



### Office of Rural Development

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# Executive Directive 2022-01

- Office created in January 2022
- Deputy onboard soon
- Focus on
  - Workforce
  - Education
  - Infrastructure
  - Housing
  - Connectivity





#### FY23 Investment Proposal

- \$10.0 million in one-time general funds
- Limited term resources
- Collaboration
- Focus on priority needs





#### Connectivity

- Bridge digital divide
- Office of High-Speed Internet
- Office of Infrastructure





## Thank you!





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