



Connect Wyoming ARPA/CPF Program

Grant Application Workflow

HOUSEKEEPING



Before we get started:

- Please put yourself on mute.
- This webinar is being recorded; we will share the recording and slide deck with all registrants after the webinar.
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- To get in touch, write us at either: broadbandoffice@wyo.gov or WyomingISPCoordinator@lightboxre.com



TODAY'S AGENDA

- 1. Thank You!**
- 2. Reminders**
- 3. Program Timeline**
- 4. Map Updates, Review, Training Guide**
- 5. Application System Overview**
- 6. Support**
- 7. Q&A**



- Program Success
- Broadband Map Challenges (CSV)
- Future Map Submissions CPF and Beyond
- The Road Ahead





REMINDERS

Updated Maps

The Wyoming Business Council and LightBox will be releasing the public and grant application/challenge maps the week of **July 17-21, 2023**.

Connect Wyoming

The maps will be accessible via a web link posted on the Wyoming Business Council Connect Wyoming web page at

wbc.pub/ConnectWY

Application System

The Wyoming Grant Application/Challenge Map and Application System will be restricted to those Internet Service Providers who provided data to LightBox and others that qualify to apply for funding.

- Credentials for the Wyoming Grant Application/Challenge Tool (map) can be provided again to those that require this.
- Credentials for the application system will be distributed the week of July 17-21 to participating providers.

PROGRAM TIMELINE



PHASE

NOTES

DATES

DATA SUBMISSION

Provide coverage info submitted to the FCC

11/30/22 | MIDNIGHT 1/13/2023

HOLIDAY BREAK

12/17/22 | 1/2/23

DATA PROCESSING

LightBox matches coverage info to our fabric;
Broadband coverage maps go live

1/1/23 | 3/31/23

MAP CHALLENGE/UPDATE

ISPs submit challenges and Broadband Office
evaluation period

4/14/23 – 6/28/23

APPLICATION PERIOD

ISPs submit applications for proposed broadband
projects

7/24/23 – 8/22/23 *

APPLICATION CHALLENGE

ISPs submit challenges to the application areas

9/22/23 – 10/5/23 *

AWARDS

Business Council awards projects – executes contracts
with sub-recipients

11/4/23 – 12/3/23 *

PROJECT BUILDS &
REPORTING

Project construction and reporting period.

12/3/23 – 12/31/26 *

* Dates are subject to changes. Actual timelines will be communicated via wbc.pub/ConnectWY

MAP REVIEW

Powered by LIGHTBOX Wyoming Broadband Grant Application/Challenge Tool



Locations

-  Served
-  Underserved
-  Unserved

FCC USAC

-  Served
-  Underserved
-  Unserved

USDA ReConnect Loan and Grant Program

-  Served

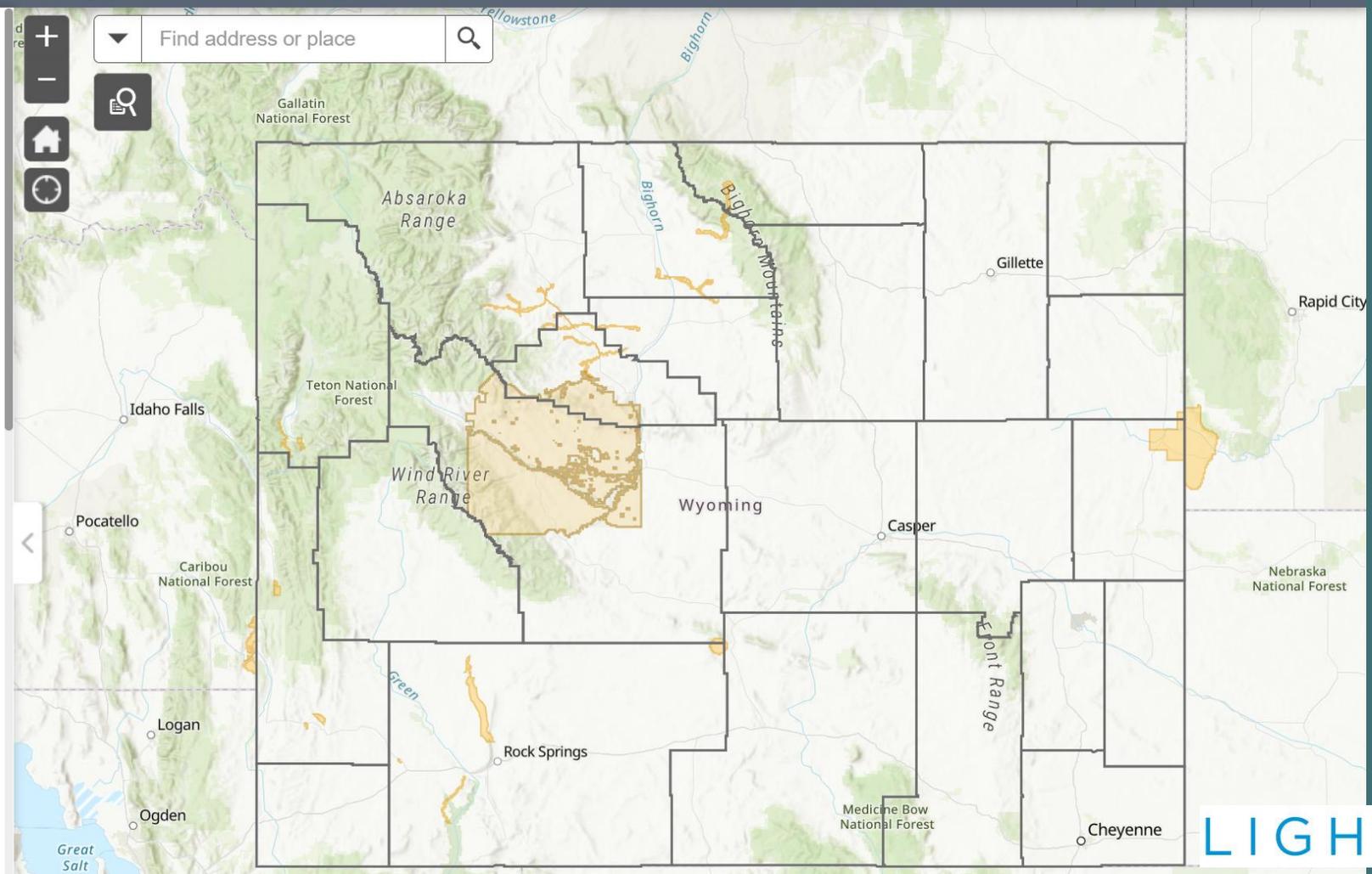
Statewide Summary Statistics:

Served Locations: 167999,
Underserved Locations: 20377,
Unserved Locations: 51857,
Total Locations: 240233,
Eligible for Funding %: 30.07%

Description



The map portrays broadband statistics for the State of Wyoming. Summary statistics are available via several boundary layers such as (but not limited to) county, tribal lands, house districts, etc. Please note that some layers will need to be turned on as they are off by default.



MAP UPDATES (DATA)



Some changes were made to locations and their attribution for the following reasons:

UPDATE: Serviceability values (via Type I challenges)

REMOVE: Serviceability inputs from ISPs (via Type II challenges)

REMOVE: Locations (due to duplicate removal)

UPDATE: Data quality improvements

ADD: FCC RDOF awarded areas added to Map 1 (Public), Map 2 (ISP)

MAP REVIEW - MAP DESCRIPTION



- Legend
 - Locations
 - Funding Data

Locations

-  Served
-  Underserved
-  Unserved

FCC USAC

-  Served
-  Underserved
-  Unserved

USDA ReConnect Loan and Grant Program

-  Served

Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF)

-  Served

MAP REVIEW - MAP DESCRIPTION

- Description Text

Description



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Zoom in until county boundaries appear and click on the map to see relevant statistics. The pop up box could have more than one page – use the arrows to click through to additional statistics.

