

Cable Connects Texans

In today's fast-paced world, Texans increasingly rely on the cable industry to meet their information, communication and entertainment needs. Whether it's through high-speed Internet, digital local and long distance phone, video services – or a combination – cable is changing the way Texans live.

The cable industry is meeting – and even anticipating – Texans' needs while supporting communities through public service, creating jobs, contributing to local and state economies, and investing private capital in the state's telecommunications infrastructure.



CABLE IN TEXAS BY THE NUMBERS

Over 1,000 – Cities & communities served

4.2 million – Cable subscribers

2.1 million – High-speed Internet lines

620,000 – Digital phone connections

97,000 – Employees (direct and indirect)

More than \$10 billion — Capital investment in Texas over the past 10 years

More than \$1.5 billion – Franchise fees paid to state and local governments over past 10 years

\$15 billion – Amount cable industry contributes annually to the Texas economy

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