

Task Force Recommendation	Notes
Replicate the set-up with Charter (e.g., doing middle mile in select rural areas)	
Hire a broadband Project Coordinator (consultant) to continue the work going forward (+, +, +, +,	One person who knows a lot about what is happening throughout the County; to help municipalities; Local governments have a lot of work, need support; in Door County they had a champion with technical knowledge; level the playing field so that all towns/villages have opportunity); Have this position available to the towns. Coordinator available to County level as well as towns for overall vision
Consultant who can work with towns (work with towns; find out what kind of services are available to them)	Consultant or coordinator; someone familiar with technology to help
Outreach efforts to municipalities to help them understand the impact that having access to Broadband can have for their communities (+,	Could be the consultant/coordinator; important for municipalities to understand the economic development aspects; finding champions within the community; Town voices need to be heard; opportunities for residents to champion access)
Lending devices to those who cannot get access; preferable to get fiber but where it cannot go there	Tikalsky has a process that can be replicated for lending these devices
Make devices and other opportunities available in the interim period, while building the network	Story (at hearings) about the teacher with four kids (Oregon); had to get service through cell phones/hot spots. Cost is high.
Initiate the study - critical information to help us identify need and establish priorities	
Better understand what the State and Federal Government can do - monitor this.	Funding opportunities
Create competition between ISP providers; can we throw out some perks to these companies? Provide incentives for ISPs to serve harder to reach areas	What would an incentive model look like?
Criteria to incentivize larger providers so that they do not cherry pick subdivisions (and leave out people on the edges and in more remote areas)	

<p>Framework for doubling up with grant opportunities (allocation from Dane County, PSC, Federal government)</p>	
<p>Social determinants of health (items that impact your health); engage public health officials to engage with this effort - expansion of telehealth - (+)</p>	<p>Video calls are bandwidth sensitive. Telehealth. Grants and studies on concept of social determinants; secondary source of funding can be sought from grant- sources; Seniors have challenges with this and need assistance connecting</p>
<p>Lobbying/advocacy to change state law. Can County associations do this?</p>	<p>State laws are limiting the role that Counties can play</p>
<p>Consideration of cooperative structures to get around state law</p>	<p>State laws are a constraint right now; are there innovative structures that could get around these?</p>