Zoom in still further to see Served / Unserved / Underserved Locations on the map.

MAP REVIEW - MAP DESCRIPTION



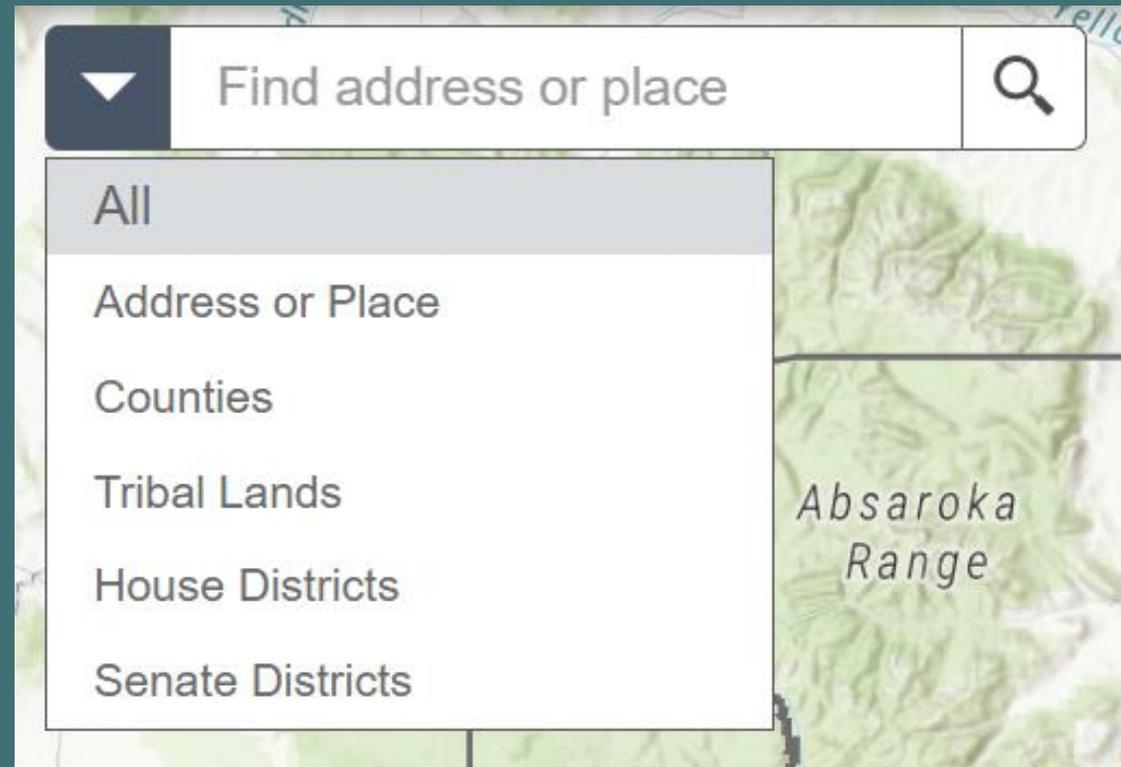
- Serviceability

As per advertised maxspeed values (Mbps down/up):

- *“Served” = locations where maxspeed $\geq 100/20$
Mbps down/up*
- *“Underserved” = locations where maxspeed $\geq 25/3$ -
 $< 100/20$*
- *“Unserved” = locations where maxspeed $< 25/3$*

MAP REVIEW – ADDRESS SEARCH

- Address
- Counties
- Tribal Lands
- House Districts
- Senate Districts



MAP REVIEW – STATISTICS



- Select a Boundary = See Statistics
 - County
 - Tribal Lands
 - House District
 - Senate District

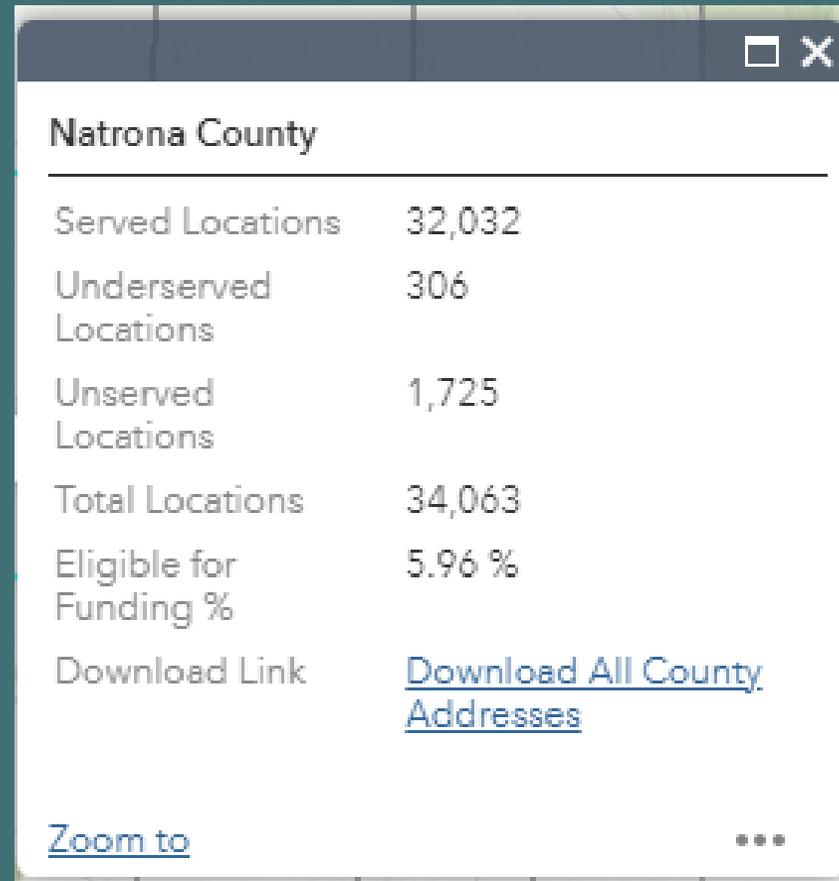
A screenshot of a web application window with a dark blue header and a white content area. The window title is "Natrona County". The content area displays a list of statistics for Natrona County. At the bottom of the window, there is a "Zoom to" button and a three-dot menu icon.

Natrona County	
Served Locations	32,032
Underserved Locations	306
Unserved Locations	1,725
Total Locations	34,063
Eligible for Funding %	5.96 %
Download Link	Download All County Addresses

Zoom to ⋮

MAP REVIEW – DOWNLOAD DATA (#1)

- Download All County Locations Link
- ALL Locations found within a unique County boundary in a CSV file



