Applicant Name: Sacred Wind Communications, Inc.

Public Notice Submissions

-----Service Area: Navajo lands NMBIP1

Submitter: Navajo Nation ISP/Action INTELEX

Comment: Sacred wind was given a 70 million dollar Government backed loan for a buildout in this "Unserved area" My response is simple. If they were given a 70 Million dollar loan for this why 3 years later are they claiming it is unserved? There proposal asks for an additional 24 Million to build out the last mile in just the New Mexico portion of the Navajo Nation. This population according to the Census bureau info has 33,000. The Navajo Nation ISP/Action INTELEX has asked for 22 million for a last mile that covers not only the state of New Mexico portion of the Navajo Nation but also covers Arizona and Utah parts of the Navajo Nation serving 197,000. So the NN ISP can build out a last mile solution at a cost to the Government of 22 Million and cover the entire Navajo Nation in NM, AZ, and Utah and serve a population of 197,000 and Sacred Wind proposes to build out only the New Mexico last mile for a cost of 24 Million plus the already in hand government loan for 70 million they were supposed to build out in this "unserved area" with yet now they claim the area as unserved even though they were supposed to build out the area they are asking another 24 Million for. So there cost for only NM is 94 million for the 33,000 residents. The Navajo Nation ISP will build out the entire last mile for the entire nation of 197,000 unserved for 22 Million TOTAL vs 94 Million for 33,000 that should have already been completed.

Submitter: Navajo Communications Company

Comment: A portion of the applicant's service territory is currently served with broadband by the respondent.