

As Brightspeed completes our planned fiber network builds across communities that have historically lacked high-quality internet options, we're already seeing the benefits of increased connectivity across homes and small businesses.

In Aliceville, Alabama, Brightspeed invested in providing over a thousand addresses in town with high-speed internet — including Food Fare, a local grocer serving the community. Owner Gary Hankins was happy to report a twice-as-fast internet speed, resulting in his customers now being able to complete credit card transactions much more efficiently. "Anything we can do to get faster, save time — time is money," said Hankins.

Thanks to an Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs grant award, Brightspeed will be able to expand its planned build that gave Food Fare faster internet to even more homes and businesses across Pickens County.

Read the full article from WRBC FOX 6 in Birmingham here.

About Brightspeed

Launched in 2022, Brightspeed is building a future where more communities can benefit from a more connected life. We believe where you choose to call home shouldn't limit your options — and we're building the infrastructure to provide millions of homes with fast, reliable internet. So wherever you're streaming, gaming or working, you'll enjoy an uninterrupted experience. **Learn more at www.brightspeed.com**.

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