

Public Notice Submission

Provider Name: Bernard Telephone Co., Inc.

Summary: The information contained in this response supports the fact that customers within our service territory, which overlaps all or portions of census tracts and census block groups included in BTOP applications, have access to high quality, facilities-based broadband service as defined by the Notice of Funds Availability (NOFA).

We are currently capable of serving 100% of customers in the area where our service territory overlaps any census tracts or census block groups listed by a Comprehensive Community Infrastructure applicant. Today, 100% of our customers can receive a 1M broadband service, and depending on the customers location they may be capable of receiving broadband speeds as high as 6M.

All data/comments included in this filing pertain only to the area where overlapping occurs between our company's serving territory and the census tracts or census block groups listed by a Comprehensive Community Infrastructure applicant.