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## **President Biden's Affordable Connectivity Program is Delivering in the U.S. Virgin Islands**

As of February 2024

High-speed internet is necessary for Americans to do their jobs, participate in school, access health care, and stay connected.

The Affordable Connectivity Program, enacted under President Biden's Bipartisan Infrastructure Law as the largest internet affordability program in our nation's history, is already helping 23 million households across the country save \$30-\$75 each per month on their monthly internet bills. And, because the Biden-Harris Administration worked with internet providers to offer high-speed internet plans that are fully covered by the Affordable Connectivity Program, working families in the Virgin Islands can now get high-speed internet for *free*.

**More than 5,171 households across the Virgin Islands have benefitted from the Affordable Connectivity Program, but the program will run out of funding as soon as spring 2024 if Congress does not act now.**

In Virgin Islands:

- **Enrollment to date:** Today, 5,171 Virgin Islands households are enrolled in the Affordable Connectivity Program. That's about 1 in 8 households in the territory.
- **Funding to date:** The Virgin Islands has received \$2,188,867 in funding from the Affordable Connectivity Program. That means Virgin Islands families are saving about \$158,000 total each month.