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| ***Advisory - w media*****Media Contact:** Evan Swarztrauber, (202) 418-2261evan.swarztrauber@fcc.gov**For Immediate Release** ***--*****MEDIA ADVISORY: Commissioner Carr to Visit Rural Communities in Southern Nevada*****Visit Will Focus on the Impact of High-Speed Broadband on Small Businesses, Healthcare, Education, and Economic Opportunity***WASHINGTON—On Monday, April 9, FCC Commissioner Brendan Carr will visit southern Nevada, including the towns of Beatty, Amargosa Valley, Pahrump, and Mountain Springs in rural parts of Nye County and Clark County. The visit will focus on the impact that high-speed broadband can have on small businesses, healthcare, education, and economic development in these rural communities. Commissioner Carr’s trip will include visits to:* **Beatty Medical Clinic**, which practices telemedicine
* **Beatty High School** to meet with students, staff, and local business owners

 * **Ponderosa Dairy** in Amargosa Valley
* Local Pahrump broadcaster **KPVM-TV**
* **Mountain Falls housing development**, where fiber is in the process of being deployed
* **Mountain Springs** in Clark County for a roundtable on removing barriers to broadband access and deployment

**Members of the media are welcome to attend any of the visits on the tour.** Contact Evan Swarztrauber at evan.swarztrauber@fcc.gov or on his cell at (202) 870-8405 for more information.###**Office of Commissioner Brendan Carr: (202) 418-2200****ASL Videophone: (844) 432-2275****TTY: (888) 835-5322****Twitter: @BrendanCarrFCC****www.fcc.gov/about/leadership/brendan-carr***This is an unofficial announcement of Commission action. Release of the full text of a Commission order constitutes official action. See MCI v. FCC, 515 F.2d 385 (D.C. Cir. 1974).* |