



State of Wisconsin  
2015 - 2016 LEGISLATURE

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## 2015 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 26

February 11, 2016 - Introduced by Representative CONSIDINE. Referred to  
Committee on Assembly Organization.

1     **Relating to:** requiring the Committee on Assembly Organization to work with the  
2           Executive Branch to identify, pursue, and secure existing and future streams  
3           of federal funds for broadband infrastructure and access on behalf of the State  
4           of Wisconsin.

5           Whereas, the State of Wisconsin was awarded \$22,978,367 in federal  
6           broadband funding through the Broadband Technology Opportunities program from  
7           the U.S. Department of Commerce in March 2010; and

8           Whereas, this funding was intended to deploy broadband infrastructure in  
9           unserved or underserved areas; provide broadband access, awareness, training,  
10          equipment, and support to community anchor institutions (such as schools, libraries,  
11          and medical facilities), organizations and agencies serving vulnerable populations,  
12          or job-creating strategic facilities that are located in economic development areas;  
13          provide improved broadband access to public safety agencies; and stimulate demand  
14          for broadband, economic growth, and job creation; and

