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Re: Letter of Support for Dobson Fiber's BEAD Grant Application

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of The Sac and Fox Nation, I am writing to express our strong support for Dobson Fiber's application for funding through the Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD) program, administered by the Oklahoma Broadband Office.

Access to reliable, high-speed internet is no longer a luxury—it is a necessity for economic development, education, healthcare, workforce participation, and overall quality of life. Unfortunately, many communities across Oklahoma continue to face significant barriers to broadband access, particularly in rural and underserved areas. These digital divides limit opportunities for residents and hinder the state's growth and competitiveness.

The BEAD program represents a transformative opportunity to bridge these gaps and bring equitable internet access to all Oklahomans. We commend the Oklahoma Broadband Office for its commitment to inclusive planning, local stakeholder engagement, and its focus on connecting unserved and underserved communities.

We respectfully urge the Oklahoma Broadband Office to support Dobson Fiber's BEAD grant proposals and help ensure broadband equity and opportunity for all.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Audrey Rose Lee
Acting Principal Chief