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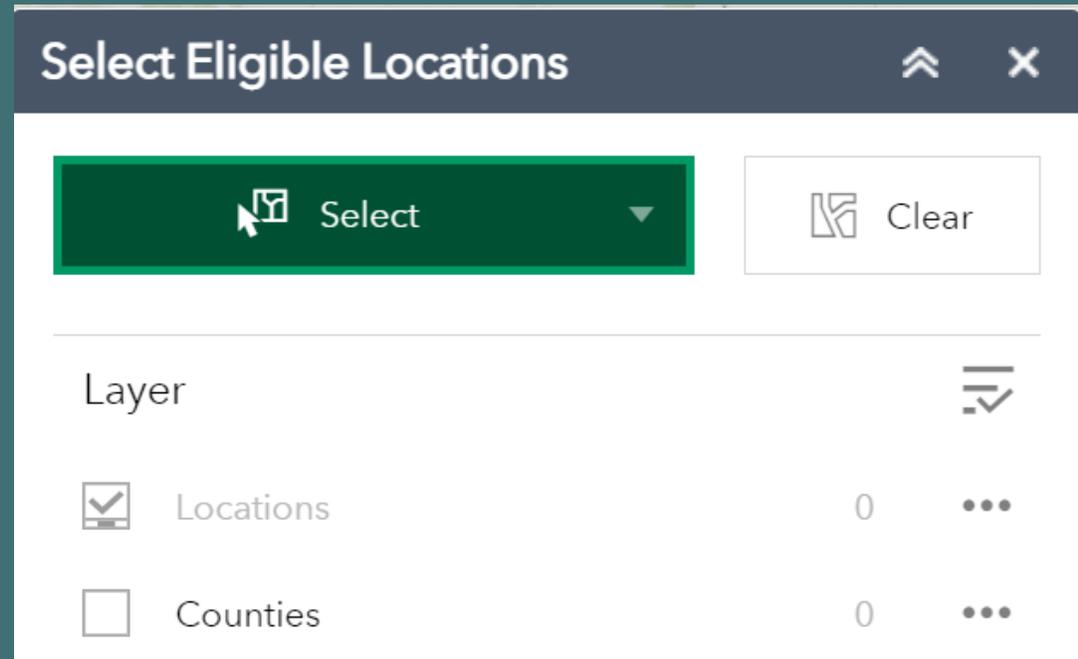
MAP REVIEW – DOWNLOAD DATA (#2)

- **Select Eligible Locations Icon**
- Choose locations from the map
- Download results in a CSV file



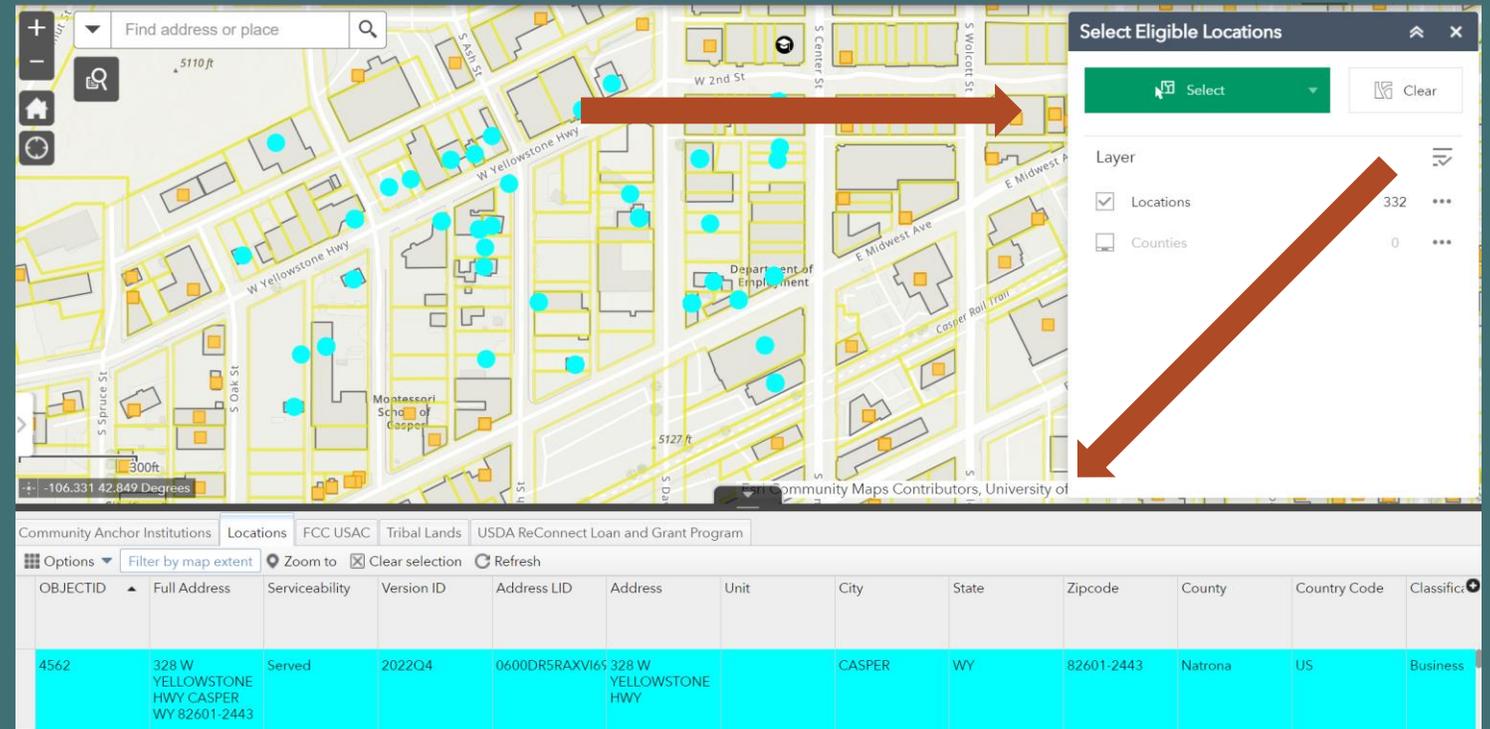
MAP REVIEW – DOWNLOAD DATA (#2)

- Select Eligible Locations Icon
- [Choose locations from the map](#)
- Download results in a [CSV](#) file



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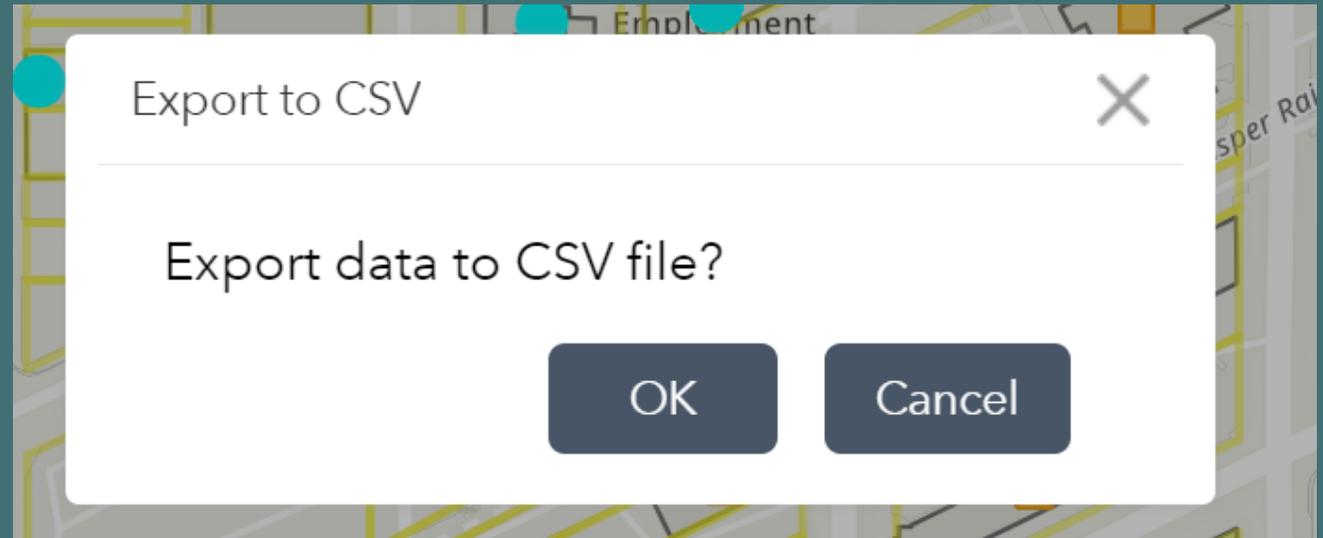


The screenshot shows a map interface with a search bar at the top left. A panel titled 'Select Eligible Locations' is open on the right, featuring a green 'Select' button and a 'Clear' button. Below the buttons is a 'Layer' section with a checked box for 'Locations' (332 items) and an unchecked box for 'Counties' (0 items). A red arrow points from the 'Select' button to the map, and another red arrow points from the 'Locations' layer entry to the data table below.

