

Capital Projects Fund Community Feedback Form

PROJECT DETAILS

Applying Service Provider: Nebraska Central Telephone now Hamilton Telephone

Project Name: Village of Boelus

Description of Proposed Project Area:

Provide fast fiber to homes in Boelus, NE.

Name of person/entity completing the form: Village of Boelus by Russell Jensen Treasurer

Community Role (mark one): — All Apply

Community Member

Local Business: Boelus State Bank

Local Government: Village of Boelus

Local Nonprofit: _____

Tribal Government: _____

Other (describe): _____

I/We DO NOT support the providers application because:

I/We support the provider's application because (select any that apply):

- The proposed service area is not able to receive reliable broadband service of 25/3 Mbps or greater.
- The proposed service area is not able to receive reliable broadband service of 100/20 Mbps or greater.
- The proposed project would result in the entire community having access to high-speed internet at 100/100 Mbps.
- The proposed service provider has consulted with the community in relation to community needs and affordability of the proposed service plans.
- Other reasons (please complete below)

Comments:

I am president of the Boelus State Bank, it would be greatly beneficial for the Bank to receive fast reliable internet service. The ever increasing services which require fast internet is increasing for the bank to upload file balance for debit cards and internet banking.

I also serve as treasurer for the Village of Boelus. The civic center would most likely change internet provider for the many internet required renters. Many internet users (Weddings funerals, businesses, fireman, etc) need fast and reliable internet.

Please feel free to include supplemental information regarding the proposed project as attachments to this form.

More information about the Capital Projects Fund grant program or the Nebraska Broadband Bridge Program, including a map and an electronic version of this form, can be found on the Nebraska Public Service Commission (PSC) website at: <https://psc.nebraska.gov/telecommunications/nebraska-broadband-bridge-program-nbbp>.

If you have questions regarding the Capital Projects Fund grant program, please e-mail psc.broadband@nebraska.gov or you may contact the Nebraska Public Service Commission Consumer Advocate during regular business hours (Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. CT) by calling 402-471-3101 or toll free in Nebraska at 1-800-526-0017.

Name: Russell K. Jensen Date: 2-21-2023

Signature: Russell K. Jensen

Please return completed feedback forms and any supplemental information **no later than April 24, 2023**, via e-mail to psc.broadband@nebraska.gov or via mail to 1200 N Street, 300 The Atrium, Lincoln, NE 68508.

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