



C-5529 Precision Agriculture Infrastructure Grant (PRO-AG) Grant Application

IMPORTANT: Applicants are strongly advised to carefully examine the PRO-AG Program Guide and PRO-AG Scoring Reference Sheet for details regarding application and attachment requirements, including but not limited to details on application field descriptions, attachment content, and requirements.

Section I: Applicant Details

1. Subprogram Type:	Devices and Technology Subprogram	<input type="button" value="v"/>
2. Applicant name:	FERENCE AGRONOMY LLC	
3. Applicant type:	Agronomist	<input type="button" value="v"/>
4. Applicant street address:	1712 O street	
4a. Applicant city:	Ord	
4b. Applicant state:	NE	
4c. Applicant zip code:	68862	
5. Applicant contact (first and last name):	Johnny FERENCE	
6. Applicant e-mail:	ferenceagronomy@gmail.com	
7. Applicant phone number:	3087302046	
8. <u>Connectivity Subprogram Only:</u> Applicant's Nebraska ETC Status:		
9. <u>Connectivity Subprogram Only:</u> Does the applicant currently report through FCC BDC speeds of at least 100/20 Mbps provided to customers within the State of Nebraska?		

Section II: Project Details

1. Project name:	Application Drones		
2. Precision agriculture production type:	Animal and Crop Production		<input type="button" value="v"/>
3. Project location description:	Central Nebraska. 60 miles radius around Ord Nebraska		
4. Estimated number of locations served in project area:	15 additional operations		
5. Technology type(s) used in proposed project:	DJI Ag Terra T 40		
6. Start Date:	May 1 2024	7. Expected completion date:	October 15, 2029
8. Total Project Cost:	66,050	9. Total Match Amount:	32,500
10. PRO-AG Grant Amount Requested:	33,550		

Connectivity Subprogram Only:

11. Farm Site Size (acres):		12. Number of Key Operational Locations:	
13. Number of Connected On-Farm Entities:		14. Current maximum connection speed bandwidth in project area in Mbps: <i>(Must be < 25/3 Mbps)</i>	
15. Speeds upon completion: <i>(Must be 100/20 Mbps or >)</i>		16. Monthly customer rate for proposed 100Mbps/ 20Mbps service:	

Attach/Include (see Program Guide for details):

ALL Applicants Must Include:

- Attachment A. Business Plan
- Attachment B. Legal
- Attachment C. Technical Summary
- Attachment D. Cybersecurity
- Attachment E. Match Documentation
- Attachment F. Monitoring and Evaluation
- Attachment G. Project Impact
- Attachment H. Other supporting documentation (if applicable)

Connectivity Subprogram Applicants Must Also Include:

- Attachment I. Shapefiles
- Attachment J. Project Diagram

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION:

I, the undersigned Johnny Ference, representing Ference Agronomy LLC, hereby certify the eligibility of our entity/project for the Precision Agriculture Grant (PRO-AG). By signing this statement, I confirm the legal name, contact details, size, and location of the farm site(s), along with our eligibility type as a Agronomist Attached are supporting documents validating our eligibility, and I declare adherence to all requirements outlined in Precision Agriculture Connectivity Infrastructure Grant Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. § 86-1401 et seq.) & Commission Order C-5529. I certify that the information submitted on the application and all supporting documents are true and correct. I certify that the applicant entity is not currently using, nor will it use prohibited communications equipment and services developed by organizations on the Federal Communications Commission's Covered List.

This application accepts handwritten, electronic, and typed signatures, all of which carry equal legal weight. Your signature, in any of these forms, confirms the accuracy and authenticity of the provided information. It will be considered binding for all purposes related to this application and any subsequent agreements or certifications.

<u>Johnny Ference</u>	<u>02/22/2024</u>
Printed Name of Authorized Person	Date
<u>Owner of Ference Agronomy</u>	
Title of Authorized Person	
<u>Johnny Ference</u>	
Signature of Authorized Person	

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