



# Project Announcement

Obligation Date:06/14/17

## PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

**USDA Rural Development has approved a grant of \$3,000,000.00**

Program: Community Connect Grants

State/County: WV/Upshur, WV/Randolph, WV/Barbour

Congressman: McKinley, David (WV 01), Mooney, Alex (WV 02)

Senators: Capito, Shelley (WV ), Manchin, Joe (WV )

Recipient: Central West Virginia Development Associ

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Project Description: The Central West Virginia Development Association proposes to provide wireless broadband service to over 3,680 households, businesses and critical community facilities in Barbour, Randolph, and Upshur Counties of north-central West Virginia. These areas currently do not have service. By providing broadband service to these areas, the CWVDA will provide an environment that fosters economic growth and delivers enhanced educational, health care, and public safety services to north-central West Virginia.

The system deployed will be based fixed wireless service operating in several frequency bands. The system will have the capability of delivering at least 10 Mbps down and 1 Mbps up to all customers in the PFSA.

Other Funding: Applicant Contribution: \$450,000.00

Total Project Cost: \$3,450,000.00