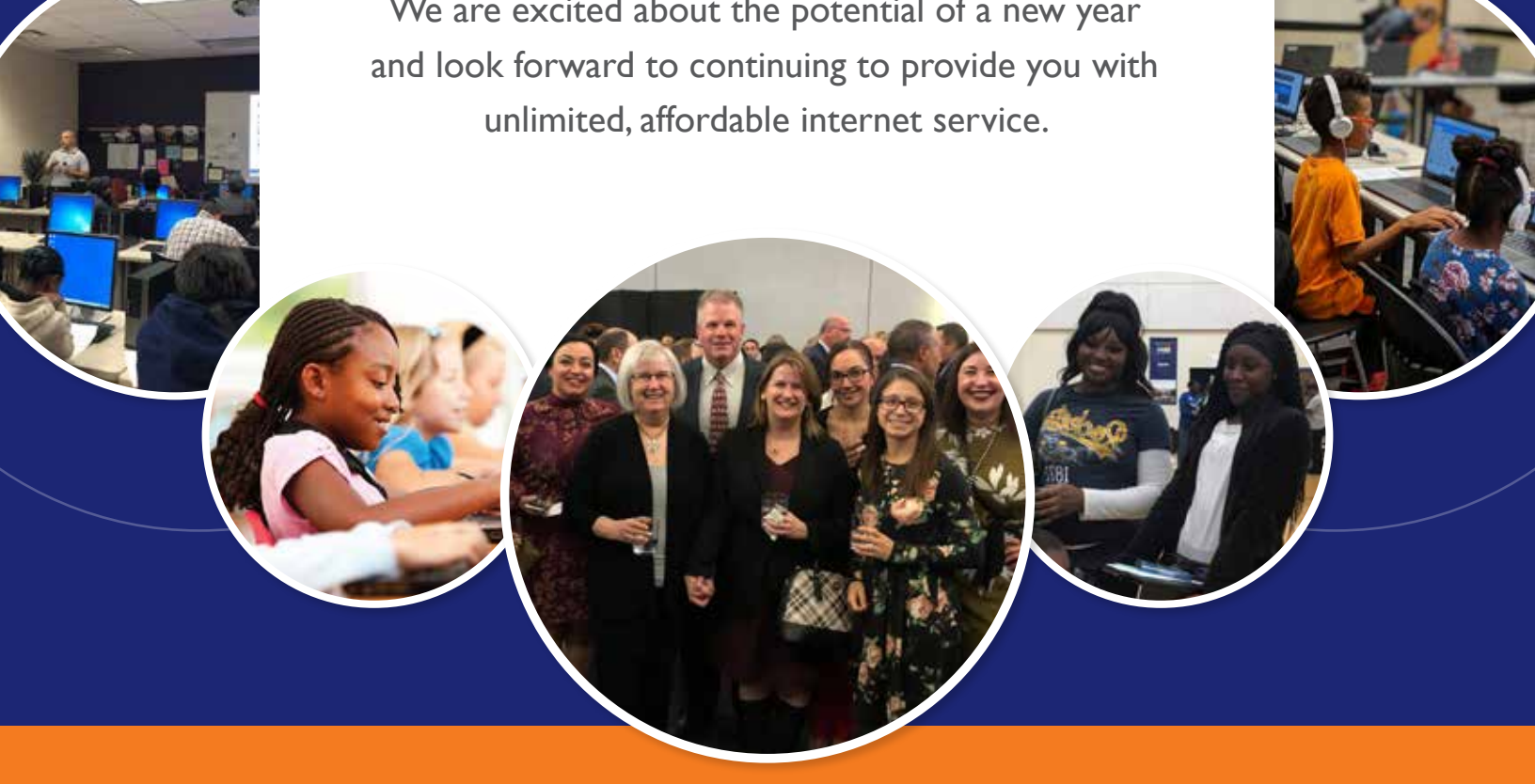


# THANK YOU

to all of our customers and partners  
for an incredible 2019!

**Mobile Beacon saw a recording-breaking 2019.  
We added over 1,500 new customers this year!**

We are excited about the potential of a new year and look forward to continuing to provide you with unlimited, affordable internet service.



## TOTAL ORGANIZATIONS SERVED IN 2019



**825**

Schools



**1089**

Libraries



**5135**

Nonprofits



**15**

Government

## HOTSPOTS DONATED THROUGH

**techsoup & DIGITALwish™**



**9,647**

Devices

Mobile Beacon & PCs for People

Bridging the Gap is a nonprofit-led initiative of PCs for People and Mobile Beacon that helps community anchor institutions like housing authorities, schools, libraries, and nonprofits provide affordable computers and Educational Broadband Service (EBS) internet to eligible students and their families.



Bridging the Gap held distribution events in **seven** cities in 2019.

Bridging the Gap distributed **879 computers** and **606 hotspots** with **three free months** of internet service to eligible students and their families.

“Each day technology is becoming more vital in navigating our society. It is woven into just about every aspect of our lives,” said James E. Yapias, Salt Lake Education Foundation Director. “We are extremely grateful to Bridging the Gap for helping our students and their families be able to have access to computers and hot spots to help them work, play, learn, communicate, shop, share information and so much more.”

“The opportunities and access to technology that PCs for People and Mobile Beacon will provide to our students and their families are invaluable,” Belton ISD Board of Trustees President Sue M. Jordan said. “We are incredibly grateful for our long-time partnership with the United Way of Central Texas and appreciate them for being the powerful connector that brought us all together in support of our community.”

## BRIDGING THE GAP IN ACTION



Emporia, KS

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Temple, TX

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South Bend, IN

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[AND MORE!](#)

## GRANTS



**CONNECT FOR SUCCESS**  
Student Access Donation Program

### BACK TO SCHOOL BLITZ

**46 Schools**

awarded in

**26 communities**  
across the country



### WI-FLY WINNERS

**Congratulations to**  
Boys and Girls Club of South Alabama  
and  
Law and Civics Reading and Writing Institute

## EDUCATIONAL BROADBAND SERVICE (EBS)



**476**

customers advocated  
on behalf of EBS.



**110**

customers/organizations  
wrote to the FCC.

## WE WANTED TO TAKE A MOMENT TO THANK ALL OF YOU WHO PARTICIPATED IN OUR #SAVEEBS ADVOCACY CAMPAIGN.

Our team was astounded and grateful for the outpouring of support. Hundreds of you called and wrote your legislators and the FCC in support of EBS. We loved reading how our unlimited service impacts your community and serves your mission. Please know our organization is continuing to fight on behalf of the EBS community to ensure the spectrum is available and accessible to the educational and tribal communities.