

# Capital Projects Fund Community Feedback Form

APR 17 2023

Received & Scanned

**PROJECT DETAILS**

Applying Service Provider: Vyve Broadband

Project Name: Bellwood West Expansion

**Description of Proposed Project Area:**

Expansion of Vyve Broadband's gigabit fiber network to bring internet service to various unincorporated communities west of Bellwood and south of Columbus, NE.

Name of person/entity completing the form: Jerome "Jerry" Kneifel

**Community Role (mark one):**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Member | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Business: _____   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Local Government: _____     | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Nonprofit: _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Government: _____    | <input type="checkbox"/> 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:

Back in 2017 I personally circulated a petition for fiber optic internet for the identical coverage now being proposed. At that time I received 112 signatures of interested residents.  
If this document would be of any use at this time I still have a copy

Jerry Kneifel  
4376 B Road  
Bellwood, NE 68624  
402-276-2427  
kneifel@freemove.net

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](mailto: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: Jerry Kneifel Date: 4-13-2023

Signature: Jerry Kneifel

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

Click to Attach this Form to an Email

Reset Form