Progress Update

*Everyone on Madison* is a project of the nonprofit organization DANEnet. Launched in late 2016, we are already having phenomenal results at improving digital equity in Dane County.

Over 14,000 households in Dane County do not have home internet access. Almost half of adults report needing better digital literacy skills to take advantage of current technology. Access to digital society provides families with a number of important financial, educational and social benefits.

We are working hard to connect more families, provide free and relevant digital literacy, and get quality desktop computers into low-income households.

**Connectivity**
603 households now have home internet access

**Classes**
326 adults participated in digital literacy classes

**Computers**
282 computers distributed to low-income households

**Clinics**
128 devices fixed or improved at Fix IT Clinics
Everyone On Madison would not be possible without significant partnerships. Generous businesses are providing computers, and Cascade Asset Management is refurbishing and imaging the computers. Community-based organizations are hosting classes and providing outreach, and government, private foundations and telecommunication businesses are providing the needed financial investments.

Tom Linfield of the Madison Community Foundation writes, "To be literate in today's society - indeed, to be engaged in our community - means having access to the digital world and all it offers. Computer ownership and facility allows people of all ages to participate in school, hold a job, interact with healthcare professionals, and lend their voices to the community conversation. DANEnet is providing this critical, inclusionary service for hundreds of families.

Together we are building a path towards digital equity in Dane County.