

Application #	Applicant's Name	Application Title	Technology Types Deployed	Total Allocation Request	Total Project Budget	Project Location (County)	Serviceable Locations Connected					Deployment Timeline	Project Summary Narrative
							Frontier	Unserved	Underserved	Served	Total		
22-602-1	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative Inc.	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative Inc. - Big Sky FTTH	FTTH	\$ 8,032,080.00	\$ 16,064,160.00	GALLATIN MADISON	-	1,090	-	-	1,090	4 years 3 months	This project is one of three that 3 Rivers will be submitting to upgrade infrastructure in the Cooperative's remaining service areas that have yet to be converted from copper (Broadband VDSL) to Fiber-to-the-Home (FTTH). This project proposes to upgrade those portions of the Big Sky service area that remain on copper and replace it with buried fiber. When this project is completed all areas of Big Sky, including the resort areas and extending from almost West Yellowstone to Gallatin Gateway, will be served with an all fiber network (FTTH).
22-602-2	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative Inc. - Rural Sheridan and Ennis FTTH	FTTH	\$ 8,372,800.00	\$ 16,745,600.00	MADISON	-	917	-	-	917	2 years 3 months	This project is one of three that 3 Rivers will be submitting to upgrade infrastructure in the Cooperative's remaining service areas that have yet to be converted from copper (Broadband VDSL) to Fiber-to-the-Home (FTTH). This project proposes to upgrade the rural portions of the Sheridan and Ennis service areas that remain on copper and replace it with buried fiber. When this project is completed all areas of Sheridan and Ennis, including the most remote areas, will be served with an all fiber network (FTTH).
22-602-3	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	3 Rivers Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - Neihart FTTH	FTTH	\$ 2,603,900.00	\$ 5,207,800.00	CASCADE MEAGHER	5	554	-	-	559	2 years 4 months	This project is one of three that 3 Rivers will be submitting to upgrade infrastructure in the Cooperative's remaining service areas that have yet to be converted from copper (Broadband VDSL) to Fiber-to-the-Home (FTTH). This project proposes to upgrade the entire Neihart Exchange from copper and replace it with buried fiber, covering the entire area with an all fiber network (FTTH).
22-602-4	Access Montana	Access Montana Last mile FTTP, ACCMT- MST, For the areas of Mud Creek, Spud Lane and Terrace Lake	FTTH	\$ 614,745.00	\$ 819,659.00	LAKE	25	146	1	-	172	3 years 8 months	Ronan Telephone Company, dba "Access Montana" proposes to upgrade the wireline infrastructure in four areas of Lake County to Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) facilities. The facilities proposed for these areas will upgrade underserved areas of Lake County and will pass 1,314 customer locations. These four proposals are projected to cost \$6,692,836, of which \$1,673,209 (25%) will be funded by Access Montana as the private match capital, making this a grant application to the Connect Montana program for \$5,019,627.
22-602-5	Access Montana	Access Montana Last mile FTTP, ACCMT-EHMRP, For the communities of Elmo, Hillside, Moiese, Ravalli and Pinehaven	FTTH	\$ 1,386,384.00	\$ 1,848,511.00	LAKE	8	444	-	-	452	3 years 8 months	Ronan Telephone Company, dba "Access Montana" proposes to upgrade the wireline infrastructure in four areas of Lake County to Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) facilities. The facilities proposed for these areas will upgrade underserved areas of Lake County and will pass 1,314 customer locations. These four proposals are projected to cost \$6,692,836, of which \$1,673,209 (25%) will be funded by Access Montana as the private match capital, making this a grant application to the Connect Montana program for \$5,019,627.
22-602-6	Access Montana	Access Montana Last Mile FTTP, ACCMT-JTLKSH, for the areas of Jette, South Hills & Turtle Lake, Mud Lake Trail	FTTH	\$ 1,204,412.00	\$ 1,605,883.00	LAKE	-	348	2	-	350	2 years 10 months	Ronan Telephone Company, dba "Access Montana" proposes to upgrade the wireline infrastructure in four areas of Lake County to Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) facilities. The facilities proposed for these areas will upgrade underserved areas of Lake County and will pass 1,314 customer locations. These four proposals are projected to cost \$6,692,836, of which \$1,673,209 (25%) will be funded by Access Montana as the private match capital, making this a grant application to the Connect Montana program for \$5,019,627.
22-602-7	Access Montana	Access Montana Last Mile FTTP, ACCMT-SRBEPWT, for the areas of Songer, Round Butte East/Pablo West, Timberlane	FTTH	\$ 1,814,085.00	\$ 2,418,781.00	LAKE	50	364	48	-	462	4 years 8 months	Ronan Telephone Company, dba "Access Montana" proposes to upgrade the wireline infrastructure in four areas of Lake County to Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) facilities. The facilities proposed for these areas will upgrade underserved areas of Lake County and will pass 1,314 customer locations. These four proposals are projected to cost \$6,692,836, of which \$1,673,209 (25%) will be funded by Access Montana as the private match capital, making this a grant application to the Connect Montana program for \$5,019,627.
