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Ridgway Mayor John Clark appointed to Broadband Deployment Board

Ridgway, CO – Town of Ridgway Mayor John Clark was recently appointed by KC Becker, Speaker of the Colorado House of Representatives, to serve on the Broadband Deployment Board.

The Broadband Deployment Board was established through HB14-1328 and was created to implement and administer the deployment of broadband service in unserved areas of the state by awarding grants from the Broadband Fund. The Broadband Fund exists to connect communities and fuel economic growth in unserved areas across Colorado. The Board seeks public comment on applications before reviewing and selecting which projects to fund. The Board awards money from the Broadband Fund according to statutory requirements and Board policy.

“I am honored to serve as a member of this team and excited for the opportunity to help improve broadband access in communities around the state of Colorado,” said Mayor Clark. “In the 21st century, broadband is essential to economic development. I believe that everyone deserves reliable, sustainable, and affordable internet service, especially people in rural areas of our state.”

For questions or to learn more, please call 970-626-5308.

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