Broadband USA Applications Database

Applicant Name: Hoopa Valley Tribe

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-----Service Area: Hoopa Valley Indian Reservation

Submitter: Velocity Technology Cooperative, Inc.

Comment: Our company has provided wireless broadband to the Hoopa Reservation since January 1st, 2008 ranging in speeds from 512 kbps to 1 mbps with the anticipation of offering higher speeds as adoption and demand increase.

Our system currently covers almost all the inhabited area on the Reservation. Of the roughly 1,200 homes and 100 businesses claimed in the application, we currently provide service to roughly 10%. This is not due to limitations of our system or lack of coverage; it is due primarily to the extreme level of poverty in the area.