22-602-8	AT&T	AT&T - Flathead County	Fixed Wireless	\$ 8,400,000.00	\$ 10,500,000.00	FLATHEAD	241	14,068	-	-	14,309	Not Specified	Expanded 5G network coverage utilizing AT&T's full spectrum portfolio including C-Band frequencies for 27 network enhancements and 4 expanded coverage areas. In addition to broadband speeds meeting the ConnectMT requirements, the 5G network will support other key 5G features such as Edge Computing, expanded Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities, enhanced security, and fixed wireless service to ~ 9000 locations
22-602-9	AT&T	AT&T - Lake County, Mineral County, and Ravalli County	Fixed Wireless	\$ 6,600,000.00	\$ 8,260,000.00	LAKE MINERAL RAVALLI	897	17,483	3,108	-	21,488	Not Specified	Expanded 5G network coverage utilizing AT&T's full spectrum portfolio including C-Band frequencies for 27 network enhancements and 4 expanded coverage areas. In addition to broadband speeds meeting the ConnectMT requirements, the 5G network will support other key 5G features such as Edge Computing, expanded Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities, enhanced security, and fixed wireless service to ~ 6500 locations
22-602-10	AT&T	AT&T - Gallatin County	Fixed Wireless	\$ 9,900,000.00	\$ 12,380,000.00	GALLATIN	38	5,025	3,647	-	8,710	Not Specified	Expanded 5G network coverage utilizing AT&T's full spectrum portfolio including C-Band frequencies for 27 network enhancements and 4 expanded coverage areas. In addition to broadband speeds meeting the ConnectMT requirements, the 5G network will support other key 5G features such as Edge Computing, expanded Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities, enhanced security, and fixed wireless service to ~ 15,000 locations
22-602-11	AT&T	AT&T - Lewis and Clark County	Fixed Wireless	\$ 3,700,000.00	\$ 4,700,000.00	LEWIS AND CLARK	28	3,025	-	-	3,053	Not Specified	Expanded 5G network coverage utilizing AT&T's full spectrum portfolio including C-Band frequencies for 27 network enhancements and 4 expanded coverage areas. In addition to broadband speeds meeting the ConnectMT requirements, the 5G network will support other key 5G features such as Edge Computing, expanded Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities, enhanced security, and fixed wireless service to ~ 1500 locations
22-602-12	AT&T	AT&T - Missoula County	Fixed Wireless	\$ 9,100,000.00	\$ 11,380,000.00	MISSOULA	382	7,731	614	-	8,727	Not Specified	Expanded 5G network coverage utilizing AT&T's full spectrum portfolio including C-Band frequencies for 27 network enhancements and 4 expanded coverage areas. In addition to broadband speeds meeting the ConnectMT requirements, the 5G network will support other key 5G features such as Edge Computing, expanded Internet of Things (IoT) capabilities, enhanced security, and fixed wireless service to ~ 6,300 locations
22-602-13	Blackfoot Communications, Inc.	Darby - Blackfoot Communications, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 7,121,850.00	\$ 9,015,000.00	RAVALLI	-	914	-	-	914	35 months	The Darby Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 914 currently unserved locations in southern Ravalli County, including the community of Darby and the surrounding areas. The project area covers approximately 16 square miles.
22-602-14	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Drummond - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 9,996,660.00	\$ 12,654,000.00	GRANITE	54	394	274	-	722	35 months	The Drummond Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 722 locations in Granite County, Montana, including the communities of Drummond, Hall, Gold Creek, Stone, Maxville, and a small portion of Philipsburg. The Drummond Project area starts east of Bearmouth following Interstate 90 to Gold Creek. Its northern point begins near Helmsville, following Highway 1 through Drummond, Hall, Stone and Maxville. The project area covers approximately 144 square miles.
22-602-15	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Philipsburg Rock Creek - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 9,931,090.00	\$ 12,571,000.00	GRANITE	128	261	-	-	389	35 months	The Philipsburg Rock Creek Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 389 locations in Granite County, Montana, including the communities of Philipsburg and a small portion of Anaconda. The project begins near Maxville, west of the Pintler Veteran's Memorial Scenic Highway. The project continues south west of Georgetown Lake covering a large area of river tributaries and valleys north and south of Montana Highway 83. The project area covers approximately 219 square miles.
22-602-16	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Philipsburg Valley - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 8,724,760.00	\$ 11,044,000.00	GRANITE	65	564	415	-	1,044	35 months	The Philipsburg Valley Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 1,044 locations in Granite County, Montana, including the communities of Philipsburg and a small portion of Anaconda. This project begins just south of Maxville and follows Montana Highway 83 south of Philipsburg ending near Georgetown Lake. The project area covers approximately 55 square miles.

22-602-17	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Plains Riverside - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 9,934,250.00	\$ 12,575,000.00	SANDERS	25	627	-	-	652	35 months	The Plains Riverside Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 657 locations in Sanders County, Montana, including a large portion of the community of Plains, as well as the smaller communities/areas of Eddy, Weeksville, Paradise, Knowles, and Quinns. The proposed project is south of the Clark Fork River near Plains and covers approximately 69 square miles. It begins just southeast of the Rocky Point Ranch and follows the river extending past Quinn's Hot Springs Resort at its most south eastern point.
22-602-18	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Potomac Blackfoot River - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 7,436,270.00	\$ 9,413,000.00	MISSOULA	60	419	23	-	502	35 months	The Potomac Blackfoot River Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 502 locations in Missoula County, Montana, including the communities of Bonner, Potomac, Greenough, and Clearwater. This project also includes new, middle mile construction along the Blackfoot River corridor between Blackfoot's existing fiber in East Missoula and its existing fiber in Potomac.
22-602-19	Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Potomac Valley - Blackfoot Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 7,083,140.00	\$ 8,966,000.00	MISSOULA	101	496	12	-	609	35 months	The Potomac Valley Project will provide fiber-to-the-premises ("FTTP") broadband connectivity with minimum broadband Internet speeds of 100/100 Mbps to up to 610 locations in Missoula County, Montana, including the communities of Bonner and Potomac. The Potomac Valley Project starts near the Johnsrud River Access and follows MT Highway 200 east through Potomac. The project's most southern tip extends towards Clinton. The project area covers approximately 41 square miles.
22-602-20	Charter Communications	Ravalli County 5	FTTH	\$ 8,299,498.00	\$ 10,505,694.00	RAVALLI		1,373			1,373	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the town of Pinesdale and a part of unincorporated Ravalli County west of Hamilton and Corvallis (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 119 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,373 passings, including an estimated 1,304 homes, 13 businesses, 51 farms, and 5 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-21	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Cascade County - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 4,046,347.00	\$ 8,092,694.00	CASCADE	-	1,157	98	-	1,255	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Cascade County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Sun Prairie, Vaughn, and Ulm; and parts of unincorporated Cascade County - located north and southeast of Ulm (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 91 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,255 passings, including an estimated 886 homes, 32 businesses, 314 farms, and 23 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institution in the Project Area.