OBJECTID	Full Address	Serviceability	Version ID	Address LID	Address	Unit	City	State	Zipcode	County	Country Code	Classific
4562	328 W YELLOWSTONE HWY CASPER WY 82601-2443	Served	2022Q4	0600DR5RAXVI65	328 W YELLOWSTONE HWY		CASPER	WY	82601-2443	Natrona	US	Business

MAP REVIEW – DOWNLOAD DATA (#2)

- Select Eligible Locations Icon
- Choose locations from the map
- **Download results in a CSV file**



MAP REVIEW – CSV EXPORT (#1)



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	M	N	O	P	Q	R	T	U
1	OBJECTID	Full Address	Serviceability	Version ID	Address Line	Address	Unit	City	State	Zipcode	County	Classification	Assessment	Address Type	Community	Federal Geographic	Federal Geographic	Longitude	Latitude
2	4562	328 W YEL	Served	2022Q4	0600DR5R	328 W YELLOWSTON		CASPER	WY	82601-244	Natrona	Business	Commercial/Office/Residential (mixed use)					-106.33	42.8481
3	4563	316 W YEL	Served	2022Q4	06050BYJ	316 W YELLOWSTON		CASPER	WY	82601-244	Natrona	Business	Commercial/Office/Residential (mixed use)					-106.33	42.8481
4	8567	414 S ELM	Served	2022Q4	0601BU7K	414 S ELM# A		CASPER	WY	82601-263	Natrona	Business	Warehouse (Industrial)					-106.33	42.8469

- Selected record attribution
 - Address
 - Unit
 - Land Use
 - Funding
 - Coordinates

MAP REVIEW – CSV EXPORT (#1)



	V	W	X	Y	Z	AA	AB	AC	AD	AE	AF	AG
1	Challenge											
2												
3												
4												
5												

- Selected record attribution – Example challenge fields:
 - Provider Name
 - Bizres Code
 - BSL flag
 - Technology
 - Speed

MAP REVIEW – PRINT MAP

- Print Map

Print

Map title:

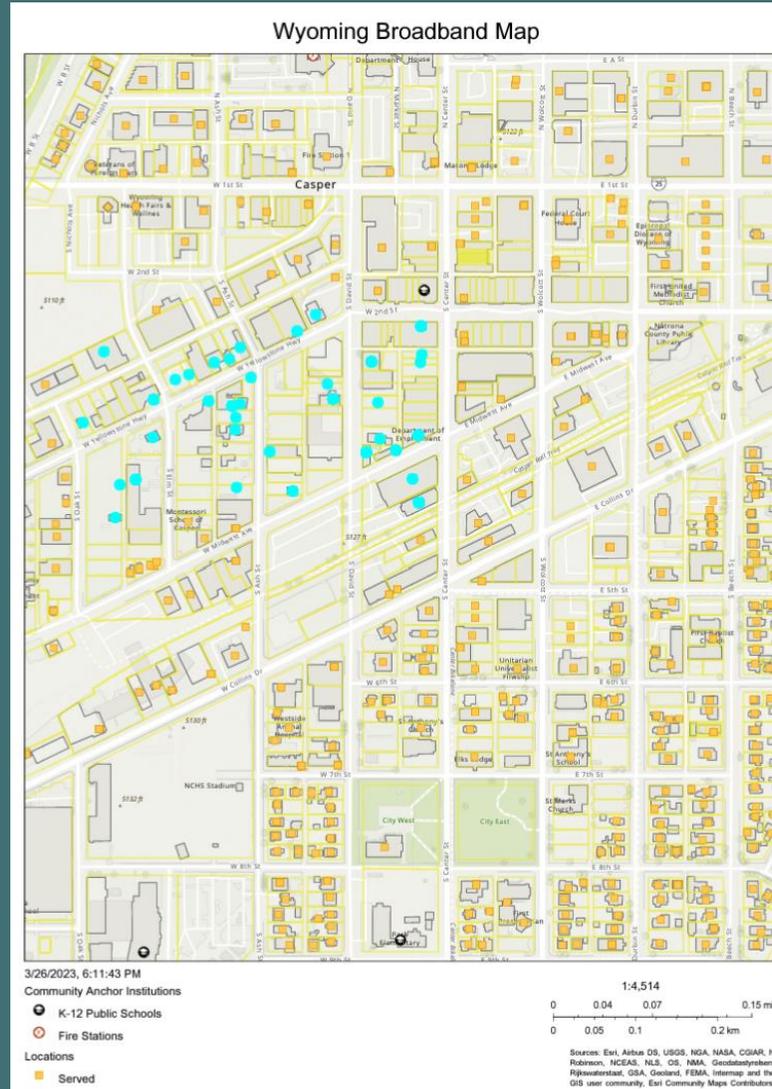
Layout:

Format:

 Advanced  Print

MAP REVIEW – PRINT MAP

- Print Map Output



MAP REVIEW – DEMO



MAP TRAINING GUIDE



Document (pdf) which explains the following:

