REQUEST FOR BIDS (RFB) LINCOLN COUNTY BROADBAND PROJECT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, Washington that sealed bids will be received **until 3:00 p.m., Friday, June 23st 2022** at one of the following locations:

Board of Lincoln County Commissioners P.O. Box 28 Davenport, WA 99122-0028

Or

Office of the Board of County Commissioners Clerk of the Board's Desk 450 Logan Street County Courthouse, Lower Level Davenport, WA

It shall be the bidder's responsibility to ensure that bids are delivered to the Board of County Commissioners prior to the deadline and receipted by the Clerk of the Board.

The bids will be opened and publicly read aloud after 9:00 a.m., at the Commissioner's meeting scheduled on Tues, July 5th 2022 for Washington State Broadband Office (WSBO) Infrastructure Acceleration Grant, Connecting Lincoln County project: FTTx Wilbur and Davenport.

Please identify bids on the outside of the envelope as:

"WSBO INFRASTRUCTURE ACCELERATION GRANT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES"

(1)Design process overview and recommendations; (2) Assistance with permitting, pole contact agreements, and franchise acquisition; (3) Invitation to bid documents and process management; (4) Review and oversight of the design and construction of the Facilities; (5) Mapping of the project as-built plans; (6) Guidance and advice regarding public outreach guidance, as needed; and (7) Annual on-site meetings or visits by managers.

For questions, please contact Lincoln County Economic Development Council @ janice@lincolnedc.org or call 509-368-7085.

The Board of Lincoln County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Bidders are advised that Lincoln County, being a municipal corporation is exempt from Federal excise tax.

The County of Lincoln hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated for or against on the grounds of race, color, sex or national origin, in consideration for an award.

Dated: Davenport, Washington this 2th day of June 2022. PUBLISHED: LINCOLN COUNTY RECORD-TIMES JUNE 9 & 16 2022