

Invest in Tech Hubs to Promote American Leadership

America faces unprecedented threats to our global leadership.

America's economic leadership and national security were built in large part on our first-rate innovation infrastructure and outputs. As China and other countries catch up to us on metric after metric, we must reinvest in protecting, reclaiming, and expanding our edge in quantum, biosciences, energy, materials, and other critical and emerging technologies—or we risk losing our technological dominance and all of the advantages it entails.

Tech Hubs are a key part of our response.

The Tech Hubs program is designed to address our current needs by:

- Accelerating innovations from discovery to market
- Catalyzing private investment in tech deployment
- Growing tech jobs and production in more U.S. regions
- Improving domestic supply chain resilience
- Securing our national defense through tech superiority

Congress should expand and protect America's tech superiority by fully funding Tech Hubs' \$10 billion authorization.

Tech Hubs implementation progress

- 1 Identify and designate regions as Tech Hubs within critical tech sectors.
☒ **Commerce designated 31 Tech Hubs.**
- 2 Provide up to \$1 billion per region to projects that achieve tech dominance.
☐ **Commerce has invested just \$504 million across 12 Tech Hubs.**

Tech Hubs are providing opportunities across the U.S.

34 states & Puerto Rico are covered by the 31 Tech Hubs designations, 12 of which have received implementation awards. Another 13 states are represented in strategy and development awards.

Tech Hubs are producing successes and attracting industry support

- Ohio, Colorado, Illinois, and Vermont are among the Tech Hubs opening new facilities that speed tech development.
- Associations representing startups, tech companies, developers, and more have signed letters of support to Congress.
- Companies have expanded or relocated operations to Tech Hubs, including those in Alabama, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Oregon, and Virginia.
- Over 500 firms and industry groups are supporting the 31 designated Tech Hubs.