

SANDAG Regional Digital Divide Taskforce

January 28, 2021

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

<https://zoom.us/j/98094101787>

1. Welcome (Hasan Ikhmeta) – 5 min
2. Taskforce Introductions (Round Robin) - 15 min
 - a. Name, organization, summary of your work related to the digital divide, and one thing you hope the taskforce will accomplish
3. Why we are here (Antoinette Meier) - 15 min
 - a. Goals and objectives
 - b. Workplan for developing the Regional Digital Equity Strategy and Action Plan
 - c. Overview of research topics
 - i. Existing conditions and gap analysis
 - ii. Opportunities and challenges
 - iii. Best practices
4. Discussion: Are we missing anything? How can your organization help with one or more of the following research areas? – 30 min
 - a. Current state of broadband availability and access
 - b. Best practices for broadband policies, permitting, and partnerships
 - c. Broadband service models
5. Legislative Activities (Robyn Wapner and Laurie Grover) - 10 min
6. Highlights from California Broadband Action Plan (Amy DeNinno) - 10 min
7. Next steps and next meeting (Antoinette Meier) – 5 min
 - a. Next meeting – February 25, 2021
 - i. Research update and presentation of findings on broadband plans, policies and permitting practices across jurisdictions in the San Diego region
 - ii. Presentation and discussion on Draft Guiding Principles for Regional Digital Equity Strategy