22-602-22	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Silver Bow County - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 5,444,810.00	\$ 6,892,410.00	SILVER BOW						11 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Silver Bow County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in parts of Butte-Silver Bow south and southwest of Butte (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 68 miles of fiber optic network to connect 517 passings, including an estimated 482 homes, 16 businesses, 17 farms, and 2 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-23	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Lewis & Clark County 3 - FTTP EPON"	FTTH	\$ 6,649,611.00	\$ 8,417,229.00	LEWIS AND CLARK	-	707	-	-	707	11 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Lewis & Clark County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in census designated places of Helena Valley Southeast and Helena Valley Northeast, and a part of unincorporated Lewis & Clark County - west of Helena Valley Southeast (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 96 miles of fiber optic network to connect 707 passings, including an estimated 697 homes, 2 businesses, 8 farms, and 0 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, and farms in the Project Area.
22-602-24	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 1 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 5,166,726.00	\$ 6,509,126.00	RAVALLI	-	760	-	-	760	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in a part of unincorporated Ravalli County along Hwy. 93 roughly between Florence and Stevensville (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 74 miles of fiber optic network to connect 839 passings, including an estimated 704 homes, 100 businesses, 29 farms, and 6 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.

22-602-25	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 2 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 5,827,706.00	\$ 11,655,412.00	RAVALLI		2,002								Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in a part of unincorporated Ravalli County east of Florence and Stevensville (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 131 miles of fiber optic network to connect 2,002 passings, including an estimated 1,761 homes, 101 businesses, 138 farms, and 2 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-26	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 3 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 7,632,678.00	\$ 9,661,617.00	RAVALLI	38	740	289	-	1,067	23 months				Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in a part of unincorporated Ravalli County east of Victor and Stevensville (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 110 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,067 passings, including an estimated 966 homes, 10 businesses, 84 farms, and 7 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-27	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 4 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 7,988,989.00	\$ 10,112,644.00	RAVALLI	36	1,311	220	-	1,567	23 months				Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in a census designated place - Victor - and a part of unincorporated Ravalli County - located around Hwy. 93 between Hwy. 373 in the south and Indian Prairie Loop in the north, as well as the area north of Pinesdale (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 114 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,567 passings, including an estimated 1,395 homes, 108 businesses, 47 farms, and 17 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-28	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 6 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 15,709,363.00	RAVALLI	74	1,566	696	-	2,336	23 months				Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in a part of unincorporated Ravalli County, east of Hwy. 93 from roughly Grantsdale in the south to Spooner Creek Lane in the north (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 177 miles of fiber optic network to connect 2,336 passings, including an estimated 2,219 homes, 16 businesses, 97 farms, and 4 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-29	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Ravalli County 7 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 13,303,087.00	RAVALLI	53	1,417	395	-	1,865					Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Ravalli County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the town of Darby, census-designated places of Charlos Heights and Conner, and a part of unincorporated Ravalli County from Hamilton in the north to south of Conner (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 151 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,865 passings, including an estimated 1,574 homes, 134 businesses, 101 farms, and 56 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-30	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Yellowstone County 3 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 7,773,336.00	\$ 9,839,665.00	YELLOWSTONE	-	-	1,390	-	1,390					Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Yellowstone County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated place - Shepard - and parts of unincorporated Yellowstone County - located west and north of Huntley (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 109 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,390 passings, including an estimated 1,282 homes, 45 businesses, 52 farms, and 11 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.

22-602-31	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Yellowstone County 4 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 6,183,927.00	\$ 7,856,727.00	YELLOWSTONE		697			697		Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Yellowstone County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Huntley and Lockwood; and parts of unincorporated Yellowstone County - south of Huntley and east of Lockwood (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 88 miles of fiber optic network to connect 697 passings, including an estimated 672 homes, 21 businesses, 1 farm, and 3 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-32	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Yellowstone County 5 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 6,916,349.00	\$ 8,754,872.00	YELLOWSTONE		611			611	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Yellowstone County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Ballatine and Worden and a part of unincorporated Yellowstone County - following I-94 from Huntley in the southwest to Nibbe in the east (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 99 miles of fiber optic network to connect 611 passings, including an estimated 547 homes, 19 businesses, 38 farms, and 7 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-33	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Yellowstone County 6 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 5,714,053.00	\$ 7,232,979.00	YELLOWSTONE		649			649		Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Yellowstone County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated place - Worden - and a part of unincorporated Yellowstone County - located north of Hwy 312 between Huntley and Worden (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 81 miles of fiber optic network to connect 649 passings, including an estimated 594 homes, 18 businesses, 31 farms, and 6 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-34	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Flathead County 1 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 6,062,358.00	\$ 12,124,715.00	FLATHEAD	7	1,804	-	-	1,811		Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Flathead County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Evergreen and Helena Flats; a small northern portion of Kalispell; and a part of unincorporated Flathead County - located west of Helena Flats (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 141 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,811 passings, including an estimated 1,529 homes, 116 businesses, 151 farms, and 15 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, and farms in the Project Area.
22-602-35	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Flathead County 2 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 5,350,518.00	\$ 10,701,036.00	FLATHEAD	2	1,486	-	-	1,488		Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Flathead County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in parts of unincorporated Flathead County east of Helena Flats, north of Columbia Falls, and between Columbia Falls and Whitefish (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 124 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,488 passings, including an estimated 1,325 homes, 29 businesses, 30 farms, and 104 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-36	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Flathead County 3 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 9,644,430.00	\$ 12,208,139.00	FLATHEAD	3	1,244	-	-	1,247	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Flathead County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Batavia and Kila; a small northern portion of Kalispell; and parts of unincorporated Flathead County - located west and southwest of Kalispell (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 141 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,247 passings, including an estimated 1,121 homes, 27 businesses, 81 farms, and 18 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-37	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Flathead County 4 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 13,158,313.00	FLATHEAD	12	1,693	-	-	1,705		Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Flathead County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Bigfork, Forest Hill Village, and Somers; a small southern portion of Kalispell; and parts of unincorporated Flathead County - located east of Evergreen and southeast of Kalispell (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 152 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,705 passings, including an estimated 1,499 homes, 90 businesses, 65 farms, and 31 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.

