

October 3, 2023

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 inform the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development that Henry County, in collaboration with one or more Internet Service Providers (ISPs) may apply for the FY2024 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI). The project request will expand broadband coverage to underserved locations within the boundaries of Henry County.

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

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Henry County understands that this VATI Application Notice is required in order to apply for the 2024 Virginia Telecommunication Initiative and that this notice is not binding on the entity represented by the undersigned or the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

Respectfully yours,

Dale Wagoner

Dale Wagoner County Administrator