

# Project: Broadband Acceleration Grant Yr 2 - Public Comment

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**Which of the following best describes you? (Check all that apply)**

- Internet provider in proposed service area

**I am providing comments related to the following application (choose one):**

AMG Technology dba Nextlink - Piedmont, Severy

**I am submitting comments to express**

Concerns regarding a project

**I am sharing concerns the project:**

- Proposes to serve an area that already has service
- Proposes to serve an area likely to be served without grant funds because plans are in place to serve this area, although construction has not yet begun

**Please provide your comments in the text box below.**

Broadband coverage is already being delivered in the proposed service area, partially funded by the Connectivity Emergency Response Grant that was received by Butler Rural Electric Cooperative dba Velocity. This area has also been identified for infrastructure improvements which will deliver increased

speeds and expand the current service area while maintaining our standard to provide affordable internet coverage. The existing coverage area has been provided in the included .kmz file(proprietary). The proposed locations submitted for the partnership grant are currently receiving speeds of the minimum grant requirement of 25/3 mbps with eligible households receiving up to 100/10 mbps. Additional details regarding customers and speeds being delivered are available upon request.

**Please provide supporting documentation to support your comments. Concerns related to overbuilds should include explicit data such as Census block and address specific data. Submit multiple files as a single ZIP file.**



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