Randy **HILLIER** MPP Lanark-Frontenac-Kingston

PETITION

Ontario

A Petition to the Legislative Assembly of Ontario – BROADBAND EXPANSION

WHEREAS access to affordable and effective internet service is a necessity, not a luxury, in the 21st century;
AND WHEREAS 93% respondents to Randy Hillier's 2019 riding internet survey reported not having the minimum standard of internet service;
AND WHEREAS half of the respondents reported paying between $150-$300 a month for inadequate service;
WE the undersigned petition the Legislative Assembly of Ontario as follows:
That the Government of Ontario, through the appropriate Ministries, work immediately to address the barriers to broadband expansion in rural and remote Ontario, including delays caused by Hydro One's pole attachment process and fees, as well and obstacles imposed by the Ontario Energy Board and other policies that are restricting the expansion of affordable and effective broadband in our communities.

Name (please print)	Complete address with postal code	Phone number	Email address	Signature

Please return this petition with original signatures by mail or deliver to MPP Randy Hillier, 1-105 Dufferin St, Perth, ON K7H 3A5