

Key Concepts and Benefits to Consider in Support Letters

- Benefits of high-speed broadband services (telecommunications)
 - Fully experience what the Internet has to offer
 - Business moves faster; smoother
 - Quick access to the information you need and want
- How this affects rural communities
 - New opportunities for jobs, innovation, economic growth
 - Improves education by accessing data and information
 - Opens new markets to existing businesses and entrepreneurs
- Examples of how you would use broadband services
 - Improves public safety
 - Increases effectiveness and opportunities for public education
 - Ability to tap into state of the art networking infrastructure to kick-start local economy of a region suffering from decline of basic industries
- Examples of expanded services
 - DSL, wireless, power line communications, satellite Internet access, fiber optic cables
- New or enhanced public/private partnerships
 - Open access fiber network to rural central Oregon Coast
 - Accelerates vision of partners to benefit communities with broadband opportunities
 - Increases connectivity
 - Forms a fiber ring of protection and service to central Oregon Coast