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Slow Broadband? Want to stream content online? Want Competition for Virgin?

Residents have started a campaign to get super-fast broadband in the area to ensure we aren't left behind for broadband in Cheltenham.

Why? Because BT have decided **not to invest in our area** whilst they have elsewhere in Hatherley and Cheltenham.

So what? The infrastructure means that we are only able to receive speeds of up to 2Mbps compared to the UK average of 14.7Mbps. The government consider 2Mbps to be the minimum acceptable standard—many of us will not get this. With super-fast broadband we could get 75Mbps!!

But I'm a Virgin Customer? At the moment you can only get superfast broadband from Virgin. If we're successful you'll be able to choose from a wide range of suppliers, giving you access to a wide range of deals.

What are you doing? We have setup a working group to campaign to BT Openreach and the government funding scheme called "BDUK" (Fastershire in our area) for investment. We have also started to receive support from Martin Horwood MP who will speak to BT's representatives on our behalf.

What can I do? We need to show there is sufficient interest in faster broadband to help get investment from either BT or Fastershire. This has worked for other areas to bring super-fast broadband to their area.

I'm in what next? Please show your support and register on our website and we will keep you updated on progress.

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