

TECHNOLOGY + INNOVATION

Connecting Albuquerque To The Fiber Internet Future

Albuquerque is supporting the expansion of fiber internet infrastructure to bring faster, more reliable, and affordable internet options to residents and businesses. While the City is not performing the work, it ensures that all projects are properly permitted and meet required standards. Private fiber providers are responsible for construction, which will take place over the next few years in neighborhoods, side streets, and major roads —primarily within public rights-of-way, including sidewalks, curbs, and property lines. This explains what to expect during construction and how fiber internet will improve connectivity across the city. To learn more, visit cabq.gov/fiberinternet.



WHAT DOES THIS DO FOR ALBUQUERQUE?

FASTER

Faster Speeds – Fiber carries more data at higher speeds.



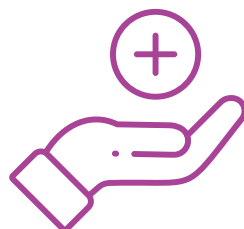
BETTER

Enhances City Infrastructure – Strengthens digital services for education, healthcare, and commerce.



MORE

Expands Internet Access – More affordable & competitive choices for residents



IMPROVED

Improves Home & Business Connectivity – Supports remote work, streaming, home security and smart home devices.





THE FUTURE OF INTERNET IN ALBUQUERQUE

Why Is this happening?

- The City of Albuquerque has permitted fiber internet providers to install new infrastructure to expand faster, more reliable, and affordable internet options for residents and businesses.

What is involved?

- Fiber companies use contractors and subcontractors to install fiber underground and on utility poles. Most work occurs in public rights-of-way, including:
 - Property lines between houses
 - Areas near sidewalks, streets, and curbs

Why fiber internet?

- Faster speeds
 - Fiber carries more data at higher speeds.
- More reliable connection
 - Less interference and fewer outages.
- Future-proof technology
 - Supports new advancements without costly upgrades.

WHAT TO EXPECT IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Neighborhood Notice
 - Before construction begins, fiber providers will notify residents using flyers, door hangers, yard signs, postcards, or street signs. View approved permits at: www.cabq.gov/constructionreport
- Markings
 - Temporary paint and flags may be placed by utility owners to mark their underground utilities. Please do not remove these markings—they prevent accidental damage.
- Construction Process
 - Contractors will bring trucks and equipment to work on the fiber installation.
 - Construction hours: Mon-Sat, 7am-4pm
 - Open holes with safety fences may be present in public rights-of-way.
 - Construction timelines vary by location.
- Post-Installation
 - Legally, the companies must restore construction areas to its their original condition.
 - Homes and businesses may have the option to connect to fiber internet services.

FOR CONCERNS ABOUT CONSTRUCTION, CONTACT FIBER COMPANIES DIRECTLY:

- Ezee Fiber – 505-539-4848
- Gigapower – 505-420-5195
- Vexus Fiber – 844-512-5022