How to use map

How to download data

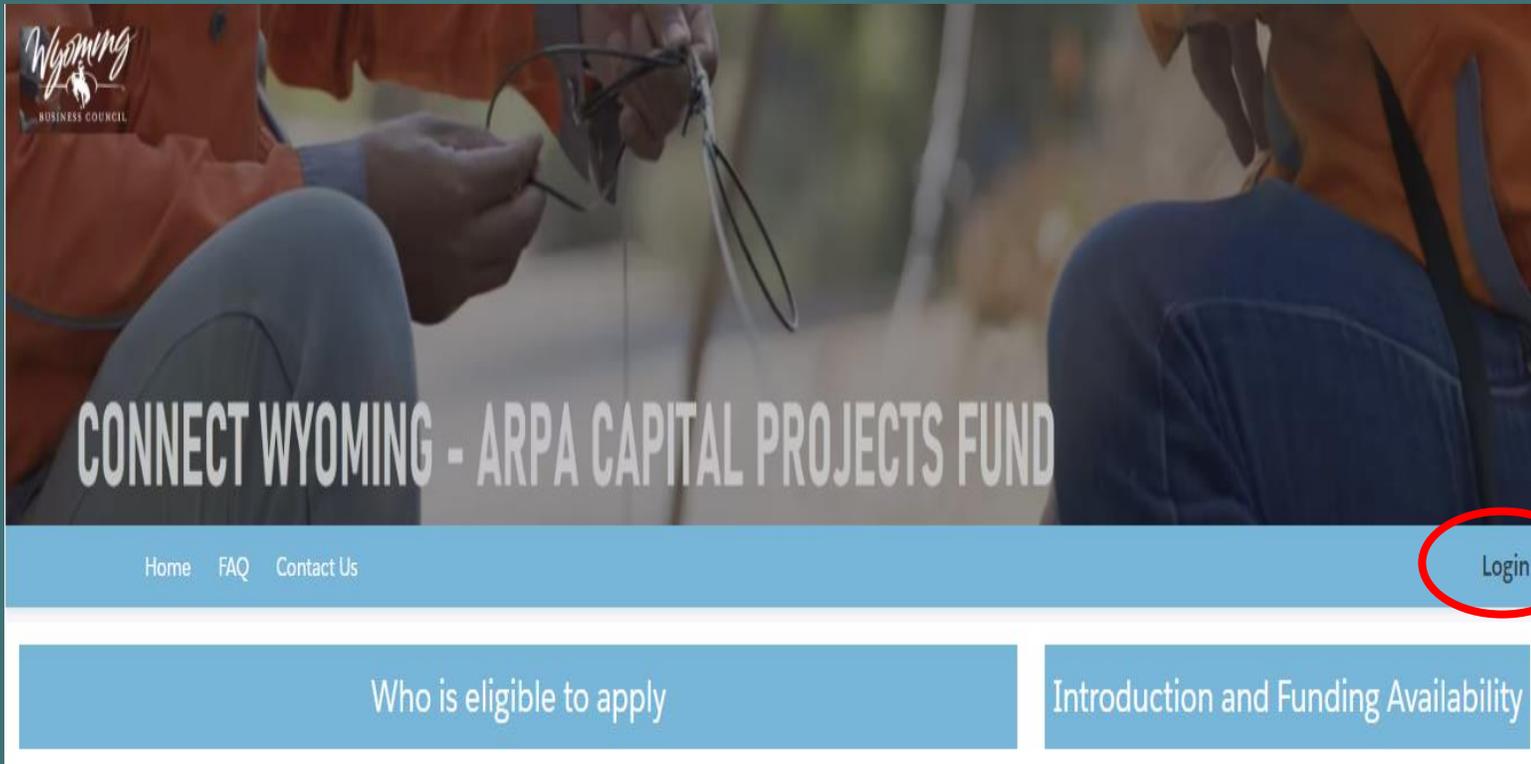


*Document available for download on the Wyoming Business Council website

*Wyoming Grant/Application Tool Training Guide

wbc.pub/ConnectWY

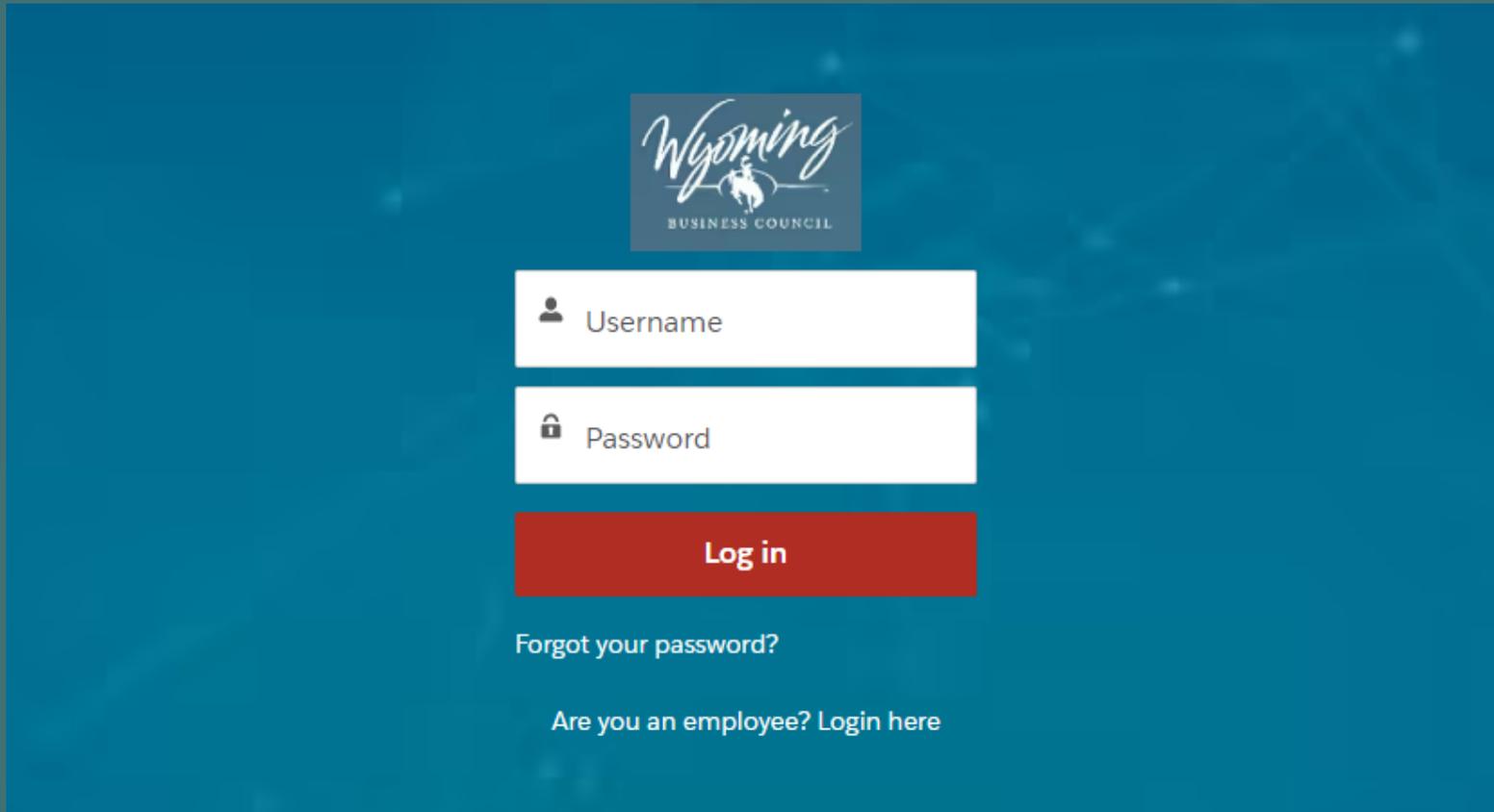
APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW



Access the Application System from the Connect Wyoming home page at: wbc.pub/ConnectWY

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

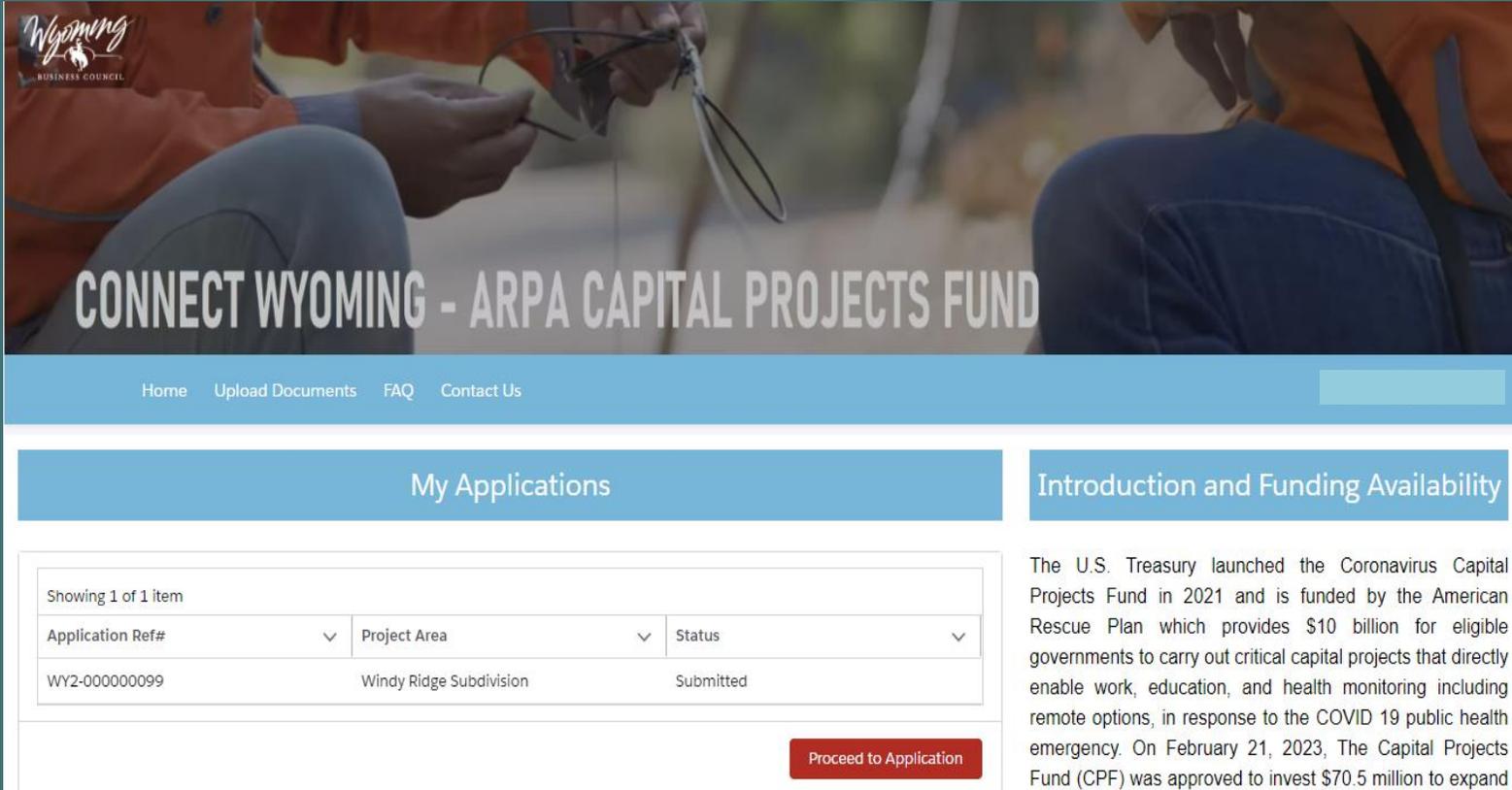
Log In - Credentials will be emailed to Providers who submitted coverage data the week of July 17-21, 2023



