

<i>Optional Forms and Submissions - Community Broadband Capital</i>			
Item	Description	Category	Supporting Documentation
1	Increase access to the edge of secondary roads by windowing rock/gravel	Rights of way made available for Broadband buildout	Crawford County SRD LOS.pdf
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Greene County
Engineer 

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Des Moines, IA 50309

To whom it may concern,

Region XII Council of Governments is submitting an application in response to the Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Invitation to Qualify for a Broadband Intervention Zone to qualify portions of Greene County within a specific area of geographic concern with regard to existing broadband availability. Expanded broadband will assist area residents through higher broadband speeds and reliable access to internet services.

Greene County Secondary Roads will assist local underground contractors in the future installation of fiber optic lines by windrowing gravel/rock materials from the edge of the secondary routes for easier access to plow, bore, and install fiber lines. The value of this work is estimated to be \$27,000 (\$2,700 per mile – based on an estimated 10 miles) depending upon the future identified routes and specific areas to be served.

It is our hope that the ITQ application and review of same by OCIO will designate the portion of Greene County as a geographic area of concern/Intervention Zone for consideration in the next broadband grant program.

Sincerely,



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