22-602-38	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Gallatin County 3 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 4,194,249.00	\$ 6,786,249.00	GALLATIN	-	49	671	-	720	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Gallatin County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Amsterdam and Churchill; and parts of unincorporated Gallatin County - located west and southwest of Belgrade (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 66 miles of fiber optic network to connect 720 passings, including an estimated 685 homes, 25 businesses, 7 farms, and 3 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-39	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Gallatin County 4 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 4,473,134.00	\$ 5,662,195.00	GALLATIN	2	2	1,125	-	1,129	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Gallatin County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in parts of unincorporated Gallatin County - located east of Belgrade (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 46 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,129 passings, including an estimated 1,123 homes, 6 businesses, 0 farms, and 0 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents and businesses in the Project Area.
22-602-40	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Gallatin County 5 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 3,046,705.00	\$ 3,856,589.00	GALLATIN	4	12	315	-	331	23 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Gallatin County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in parts of unincorporated Gallatin County - located north of Belgrade and east of Manhattan (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 43 miles of fiber optic network to connect 331 passings, including an estimated 299 homes, 5 businesses, 25 farms, and 2 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-41	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Glacier County - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 4,774,863.00	\$ 9,549,726.00	GLACIER	129	2,143	-	-	2,272	1 year 8 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Glacier County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of North Browning, South Browning, and Starr School; and a part of unincorporated Glacier County - surrounding North and South Browning (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 105 miles of fiber optic network to connect 2,272 passings, including an estimated 2,187 homes, 63 businesses, 17 farms, and 5 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-42	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Hill County - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 1,161,076.00	\$ 1,469,717.00	HILL	-	43	84	-	127	2 years 2 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Hill County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census-designated places of Havre North and Beaver Creek; and a part of unincorporated Hill County just north of Havre North (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 17 miles of fiber optic network to connect 127 passings, including an estimated 115 homes, 5 businesses, 7 farms, and 0 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, and farms in the Project Area.
22-602-43	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Jefferson County - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 3,429,786.00	\$ 4,341,501.00	JEFFERSON	12	388	-	-	400	2 years 2 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Jefferson County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Clancy, Jefferson City, Montana City and South Hills; and parts of unincorporated Jefferson County - located northwest of Clancy and west of Jefferson City (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 50 miles of fiber optic network to connect 400 passings, including an estimated 380 homes, 3 businesses, 13 farms, and 4 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-44	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Lewis & Clark County 1 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 7,487,603.00	\$ 9,477,978.00	LEWIS AND CLARK	-	775	-	-	775	1 year 8 months	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Lewis & Clark County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated places of Helena Valley Northwest and Helena Valley West Central; and parts of unincorporated Lewis & Clark County - located west of Helena Valley Northwest and Helena Valley West Central (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 109 miles of fiber optic network to connect 775 passings, including an estimated 759 homes, 12 businesses, 3 farms, and 1 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.

22-602-45	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Lewis & Clark County 2 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 6,645,446.00	\$ 8,411,957.00	LEWIS AND CLARK	16	599	-	-	615	2 years 1 month	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Lewis & Clark County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in census designated places of Helena Valley West Central and Helena West Side; and parts of unincorporated Lewis & Clark County - located southwest of Helena and west of Helena West Side (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 97 miles of fiber optic network to connect 615 passings, including an estimated 592 homes, 2 businesses, 15 farms, and 6 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps) or unserved (> 4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-46	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Missoula County 1 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 8,820,493.00	\$ 11,165,180.00	MISSOULA	14	1,005	192	-	1,211	1 year	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Missoula County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in census designated places of Frenchtown and Huson, and parts of unincorporated Missoula County - north, west, and southwest of Huson, and south of Frenchtown (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 119 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,211 passings, including an estimated 1,112 homes, 37 businesses, 58 farms, and 4 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either frontier (< 4/1 Mbps), unserved (> 4/1 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-47	Charter Communications	Charter Communications - Missoula County 2 - FTTP EPON	FTTH	\$ 4,844,761.00	\$ 9,689,522.00	MISSOULA	-	1,265	171	-	1,436	1.5 (18 months)	Charter requests a grant to construct a last-mile fiber-to-the-premises via Ethernet passive optical network (FTTP EPON) network to provide service to locations in Missoula County that lack access to qualifying wireline broadband service. The proposed Project Area is generally located in the census designated place of Wye and a part of unincorporated Missoula County surrounding Wye (the Project Area), and includes building approximately 103 miles of fiber optic network to connect 1,436 passings, including an estimated 1,318 homes, 16 businesses, 100 farms, and 2 community anchor institutions (the Project). The speeds currently available in the Project Area are either unserved (>4/1 Mbps < 25/10 Mbps) or underserved (>= 25/10 Mbps < 100/20 Mbps). Because Charter's FTTP EPON network is engineered and managed to meet 1 Gbps downstream speeds, 500 Mbps upstream speeds, and latency of well below 100 milliseconds, our network will be a significant upgrade for the residents, businesses, farms, and anchor institutions in the Project Area.
22-602-48	Gallatin Wireless Internet, LLC	Gallatin Shepherd FTTH Project	FTTH	\$ 8,341,901.00	\$ 10,427,376.00	YELLOWSTONE	-	7	1,568	-	1,575	14 months	Gallatin proposes the Gallatin Shepherd FTTH Project, a fiber-to-the-home (FTTH) construction build to provide high-speed Internet access to unserved and underserved residents in Yellowstone County, Montana, in the communities of Shepherd and rural Huntley. The proposed project area (PPA) encompasses 1,575 locations, requiring 77.86 miles of fiber cables to cover approximately 29.4 square miles of Yellowstone County.
