

# *Mesa Fiber*



# Recap

- ▶ For years, Council has championed opportunities to enhance network connectivity in Mesa
- ▶ Council Strategic Planning conversation
- ▶ Council discussion led to a Request for Information (RFI) solicitation January
- ▶ Council RFI review in April

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# Facilitate Private Sector Fiber

## Fiber provider toolkit

- ▶ Updated license agreement
- ▶ Expanded construction options
- ▶ Provided additional right of way fee options

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# Two New Licensees

- ▶ Google Fiber
- ▶ SiFi Networks
- ▶ Possibility of more to come!
- ▶ 1 Internet Service Provider
- ▶ 1 Open Access Networks

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# Deal Points

## Focus on Build Efficiency

- ▶ **Forecasted build plans**
- ▶ **Encourage joint construction**
- ▶ **Maintain robust right of way stewardship**
- ▶ **Opportunity for licensees to accelerate projects**

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# Next Steps

- ▶ **July 11 Council consideration**
- ▶ **If approved, licensees will pull permits before beginning construction**
- ▶ **Ongoing coordination**
  - ▶ **Public Private Partnerships**

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Questions?

