

# DIGITAL EQUITY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

*Note: The information on this sheet was provided voluntarily by each submitter.*

Organization	Type	Contact Name	Email	Phone	What You Do, Digital Equity Plans, Etc.
Bitwise Industries	Business	Erin Hustings	ehustings@bitwiseindustries.com	202-316-3086	Mission-driven tech services company that leverages IT to advance digital equity - we offer paid tech apprenticeships to people historically excluded from the industry and build community by creating accessible digital tools. Based in Greeley.
Bridging Digital Divides Program - SCCC	Organization	Lara Van Matre	lara@bridgingdigitaldivides.org	720-425-4170	Providing Digital Skill Building Classes, affordable devices and assistance accessing affordable broadband in Boulder County since 2018. Serving mainly Latino, low-income and seniors.
<u>Byte Back</u>	Organization	Mark Rivera	mrivera@byteback.org	210-415-4108	Byte Back's mission is to close the digital divide by providing under-resourced communities an equitable pathway into the digital economy. We achieve this through transformative digital advocacy, digital literacy, and tech certification training.
Center for Work Education and Employment (CWEE)	Organization	Michael Berlin	mberlin@cwee.org		Workforce Development Organization. Digital Literacy course and provide technology to out participants so they are able to participate in our program and gain sustainable employment.
City and County of Denver	City/ County	Anya Dickson-Arguello	anya.dickson@denvergov.org		Program manager for Digital Equity strategic planning across the City and County of Denver; also co-facilitate the Denver Digital Equity Coalition

City and County of Denver	City/ County	Sarah Stanek	sarah.stanek@denvergov.org		Senior Web Administrator and Digital Accessibility coordinator; focused on accessible content and process development, training for communication teams on document and platform accessibility/accommodations
Cleo Parker Robinson Dance Theatre	Organization	Trey Grimes	trey@cleoparkerdance.org		We offer a technical theatre Internship program (STREAM)
Colorado Broadband Office	State agency	Delia Sánchez	delia.sanchez@state.co.us		Community Engagement Specialist
<u>Colorado Commission for the Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and DeafBlind</u>	State agency	JoAnne Hirsch	joanne.hirsch@state.co.us	720-315-9493	Provide free communications technology and training to qualified deaf, hard of hearing, and deafblind. Covers the whole state of Colorado.
<u>Colorado Community Action Association</u>	Organization	Josiah Masingale	josiah@coloradocommunityaction.org	303-949-9934 x801	"The CCAA's mission is to advance economic security for Colorado individuals, families, and communities through maintaining and growing organizational capacity of partner agencies, providing training and technical assistance, and supporting strategic partnerships, best practices, and innovative solutions to poverty." I am a founding commissioner on the National Community Action Partnership's Equity and Economic Mobility Commission. The CCAA hopes to be the lead agency on the FCC Affordability Connectivity Program Outreach Grant to conduct Outreach and Enrollment to the ACP across CO and specifically targeting underserved and unserved populations and communities.
<u>Colorado Public Utilities Commission Relay Colorado</u>	State agency	Holly Bise	holly.bise@state.co.us	303.894.2024	COPUC regulates utility industries in Colorado (water, energy, gas, transportation, and telecom). Relay Colorado, a program within

					the COPUC, provides telecom relay services to those with hearing and speech loss
Colorado State Library	State agency; Library	Cristy Moran	moran_c@cde.state.co.us		Connect *all Colorado* libraries (any publicly funded libraries including public and academic) and organizations in partnership for resource sharing, focused on adult services (all adults) and all library/ community-centered services including expanded access to information through tech and analog.
Comcast	Business	Mary Spillane	mary_spillane@comcast.com	720-641-2264	Director, Community Impact - support digital equity programs with community partner organizations across our Comcast service area in Colorado, manage our employee service & volunteerism programs
Community College of Aurora	Higher education	Kathy Green	kathy.green@ccaaurora.edu	303-340-7057	Community ESL Program director, working to build digital literacy instruction into adult ESL curriculum. Currently using Northstar Digital Literacy with about 30 of our 700+ learners who are refugees and immigrants. Looking for ways to provide more access to students who lack devices and internet connectivity at home.
Community Computer Connection - C3	Organization	Shawna Soffa	shawna@c3-colorado.org	303-407-4054	Non-profit that offers low-cost refurbished computers
Community Organizing for Radical Empathy	Organization	Winnie Pham	nguyenphvm@gmail.com		Community organizing agency that serves a variety of marginalized populations

Connections for Independent Living & ACCIL	Organization	Rochelle Mitchell-Miller	director@connections4il.org		Certified PMP and nonprofit business executive. The two agencies I represent for this committee serve people with disabilities by ensuring the ADA is considered and inclusive design theories and practicum are an active part of state and local planning. Nothing about us without us.
Denver IDDEAS Program	City/ County	Lynn Kutner	lynn.kutner@denvergov.org		IDDEAS Program Administrator - includes digital equity for people in Denver with I/DD
Denver Public Library	Library	Nate Stone	nstone@denverlibrary.org	720-491-7074	I coordinate technology education for DPL's 27 branches and supervise our Digital Navigator program.
Denver Public Library	Library	Tracy Treece	treece@denverlibrary.org		Digital Inclusion Manager for DPL(variety of tech access and training services/programs), Denver Digital Equity Coalition
e-Luminosity	Business	Denise Atkinson-Shorey	denise.shorey@e-luminosity.net		Working with organizations on strategic broadband planning; integrating infrastructure, digital equity and sustainability. Also provide grant writing, research, advocacy, broadband connectivity, digital literacy, awareness and outreach program development and project management.
Financial Health Institute	Organization	Joanne McLain	jmclain@fhinst.com		We provide foundational digital education as a part of our person-centered financial education. Digital access and skills are part of personal economic stability, security and mobility.