22-602-49	Global Net	Global Net - Middle Mile - Last Mile Upgrade for Springhill Area.	Fixed Wireless	\$ 80,128.00	\$ 102,900.52	GALLATIN	-	9	1,697	-	1,706	14 months	Global Net currently owns and operates a tower at East Baseline Rd and Springhill Rd in the City of Belgrade Mt. That tower currently services about 180 Global Net subscribers with residential internet. All subscribers have at least the minimum "Underserved" level of capability available to them. The tower is at capacity. The project is to install backhaul to the tower with additional capability and to upgrade the tower broadcast capability to be able to deliver within a 4-mile radius around the tower the full-service classification or 100Mbps x 100Mbps.
22-602-50	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project (GBRC 1)	FTTH	\$ 9,829,767.00	\$ 12,287,209.00	RAVALLI	23	1,326	483	-	1,832	14 months	GBRC 1 will pass 1,832 unique locations to connect to the fiber infrastructure. Of these locations, 23 have frontier status, 1,326 are unserved, and 483 are underserved. The current average speed in GBRC 1 service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 14 Mbps upload/ 8 Mbps download. Grizzly data from the area shows wireless speeds at 32/16. The FTTH project will utilize fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods.
22-602-51	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 2 (GBRC 2)	FTTH	\$ 16,666,440.00	\$ 20,833,050.00	RAVALLI	229	1,825	1,048	-	3,102	14 months	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 2, hereafter referred to as GBRC 2, will pass 3,102 unique locations to connect to the fiber infrastructure. 229 of these locations have frontier status, 1,048 are underserved, and 1,825 are unserved. The current average speed in GBRC 2 service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 13 Mbps upload/ 7 Mbps download. Grizzly data from the area shows wireless speeds at 32/16. The FTTH project will utilize fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods. This vast improvement will result in a community able to seamlessly and easily utilize today and tomorrow's technology.
22-602-52	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 3 (GBRC 3)	FTTH	\$ 5,320,618.00	\$ 6,650,772.00	RAVALLI	7	460	128	-	595	14 months	GBRC 3 will deploy fiber to serve 595 locations in Florence, MT. There are 7 that have frontier status, 128 that have underserved status, and 460 that are unserved. The current average speed in GBRC service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 42 Mbps upload/ 10 Mbps download. Grizzly data from the area shows wireless speeds at 32/16. The FTTH project will utilize fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods.

22-602-53	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 4 (GBRC 4)	FTTH	\$ 13,093,791.00	\$ 16,367,239.00	RAVALLI	56	2,141	322	-	2,519	6 years	This project will cover areas in Victor and the west part of Stevensville. It will pass a combined 2,518 locations. Of the locations in Victor, 53 have frontier status, 257 are underserved, and 1,528 are unserved. In west Stevensville, 2 locations have frontier status, 65 are underserved, and 613 are unserved locations. The current average speed in the West Stevensville GBRC 5 service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 20 Mbps upload/ 7 Mbps download. Ookla shows the speed in Victor as 10/4. Grizzly Broadband shows wireless speeds of 32/16 in the area. To improve these speeds to handle current technology and necessary streaming, the FTTH project will utilize fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods.
22-602-54	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 5 (GBRC 5)	FTTH	\$ 12,976,282.00	\$ 16,220,352.00	RAVALLI	126	1,676	709	-	2,511	1 year 11 months	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 5, hereafter referred to as GBRC 5, will serve residents in the town of Hamilton. GBRC 5 will pass 2,509 unique locations to connect to the fiber infrastructure. Four locations in the city are unserved and six locations in the city are underserved. There are 126 locations in rural Hamilton that have frontier status, 703 locations in rural Hamilton that are underserved, and 1,670 that are unserved. The current average speed in GBRC 5 city service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 26 Mbps upload/ 9 Mbps download. Those in the rural area have far lower. Grizzly Broadband has wireless internet in the area that show speeds of 32/16. The FTTH project will improve connectivity in this area by utilizing fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods.
22-602-55	Grizzly Broadband LLC	Grizzly Broadband Ravalli County FTTH Project 6 (GBRC 6)	FTTH	\$ 4,390,660.00	\$ 5,488,324.00	RAVALLI	8	791	120	-	919	1 year 11 months	GBRC 6 will serve residents in Darby, MT. The project will pass 919 locations. Of these, 8 are frontier, 791 are unserved, and 120 are underserved. The current average speed in GBRC 6 service area, according to Ookla speed tests, is 12 Mbps upload/ 2 Mbps download. The FTTH project will utilize fiber-optic cable, allowing 1 Gigabit symmetrical speeds with latency at or under 80 milliseconds during peak periods. This vast improvement will result in a community able to seamlessly and easily utilize today and tomorrow's technology.
22-602-56	Inland Cellular LLC	Inland Montana	Combination	\$ 9,999,983.00	\$ 12,510,613.00	LINCOLN ROSEBUD CASCADE PONDERA GLACIER FERGUS TOOLE MUSSELSHELL FLATHEAD MISSOULA LAKE	232	14,698	698	-	15,628	1 year 11 months	Inland Cellular LLC ("Inland"), established in 1989, and proud to be the second oldest operating wireless provider in Washington State, is an existing family-owned and operated cellular and internet provider serving nearly 25 Counties, 9 retail and customer service centers, and over 33,000 subscribers in rural areas of Washington and Idaho With over thirty years of consistent management, reliable service, solid growth and operating experience, Inland now desires to enter the Montana market to provide reliable broadband services to selected rural communities in Montana. According to the State of Montana's Broadband Availability Map, the communities to which Inland proposes to bring broadband and fiber include 15,628 households in frontier, underserved or unserved areas.
