

# Satellite Internet Service Rebate Program

Up to a **\$1,000** rebate on select satellite internet service costs.

## Am I Eligible?

- The program continues in 2024 and accepts applications from underserved residents and business owners in a high-speed internet project area currently underway and not yet complete. This provides an interim solution for many Nova Scotians.

- The rebate remains available to the approximate 3,700 homes and businesses for which no feasible wired or wireless internet solution is available.

- The rebate covers the one-time cost for eligible homes and businesses to set up satellite internet, including hardware, taxes, shipping, and installation, up to a maximum of \$1,000.

Check Eligibility






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(Or visit [internet.buildns.ca/satellite](http://internet.buildns.ca/satellite))

- If eligible\* and interested, you will need to purchase the hardware from a qualified satellite internet provider that meets or exceeds CRTC speeds of 50 Mbps download and 10 Mbps upload. (Currently Starlink)
  - You can then apply for the rebate via the online application here (or visit [internet.buildns.ca/satellite](http://internet.buildns.ca/satellite)). A mail-in application is also available. All receipts must be included at time of application.
  - Once your claim is reviewed and approved, a cheque will be mailed to you within approximately 8-10 weeks via Canada Post. If we have questions upon review, we will reach out.
  - If you are in a project area for fibre/wired as part of the Internet for Nova Scotia Initiative, you can switch from satellite as access is available.
  - If you are not showing as eligible and have questions, please contact us.
  - Through the Internet for Nova Scotia Initiative and Satellite Rebate Program, 99.9% of homes and businesses can now connect.
- \* Includes seasonal residences and areas of Pictou County's independent high-speed internet project not yet complete.

**Check eligibility and learn more at:**

 [satellite@buildns.ca](mailto:satellite@buildns.ca)  **1-800-298-2854**  [internet.buildns.ca/satellite](http://internet.buildns.ca/satellite)

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