



**2022 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative
Notice of Intent to Apply**

July 20, 2021

Tamarah Holmes, Ph.D.
Director-Office of Broadband
Department of Housing and Community Development
600 East Main Street, Ste 300
Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Dr. Holmes:

I am providing this VATI Application Notice to notify the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development of Southside Planning District Commission's (Southside PDC) intent to submit an application for the FY2022 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI).

Southside PDC intends to submit an application for universal fiber to the premise broadband coverage for the entire PDC 3-county region of Brunswick, Halifax, and Mecklenburg Counties that are by definition underserved/unserved areas.

Ann Taylor Wright will be our main point of contact for the purposes of the application process, and can be reached at: 200 S. Mecklenburg Avenue, South Hill, VA 23970, 434-262-2803, ctwconsultingva@gmail.com

Southside PDC understands that this VATI Application Notice is required in order to submit an application for the 2022 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative, and that this notice is not binding on the entity represented by the undersigned, Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Deborah Gosney", is written over a faint, circular stamp.

Deborah Gosney
Executive Director