



ADAK TELEPHONE UTILITY
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April 20, 2017

The Honorable Anna Mackinnon
Alaska State Senate
State Capitol, Room 516
Juneau, AK 99801

Dear Senator MacKinnon,

This letter is notification that Adak Eagle Enterprises LLC (AEE) that provides the last mile network on Adak Island, AK (AEE) could deliver the proposed 25/3Mbps services to the school in Adak, AK on our service area.

The "last mile facility" is considered the fiber plant we currently have on Adak and this is currently being met, but because of the extensive plant investment and backhaul costs at this time our affiliated isp provider that covers the "middle mile" (Satellite for Adak to receive broadband capacity) is currently the problem when most of remote rural Alaskans are severed by Satellite. (No road to Adak)

Rural areas are far behind urban areas for broadband service.

Thank you and the entire legislature for this effort in trying to understand and bring more bandwidth to the rural schools.

Sincerely,

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