

January 10, 2024

Tom Ourada
City Administrator
City of Crete
City Hall – 243 East 13th Street
Crete, NE 68333

Subject: Seeking Community Feedback on Proposed Broadband Development Project

Mr. Ourada,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that ALLO Communications intends to apply to the Nebraska Public Service Commission for a Capital Projects Fund grant to provide broadband internet service to Blue River Lodge/Saline County Rural, which will cover the Blue River residential development, and the rural route connecting Crete and Dorchester. We are seeking feedback from area leadership regarding the proposed project.

Please review the details of the proposed project below and provide feedback via the attached Community Feedback Form to the Public Service Commission no later than March 27, 2024.

Service Provider: ALLO Communications

Project Name: Blue River Lodge/Saline County Rural

Description of the Project Area: Between Crete and Dorchester, Nebraska

Description of the Project and Technology to be Used:

ALLO will provide broadband service to this project area through an all Fiber-to-the-Premise network.

Proposed Speed Tiers and Pricing:

ALLO provides ubiquitous 1+ Gbps service with symmetrical speeds (delivering the same download and upload speeds) to entities including residences, businesses, and government entities. The standard offerings are symmetrical speeds at 500 Mbps (\$79/month), and 1 Gbps (\$108/month).

The proposed project area may also be viewed on the Nebraska Broadband Map, which will be made available on or around January 24, 2024 at

https://psc.nebraska.gov/telecommunications/nebraska-broadband-bridge-program-nbbp.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed project, you may contact Jody Hoops, New Markets Administrator at Jody.Hoops@allofiber.com or Andrew Vinton, Manager of Government and Regulatory Affairs at Andrew.Vinton@allofiber.com

If you have any questions regarding the Capital Projects Funds grant program, please email psc.broadband@nebraska.gov or you may contact the Nebraska Public Service Commission



Consumer Advocate during regular business hours (Monday-Friday, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm CT) by calling (402) 471-3101 or toll free in Nebraska at 1 (800) 526-0017.

Sincerely,

Jody Hoops ALLO Communications

Cc: Nebraska Public Service Commission psc.broadband@nebraska.gov