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**Re: Request for Clarification - Broadband Grant Program (NOFA #002) - Application 330915**

1 message

Grants, OCIO &lt;ociogrants@iowa.gov&gt;

Thu, Nov 14, 2019 at 4:04 PM

To: Ryan Boone &lt;rboone@mypremieronline.com&gt;

Thank you Ryan,

The Office has confirmed your application's 8 ms for estimated latency.

Please let us know if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Office of the Chief Information Officer

State of Iowa

On Thu, Nov 7, 2019 at 5:11 PM Ryan Boone &lt;rboone@mypremieronline.com&gt; wrote:

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To Whom It May Concern:

I've reviewed your request and would like to confirm that the information supplied in our Core Application Exhibit B for latency was correct. The estimated latency for this network is 8 milliseconds. In fact I just performed a speed using the link in the email below and had the following test result:



SPEEDTEST

LATENCY

1

ms

DOWNLOAD

94.8

Mbps

JITTER

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ms

UPLOAD

94.6

Mbps



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Communications  
Sioux Center, IA



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**Premier Communications**

Sioux Center, IA



Please do not hesitate to follow up with any further questions.

Sincerely,

**Ryan Boone**

COO

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**From:** [tom.slaughter@iowa.gov](mailto:tom.slaughter@iowa.gov) <[tom.slaughter@iowa.gov](mailto:tom.slaughter@iowa.gov)> **On Behalf Of** Grants, OCIO

**Sent:** Thursday, November 7, 2019 4:35 PM

**To:** Ryan Boone <[rboone@mypremieronline.com](mailto:rboone@mypremieronline.com)>

**Subject:** Request for Clarification - Broadband Grant Program (NOFA #002) - Application 330915

Dear Mr. Boone,

Thank you for submitting a grant application to the State of Iowa Broadband Grants Program - Empower Rural Iowa Initiative (NOFA #002). The Office of the Chief Information Officer requests the following clarifications concerning your application (#330915 - Rural Akron & Hawarden):

1. In your Core Application Exhibit B (Prospective Product Attributes), you provided a Latency of 8. In NOFA #002, Section 3.1.6.2, Latency is defined as "The average time it is estimated to take, expressed in milliseconds, for data to travel from the customer edge router ingress/egress point to the router specified by and as measured by the Internet Speed Test Tool [See <http://iowa.speedtestcustom.com>], upon Project Completion." Please confirm the estimated latency for the network you have proposed in your project application.

Please provide the above requested clarifications by **Thursday, November 14, 2019 at 5:00 PM CST**. Please email your response to [ociogrants@iowa.gov](mailto:ociogrants@iowa.gov).

Please let us know if you have any questions about this request for clarification.

Sincerely,

Office of the Chief Information Officer  
State of Iowa

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