22-602-57	InterBel Telephone Cooperative Inc.	InterBel - Flathead County West Valley Northwest	FTTH	\$ 4,357,600.00	\$ 5,447,000.00	FLATHEAD	-	400	-	-	400	2 years	InterBel Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (InterBel) is requesting ConnectMT funds to provide Gigabit broadband service to the community known as the West Valley due West of Kalispell Montana. The Flathead West Valley Northwest project is two of three applications being submitted by InterBel having boundaries of West of Hwy 93 and North of Hwy 2, all North & West of the City of Kalispell. Includes portions of Farm to Market Road, Church Drive, Lost Creek Drive, West Valley Drive, & Church Drive areas. All within Townships 29N & 30N of R22W. All locations lie in Flathead County, where nearly 100% of mapped premises are without sufficient access to broadband services. The proposed project will significantly improve broadband availability and fuel long-term economic development and opportunities for affected schools, businesses, first responder facilities and 400 households.
22-602-58	InterBel Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	InterBel - Flathead County West Valley Southeast	FTTH	\$ 6,344,800.00	\$ 7,931,000.00	FLATHEAD	-	789	-	-	789	2 years 11 months	InterBel Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (InterBel) is requesting ConnectMT funds to provide Gigabit broadband service to the community known as the West Valley due West of Kalispell Montana. The Flathead West Valley Southeast project is one of three applications being submitted by InterBel having a defined boundary of Church Drive south to HWY 2 West and West Valley Foothills to HWY 93 N, all of which lie in Flathead County, where nearly 100% of mapped premises are without sufficient access to broadband services. The proposed project will significantly improve broadband availability and fuel long-term economic development and opportunities for affected schools, businesses, first responder facilities and 789 households.
22-602-59	InterBel Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	InterBel - Lincoln county Eureka & Rexford Fiber overbuild	FTTH	\$ 1,355,200.00	\$ 1,694,000.00	LINCOLN	1	437	39	-	477	1 year 3 months	InterBel Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (InterBel) is requesting ConnectMT funds to provide Gigabit broadband service to the towns of Eureka and Rexford, Montana. The Eureka & Rexford project is three of three applications being submitted by InterBel. The proposed project coverage area consists of a mix of residential properties, subdivisions and businesses within the Eureka and Rexford communities. These locations reside within InterBel's CLEC service area and are served by an aging copper facility with limited capacity. InterBel has begun the upgrade with operational funds, but progress is slow due to high costs associated with construction and resulting minimal revenue gains.
22-602-60	KDS, Bialeki Holdings LLC	KDS Cascade County Fiber Network Deployment Plan	FTTH	\$ 5,172,872.00	\$ 6,466,091.00	CASCADE	11	586	209	-	806	1 year 3 months	The applicant, Bialeki Holdings LLC and Konceptio data Services LLC, Dba/ KDS Networks and KDS Fiber are proposing the design, development and deployment of a fiber optic based broadband internet network which is an extension and expansion of an existing business model and strategy which was initiated by the company starting in 2019. The KDS Cascade County Fiber Network Deployment Plan seeks to address the growing need for expanded fiber network services in the rural communities of Ulm, Montana and Sun Prairie, Montana in addition to homes and businesses located in an established development (South Fox Farm / Big Bend) which lies along the southern edge of the city of Great Falls, Montana.
22-602-61	Lincoln Telephone Company Inc.	Lincoln Telephone Company Inc. - Birdseye FTTH	FTTH	\$ 6,316,605.00	\$ 7,895,756.00	LEWIS AND CLARK	53	522	168	-	743	9 months	The proposed project aims to deploy broadband service to unserved/underserved areas within the Birdseye area in Lewis and Clark County. The area is rural with significant number of residents considering their current broadband service inadequate for their needs.
22-602-62	Montana Opticom, LLC	Montana Opticom, LLC - Fiber to the Home Gallatin River West Project	FTTH	\$ 7,261,807.00	\$ 14,552,720.00	GALLATIN	4	187	1,118	-	1,309	2 years 6 months	In the Gallatin River West Project, Montana Opticom proposes to bring high speed fiber optic bandwidth to a 78-square-mile area of rural western Gallatin County that includes the farming communities of Churchill and Amsterdam and is contiguous to our existing 239-square-mile service area. The project is roughly bounded by the western and southern edge of our current service area, the Gallatin Range to the south, the Madison Range to the west and the I-90 Interstate to the north.

22-602-63	Montana Opticom, LLC	Montana Opticom, LLC - Fiber to the Home Missouri Headwaters Project	FTTH	\$ 9,998,034.00	\$ 20,036,140.00	BROADWATER GALLATIN	30	1,667	387	-	2,084	2 years 2 months	In the Missouri Headwaters Project, Montana Opticom proposes to bring high speed fiber optic bandwidth to a 51-square-mile area of rural western Gallatin County and rural Broadwater County that are contiguous to our existing 239-square-mile service area. The project is roughly bounded by our network near Manhattan in the east, connects communities along the Gallatin River and the headwaters of the Missouri River at Three Forks in the west. The area includes businesses, farms and residences along the Highway-287 corridor to the community of Winston in northern Broadwater County.
22-602-64	MontanaSky Networks	MontanaSky's East Flathead Valley 206 Corridor Expansion	Combination	\$ 3,703,915.00	\$ 4,706,845.00	FLATHEAD	70	902	612	-	1,584	2 years 2 months	MontanaSky Networks, Inc. (MSN) is requesting \$3,703,915 in grant funds leveraged by company matching funds of \$1,001,581 (21% of project) for a total project cost of \$4,706,844. This investment will serve to provide broadband solutions to 1584 addresses in the rural area of East Flathead Valley/Highway 206 corridor of Flathead County, MT. The project dollars will be used to deploy a combination of middle mile and last mile infrastructure.
22-602-65	Nemont Telephone Cooperative	NTC Wolf Point FTTP	FTTH	\$ 4,682,725.00	\$ 5,927,500.00	ROOSEVELT	8	107	120	-	235	2 years 2 months	The proposed project scope will bring Fiber To The Home (FTTH) technology capable of delivering Gigabit symmetrical broadband service to all locations within the boundaries of the PPA. The PPA is located in remote NE Montana and is 100% within the boundaries of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation. This project will leverage existing infrastructure currently in the NE and South Central Montana that connects to Tier 2/1 ISPs in Billings, MT and beyond. Nemont Telephone Cooperative has the knowledge, expertise, workforce and experience to construct, implement, maintain and service the network necessary for providing this state-of-the-art and future proof product to the customers.
