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## CITY OF DAVIS SEEKS TWO COMMUNITY MEMBERS FOR BROADBAND ADVISORY TASK FORCE

## January 27, 2016

The City of Davis is accepting applications from citizens interested in serving as community representatives on a Broadband Advisory Task Force (BATF). The BATF will consist of ten (10) representatives to include two at-large community members. Other members will come from local organizations.

The City is seeking individuals who have an interest in community service and have some expertise in a related area such as communication technology, utilities, finance, or city infrastructure projects. This is a great opportunity to assist in identifying options to enhance availability of broadband important to the community.

To be considered for appointment as a general community member on the Broadband Advisory Task Force, you must be a City resident and a local internet user. Members may include, but are not limited to, residents, business owners, students located in County areas receiving any City services through a county service area or other county special district or through direct agreement with the City for utility services.

Applications may be picked up at the City Clerk's Office at City Hall, 23 Russell Boulevard during regular business hours, or downloaded from the city's website. In addition to the application form, committee applicants may be required to participate in a five to ten-minute private interview with a Council Subcommittee and city staff. Applications should be submitted to City Clerk's Office, Davis City Hall, 23 Russell Blvd., Suite 4, Davis, CA 95616 or by email at CityClerk'soffice@cityofdavis.org by February 10, 2016.

## BROADBAND ADVISORY TASK FORCE

The Broadband Advisory Task Force will advise the City Council on goals for broadband access, examine models of delivery, explore funding options and recommend to the City Council steps for implementation.

## For More Information Contact:

City Clerk's Office at 757-5648 or visit the City of Davis website at <u>http://city-council.cityofdavis.org/commissions</u>. #######