The screenshot shows a login interface for the Wyoming Business Council. At the top center is the Wyoming Business Council logo, which features the word "Wyoming" in a script font above a silhouette of a cowboy on a horse, with "BUSINESS COUNCIL" in a sans-serif font below. Below the logo are two white input fields: the first is labeled "Username" with a person icon, and the second is labeled "Password" with a lock icon. A red "Log in" button is positioned below the password field. Underneath the button, there is a link for "Forgot your password?" and another link for "Are you an employee? Login here".



APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW



The screenshot shows the 'CONNECT WYOMING - ARPA CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND' application system. The header includes the Wyoming Business Council logo and navigation links: Home, Upload Documents, FAQ, and Contact Us. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column, titled 'My Applications', displays a table with one application entry and a 'Proceed to Application' button. The right column, titled 'Introduction and Funding Availability', contains a paragraph of text.

Wyoming BUSINESS COUNCIL

CONNECT WYOMING - ARPA CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

Home Upload Documents FAQ Contact Us

My Applications

Showing 1 of 1 item

Application Ref#	Project Area	Status
WY2-000000099	Windy Ridge Subdivision	Submitted

[Proceed to Application](#)

Introduction and Funding Availability

The U.S. Treasury launched the Coronavirus Capital Projects Fund in 2021 and is funded by the American Rescue Plan which provides \$10 billion for eligible governments to carry out critical capital projects that directly enable work, education, and health monitoring including remote options, in response to the COVID 19 public health emergency. On February 21, 2023, The Capital Projects Fund (CPF) was approved to invest \$70.5 million to expand

Once logged into the Application System you will see a summary of your applications by name and status, i.e., draft, submitted, rejected...

Proceed to Application to continue.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Please, select from the list below.

Showing 2 of 2 items

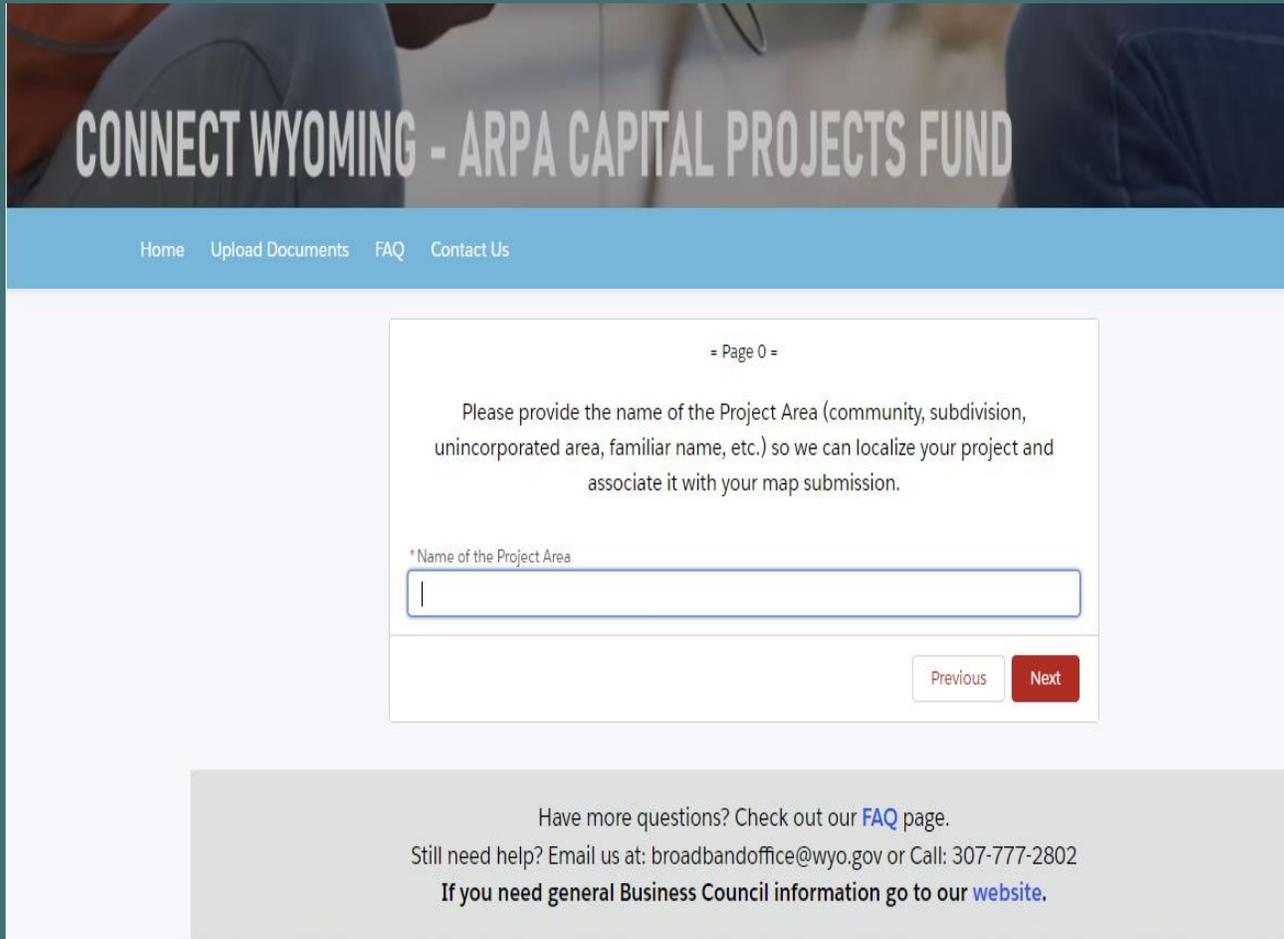
Project Area Name	Application Ref #	Status
<input type="radio"/> Windy Ridge Subdivision	WY2-000000099	Submitted
<input type="radio"/> Start New Application		

Next

Use the radio button on the left to access a draft application or start a new application.

Once an application is submitted you will no longer be able to access it.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW



CONNECT WYOMING - ARPA CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

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Please provide the name of the Project Area (community, subdivision, unincorporated area, familiar name, etc.) so we can localize your project and associate it with your map submission.

*Name of the Project Area

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Have more questions? Check out our [FAQ](#) page.
Still need help? Email us at: broadbandoffice@wyo.gov or Call: 307-777-2802
If you need general Business Council information go to our [website](#).