22-602-66	Project Telephone Company	PTC Huntley FTTP	FTTH	\$ 6,684,190.00	\$ 8,461,000.00	YELLOWSTONE	-	19	894	-	913	2 years 7 months	The proposed project scope will bring Fiber To The Home (FTTH) technology capable of delivering Gigabit symmetrical broadband service to all locations within the boundaries of the Huntley Exchange east of Billings, MT. This project will leverage existing infrastructure currently in the Huntley, MT area that connects to Tier 2/1 ISPs in Billings, MT and beyond. Project Telephone Company has the knowledge, expertise, workforce and experience to construct, implement, maintain and service the network necessary for providing this state-of-the-art and future proof product to the customers.
22-602-67	Project Telephone Company	PTC Pryor FTTP	FTTH	\$ 967,434.00	\$ 1,224,600.00	BIG HORN	-	-	135	-	135	2 years 7 months	The proposed project scope will bring Fiber To The Home (FTTH) technology capable of delivering Gigabit symmetrical broadband service to all locations within the boundaries of the defined Proposed Project Area. This project will leverage existing infrastructure currently in the South Central Montana area. This includes several rural communities and much of the Crow Reservations. These are connected to the Tier 2 ISP in Billings, MT via a robust combination of redundant fiber rings. Project Telephone Company has the knowledge, expertise, workforce and experience to construct, implement, maintain and service the network necessary for providing this state-of-the-art and future proof product to the customers.
22-602-68	Project Telephone Company	PTC Worden FTTP	FTTH	\$ 9,762,030.00	\$ 12,357,000.00	BIG HORN YELLOWSTONE	16	19	1,246	-	1,281	1 year 6 months	The proposed project scope will bring Fiber To The Home (FTTH) technology capable of delivering Gigabit symmetrical broadband service to all locations within the boundaries of the Worden Exchange east of Billings, MT. This project will leverage existing infrastructure currently in the Worden, MT area that connects to Tier 2/1 ISPs in Billings, MT and beyond. Project Telephone Company has the knowledge, expertise, workforce and experience to construct, implement, maintain and service the network necessary for providing this state-of-the-art and future proof product to the customers.
22-602-69	Qwest Corporation	Qwest Corporation - 11 separate Fiber-to-the-Premise projects	FTTH	\$ 8,422,200.00	\$ 12,809,599.00	TOOLE JEFFERSON PONDERA CARBON WIBAUX RAVALLI TETON FLATHEAD GALLATIN ROSEBUD BIG HORN	-	1,184	9,236	19	10,439	1 year 6 months	In this application, Lumen is filing for approval for of 11 different project areas. Each project area is independent of the other project areas and should be treated as a stand-alone project. Lumen respectfully requests that the ConnectMT grant program approve and award a grant for each project area. However, each project should be reviewed independently and if for some reason a particular project area is not approved, that will not impact the viability of the other project areas.
22-602-70	Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Colstrip Phase 1 Project	FTTH	\$ 8,014,221.00	\$ 10,144,584.00	ROSEBUD	-	330	678	-	1,008	1 year 6 months	The Colstrip Phase 1 Project includes eighteen miles of last-mile fiber, as well as twelve miles of middle-mile fiber construction. Range will replace an existing hut with a central office, on the ground we already own. To ensure reliability, Range has designed the Colstrip Phase 1 Project to be ring protected. This first phase will provide a state-of-the-art FTTP network infrastructure to 1,008 locations, providing access to broadband speeds capable of 1 Gbps or more.
22-602-71	Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	Forsyth FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 6,121,738.00	\$ 7,749,036.00	ROSEBUD	2	19	745	-	766	2 years 1 month	Utilizing XGS-PON technology, the Forsyth FTTP Project will provide broadband services capable of speeds ranging from 50 Mbps to over 1 Gbps to every location within the city limits. Range has an existing central office in Forsyth. Currently, Range provides xDSL service to residential locations, as well as a mixed fiber and xDSL deployment to business locations. Upon project completion, every location in Forsyth will be fiber connected, providing access to high-speed broadband. The Forsyth FTTP Project will positively impact all 1,495 residents of the Forsyth community.
22-602-72	Siyeh Communications	Siyeh Communications FTTP Project	FTTH	\$ 7,124,031.00	\$ 8,905,039.00	GLACIER PONDERA	258	264	-	-	522	3 years	Siyeh Communications (SiyCom) is a Blackfeet Tribal owned Utility that was incorporated in 2018 to provide broadband services to businesses and residents throughout the Blackfeet Reservation. A critical component of SiyCom's sustainability plan included the acquisition of the Browning Exchange service area on the Blackfeet Reservation which was finalized on December 31, 2020. Integral to the purchase of the telephone exchange was SiyCom's designation by the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) as the Eligible Telecommunication Carrier (ETC) and Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) for the Browning Exchange. SiyCom is eligible to apply to the ConnectMT program for broadband funding based on the 2022 Montana Broadband Availability Map that identifies 3,235 unserved locations that lack broadband service at speeds of 25/10; and 696 frontier locations where there is no or limited terrestrial broadband service within the Blackfeet Reservation. This projects targeted service area includes Heart Butte and Starr School. The total number of eligible "Locations" for ConnectMT funding is 522 locations for the two Service Areas. The total number of "Premises Passed" is 451 locations. SiyCom is seeking \$7,124,031.00 of ConnectMT funding to construct an \$8,905,039.00 Fiber to the Premise (FTTP) network that will meet or exceed the State of Montana's broadband speed benchmark of 100/20. SiyCom will contribute 20% matching funds in the amount of \$1,781,008.00 to the project.

