

Update on Dinwiddie County Broadband Project

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As submitted by West Piedmont Planning District Commission

Ruralband

Construction is progressing well with no significant delays. Halifax South opened on August 15, and Halifax North opened on August 29, with construction and splicing already 99% complete. In the Carson Road area, a few member connections remain for locations on the opposite side of I-85, with the contractor scheduled to complete the work within the next two weeks. Additionally, a railroad crossing payment was mailed on July 17 and is pending receipt before flagging can be scheduled. On the Flatfoot project, one creek crossing could not be bored due to heavy rock; they are working with Southside Electric to finalize an agreement for the crossing, which affects approximately 12–15 passings.

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In Dinwiddie County, construction in the Northside CEO and cabinet one area is complete, pending splicing and transport repairs. Cabinet three construction and splicing are complete, awaiting testing review. Cabinet four is 80% constructed, cabinets five and six are approved for construction, and cabinet seven is pending design review.