

**RESOLUTION 744**

**RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR THE APPLICATION OF ATC COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE STATE OF NEBRASKA TO INCREASE AVAILABILITY OF HIGH-SPEED BROADBAND INTERNET WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF BIG SPRINGS, NEBRASKA**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Big Springs, Nebraska, (“Village” hereinafter) regards reliable high-speed broadband internet as essential for the existing community for the Village and for operation of Village facilities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village regards reliable high-speed broadband internet as essential to the future development and growth of the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village has received information from ATC Communications that ATC Communications desires to bring high-speed broadband internet service to the Village and Village residents with the assistance of grants and/or subsidies offered by the State of Nebraska; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village is aware that the State of Nebraska made available grants and/or subsidies to promote the installation and operation of high-speed broadband internet service in unserved and underserved areas of the State of Nebraska; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village believes that the existing internet infrastructure serving the Village and Village residents is deficient and in need of improvement; and

**WHEREAS**, ATC Communications has informed the Village that ATC Communications will be applying for grants and/or subsidies from the State of Nebraska to extend high-speed broadband internet service to the Village and residents of the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village desires to express support for any application that ATC Communications may make with any agency of the State of Nebraska regarding subsidies and/or grants for installation of high-speed broadband internet which provides high-speed internet service within the Village boundaries.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1**

The Village hereby voices its support for any application made by ATC Communications with any agency of the State of Nebraska which results in high-speed broadband internet being available within the Village boundaries.


**Section 2**

The Village hereby requests that any agencies of the State of Nebraska consider this Resolution as full political support for any application made by ATC Communications for any grants and/or subsidies which are for installation of high-speed broadband internet within the Village and available to Village residents.

**DATED THIS 7<sup>th</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2021.**

  
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Herman Kyrklund, Chairman  
Village of Big Springs Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

  
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Tamera Loomis, Village Clerk