22-602-73	Southern Montana Telephone Company	Southern Montana Telephone Butte-Silver Bow County Expansion Project	FTTH	\$ 2,123,979.00	\$ 2,688,581.00	SILVER BOW	2	101	-	-	103	2 years	SMT seeks \$2,123,979 in grant funding, under the ConnectMT Program, designated by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), to fund a two-year last-mile fiber-to-the-premise (FTTP) project, which will pass 103 households and businesses, covering 41.33 miles and providing Internet communications speeds of 1 Gbps symmetrical to an area near Buxton in Butte-Silver Bow County, Montana, where 100 percent of the premises are classified as either unserved or frontier. We commit to providing matching funds of 21 percent, totaling \$564,602 in support of the broadband project.
22-602-74	Tri County Telephone Association Inc.	Tri County Telephone Association - South Central Fiber Broadband Project	FTTH	\$ 9,111,327.00	\$ 11,389,159.00	CARBON YELLOWSTONE	2	14	1,094	-	1,110	2 years 2 months	Tri County Telephone Association (TCT), with the aid of ConnectMT funds, will expand fiber optics into the underserved areas of Bridger, Fromberg, Warren, southwest Yellowstone County (qualifying areas between Laurel and Billings), and Blue Creek (near Blue Creek Bridge, Coburn Road, and TCT's existing Lockwood fiber). In 1995, TCT purchased five telephone exchanges from US West in the Big Horn Basin of Wyoming and Crooked Creek Warren, Montana areas. TCT began operating and updating the outdated telephone switches, copper cable, and access equipment. The increased demand for high-speed broadband has surpassed the ability of that copper cable to support customer needs. The rural nature of the area and the low population density make it exceedingly difficult to form a business case to replace the existing copper cable with fiber optic cable. ConnectMT will help to cover those expenses so that TCT can serve the residents, businesses, and community facilities of those rural areas.
22-602-75	Triangle Communication System Inc.	TCS- FTTH - Wild Horse Seeds - Havre, MT	FTTH	\$ 116,876.00	\$ 146,095.00	HILL	-	10	-	-	10	2 years	There are several areas on the outer fringes of Havre, Montana that are either underserved or unserved. One such area is directly north of Havre, Montana, along Wildhorse Road (Highway 232). It includes ten locations on both sides of the road that span approximately 1/2 mile in distance. This area starts approximately 9/10ths of a mile from the intersection of Highway 2 and 232, and heads north along Highway 232. The area is on a gradual slope as it lies on the northern crest of the Milk River Badlands. The allocated funds will be used to bury fiber optic cable to these ten locations, providing them with broadband speeds capable of at least 100/100Mbps.
22-602-76	Visionary Communications, Inc.	VCN Fiber Butte	FTTH	\$ 6,147,419.91	\$ 7,831,108.16	SILVER BOW	9	441	-	-	450	2 years 11 months	Visionary Broadband's proposed project will bring gigabit fiber connections to 450 Butte residents. The fiber-to-the-premises project is designed to provide 1Gbps, 2Gbps and up to 10Gbps service via XGS-PON, future-proofing capacity for an underserved community. Within 35 months of funding, Visionary will build 49 miles of underground fiber to the 450 homes, businesses and anchor institutions within the project footprint. The network will be designed and built to the XGS-PON standard, meaning it will be capable of delivering 10Gbps service from the moment it goes live. Once service is lit, cash flow will sustain ongoing maintenance and operations, including a four-person local team with a dedicated presence in the community.
22-602-77	Visionary Communications, Inc.	VCN Fiber Hardin	FTTH	\$ 4,478,403.89	\$ 5,704,973.11	BIG HORN	-	5	2,072	-	2,077	2 years	Visionary Broadband's proposed project will bring gigabit fiber connections to more than 2,000 Hardin residents. The fiber-to-the-premises project is designed to provide 1Gbps, 2Gbps and up to 10Gbps service via XGS-PON, future-proofing capacity for an underserved community.
22-602-78	Visionary Communications, Inc.	VCN Fiber Whitehall and Three Forks	FTTH	\$ 8,985,523.84	\$ 11,446,527.19	BROADWATER JEFFERSON GALLATIN	5	1,314	868	-	2,187	2 years	Visionary Broadband's proposed project will bring gigabit fiber connections to more than 4,000 residents of Whitehall, Three Forks and surrounding areas. The fiber-to-the-premises project is designed to provide 1Gbps, 2Gbps and up to 10Gbps service via XGS-PON, future-proofing capacity in what is currently a broadband desert. The build will cover downtown Whitehall in Jefferson County and downtown Three Forks in Gallatin County, as well as outlying areas near Three Forks. The project will serve a total population of 4,109, according to census data. The population is comprised of approximately 1,006 Whitehall residents and 252 Jefferson County residents, plus 1,989 residents of Three Forks and an additional 862 residents of Gallatin and Broadwater counties adjacent to Three Forks.
22-602-79	Yellowstone Fiber	Yellowstone Fiber Rural Springhill/Dry Creek Project	FTTH	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 12,790,951.00	GALLATIN	-	15	1,522	-	1,537		This project will begin with an extension of our current network from Springhill Road (at Sewage Plant) and continue northward, with a branch leading east in Sypes Canyon and surrounding communities. Further north on Springhill Road, the Camona District will be served, then heading west on Penwell Bridge Road, reaching Dry Creek Road head north. We will then branch off serving Antelope Ridge and the Hillman area.
22-602-80	Zacha Underground Construction Company	Western Montana Broadband	FTTH	\$ 4,000,000.00	\$ 5,000,000.00	RAVALLI MISSOULA LAKE SANDERS MINERAL FLATHEAD DEER LODGE	-	-	-	-	-	2 years 5 months	Zacha Underground Construction intends to provide logistical support to local broadband service providers by installing underground duct and outside plant materials to create pathways for fiber to the home. Our goal is to help provide rural communities with high-speed internet access by working with local providers. Our involvement with providing and installing underground conduit and direct bury fiber has grown greater within the last 4 years. By working with the broadband design team and our years of experience, we will assist the local broadband companies in determining the best and most viable route to provide high-speed internet access to the end user.
TOTALS				\$ 521,488,379.64	\$ 715,507,869.98		3,661	112,633	41,706	19	158,019		

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