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Broadband Update

The County continues its effort to achieve improved internet service for its citizens.

The Amherst County broadband steering committee held a meeting Tuesday, February 20th to discuss the unsolicited proposal from SCS Broadband/Accelanet, LLC, with its expert consultant, Design Nine, of Blacksburg, VA. The Committee's next step is to schedule a meeting with SCS Broadband, to begin a detailed discussion phase with the assistance of Design Nine. Ultimately, the Committee will make a recommendation to the Broadband Authority Board of Directors to proceed with contract negotiations with SCS Broadband or adopt some other course of action.

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