TRIBAL BROADBAND BOOTCAMP

STRENGTHENING SOVEREIGNTY AND SELF-DETERMINATION BY BUILDING LOCAL BROADBAND SOLUTIONS.





What is the Tribal Broadband Bootcamp?

The Tribal Broadband Bootcamp (TBB) is a 3-day intensive learning experience focused on building and running Tribal Internet networks. You'll interact with network operators, industry professionals, and broadband experts who walk through what it takes to build a network and run an Internet Service Provider. Whether you have three decades or three days of experience, TBBs will help you understand the puzzle pieces and how they fit together. We are accepting inquiries now for **TBB 10 Tohono O'odham Utility Authority, Jan. 29 - Feb. 1 2024.**



How can I participate?

If you are interested in attending one of the upcoming Tribal Broadband Bootcamps, please visit **TribalBroadbandBootcamp.com.** Tribal Broadband Bootcamp 10 Tohono O'odham Utility Authority is brought to you by Waskawiwin, with sponsorships from Institute for Local Self-Reliance, Tribal Resource Center, Calix, Merit, and Democracy Fund. **All meals during the bootcamp are covered. Housing and travel support are also available.**

Who is the Tribal Broadband Bootcamp for?

TBBs are for folks in Indian Country interested in or focused on broadband. We recommend bringing a small team as many have reported this approach is helpful for team building. At previous bootcamps, people who worked on billing, who had no interest in technology, left wanting to climb towers and help on installations. Technicians left with an understanding of how the ISP must work as a business, or how federal policy has shaped connectivity in Indian Country. In a few days, we prepare people to be much more effective in this work.



