

## Hershey Cooperative Telephone Company\_ HersheySoutheast\_ Attachment Letter M

### Match Percentage/Project Details/High-cost Designation

Hershey submits the following document (Attachment M\_4) to demonstrate that all census blocks for the Hershey Southeast project are designated as high-cost. Since all census blocks in the Hershey Southeast project area are high-cost, Hershey is eligible for the lower match percentage (25%) for rural, high-cost areas.

### Population Density

Based upon the attached map (Attachment A), the area that Hershey intends to serve with the Hershey Southeast project is 45.2 square miles. By serving 114 locations as shown in Attachment B, the location density of the project area is 2.5 locations per square miles.

### Speed Additive

Hershey will be able to provide 1000/1000 and 500/500 speeds upon request.

Also included is Attachment M\_1, a Project Description Statement, Attachment M\_2, a design map with routes and Attachment M\_3, a project timeline.