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The Honorable Larry Strickling
Assistant Secretary of Commerce
National Telecommunications and Information Administration
U.S. Department of Commerce
1401 Constitution Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20230

Dear Assistant Secretary Strickling:

On behalf of our Wireless LINC project, I wish to express our commitment to the statewide broadband proposal titled Network New Hampshire Now (#4248) submitted by the University of New Hampshire to the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) Broadband Technologies Opportunities Program (BTOP) Round 2 program. Our region is impacted directly by a lack of available connectivity and by the high cost of connectivity due to insufficient supply and inadequate price competition in New Hampshire.

Wireless LINC is a non-profit publicly funded partnership delivering open access state-of-the-art broadband services to regions that otherwise have antiquated telecommunications yet can offer no return on investment to private solutions because of the low population and dramatic terrain. We are in need of redundant fiber sources and presently transport broadband.

In anticipation of this project, Wireless LINC commits to purchasing bandwidth with a fair market value of \$1850 per month along with utilization of space in our Lancaster office comparable to \$250 as in-kind for the project and cash match.

Thank you,

Jon Freeman