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City Announces Google Fiber Service Coming to Jefferson City

Jefferson City, Mo: The City of Jefferson is excited to announce Google Fiber is bringing its high-speed broadband Internet services to Jefferson City.

A license agreement between the City of Jefferson and Google Fiber Missouri, LLC approved by the City Council at its February 20, 2024 meeting will allow GFiber to build a fiber-to-the-home network to serve residents with high-speed, high-bandwidth Internet. The City authorizes GFiber to install and operate a fiber-optic network in City public rights-of-way.

Access to reliable, high-speed broadband Internet is essential for a growing and thriving city. This access is a necessity to attracting job opportunities, while simultaneously creating a prosperous community with options of remote work, distance education, telehealth, and other online opportunities.

"As Mayor of Jefferson City, I commend Google for their commitment to enhancing our city's connectivity by bringing fiber optic infrastructure," said Mayor Ron Fitzwater. "This investment will not only accelerate our technological advancement but also foster economic growth and innovation for generations to come."

"The City of Jefferson is focused on connecting as many residents as possible, and GFiber is looking forward to being part of that future," said Rachel Merlo, Head of Government & Community Affairs for the Central Region for GFiber. "Expanding to Central Missouri and the capital city is the next step in deepening our long standing connection with the Show Me State."

Construction details and timeline for services are to be determined. Residents who are interested in updates can sign up at fiber.google.com