

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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December 31, 2021

Amy Tong, Director and State Chief Information Officer
California Department of Technology

RE: December Middle Mile Locations Analysis Update

Dear Director Tong,

The Commission has developed and published a mapping analysis tool that will enable the validation of middle mile routes, as mandated by SB 156. This tool provides the latest data on:

- 1) locations without broadband access at 25 Mbps download and 3 Mbps upload;
- 2) public comment on the initial May Revise Anchor Build Fiber Highways proposed routes;¹
- 3) Caltrans proposed construction projects; and
- 4) the Caltrans state highway network and May Revise Middle Mile locations network.

This analysis provides a foundation for our agencies to select middle mile locations and view relevant information. The CPUC will update this information with further analysis and make it available to CDT as quickly as possible.

This mapping tool is available here under the data and analysis tab: <https://middle-mile-broadband-initiative.cdt.ca.gov/>

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Osborn".

Robert Osborn

Director, Communications Division

¹ This initial map is available here:

<https://www.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=e17e4e1c88b04792ab0a2c50aa1a19a3&extent=-126.1445,34.5234,-113.5981,41.1113>