



September 19, 2023

Federal Communications Commission  
ATTN: Wireline Competition Bureau  
45 L Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20554

**RE: Enhanced A-CAM Election Letter**  
**Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. (SD Study Areas 391657, 391642, 391405)**  
**Response to Public Notice of 8/30/2023 (DA 23-779), WC Docket No. 10-90**

To Whom it May Concern:

Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. submits this letter as an "Election Letter" in response to the Federal Communications Commission Public Notice referenced above, which announces "Enhanced Alternative Connect America Cost Model Support Amounts" for "Rate-of-Return Carriers to Expand Broadband."<sup>1</sup> The letter per Wireline Competition Bureau instructions is submitted by electronic mail, addressed to [ConnectAmerica@fcc.gov](mailto:ConnectAmerica@fcc.gov).

With this letter Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. confirms that it is electing the state-level offer of model-based, Enhanced A-CAM support, for the State of South Dakota as specified in "Report 1.1" released with the Public Notice (as set forth in "Table 1.1" included as part of the Commission's "Enhanced A-CAM – A-CAM 2.6.0 - Report Version 1" of August 30, 2023). Further, in accord with the Public Notice terms, along with this election Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. commits to satisfying the specific service obligations associated with this acceptance of Enhanced A-CAM model support, including both the deployment of 100/20 Mbps or faster service to all required locations and the maintenance of 100/20 Mbps or faster service to currently served locations. These broadband service obligations will, specifically, be met by the company through planned deployments in the affected geographic areas of *Optical Carrier/Fiber to the Premises technology (BDC Technology Code 50)*.

Following the Commission's receipt and review of this Election Letter, please respond promptly if any further supporting or clarifying information is needed regarding this action by Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. For this purpose, please send an email to Kari J. Flanagan at [karif@alliance.coop](mailto:karif@alliance.coop).

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Enhanced Alternative Connect America Cost Model Support Amounts Offered to Rate-of-Return Carriers to Expand Rural Broadband, WC Docket No. 10-90, DA 23-779 (rel. August 30, 2023).

**All yours.**