

## Thursday, October 26th

Time	Activity		Presenters	
8:00 - 8:45	Registration, Coffee & Tea			
8:45 - 9:00	Welcome and Introductions			
	Keynote Presentation- Part 1 Ron Wyden US Senator from Oregon Senator Wyden will discuss his vision for a future where all Oregonians have access to highspeed, affordable Broadband and the tools to use it effectively.			
9:00 - 9:30			Senator Ron Wyden (Live via Zoom)	
9:35 - 10:15	Keynote Presentation- Part 2		Jim Teece and Joe Franell	
10:15 - 10:30	Break / Room Transition			
	General Session Panel #1 AI			
	How will AI shape the future of broadband?			
10:30- 11:45	Moderator: TBD Panelist: Sara Tangdall, Lead AI Principles Ethic Specialist, Google Panelist: Belinda A. Batten, PhD, Senior Advisor for Strategic Initiatives, Office of the Provost & Executive Vice President, Professor of Mechanical Engineering			
11:45 - 12:00	Break / Room Transition			
12:00 - 1:20	Oregon Connections Award Luncheon			
1:20 - 1:45	Break / Room Transition			
1:45 - 3:15	Session- Working partnership models (Non-Profit, Municipality, EDD, Tribal) Exploring how various partnership models can further broadband deployment in our communities. Moderator: Nick Green, OBAC Panelist: Denise Stilwell, SCOEDD Panelist: Christina Berger, Josephine County Panelist: Beth Fox, City of Portland Panelist: David Soloos, ODOT Panelist: Lisa Norton, Confederated Tribes of Siletz	<b>Technolo</b> <i>In-depth discussion</i> Moderator: Duke I Panelist: WISP - Ca Panelist: Fiber - Co Panelist: Fiber - G	Devergence- Colliding gies n of broadband technologies and deployment Dexter Clackamas County Imbium Wireless John Seaman Demcast Cable Roy Novosel VP of Engineering PNW Region M of Scio Mutual/VP of CBS Oregon - Derrick Mottern S Networks Leif Hanson	
3:15 - 3:30	Break / Room Transition			
	Session- <b>BROADBAND 101</b> The basics of broadband, from fiber, to laser light, to wireless and more. What's a TLA and a SLA? Megabits versus Megabytes. What are the OSI layers and why should I care? This interacitve workshop will demystify broadband and its technical terms through a hands-on, fun and interactive format Host: Adam Haas, Rabbit Communications	TELEPHO	POTs to PANs, the evolution of the telecom network Vay, DFN CEO Iton - Corning	
3:30 - 5:00	Technical Guru: Glen Scymanski, Radisys	Panelist: Carnie E Panelist: Mark Og Panelist: Jessica E	den - Adtran	
5:20 - 7:00	Exhibitor Fair and Reception			



THEME: **Broadband: Future Proofing Oregon** DATES: Thursday and Friday, October 26th and 27th, 2023 TIMES:Thursday 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM, and Friday 7:30 AM to 1:30 PM As of 9/28/23 - Subject to Change

Friday, October 27th			
Time	Activity	Presenters	
7:30 - 8:30	Registration, Coffee & Tea, Exhibitors' Tables		
8:30 - 9:00	Keynote Presentation Money Talks and		
	<b>Implementation Rocks!</b> The \$3 billion journey of NTIA's Tribal Broadband Connectivity Program: lessons learned and opportunities discovered	Adam Geisler, Former Division Chief Tribal Connectivity for the US Department of Commerce NTIA and currently President and COO of Tribal Ready, PBC (Live via Zoom)	
9:00 - 10:00	An Oregon Funding		
	<b>Opportunities Update</b>	Nick Batz ( Broadband Program Manager, Oregon Broadband Office)	
10:00 - 10:15	Break		
10:15 - 11:00	General Session Panel #3	Moderator: Sylvia Trujillo - Director of Policy OCHIN	
	<b>Telehealth</b> What broadband needs telehealth has today and tomorrow	Panelist: Lake Health District - Charles Tveit CEO Panelist: Asante Health - Jeff Caulley	
11:00 - 12:30	General Session Panel #4	Moderator: Joe Franell, Blue Mountain	
	Overbuilding? Or	Panelist: Brad Nosler, HiLight	
	Futureproofing?	Panelist: David Lehman, State of Louisiana Panelist: Forest James, Enertribe	
	A lively discussion with industry experts on meeting current versus future needs and the need for competition	Panelist: Reza Rejaie, Professor & Head, Department of Computer Science, University of Oregon	
12:30 - 1:00	Conference Wrap-up and Prize Drawing		
1:00	Adjourn & <b>Box Lunch</b> Distribution		