \$20 million in 2020, and \$20 million for fiscal year 2021.