
(ETC) ETECH OHIO

Higher Education Improvement Fund	\$1,310,000
TOTAL - All Funds	\$1,310,000

HIGHER EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT FUND (034)

CAP-001 Educational TV and Radio Equipment **\$1,000,000**

Category: Capital Equipment

County: Statewide

These funds will be used for equipment at eTech and its affiliated public television and radio stations. Approximately \$280,000 will be used to purchase equipment for public radio stations and the radio reading service. The remaining \$720,000 will be used in one of two ways: (1) to purchase nine Edge Servers, one of which will be located at each public television station; or (2) to phase-in the purchase of the Edge Servers, beginning with a purchase of \$150,000, and to use the remaining \$570,000 to purchase other equipment for public television stations. The Edge Servers will be used by eTech to transmit programming content. They will replace current aging transmission equipment.

CAP-003 ETC Ohio Government Telecomm **\$310,000**

Category: Capital Equipment

County: Statewide

These funds will be used to update equipment for Ohio Government Telecommunications (OGT). OGT will purchase three new studio cameras at a total cost of \$210,000. This purchase will allow OGT to move additional cameras into the House and Senate chambers. Three new studio camera supports also will be purchased at a total cost of \$50,000 to replace equipment that is 10 years old and failing. Finally, two remote camera packages at a total cost of \$50,000 will be purchased. This equipment is needed because OGT offsite production is increasing with coverage of Governor's events, Supreme Court off-site courts, and other various state office holder events.