Nebraska Public Service Commission 1200 N Street, Suite 300 Lincoln, NE 68508

RE: Nebraska Broadband Bridge Act Grant

Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company. hereby certifies that it will commit to fund 25 percent of the total project cost as proposed by Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company's Dakota County south of Hubbard project. We hereby commit to fund \$411,601.

Thank you,

Pat McElroy

NNTC General Manager

About NNTC:

Northeast Nebraska Telephone Company is a telephone, internet and television service provider headquartered in Jackson, NE. NNTC serves 30 communities throughout 24 counties in northeast Nebraska. Founded in 1955, NNTC is one of Nebraska's first telephone cooperatives providing fiber service to 100% of its customers.