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NEWS TO KNOW

Top Local, Regional, and National Digital Inclusion & Literacy News

1. **Court Overturns FCC Ruling That Pushes For Expansion Of City-Owned Broadband Services: What This Means To Consumers [Tech Times]**
   A federal appeals court overturned a ruling by the Federal Communications Commission that pushes for the expansion of city-owned broadband services into areas that are not being serviced by commercial providers. The decision is seen as a victory for private companies that provide internet services and a setback for the FCC and its chairman, Tom Wheeler.

2. **Digital Inclusion Fellowship: Year 1 Results & Toolkit [Google Fiber]**
   Ruben Campillo, former NTEN Digital Inclusion Fellow and current Digital Inclusion Outreach & Community Engagement Manager for the Queens Knight School of Communication writes a guest post on the Google Fiber blog highlighting his first year working towards Digital Inclusion.

3. **Stakeholder Snapshot [Digital Charlotte]**
   In our Stakeholder Snapshot section, new profiles highlight some of the educators, trainers, and practitioners working to close the gap in the digital divide in Charlotte. This month we feature the new NTEN Digital Inclusion Fellows, Cache Owens and Margo Scurry - both speaking at the Digital Charlotte’s UPCOMING meetup: Fireside Chat!

   Laura Clark, Executive Director of Renaissance West Community Initiative, writes an op-ed about the possible positive effects that high-speed internet can bring to neighborhoods in Charlotte. "Bridging the digital divide can open the door to economic mobility."

EVENTS

Regional Digital Inclusion & Literacy Programs, Trainings, and Public Meetings

- **September 7** - Digital Charlotte Meetup: Fireside Chat

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September 15 - Pulitzer NC: Hashtag Activism: New Media Mobilizes Communities of Interest

Digital Charlotte Calendar
Have an upcoming event? Go here to share your event.

RESOURCES
Tutorial for use by Digital Inclusion Trainers

TUTORIAL: What is Email?

Have any questions, suggestions, events, or resources to share? Let us know!

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