

News Release

Brightspeed High-Speed Internet Comes to Central New Jersey: Game Changer for Homes and Businesses

Company's next-gen connectivity is fueling opportunity and connection for Somerset and Hunterdon Counties

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — June 11, 2025 — <u>Brightspeed</u>, the nation's third-largest fiber broadband builder, is connecting thousands of people across Central New Jersey to its state-of-the-art, high-speed fiber network. More than 16,700 homes and businesses in Somerset and Hunterdon Counties now have access to <u>the country's fastest internet service</u>, as determined by HighSpeedInternet.com Annual Service Provider Review 2025.

According to Broadband Now, nearly 4 in 10 New Jersey residents can't purchase a fiber internet plan today. These homes and businesses are missing out on the kind of connectivity they need to thrive in today's economy. By the end of Brightspeed's full fiber buildout, nearly 31,000 locations across the communities of Belle Mead, Flemington and Clinton will have access to the fiber network, opening up new opportunities for remote workers, families, entrepreneurs and small businesses.

The table below illustrates the total number of homes and businesses that are ready to be connected.

Community	Planned Locations	Ready for Service
Belle Mead	14,866	5,707
Flemington	10,652	6,821
Clinton	5,459	4,221

With multi-gig speeds and cutting-edge technology, Brightspeed's fiber network is designed to empower how people work, learn, live and interact today. New Jersey residents will soon have the opportunity to meet with one of Brightspeed's representatives, who will be knocking on doors to spread the word about the availability of Brightspeed Fiber Internet in the area.

Those who receive a visit from a Brightspeed team member should know:

- Who to expect: Fully trained Brightspeed sales representatives in company-branded attire, ready to share
 important information about the company's fiber internet service plan options.
- What's included: Information about new fiber internet services, the benefits of high-speed connectivity, and how residents can get started with Brightspeed's commitment-free service.
- Why it matters: Brightspeed's commitment to closing the digital divide means expanding the availability of affordable, high-quality internet to communities that have lacked quality connectivity options.

Check Availability & Get Connected

Brightspeed offers various internet speed plans to choose from and decide what's right for their family. Residents and businesses in New Jersey can check if Brightspeed Fiber Internet is available in their area by visiting www.brightspeed.com.

Fast, reliable internet isn't just about convenience, it's about creating opportunities. Brightspeed's expansion in Somerset and Hunterdon Counties helps ensure communities aren't left behind in today's digital world.

About Brightspeed

Headquartered in Charlotte, N.C. and with assets and associated operations in 20 states, Brightspeed provides broadband and telecommunications services through a network platform capable of serving more than 7.3 million homes and businesses. Our 4,000 employees are committed to building a future where more communities benefit from a more connected life, deploying a state-of-the-art fiber network and a customer experience that makes being connected as simple as it should be. For more information, please visit www.brightspeed.com.

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