



Does your project contain an infrastructure build component?

Yes



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TRIBAL BROADBAND CONNECTIVITY PROGRAM ANNUAL REPORT				
GENERAL INFORMATION				
GENERAL	Recipient Organization:	Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation	Award Identification Number:	NT23TBC0290079-T1-01
	Recipient Street Address:	16281 Q Road	Report Submission Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	04/01/2025
	City, State, Zip Code:	Mayetta, KS 66509		
	UEI Number:			
	Period of Performance Start Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	04/01/2023	Period of Performance End Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	03/31/2026
	Report Period Start Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	04/01/2024	Report Period End Date (MM/DD/YYYY):	03/31/2025
1	<p>Provide the total number of project locations (Tribal households, businesses, and community anchor institutions) that your organization provided qualifying broadband service to using grant funds. (600 words or less)</p> <p>Infrastructure Deployment projects must attach associated shapefiles for the proposed service area. Use &amp; Adoption projects are not required to provide shapefiles, but must complete question 1. Planning projects may enter "N/A".</p> <p>NA — Project has not been completed and no locations have been connected to broadband service.</p>			
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3	<p>List all contractors that received grant funds and briefly explain what the funds were used for. Report this item cumulatively from the start of the award through the end of the annual report period captured in this report. If your project does not include contractors, write "NA". (600 words or less)</p> <p>NA — Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation (PBPN) is not awarding any contracts for this.</p>			
4	<p>Describe how the recipient organization expended grant funds. Report this item cumulatively from the start of the award through the end of the annual report period captured in this report. (600 words or less)</p> <p>NA — PBPN has not yet expended any funds, as the project can not move forward until the Tribal Attorney's Office completes work on the rights of way.</p>			
5	<p>List all subrecipients that received grant funds and briefly explain what the funds were used for. Report this item cumulatively from the start of the award through the end of the annual report period captured in this report. If your project does not include subrecipients, write "NA". (600 words or less)</p> <p>NA — PBPN is not awarding subgrants for this project.</p>			
6	<p>Describe any challenges your organization experienced while conducting your TBCP project during the past annual report period. Explain how you addressed those challenges. (600 words or less)</p> <p>Earlier delays prior to this reporting period impacted the overall timeline, and PBPN requested an extension accordingly. Securing rights of way has been the major setback during this project period. PBPN formed a Broadband Taskforce to address right of way issues and other project hurdles as they arise. The PBPN team has been meeting to discuss right of way approval but nothing has been formalized at this time.</p>			
7	<p>Describe how your organization met and maintained broadband requirements, as outlined in the NOFO purpose areas below. (600 words or less)</p> <p>Infrastructure Deployment: Broadband infrastructure deployment, including (but not limited to) support for the establishment of carrier-neutral submarine cable landing stations.</p> <p>Use and Adoption: Projects that promote the adoption and use of broadband services, including: affordable broadband programs, such as providing free or reduced-cost broadband service and preventing disconnection of existing broadband service; distance learning; telehealth; digital inclusion efforts; and broadband adoption activities.</p> <p>Planning: Proposals to conduct planning, engineering, feasibility, or sustainability studies as part of the necessary steps to develop a technological solution for broadband deployment.</p> <p>PBPN connected its planned broadband infrastructure deployment work to the NOFO purpose areas of improving quality of life, spurring economic development and commercial activity, and creating opportunities for remote employment and online entrepreneurship, remote learning, and telehealth by expanding broadband access to Native American</p>			

	communities. Deploying broadband infrastructure on the Nation's Common Lands will directly address NTIA TBCP priority outcomes by providing affordable, high-speed internet services to currently unserved households and community anchor institutions. The project was designed with long-term sustainability in mind to ensure that broadband access remains available and affordable to the community.		
8	<b>Describe all project achievements during the reporting period. (600 words or less)</b> PBPN has conducted surveys for the rights of way and is in the process of securing rights of way and permitting for the project. The Broadband Taskforce continues to meet regularly to address project challenges.		
9	<b>INFRASTRUCTURE DEPLOYMENT PROJECTS:</b> Using the Excel spreadsheet template titled "TBCP Reports Addendum A", please provide an updated count of Households within each of the eligible census block groups along with their Location ID that you connected to your network. The locations should match and conform to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Broadband Serviceable Location Fabric, which is a unique identifier for the geographic coordinates, and where available, the address(es) associated with each location.		
10	<b>INFRASTRUCTURE DEPLOYMENT PROJECTS:</b> Using the Excel spreadsheet template titled "TBCP Reports Addendum B", please provide an updated count of Tribal Businesses within each of the eligible census block groups along with their Location ID that you connected to your network. The locations should match and conform to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Broadband Serviceable Location Fabric, which is a unique identifier for the geographic coordinates, and where available, the address(es) associated with each location.		
11	<b>INFRASTRUCTURE DEPLOYMENT PROJECTS:</b> Using the Excel spreadsheet template titled "TBCP Reports Addendum C", please provide an updated count of Community Anchor Institutions (CAIs) within each of the eligible census block groups along with their Location ID that you connected to your network. The locations should match and conform to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Broadband Serviceable Location Fabric, which is a unique identifier for the geographic coordinates, and where available, the address(es) associated with each location.		
CERTIFICATION	I certify to the best of knowledge and belief that this report is correct and complete for performance of activities for the purposes set forth in the award documents.		
	Typed or printed name and title of Authorized Certifying Official:		Telephone (area code, number and extension):
	Signature of Certifying Official:		Email Address:
		Date:	4/1/2025