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Polk County Commissioner Jeremy Gordon Appointed to Oregon Broadband Advisory Council

Business Oregon's Oregon Broadband Office is pleased to announce that Governor Tina Kotek has appointed Polk County Commissioner Jeremy Gordon to represent Oregon counties on the Oregon Broadband Advisory Council (OBAC).

"I am honored to represent Oregon's counties and work with my colleagues on OBAC and the dedicated staff at the Oregon Broadband Office," said Commissioner Gordon. "Ensuring that quality broadband access reaches every neighborhood and corner of our state is essential for fair and equitable economic opportunity, education access, and healthcare services." Commissioner Gordon brings extensive experience in public service and a deep understanding of the challenges faced by Oregon's rural communities. His leadership will contribute to OBAC's ongoing efforts to expand high-speed internet access and develop long-term strategies for the state's digital infrastructure.

The Oregon Broadband Advisory Council (OBAC) was created in the 2009 Legislative session. The council serves as an advisory body, providing strategic guidance on broadband deployment and helping shape state policies that address the digital divide.

For more information on the Oregon Broadband Advisory Council (OBAC) and Commissioner Gordon's role, please get in touch with Commissioner Gordon directly at gordon.jeremy@co.polk.or.us or the Oregon Broadband Office's Broadband Communications Coordinator Kristin Bigler at kristin.m.bigler@biz.oregon.gov. The Oregon Broadband Advisory Council's bios and meeting schedule are available on the Oregon Broadband Office homepage.

