TRIBAL BROADBAND BOOTCAMP

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

Three-day intensive learning experience focused on building and running Tribal Internet networks.

Make connections and learn from experienced network operators, industry professionals, and broadband experts. All levels welcome!

TBB 10 IS HOSTED BY THE TOHONO O'ODHAM UTILITY AUTHORITY JANUARY 29 – FEBRUARY 1, 2024

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EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING TO LEARN AND EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING TO TEACH.

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 registrations now for TBB 10 Tohono O'odham Utility Authority, Jan. 29 - Feb. 1 2024.

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.

Upcoming Bootcamps

RantanenTown Ranch
Southern California
March 10- 13, 2024

Next Bootcamp

Cherokee Nation, Oklahoma
May 13-16, 2024

Tohono O'odham Utility Authority
January 29 - February 1, 2024

Two additional bootcamps in the works!

How can I participate?

If you are interested in attending one of the upcoming Tribal Broadband Bootcamps, please visit TribalBroadbandBootcamp.com. We are now accepting registrations for our next bootcamp: **TBB 10 Tohono O'odham Utility Authority, January 29 - February 1, 2024**. TBB 10 TOUA 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. Once you receive an invitation to attend the bootcamp, please complete the registration form that will be sent to you over email.

If you are interested in becoming a sponsor for these bootcamps, we're excited to hear from you! Email us at info@tribalbroadbandbootcamp.org.

Rough Agenda*

Every day has time for human networking and additional topics that will be decided based on the needs of hosts and attendees.

DAY ZERO   Dinner on January 29 with Introductions - 6pm

DAY ONE	• Tribal Digital Equity • Introduction to Fiber • Tribal Broadband Case Study
DAY TWO	• Hand's-on Fiber (network-building basics and getting to know relevant equipment) • Tribal Broadband Case Study
DAY THREE	• Wireless (network-building basics, may include field trip to wireless deployment) • Tribal Broadband Case Study

*Additional topics covered to suit local needs.