

News Release

Brightspeed Expands Access to High-Speed Internet for More Families and Businesses in Warren, Ohio

Company's multi-million-dollar investment will provide high-speed internet to more communities across Trumbull County

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — March 27, 2024 — Brightspeed, the nation's fourth largest fiber broadband builder focused on empowering more homes with ultrafast, reliable internet, is expanding access to its new state-of-the-art fiber network to more communities in Warren, OH and across parts of Trumbull County. When construction is finished, more than 33,000 will have access to the future-proof network. Brightspeed Fiber Internet is already available for more than 17,000 potential Trumbull County customers.

What to Expect During Construction

Right now, crews are hard at work to connect another 2,600 local homes and businesses in communities like Warren, Howland Center, Champion Heights and Warren's Oak Knoll neighborhood.

Neighbors have likely seen Brightspeed trucks and team members in their neighborhoods working to bring families and businesses online. The highest priority is working quickly and efficiently within local communities, keeping safety at the forefront.

Check for fiber availability in the area by visiting www.brightspeed.com/brightspeed-fiber-internet/ and sign up to receive alerts when service is available at their location.

Trumbull County is Getting the Best in Broadband

The Brightspeed Fiber Internet network leverages the latest XGS-PON (10-Gigabit Symmetric Passive Optical Network) technology to bring boosted gig-speed capabilities and consistent responsiveness. It will enable multi-device households to connect, work, study, stream, communicate and game efficiently and reliably in Warren and its surrounding areas.

Brightspeed Fiber is More Than Just Internet

Put simply, high-speed internet equals opportunity for households and businesses alike, and access to fast, reliable and affordable internet and Wi-Fi will help close the rural-urban digital divide. That's why Brightspeed is building its smart, fiber optics-based network in communities like Warren — so residents and business owners have the reliable connectivity they need to work, learn, play and thrive.

Brightspeed is already investing \$2 billion in deploying next-generation fiber-optic technology to build a more reliable, super-fast broadband internet network that will reach more than three million homes and businesses across 20 states. Additionally, Brightspeed is pursuing state and federal funding to augment its current fiber network build plan in Ohio to help close the digital divide across the state's counties.

About Brightspeed

Headquartered in Charlotte, N.C. and with assets and associated operations in 20 states, Brightspeed provides broadband and telecommunications services through a network platform capable of serving more than 6.5 million homes and businesses. Our more than 4,000 employees are committed to building a future where more communities benefit from a more connected life, deploying a state-of-the-art fiber network and a customer experience that makes being connected as simple as it should be. For more information, please visit www.brightspeed.com.

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