Institute for Local Self Reliance - Community Broadband Networks Team	Organization	Kimberly Harris	kharris@islr.org		The Community Broadband Networks (CBN) initiative is a program of the Institute for Local Self-Reliance, a national research and advocacy nonprofit focused on fighting corporate control and building an American economy driven by local priorities. CBN works with a diverse group of allies, partners, and local communities on policies to improve local Internet access. We also research and document what communities around the country are doing to improve access to high-quality broadband networks.
<u>Jefferson County Public Library</u>	Library	Bernadette Berger	bernadette.berger@jeffcolibrary.org		Director of Technology and Innovation. Working on a strategic project for digital literacy within the library as well as with Jefferson County. Creating partnerships to address digital equity on many levels. Several sub-projects including, which partners with the Business and Workforce Center to help people and give them the digital knowledge and resources to connect and engage to find jobs. Another one is providing digital literacy in Spanish at Title One schools and providing and connecting the participants with free resources.
Larimer County Economic and Workforce Development	City/ County	Tammy Olivas	olivast@co.larimer.co.us	970-498-6626	Program manager for a digital inclusion program focused on helping job seekers with devices, internet, training and support. The program is called Larimer County Digital Roots for Job Seekers.
Loveland Public Library	Library	Erik Rock	erik.rock@cityofloveland.org		Technology Services Manager at Loveland Public Library; interested in promoting digital literacy and inclusion for groups made

					invisible in Northern Colorado, particularly Loveland and Larimer County.
Loveland Public Library	Library	Amy Phillips	amy.phillips@cityofloveland.org		Library Director. Interested in promoting digital literacy, connecting patrons with resources, and expanding understanding of the digital eco system in Colorado.
Mesa County Libraries	Library	Bethany Baker	bbaker@mcpld.org		Virtual Services Librarian -- Website and eResources administrator and computer class/technology help instructor. Interested in engaging in digital equity initiatives, especially for Mesa County.
Office of eHealth Innovation	State agency	Ashley Heathfield	ashley.heathfield@state.co.us		Program partner in the Colorado Digital Equity Plan formation
Office of the Future of Work, CDLE	State agency	Melanie Colletti	melanie.colletti@state.co.us		Colorado Digital Equity Plan & Digital Navigator Program
Older Adults Technology Services (OATS from AARP)	Organization	Dayton Romero	drromero@oats.org		Mountain-Central Regional Program Manager - Senior Planet Programming. Technology education/ digital literacy programs for older adults
PCs for People	Organization	Tony Frank	afrank@pcsforpeople.org	303-961-8340	e-waste recycling/refurbishing through partnerships with businesses and government entities for our certified ITAD services; Partnership development with nonprofits, schools, and local government agencies for computer device/internet distribution; IT education and small business development programs; Fund development to expand our programs. Microsoft Authorized Refurbisher, Mobile Hotspots, certified NAID AAA and R2v3.
Prime Health	Business	Rachel Dixon	rachel@primehealthco.com		Leveraging digital health technology and innovation to advance health equity, quality,

					access, and cost for low income, rural, and historically marginalized or underserved populations in Colorado.
Pueblo Brain Injury, LLC/Re-Inspired Minds	Business	Maria Martinez	pueblo.braininjury@gmail.com	719.387.7093	Provides resources, support groups, classes for individuals with brain injury in Pueblo County. Currently finalizing nonprofit.
<u>Remerg</u>	Organization	Carol Peebles	carol@remerg.com	303-548-3395	Provide remerg.com a website for people leaving incarceration with the goal of connecting people to resources they need to start over
San Luis Valley Broadband Coordination Office	Organization	Dre Oaks-Jaramillo	andrea@slvbco.org	719-588-3191	SLVBCO Community Outreach/Relations Manager. SLVBCO is looking to help foster digital equity, reliability, and affordability in the San Luis Valley.
Spring Institute for Intercultural Learning	Organization	Tiffany Pippin	tpippin@springinstitute.org		We provide a variety of community-based adult education services (English for Parents and Caregiver, English for Older Adults, Citizenship prep, HSE preparation, contextualized workplace English)
Teach by Tech, Inc	Organization	Linnie Pawlek	lpawlek@teachbytech.org		Nonprofit providing ESL digital skills training to adult refugees and immigrants. Developing devices to overcome connectivity obstacles preventing individuals from receiving education and training and accessing information.
University of Kansas Center on Developmental Disabilities	Higher education	Shea Tanis	Tanis@ku.edu		Researcher in policy and accessibility with an emphasis on cognitive accessibility and Technology First Systems Change
World Education, Inc.	Organization	Shirley Doan	shirley_doan@worlded.org		Nonprofit providing capacity building, TA, and professional development services for adult education programs, with a major focus being digital equity and inclusion.

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