

# **TECHQUITY**

**OUR GOAL:** WE WILL PROVIDE 50,000 COMPUTERS TO PEOPLE WHO NEED THEM BY 2027.

The digital divide is the gap between those who have access to essential digital skills and tools, like the internet, and those who do not. The digital divide prevents equal participation and opportunity in all parts of life, disproportionately affecting people of color, indigenous peoples, households with low-incomes, people with disabilities, people in rural areas, and older adults.

The vision of Techquity is to ensure the digital equity and inclusion of every resident in Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Washington, and Waukesha counties.

Techquity is guided by these strategies:

- Broadband: Ensuring all members of our community have access to affordable and reliable broadband.
- Devices: Ensuring all members of our community have access to the digital devices needed to flourish.
- Skills: Equipping our community with the digital skills, literacy, and vocational opportunities needed to participate and excel in the digital economy.

Greater Milwaukee & Waukesha County

### THE FACTS

## 5,000+ COMPUTERS

have been distributed to organizations and residents in need of technology.

### 650+ PEOPLE

were assisted with Affordable Connectivity Program eligibility and/or enrollment.

#### **50+ PARTNERS**

supported affordable broadband access, computers, smartphones, hotspots, and data plans, as well as digital skills and literacy trainings, for thousands of community members.