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To Whom It May Concern:

It is with confidence and great pleasure that I write a letter of recommendation in support of Nextlink and their grant application for the Nebraska Broadband Bridge Program (NBBP).

There is a great need in our community to provide high speed Internet to our students, parents, and patrons. Many parents in our community cannot find quality Internet for their students to complete remote learning. I know firsthand the struggles parents face trying to find high quality Internet for both work and school tasks during the pandemic. By providing a grant to Nextlink, it will address a void that our community has been yearning for.

It is my pleasure to recommend Nextlink for a grant to provide high quality Internet service to our community. The need for reliable high speed Internet is a much-needed upgrade for the students at Southern Public Schools. I would not hesitate to support their new endeavor in any capacity. If you have any further questions about their qualifications or abilities, please feel free to contact me. It is without reservation that I recommend Nextlink in the aforementioned capacity.

Sincerely,



Christopher Prosocki, Ed.D.  
Superintendent