Page 0 – Enter application project name

- This should be recognizable by the residence in the application area. (e.g., Windy Ridge Subdivision)

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Please provide program qualification details.

* Are you currently a provider of Broadband Services In Wyoming?
Yes

* Have you contributed broadband coverage details to State/LightBox to Inform the state broadband map?
Yes

* Can the project be completed on or before December 31, 2026?
Yes

* Please specify the date you anticipate/expect the project could be completed:
Jul 14, 2024

* Do you have Provider Id required by FCC?
Yes

* Provider ID
1111111

* Do you participate in the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP)?
Yes

Describe in detail your participation in Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP)?
(You may provide a list or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Describe in detail participation in ACP

ACP Details

Upload Files Or drop files

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Page 1 – Program Qualification Details

- Map submission, project completion date, FCC Provider ID (required for reporting), ACP Detail.
- Detail your ACP program participation, pricing and outreach here or upload detailed narrative.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide project area serving statistics.

▼ Residential

* Total number of residential locations (address, units) that exist within the proposed project area? (view Info button for details) ⓘ

* Unserved residential units (%)

* Underserved residential units (%)

▼ Business

* Total number of business locations (address, units) that exist within the proposed project area? (view Info button for details) ⓘ

* Unserved businesses (%)

* Underserved businesses (%)

▼ Community Anchor Institutions

* Total Number of Community Anchor Institutions In project area? (view Info button for details) ⓘ

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Page 2 – Project Area Statistics

- Enter the number of Residential, Business, Community Anchor/Support Institutions (CAI's) and percent which are unserved vs. underserved, within your application area.
- The data must be obtained from the Wyoming Grant Application / Challenge Map.
- If there are no business or CAI locations, you must enter a zero (0) in the number field.



APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094

Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide a list of all business, community anchor institutions and community support facilities which are to be served by this project. Include name and address of facility.

(You may provide a list or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

List all Businesses, Community Anchor Institutions, Community Support Organizations to match entry on previous page 

List of Businesses

 Upload Files Or drop files

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Page 3 – Facilities Summary

- You are required to provide a list of Businesses, Community Anchor Institutions, and Community Support Organizations you identified on the previous page.
- List here by address, serviceability, addressLID, and classification from map data or upload CSV file with data obtained from map.
- Include name of business or organization (if known).

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000100
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge II Subdivision

Please provide project affiliation details.

* Is this project owned/operated/affiliated with local governments, non-profits, and cooperative providers? ⓘ

Yes

* Select affiliated entity

--None--

Describe in detail the relationship, letters of support and any detailed financial contributions.

(You may provide a list or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Affiliated Relationship Details ⓘ

Affiliated Relationship

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Page 4 – Project Affiliation

- If the project is affiliated with a local government, non-profit, or a cooperative provider, i.e., City, County or district municipalities, nonprofit as defined by tax status, electrical / telecom cooperative, you must provide details.
- Describe the relationship, upload letters of support and detailed financial contributions.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

For all locations potentially served by this project, what percentage will be served:

✓ Serving technology solution (Total 100%)

* By fiber? (%) ⓘ

* Using fixed wireless technology? (%) ⓘ

* Using a hybrid solution? (%) ⓘ

What percentage of the project will be served with at least:

✓ Speed solution (Total 100%)

* 100 Mbps symmetrical solution? (%)

* 100/20 scalable solution? (%) ⓘ

Where a 100 Mbps symmetrical is not practical due to geography, topography, or financial cost. Please describe these areas in detail here. Demonstrate that the proposed broadband infrastructure is scalable to speeds of at least 100 Mbps download and 100 Mbps upload. This information must be certified by either the manufacturer of the equipment to be utilized and the manufacturer's documentation uploaded with your application.

(You may provide a list or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Describe proposed infrastructure ⓘ

Proposed Broadband Infrastructure

Or drop files

Page 5 – Technology / Speed

- Serving Technology identification, upload/download validation, exception details where 100/100 cannot be obtained.
- Complete the “Describe Proposed Infrastructure” section on this page if the project is proposing less than 100/100 Mbps symmetrical.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide proposed speed characteristics.

* Does the solution proposed exceed 100 Mbps symmetrical?

Yes

* Specify the actual DOWNLOAD speeds proposed

Mbps

* Specify the actual UPLOAD speeds proposed

Mbps

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Page 6 - Speed

- For projects that are 100/100 Mbps symmetrical or greater - you must enter your maximum proposed upload and download speeds that will be offered to residential customers in the project area.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Describe broadband Infrastructure: The equipment type and amount of broadband Infrastructure to be deployed for the project including a breakdown of the project costs; i.e. Design/engineering, permitting, equipment, construction.
Include Initial speeds to be achieved.

(You may enter or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

▼ Project Infrastructure

*Total Mainline Fiber Miles

*Total Service Drop Miles

Total Project Miles (calculated) ⓘ

Page 7 – Part 1: Project Infrastructure

- Enter your proposed fiber miles. Include only new placement for both mainline and service drops.
- Total miles will be calculated automatically.
- If your project is licensed fixed wireless enter zero (0) in each required field.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Describe broadband Infrastructure: The equipment type and amount of broadband Infrastructure to be deployed for the project Including a breakdown of the project costs; I.e. Design/engineering, permitting, equipment, construction. Include Initial speeds to be achieved.

(You may enter or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

> Project Infrastructure

∨ Project Cost Model

* Planning Costs (Including community engagement, public feedback process, feasibility study, equity assessment)

\$0.00

* Design/Engineering/Permitting

\$0.00

* Leases (Access, Transport, Towers)

\$0.00

* Construction/Repair/Rehabilitation

\$0.00

* Equipment

\$0.00

* Other Costs

\$0.00

Total Project cost (running calculation) ⓘ

\$0.00

Describe broadband infrastructure ⓘ

XX

Broadband Infrastructure

 Upload Files Or drop files

Page 7 – Part 2: Project Cost Model and detailed infrastructure description and supporting documents

- Provide a breakdown of costs in each area listed. Total project cost will be calculated based on your entry.
- Describe broadband infrastructure: The equipment type and amount to be deployed including detail of the project costs listed.
- Include initial speeds to be achieved.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Page 8 – Project matching funds, grant amount

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide project financial details.

Total Project cost: \$0

*Cash match provided by you (the applicant) (\$)	Cash match % (calculated) ⓘ
<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
*Requested Grant Amount (\$)	Maximum Grant Amount (calculated) ⓘ
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="\$0.00"/>

- The Total Project cost is calculated from your entry on page 7.
- Enter your cash match amount to calculate the percent match.
- The Maximum Grant Amount is calculated based on your entry.
- Your Requested Grant Amount should match the maximum unless you have a contribution from another source listed on page 4.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000100
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge II Subdivision

Please provide project administration details.

(You may enter or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

* Does this project use existing rights of way and/or easements held by you (the applicant)?

--None--

* Do you (the applicant) already hold all required permits for this project?

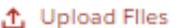
--None--

* Does this project use existing owned or leased fiber optic middle mile infrastructure?

--None--

Describe middle mile infrastructure. (If YES, describe the existing middle mile infrastructure to support your project here. If NO, include details of the middle mile proposed to support your project in the Broadband Infrastructure Description on page 7 of the application.)

Easements, permits and/or middle mile infrastructure

 Upload Files Or drop files

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Page 9 – Project Administration Details

- If you have previously secured rights-of-way for your proposed project, have the necessary permits and are using existing middle mile infrastructure, provide details and documentation to support your answer.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

Page 10 – Project Summary

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide a project summary.
Project summary will be posted on the public facing map.

(You may enter or/and upload file with that Information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Project Narrative (Max 1000 words) ⓘ

|

Project Summary

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- This should be an executive summary of the project.
- The project narrative will be published in the summary data as part of the project polygon on the public facing map and the Application/Challenge Map tool as part of the project polygon for the application challenge process.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094

Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Location of the project and map: Attach a map of the project area in .pdf format.

