

Applicant: Consolidated Telephone Company

Project: Dunning

Attachment: M – Other Supporting Documentation

See attached support letter from the Dunning Village Board

June 23, 2022

Nebraska Public Service Commission
Attn: Cullen Robbins, Director of Telecommunications
1200 N Street, Suite 300
Lincoln, NE 68508

Mr. Robbins,

Consolidated Companies, Inc. has chosen to file for a **Nebraska Broadband Bridge Grant for Dunning Nebraska**. The project to be built is a fiber network in the community to all businesses and residents. Consolidated has completed the design and project budget for fiber to each of the customer locations. Consolidated is in the process of completing a grant application to the Public Service Commission for this new network.

The Dunning Village Board believes that Consolidated has been a good service provider to our county and villages in the past and highly support this significant economic investment in our community's infrastructure. This investment should provide high speed internet to **77** or more customer locations within the village. The Village Board members are also pleased that the Village Office will be included in the Dunning project.

Please find this signed letter as documentation of the Board members' strong support for the upgrades being completed during the Dunning Fiber to the Home project. Consolidated is currently building fiber in Thedford Nebraska, a neighboring community in Thomas County, which should be completed this fall.

Sincerely,



Chairperson
Dunning Village Board
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