

Capital Projects Fund Community Feedback Form

PROJECT DETAILS

Applying Service Provider: Hartelco, 103 West Centre Street, Hartington, NE 68739

Project Name: Fordyce, Nebraska

Description of Proposed Project Area:

The village limits of Fordyce, Nebraska

Name of person/entity completing the form: Bridget Whitmire

Community Role (mark one):

Community Member

Local Business: Whitmire & Associates

Local Government: _____

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:

The rural community of Fordyce, Nebraska would benefit greatly from having access to Hartelco's Fiber Optic Network. As the owner of a new realty business in Fordyce, I know having access to high speed internet services would be an asset to my business succeeding. Our residents would thrive by having access to internet speeds like the larger communities near us. I ask you to support the grant application placed by Hartelco to bring fiber to Fordyce, Nebraska.

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: Bridget Whitmire Date: 3/17/2023

Signature: 

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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