Additionally, the project area must be provided as a CSV address file created from the ISP Map data.

In addition to the CSV you can also submit a boundary file showing our application area.

(Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Location of the Project and Map

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Page 11 - Upload

- Upload a PDF of the project area and provide a CSV file created from the Application / Challenge Map tool.
- No other formats will be accepted. You can also provide a boundary file showing the application area with your submission.
- Reminder: ALL files must be uploaded before submitting.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000100
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge II Subdivision

Describe price of the service to be provided.
Include details of both monthly and one-time charges for installation and equipment.
(You may provide multiple type of services/charges, but at least one is required)

▼ One-Time charges

* One-time charges (\$)

* Describe One-time charges in details

▼ Service 1

* Service Name	* Monthly charge (\$)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Download Speed (Mbps)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

▼ Service 2

Service Name	Monthly charge (\$)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Download Speed (Mbps)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

▼ Service 3

Service Name	Monthly charge (\$)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Download Speed (Mbps)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

▼ Service 4

Service Name	Monthly charge (\$)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Download Speed (Mbps)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

▼ Service 5

Service Name	Monthly charge (\$)	Upload Speed (Mbps)	Download Speed (Mbps)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Page 12 – Service Offerings

- Enter one-time charge for equipment and installation of typical residential service, (non-promotional).
- One service offering should include a low-cost option for qualified consumers sufficient for a household with multiple users to simultaneously telework and engage in remote learning.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Please provide evidence demonstrating your experience and ability in building, operating, and managing broadband service networks.

(You may enter information or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

Describe Your Experience ⓘ

Experience

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Page 13 – Applicant experience and ability to execute proposed project

- Detail the providers experience, available resources to complete proposed project, operating structure to maintain 15/20 year obligation.

APPLICATION SYSTEM OVERVIEW

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Application Ref# WY2-000000094
Project Area Name: Windy Ridge Subdivision

Historical Financial Statements: Financial statements shall include balance sheets, income statements, and statements of cash flow, or equivalent forms based on the type of organization. Provide 3 years of unqualified CPA compiled, reviewed, or audited historical financial statements.

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Historic Financial Statements

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Page 14 – Upload Financial Statements as described

- 2020-2022
- If 2022 is not complete, please include 2019.

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Provide a breakdown showing the amount of any federal or state loans, grants, or aid for Wyoming broadband projects for which you have received written notification of funding. Include ACAM, CARES, Re-Connect and RDOF, or other similarly proposed federal funding from January 1, 2020, to present.

(You may enter information or/and upload file with that information. Use "Upload Files" on this screen or manage all your files via main menu "Upload Documents")

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Page 15 – Include all Federal/State funded broadband projects and outstanding obligations from 1/1/2020 to present.

- Provide a summary of each project, including technology, proposed upload and download speeds, latency, coverage area, grant/loan amount, units served, timeline for completion, and any other details pertaining to the project status.

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Attention!

You will not have the ability to upload any documents once you have submitted your application.

*Have all documents been uploaded?

No

Yes

Page 16 - Reminder!

- You must upload ALL required documents prior to submitting the application.
- Incomplete applications may be denied as described in the Guidelines document.

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Attention!

After you'll submit an application you will no longer have access to edit it.

We strongly recommend to review your application data before submission.

Would you like to review your application?

Yes
 No

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- Please review your application to ensure all fields are correct and that all the necessary documents have been uploaded prior to submittal.
- This will assure your application is processed in a timely manner.

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I certify, that

- The project will be completed on or before December 31, 2026;
- The individual submitting this application has authority or has been authorized to act on Applicant's behalf;
- The statements contained in the application are true, complete, and accurate to the best of their knowledge;
- The applicant's coverage, speed, and proposed project area maps and related data submitted to the Wyoming Broadband Map as required by program rules are true, complete, and accurate to the best of their knowledge as of the date the information was supplied;
- Applicant certifies that, to the best of the applicant's knowledge, the project proposed under this application does not overbuild any location(s) where a reliable connection capable of 100 Megabits per second (Mbps) download and 20 Megabits per second (Mbps) upload currently exists, nor does it overbuild locations for which written agreements to deploy broadband infrastructure at this speed or greater prior to December 31, 2024, exist;
- The applicant will not discriminate against any person on the basis of age, color, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, or sex in the programs or services for which the Applicant is receiving American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds;
- Applicant is not engaged in any activity that is illegal under federal, state, or local law;
- Applicant has not been suspended or disbanded from receiving federal funds;
- Applicant understands they may be subject to additional federal requirements, including single audit requirements, other audits, or other federal requirements;
- The applicant certifies the costs outlined in this application are neither the subject of - nor have they been reimbursed by - any other grant(s) or award(s) whether state or federal;
- Funds awarded pursuant to this application shall be used to fund projects which create and retain local jobs and/or result in purposeful outcomes, including distance learning, telehealth, public safety, commerce, and overall well-being;
- The Applicant understands that the award of any contract(s) under this program is contingent upon the appropriation of funding by the U. S. Department of Treasury and assumes any risk of loss in submitting application(s) under this program;
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- The Applicant understands that knowingly making a false statement may result in the Wyoming Business Council requiring a total or partial repayment of awarded funds, and may result in other fines or penalties;
- The Applicant further certifies the information provided in this application and the information provided in all documents and forms is true and accurate in all material respects. Applicant understands and acknowledges that knowingly making a false statement to obtain funds is punishable under the law, including, but not limited to, under 18 USC 1343 by imprisonment of not more than thirty (30) years and/or a fine of up to \$1,000,000.00 and Wyo. Stat. Ann. 6-3-402 by imprisonment for not more than ten years and/or a fine up to \$10,000.00;
- The applicant has read and understands the certification statements above and certify to them in submitting this application.

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- Each item must be acknowledged by checking the box for application to proceed.

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Documents upload

List of files you might consider to upload:

- A list of all business/anchor institutions and community support facilities which are to be served by this project;
- If this project owned/operated/affiliated with local governments, non-profits, and cooperatives provider, file(s) with relationship details, letters of support and any detailed financial contributions;
- File to demonstrate that the installed broadband infrastructure is scalable to speeds of at least 100 Mbps download and 100 Mbps upload. This information must be certified by either the manufacturer of the equipment to be utilized and the manufacturer's documentation uploaded with your application;
- If this project use existing rights of way and/or easements held by you (the applicant), file with easements in detail;
- If you (the applicant) already hold all required permits for this project, file(s) with permits;
- Detailed project Summary (Narrative) file;
- Location of the project and map (.shp format);
- Broadband infrastructure file: The equipment type and amount of broadband infrastructure to be deployed for the project including a breakdown of the project costs;
- Evidence demonstrating your experience and ability in building, operating, and managing broadband service networks;
- Financial statements that include balance sheets, income statements, and statements of cash flow, or equivalent forms based on the type of organization. Provide 3 years of unqualified CPA compiled, reviewed, or audited historical financial statements or 2 years of unqualified CPA compiled, reviewed, or audited comparative historical financial statements;
- Provide a breakdown showing the amount of any federal or state loans, grants, or aid for Wyoming broadband projects for which you have received written notification of funding. Include ACAM, CARES, Re-Connect and RDOF, or other similarly proposed federal funding from January 1, 2020, to present.

Accepted upload file formats: xls, .xlsx, .doc, .docx, .pdf, .shp

Upload Documents

- The upload documents menu button allows you to manage, review and upload documents to your application.
- The minimum list of documents to upload is listed here along with acceptable file types.

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Sign here please

Signed by: Date/Time:

Signature and Submittal

- This is the final step to complete for submission of your application.
- You can either sign in the box or paste the signature of the authorized representative.
- Signed by and date/time will populate automatically.



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