

BROADBAND POLICY
MOUNT WASHINGTON

Anyone wishing to be connected to the Mount Washington Broadband Network must obtain approval of the Selectboard, in writing.

To be connected in a given year, potential subscribers must notify the Selectboard before January 31, and for homes that existed upon the establishment of broadband network, the homeowner must pay \$300.00 and sign a three year agreement for year round service with the Town. Such existing homes will be added in the same manner as initial subscribers (via poles, existing underground or plowed in). For three year agreement, [click here](#).

Each year, after January 31, the Selectboard will proceed to add the subscribers who are signed up by, or within the month of January. The timeframe for construction depends on the complexity of the additions and the timeline of the utility company approvals and work, which can take months. New subscribers must wait until the utility companies approve the additions to the poles for service and until the utility companies perform the work required to add the subscribers.

New homes and buildings must have Schedule 40 stick conduit installed underground from the house/building to the main road. If underground conduit is not possible due to physical ground conditions, additional costs may be incurred by the owner for the installation or there may be a longer service contract.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Town approves in writing, a subscriber may be able to connect to the system sooner by taking action on their own and paying the additional costs to connect sooner.

In all cases work must be done by the Town's contractor, with written approval of the Selectboard.

AGREEMENT

Agreement dated this _____ day of _____, 2017.

The undersigned owns the following property in Mount Washington MA:

_____.

The Town of Mount Washington intends to provide Broadband service to the undersigned and the property.

As consideration for the Town providing such service, the undersigned agree to pay no more than \$119.95 per month (for internet and telephone) year-round, through the service provider chosen by the Town, for three years from the date of the Town's delivery of such service to the property. This sum is exclusive of state, federal and local taxes/fees.

WITNESS our hands and seals this _____ day of _____, 2017.

print name of Owner (sign above)-

print name-

print name-