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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:

On behalf of Carroll County, I am providing this VATI Application Notice to notify the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development of Carroll County and Citizens Telephone Cooperative, (Citizens) intent to submit an application for the FY2024 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI).

Carroll County and Citizens are in the process of identifying areas within Carroll County and surrounding localities to expand broadband service to additional unserved or underserved areas.

I will be our main point of contact for the purposes of the application process, and can be reached at:

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Carroll County and Citizens understand that this VATI Application Notice is required in order to submit an application for the 2024 the Virginia Telecommunication Initiative and that this notice is not binding on the entity represented by the undersigned, Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

Respectfully,

Michael Watson  
County Administrator