

# Webinars: Community Connect Program – FY2021

*Thursday, October 8, 2020 | 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Eastern Time*

*Tuesday, October 20, 2020 | 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Eastern Time*

Interested to learn more about our Rural Development Community Connect Grant Program? USDA will host two webinars covering the recently announced Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA).

Join us online, Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time and/or Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time. USDA staff will provide an overview of the FOA, major eligibility and regulatory requirements, the application process, and provide guidance on how to submit a successful grant application. There will also be time for participants to ask specific questions about the Community Connect program and the new application process.

[Register for the October 8<sup>th</sup> webinar here!](#)

[Register for the October 20<sup>th</sup> webinar here!](#)

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## About the Community Connect Program

The Community Connect Program provides financial assistance to eligible applicants that will provide broadband service in rural, economically-challenged communities where service does not exist. **The application window for the FY2021 funding round is currently open and will close on December 23, 2020.**

To learn more about the Community Connect Program and upcoming events, visit: <https://www.rd.usda.gov/community-connect>.



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