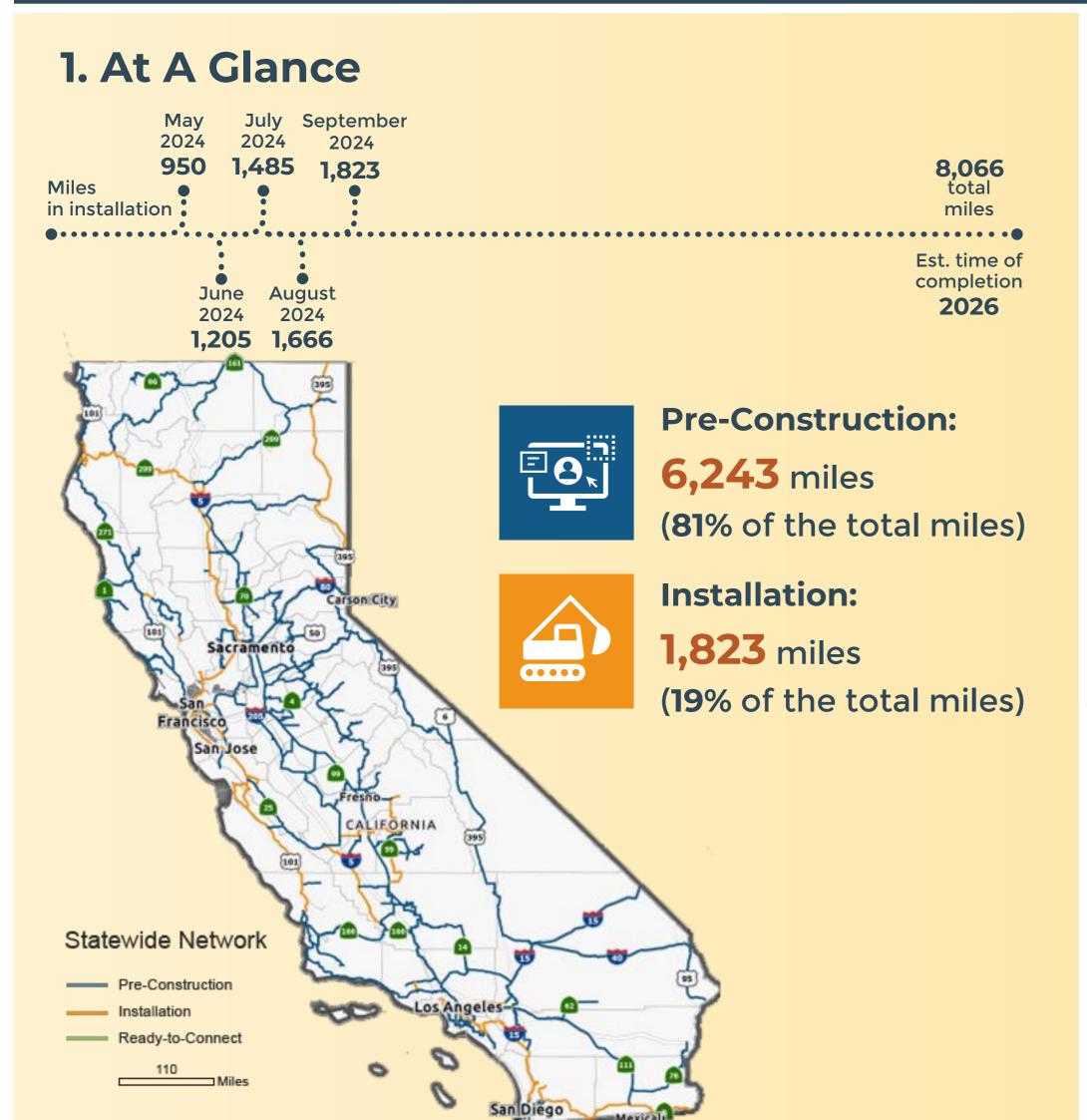




Broadband for All

Middle-Mile Broadband Initiative FACT SHEET



2. Network Development Activities

Caltrans Construction: 842 total miles including SR 67 Dig Smart

miles in pre-construction miles in installation

Joint Build Partners: 3,100 total miles American Dark Fiber, Arcadian, Hoopa Valley, Lumen, Siskiyou Tel, Vero, Zayo

896

2,206 miles in pre-construction miles in installation

IRU/Lease Partners: 3,700 total miles Boldyn, CVIN, Lumen, TPN-299, Ytel

2.834 miles in pre-construction miles in installation

Purchase Partner: 423 total miles Digital 395

total purchase miles

3. Spotlight

The California Department of Technology (CDT) announces an exciting new joint-build partnership with American Dark Fiber (ADF) to build out over 380 miles of network infrastructure as part of the State's Middle-Mile Broadband Initiative (MMBI). These miles are spread across 13 counties in the northern and southern parts of the State and will enable more affordable and reliable broadband access for some of California's most unserved and underserved communities. Initial ADF installation efforts are already underway, with several more critically needed fiber routes scheduled to break ground later this year. This partnership aims to address the digital divide and provide open-access middle mile connectivity to communities, including our digitally stranded rural and tribal communities.

