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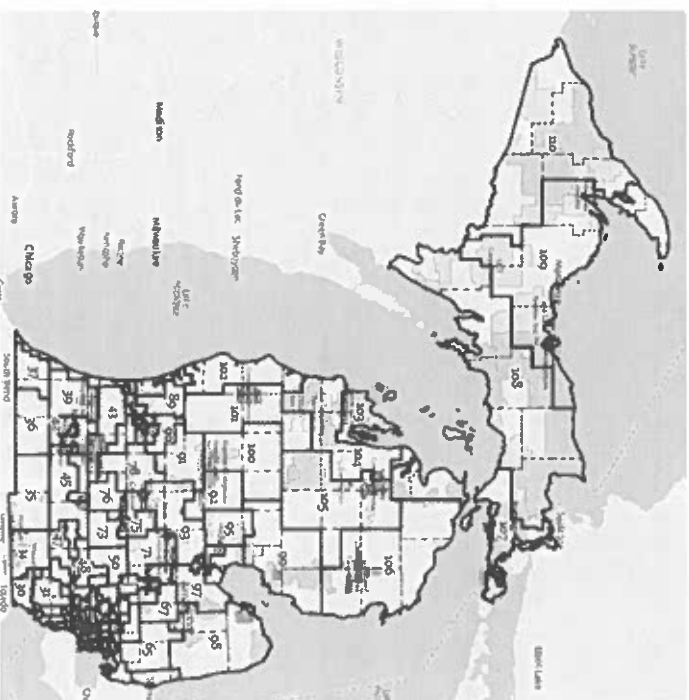
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| Allband Multimedia | Michigan Broadband Services |
| Baraga Telephone Company | Midway Telephone Company |
| Barry County Telephone Company | Midwest Energy & Communications |
| Blanchard Telephone Company | Ogden Communications |
| Bloomingtondale Communications | Ortonagon County Telephone Company |
| Brightspeed | Pigeon Telephone Company |
| Carr Communications | Sand Creek Communications |
| Chapin Telephone | Springport Telephone Company |
| DayStarr | TDS Telecom |
| D&P Communications | TelNet Worldwide |
| Everstream Solutions | Truestream |
| Grid4 Communications | Waldron Communications |
| Hiawatha Telephone Company | Westphalia Telephone Company |
| Highline Internet | Winn Telecom |
| Homeworks Connect | |



Policy Objectives

- Promote policies that allow for maximum investment in broadband networks.
 - Relocation reimbursements
 - Railroad, rail trail and DNR permitting revisions
 - Minimize equipment and grant award taxes
- Ensure broadband grant programs are implemented strategically.
 - MIHI plays critical role
 - ROBIN program: \$238 million (applications being reviewed)
 - BEAD program: estimated \$1.6 billion to be allocated to Michigan
 - ACAM (\$244 million), CAF (\$60 million), RDOF (\$353 million), ReConnect (\$89 million)