

#67 12.21.24 As originally thought, is Cox going to be completed with construction by the end of 2024? No. There have been a couple of things beyond our control that will push that back into at least the first quarter of 2025. The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) has changed their policy on accessing the trunk line which runs along Interstate 17 that will be used to connect Black Canyon City. That has caused some delays. We are still trying to gain access from the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to cross a portion of the Aqua Fria National Monument so the homes/properties behind it can be serviced.

#68 12.24.24 I understand that the Project Manager for Yavapai County, Superintendent Carter, who is well known for being accessible when residents have had issues with the installation of fiber, is retiring. Is that true and how is that going to impact completion? Yes, it is true. Mr. Carter announced some time ago that he was not running for a sixth term in 2024 as he planned to retire at the end of this term, December 31, 2024. Mr. Carter also mentioned that at a public meeting at Canon School in the early fall. The person who has been selected to become the Project Manager has been working with the project since it started, Yavapai County Librarian Corey Christians. He can be reached at Corey Christians@yavapaiaz.gov. His phone number is 928.830-5996.