



*Rawlins County Fire District #1*

*615 Harlan*

*Herndon, KS 67739*

September 1, 2022

To whom it may concern:

I am writing this letter in support of Vyve Communications efforts to obtain a grant for broadband service in rural communities. Our fire department currently has internet service at our Herndon location, but if homeowners don't keep their trees trimmed our equipment cannot see our internet providers equipment and our internet essentially does not work. Our department utilizes the internet to provide online training for members of our department, but if the internet is not working or working well, we cannot provide the training. Having reliable, high-speed internet in our community is important to the success of not only our fire department but the community of Herndon as well. In closing, please consider Vyve Communications for a grant to help the smaller communities including Herndon have fast, reliable internet and phone service.

*Kelsey Wahrman*

*Glen Wahrman - Rawlins County RFD#1/ Rawlins County Fire Chief*

*Kelsey Wahrman- Rawlins County RFD#1 Secretary*



**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Kelsey Wahrman Address: 125 Radnor  
Phone: 785-322-5341 Herndon, KS 67739

**Existing Service**

Please select any statements that apply:

- ☒ I don't have access to any broadband internet providers.  
☒ I don't have access to high-speed internet (speeds of at least 100 Mbps down and 20 Mbps up).  
☒ My existing service isn't affordable ☒ My existing service isn't fast enough.  
☒ My existing service isn't reliable. ☒ I don't receive the speeds I pay for.

**Need for New Service**

Please select the areas where access to fiber internet would benefit you or your family:

- ☒ Remote learning and education ☒ Remote work / work from home  
☒ Telehealth and telemedicine ☒ Managing my business  
Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Comments**

I am the City Clerk for the City of  
Herndon

I have heard about Vyve Broadband's efforts to bring high-speed fiber internet to my community, and I support their grant application to the Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program.

Kelsey Wahrman  
Signature City Clerk-  
City of Herndon

August 31, 2022  
Date



**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Misty & Jeff Samson Address: 540 N. St.  
Phone: 785-9026-1099 Ludow, KS 67744

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**Additional Comments**

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Misty Samson  
Signature

8-31-22  
Date



**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Hemdon Insurance Address: 331 Quincy Ave  
Phone: 785-322-5331 Hemdon KS 67739

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☒ Other, please specify: VOIP -

**Additional Comments**

Need VOIP because phone lines are not  
consistent-

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S. Davis  
Signature

8-31-22  
Date





**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Ron Beims Address: 406 Keystone  
Phone: 785-1626-4081 cell Herndon KS 67739

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☒ Other, please specify: Life Alert

**Additional Comments**

My life Alert doesn't work because of the  
inconsistency of my internet & phone.  
My landline is down now & has been for  
weeks

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R Beims  
Signature

8-31-22  
Date



**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Sustin Marintzer Address: 5890 Rd 34  
Phone: 785-259-1358 Herndon KS 67239

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**Additional Comments**

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Sustin Marintzer  
Signature

8-31-22  
Date



## Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program Letter of Support

Name: Mary Clark Address: 13497 Rd 2350  
Phone: 785-626-6226 Hawood, KS 67730

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### Additional Comments

This area has not had good internet - It has not always  
been reliable. I feel like its also over priced.

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Mary Clark  
Signature

8/31/2022  
Date



**Kansas Capital Projects Fund Broadband Program  
Letter of Support**

Name: Evelyn Arden Address: 247 Palermo  
Phone: 785-322-7122 Herndon KS 67739

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☒ Other, please specify: YouTube

**Additional Comments**

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Evelyn M. Arden  
Signature

8-31-2022  
Date