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ANNOUNCEMENT OF MAJOR BROADBAND INFRASTRUCTURE INITIATIVE

The Mayors of New Haven, West Hartford, and Stamford, along with Senator Beth Bye, Comptroller Kevin Lembo, and Consumer Counsel Elin Swanson Katz, will announce a joint Broadband infrastructure initiative

(Hartford, CT) – At **2:00 pm on Monday, September 15, 2014,** at Room 1B of the Hartford Legislative Office Building, New Haven Mayor Toni Harp, West Hartford Deputy Mayor Shari Cantor, Stamford Mayor David R. Martin, along with Senator Beth Bye, Comptroller Kevin Lembo, and Consumer Counsel Elin Swanson Katz, will announce a joint initiative seeking to increase access to ultra-high-speed Gigabit networks in their cities and throughout Connecticut, while reducing the cost of such networks for businesses, high-tech industry, universities, and homeowners.

The parties will release a document related to these efforts at that time.

WHO

- Senator Beth Bye
- Connecticut Consumer Counsel Elin Katz
- New Haven Mayor Toni Harp
- Naiara Azpiri, Vice President, Veoci, New Haven
- West Hartford Deputy Mayor Shari Cantor
- Charles Ward, CIO, private investment firm, West Hartford
- Stamford Mayor David R. Martin
- Ted Yang, MediaCrossing, Inc., Stamford
- Dr. Yu-Hui Rogers, Site Director,
The Jackson Laboratory for Genomic Medicine, Farmington, CT
- Comptroller Kevin Lembo
- Blair Levin, Executive Director, Gig.U

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Legislative Office Building

300 Capitol Avenue

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