



## FIRST PERFORMANCE PROGRESS REPORT 2010

<p>1. Recipient Organization (<i>Name and complete address including zip code</i>)          JKM Consulting, INC. P.O. Box 3250, Oxford, AL 36203</p>	<p>2. Award Identification Number          NT10BIX5570095</p>
<p>3. Performance Narrative (Q1)  <i>Please describe your project activities and progress for the first quarter of your award period. This should include a description of federal expenditures to date, key milestones, the primary activities needed to accomplish those milestones, significant project accomplishments, and any delays or challenges. Please use the milestone categories provided in your baseline report (e.g., environmental assessment, design, rights of way) to structure your answer. (500 words or less)</i></p> <p><b>During this quarter JKM Consulting, INC finalized grant funding, initiated project detail engineering for the fiber network, and initiated project management and site acquisition for Project BEAR. Upon acceptance of the grant, JKM established a project office, began construction of compliance documentation, and selected the grant administration sub-recipient. After review of five Requests for Proposal, the Outside Plant Engineering Firm was selected. The Environmental Assessment has begun as well as contract finalization on third party in-kind matches.</b></p> <p><b>Grant Expenditures for this quarter total \$17,116.25. These expenditures include Program Management, Project Management, and Miscellaneous Fund Expenditures used to cover costs incurred in establishment of the Project BEAR project office.</b></p>	
<p>4. Performance Projections (Q2)  <i>Please describe your anticipated project activities and progress for the next quarter. This should include a description of federal expenditures, key milestones, the primary activities needed to accomplish those milestones, significant project accomplishments, and any potential delays or challenges you foresee. Please use the milestone categories provided in your baseline report (e.g., environmental assessment, design, rights of way) to structure your answer. (500 words or less)</i></p> <p><b>During this quarter, JKM Consulting, INC projects to complete the Environmental Assessment as well as the Outside Plant Engineering. JKM also plans to release Request for Proposal for Fiber Construction Contract and Material, initiate city permits as required, and initiate and finalize DOT permits for submittal. Plans are also in place to complete the Third Party In-Kind Matching Contracts, initiate Project Detail Engineering for Wireless Systems, and complete Fiber Detail Engineering.</b></p> <p><b>Anticipated Federal Expenditures for this quarter total \$257,783.75. These expenditures include Fiber Engineering, Project Management, Project Management/Construction, Program Management, Consulting/Professional Services, Grant Administration, and Legal expenses.</b></p>	
<p><b>5. Certification: I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that this report is correct and complete for performance of activities for the purposes set forth in the award documents.</b></p>	
<p>5a. Typed or Printed Name and Title of Authorized Certifying Official           Steven D. Moses, Vice President</p>	<p>5c. Telephone (<i>area code, number and extension</i>)          256-405-0613</p> <p>5d. Email Address          jkmoses@jkmconsultinginc.com</p>
<p>5b. Signature of Authorized Certifying Official</p>	<p>5e. Date Report Submitted (<i>Month, Day, Year</i>)  <b>October 26, 2010</b></p>

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