Applicant Name: NEW EA, INC. FLOW MOBILE

Submitter: Mid-Rivers Communications

Comment: As shown on our response map, the community of Sidney, Montana, including the entire Proposed Funded Service Area designated by the Applicant, is NOT UNSERVED, and this Applicant clearly did not conduct due diligence in determining the unserved status of this community. Mid-Rivers Communications currently provides and advertises broadband services of up to 10 Mbps DOWNSTREAM / 1 Mbps UPSTREAM in Sidney, and broadband speeds of up to 12 Mbps / 2 Mbps are also provided upon request. Business Internet and Business Ethernet services scalable up to symmetrical speeds of 100 Mbps are also available and being provided to entities in the community today. We currently provide affordable, wireline broadband to the key community facilities in Sidney, including the hospital, school district, and nearly 2,000 other institutions, State and Federal agencies, businesses and residents.