

Letter of Interest Form - Direct Negotiations

Minnesota Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD)

Submit by email along with Locations Bid Form to deed.broadband@state.mn.us by Friday August 8, 11:59pm CST

1. My company has already completed the Pre-qualification portion of the application and was invited to apply for BEAD in prior BEAD rounds:

If No to question 1, please contact the Office of Broadband Development immediately and before submitting this form at (651)-259-7442.

2. Select “YES” if you are willing to include additional locations should they become available?

3. Company Name: _____ 4. Address: _____
5. City: _____ 6. State: _____ 7. Zip Code: _____

8. Primary Contact Name: _____
9. Email: _____ 10. Phone Number: _____

11. Provide FRN. If you are a business with multiple subsidiaries, use FRN corresponding to broadband arm:

12. Briefly explain how the technology deployment proposed satisfies all components of NTIA’s definition of priority broadband (*See NTIA’s definition of priority broadband in the [June 6 BEAD Restructuring Policy Notice](#)*). Additional documentation may be required if selected to negotiate. Write N/A if you do not want the bids to be considered a Priority Broadband Project.

13. To be eligible to participate in the BEAD direct negotiation process, Letter of Interest Applicants must certify they minimally satisfy the following:

- (A) Agrees to propose projects that will provide at least 100/20 Mbps service reliable, qualifying broadband service to all locations within the required timeline of 4 years;
- (B) Demonstrates the technical, financial, operational and managerial capacity to deploy eligible broadband projects and participate in the BEAD program (*See [BEAD Pre-Qualification Guide](#)*);
- (C) Agrees to meet the mandated financial, programmatic, ownership and organization requirements (*See [BEAD Restructured Application Guide](#)*); and
- (D) Certifies ability to comply with all applicable requirements mandated by NTIA, the State of Minnesota and 2 CFR 200 Uniform Guidance.

Authorized Signature