

We are Quick Current-Iowa LLC and are the applicant for the 512252-Empower Rural Iowa - Capital Projects Fund NOFA #008 grant. We have properly registered our company with the Iowa Utilities Board and our company number is 6373. The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska is the very transparent Parent of our LLC, as we are a majority owned subsidiary of the Tribe. The Tribe created this LLC for the purposes of building and operating the broadband networks.

We are applying for funding, purchasing network assets and building broadband services across the tribal area as funding is provided. The creation of this LLC is within the best practices established by Tribal entities. It should be noted that the Tribe as an applicant and the Quick Current entities, including this entity, as Subrecipients, has been awarded a \$36 million dollar grant to construct middle mile infrastructure through Iowa and Nebraska. We have designed this application to build from that award.

As stated above, Quick Current-Iowa is a registered service provider in the state of Iowa and will pursue providing ACP services. We will operate the NOC, contract the build of all new network segments, and ultimately provide end customer installations and support by creating new jobs. While we are majority owned by The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska through their wholly owned subsidiary, Quick Current LLC, a minority stake in Quick Current-Iowa is owned by Evolve Cellular, Inc.

Evolve Cellular has a long history of network operations in both broadband and wireless technologies. The staff of Evolve Cellular has performed the detailed engineering for this proposed network, creating the design and budget proposed herein. Evolve Cellular personnel will be responsible for not only building this network but also in assisting Quick Current-Iowa to hire and train the long-term operations teams in this region.

Lowell Feldman is currently the Chairman and CEO of the North American Mobile Network Operator Evolve Cellular and serves as a board member & advisor to multiple high technology communications companies including USFON Inc which is a middle mile non-profit CLEC with Texas operations. His expertise spans business, communications and technology matters relating to law, products, markets, competitors, regulations, standards, specifications, innovation, and technology. He has extensive business experience with broadband technologies and the wireless ecosystem.

Lowell has initiated or contributed to the foundation and growth of several new services, businesses, industry specifications and standards. He is routinely requested to participate as a speaker or panelist at industry events and is currently a member of the GSMA's North American CTO executive council.

Brian DeHaven is VP of Network Operations at Evolve Cellular and President at USFon Inc. USFon is a Texas statewide not-for-profit communications provider, specializing in voice and broadband services for underserved rural communities, low-income residents, and educational and medical facilities. Under Brian's leadership, USFon delivered 1,000 fiber-strand mile network worth \$3.1M while securing and delivering on an additional \$5.2M in contracts for broadband services in rural central Texas. He developed and instituted operational processes and related databases for network operations, provisioning, order processing, and regulatory reporting. Brian oversaw the design and implementation of a redundant broadband network in rural Central Texas deploying wireless and fiber-based technologies including LTE and multi-wave DWDM and the deployment of 238 network miles providing up to 10 Gigabit Ethernet.

Richard Lewis, as CFO at Evolve Cellular, built and runs a customer driven operation which handles the onboarding, accounting, billing, and support for offered services. Rich led a team that grew the broadband voice and data customer base from launch to 12 markets within a mere 18 months. Rich has been able to structure and secure capital to purchase a tower company as well as buildout of internal assets.

Scott Foster brings over twenty-seven (27) years of Telecomm, network, systems management, and experience to the team. Scott has performed the full range of implementation, integration, and operations for carrier-class 4G/5G LTE and NGN implementations. Recently projects included the design, implementation, operation and testing of full core including MME, SGW, PGW, ePDG (Virtualized WiFi Gateway), PCRF, AAA, HSS, P-CSCF, PCRF, PCEF, IMS, MMSC, and SMSC, as well as related RAN elements eNb, RRU (Remote Radio Units) and Antennas. Scott will be focused on RAN deployment to ensure speed and latency standards are met.

While the above are just a few of our key team members, all of the staff at Evolve Cellular are experienced industry contributors across all aspects of communications. This is a hard-working team that is driven to innovate and bring exciting technology to best serve those underserved by today's larger service providers.

Importantly, all of the Evolve people are excited to begin the training of Tribal members so they will be able to operate the network and service their own community.