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Who is your main point of contact if we have further questions? Please provide their name and the best method to communicate with them if they are not the commentor on this form

Is there any additional background information you would like our office to know?

> Please rank the Kansas digital equity plan on how it accomplishes the following:

Question 1: Outlines the current state of digital equity in Kansas

Very well

Question 2: Outlines Very well a vision for digital equity in Kansas that recognizes the state's unique social and economic circumstances

Question 3: Identifies Very well the barriers to digital equity faced by each of the state's covered populations

Question 4: Establishes an implementation strategy to achieve digital equity

Very well

Question 5: Very well Describes how Kansas will coordinate and conduct outreach amongst digital equity partners and stakeholders Question 6: Very well Describes how Kansas will coordinate its use of DEA funding with any funds it will receive in connection with BEAD or other digital equity funding Question 7: Identifies Very well the assets available to help connect Kansas' covered populations Question 8: If there are any digital equity assets that you feel have not been listed in the digital equity plan, please list them here Question 9: Please Section 4: Collaboration and Stakeholder Engagement indicate which Section 3: Current State of Digital Equity: Barriers and Assets sections of the Kansas digital equity plan you are providing comment on Please provide Great job identifying barriers and assets in Kansas. comment on Section 3: Current State of Digital Equity: Barriers and Assets Please provide A group well representative of the state gathered data and information from comment on Section all sectors of communities. 4: Collaboration and Stakeholder Engagement

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