Technology Opportunities Program - TOP

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Formerly Known as TIIAP**

Program Cycle

- Announced: January

- Deadline: March

- Notification: September

- Project Start Date: October 1

Project Length

12 - 36 Months

Awards

- $600,000 Maximum Varies (< >)

- $200/300,000 Average

- $200,000 (Below) Occasionally

Fund

- Hardware
- Contractual
- Training
- Personnel
- Software
- Cable

- Wiring
- Bandwidth

Do Not Fund

- For-Profit Organizations
- Individuals
- One-Way Networks
- Single Organization Projects
- Equipment Replacement/Upgrades

Technologies

- Internet
- Wireless
- Java
- Geographical Information Systems (GIS)
- Video
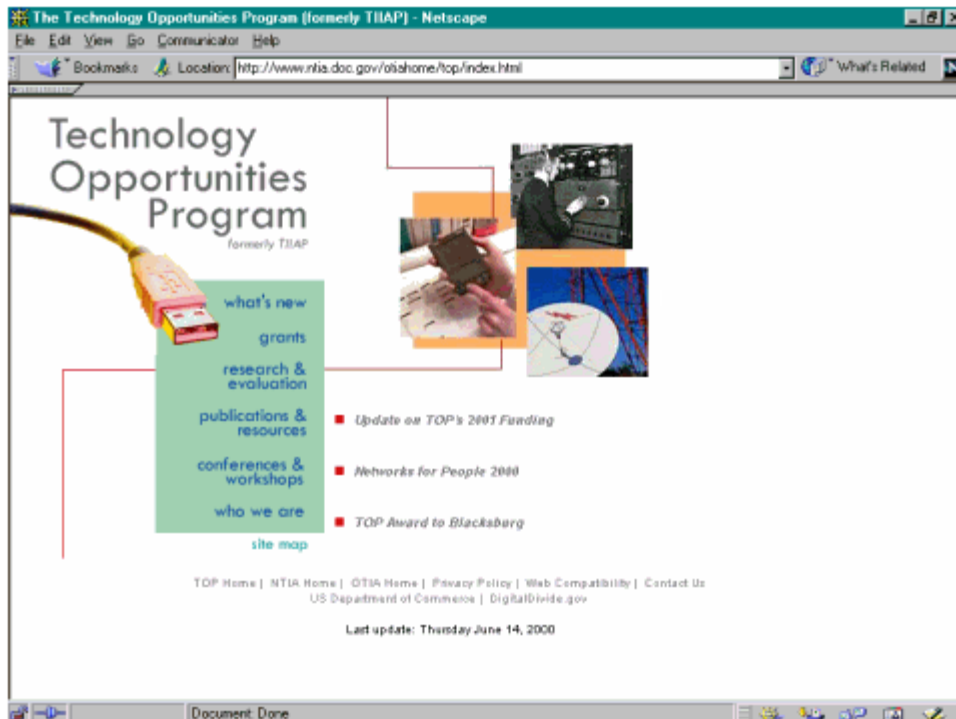- Cable TV
- Web TV
- Broadband
- Audio

Matching Funds

- 50/50 Match
- Certification of Matching Funds
- Cash
- In-Kind

Library Funding

- Access
- Distance Education
- Digitization
- Virtual Libraries
- Information Networks
- Literacy
- Resource Delivery
- Service Delivery

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The Technology Opportunities Program Web Site

http://www.ntia.doc.gov/otiahome/top/index.html

Library Grants Search Criteria

- Application Area   All Application Areas
- State   All States
- Year   All Years
- Keywords   Library
- Records Found   91

Denver Public Library

http://www.denver.lib.co.us/

- Digital Images
- Access (Public/Rural)
- Information Network
- Existing Infrastructure

New York Public Library

http://www.nypl.org/branch/oss/

- Literacy
- English as a Second Language
- Neighborhood Libraries
- Teacher Training

Southeastern Library Network - SOLINET

http://www.solinet.net/

- Regional
- Standardization
- Consensus Building
- Marketing

Lessons Learned

- Training (Staff/End Users)
- Staff Time
- Partnerships
- Community Involvement