

From: Bruner, Brandon S (PSC) on behalf of PSC Executive Director
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215
Date: Friday, September 18, 2020 3:50:00 PM

Diana Lord,

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kenergy Corp. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2020-00215, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at http://psc.ky.gov/PSC_WebNet/ViewCaseFilings.aspx?Case=2020-00215.

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Best Regards,

Brandon Bruner
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From: Diana Lord [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2020 4:49 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215

I am sending this email to support the case for Kenergy to be allowed a waiver. Please allow them to explore the ability and possibility of providing broadband services to their customers. I have been a customer of Kenergy for 30+ years. I have tried to get internet at my current location for almost 20 years. There are options such as DSL and satellite but they are limited and spotty at best.

I had Exede for a little over a year and could not get enough speed to do the simplest webinar, much less, streaming video. I used Qwireless for awhile and they were good but the last time I tried to get it they did a site survey and show too much interference in the area.

I am a local business woman and have to use hotspots to connect to work. And with a lot of children having to do Zoom calls and school from home, it is a bigger issue than ever for people in the outlying areas of Henderson County.

Thank you for your attention!

DIANA H. LORD

Director of Information Technology, VP
Field & Main Bank



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From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215 - Broadband in Western Kentucky
Date: Friday, September 18, 2020 3:54:00 PM

James Stinnett,

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From: Laurie Stinnett [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:09 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Broadband in Western Kentucky

CASE # 2020-00215

Commissioners,

I am writing to show my support of Kenergy's broadband deployment project. I want regulated electric cooperatives to be able to provide high-speed broadband services to my community, just as municipals and TVA cooperatives do today. Our community has limited, if any, availability to reliable, high-speed internet. This critical infrastructure is essential to business, healthcare, education and quality of life.

Extending broadband services to rural areas is the modern-day equivalent of rural electrification in the 1930's. Electric cooperatives have existing infrastructure throughout our region, which makes a perfect fit to be a broadband service provider.

I am requesting your approval of Kenergy's request for a waiver, which will expedite this project in a timely manner, ensuring electric cooperatives can secure financing for the buildout.

Thank you for your consideration of this important project, one that will positively impact my community and transform western Kentucky.

Sincerely,

James Stinnett (Kenergy Customer)

1720 State Route 1525

Clay, KY 42404

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Bruner, Brandon S (PSC) on behalf of PSC Executive Director
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215
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Kenneth D. Brown,

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From: Kenny Brown [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 12:02 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215

I am sending this letter to support Kenergy's effort to provide broadband services to customers in rural areas. Thank you.

Kenneth D. Brown
16030 State Route 136 E
Robards, KY 42452
[REDACTED]

From: Bruner, Brandon S (PSC) on behalf of PSC Executive Director
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: CASE # 2020-00215, Re: Broadband in Western Kentucky
Date: Friday, September 18, 2020 3:55:00 PM

Melodie Metje,

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kenergy Corp. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2020-00215, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at http://psc.ky.gov/PSC_WebNet/ViewCaseFilings.aspx?Case=2020-00215.

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From: Melodie Metje [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:53 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: CASE # 2020-00215, Re: Broadband in Western Kentucky

Commissioners,

I am writing to show my support of Kenergy's broadband deployment project. I want regulated electric cooperatives to be able to provide high-speed broadband services to my community, just as municipals and TVA cooperatives do today. Our community has limited, if any, availability to reliable, high-speed internet. This critical infrastructure is essential to business, healthcare, education and quality of life.

Extending broadband services to rural areas is the modern-day equivalent of rural electrification in the 1930's. Electric cooperatives have existing infrastructure throughout our region, which makes a perfect fit to be a broadband service provider.

I am requesting your approval of Kenergy's request for a waiver, which will expedite this project in a timely manner, ensuring electric cooperatives can secure financing for the buildout. It makes financial sense to utilize the existing electric infrastructure for this build out; it should result in significantly lower cost to build and service.

Thank you for your consideration of this important project, one that will positively impact my community and transform western Kentucky. We need reliable and affordable internet service to meet the needs of the 21st century for education and business.

Sincerely,
M&M Metje LLC
Melodie Metje
19 Tarryon Too Dr.
Kuttawa, KY 42055

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215
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Patricia Brown,

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From: Patty Brown [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 12:09 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215

Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, KY 40602

Please consider this letter of support for Kenergy to provide broadband services to rural areas. Thank you.

Patricia Brown
16030 Hwy 136 E
Robards, KY 42452

[REDACTED]

From: Bruner, Brandon S (PSC) on behalf of PSC Executive Director
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Ralph Dickerson,

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From: Donn Wimmer [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2020 4:26 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: case number 2020-00215

Regarding case #2020-00215

Regarding Broadband in Western Kentucky
Commissioners,

I am writing to show my support for Kenergy's broadband deployment project. I want regulated electric cooperatives to be able to provide high-speed broadband services to my community because my county, Hancock County, lacks adequate high-speed Internet service. Even in areas where we are supposed to be receiving high-speed Internet service, the quality is so poor and speeds so slow it is barely better than dial-up Internet service.

This critical infrastructure is essential to business, healthcare, education and general quality of life in Hancock County. For this reason, I support Kenergy offering high-speed Internet just as municipalities and TVA cooperatives do today.

Extending broadband services to rural areas is the modern-day equivalent of the need for rural electrification in the 1930s. Allowing Kenergy to provide high-speed broadband service make sense as Kenergy, and other electric cooperatives, already possess the existing infrastructure throughout Western Kentucky, which makes it a perfect fit as a broadband Internet provider.

I whole-heartedly request the commissioners of the Public Service Commission grant Kenergy a waiver to expedite this project in a timely manner, which ensures electric companies such as Kenergy can secure the necessary financing for creating and installing high-speed internet.

I wish to thank you commissioners for taking the time to read my letter, and for your consideration of this important project—a project that will positively impact my community, Hancock County, and transform Western Kentucky just as the creation of rural electric cooperatives in the 1930s transformed the area. The availability of cheap electricity allowed industries to move into western Kentucky, which improved the quality of life for the people here. High-speed Internet promises to provide another economic transformation to the area.

Sincerely,

Ralph Dickerson
135 Speaks Lane
Lewisport, KY 42351
Email: [REDACTED]
Cell: [REDACTED]

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215 Rebecca McFarling 3670 St Rt 271 S, Lewisport KY 42351
Date: Friday, September 18, 2020 3:53:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Rebecca McFarling,

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kenergy Corp. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2020-00215, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at http://psc.ky.gov/PSC_WebNet/ViewCaseFilings.aspx?Case=2020-00215.

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 18, 2020 10:38 AM
To: PSC Executive Director <PSCED@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: Case No. 2020-00215 Rebecca McFarling 3670 St Rt 271 S, Lewisport KY 42351

From: PSC Consumer Web Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 12:13 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: Case No. 2020-00215 Rebecca McFarling 3670 St Rt 271 S, Lewisport KY 42351

From: rebecca dossett [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, September 15, 2020 12:26 PM
To: PSC Consumer Web Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215 Rebecca McFarling 3670 St Rt 271 S, Lewisport KY 42351

Good morning,

I am petitioning to bring broadband or some form of enhance internet to our area. My family is less than 3 miles away from our schools, yet we are only able to get AT&T fixed internet. This means we are subjected to X amount of data per month then will be charged for overage. Plus, since the

fixed service is satellite it is subject to interference or disruption if there are too many users on the tower.

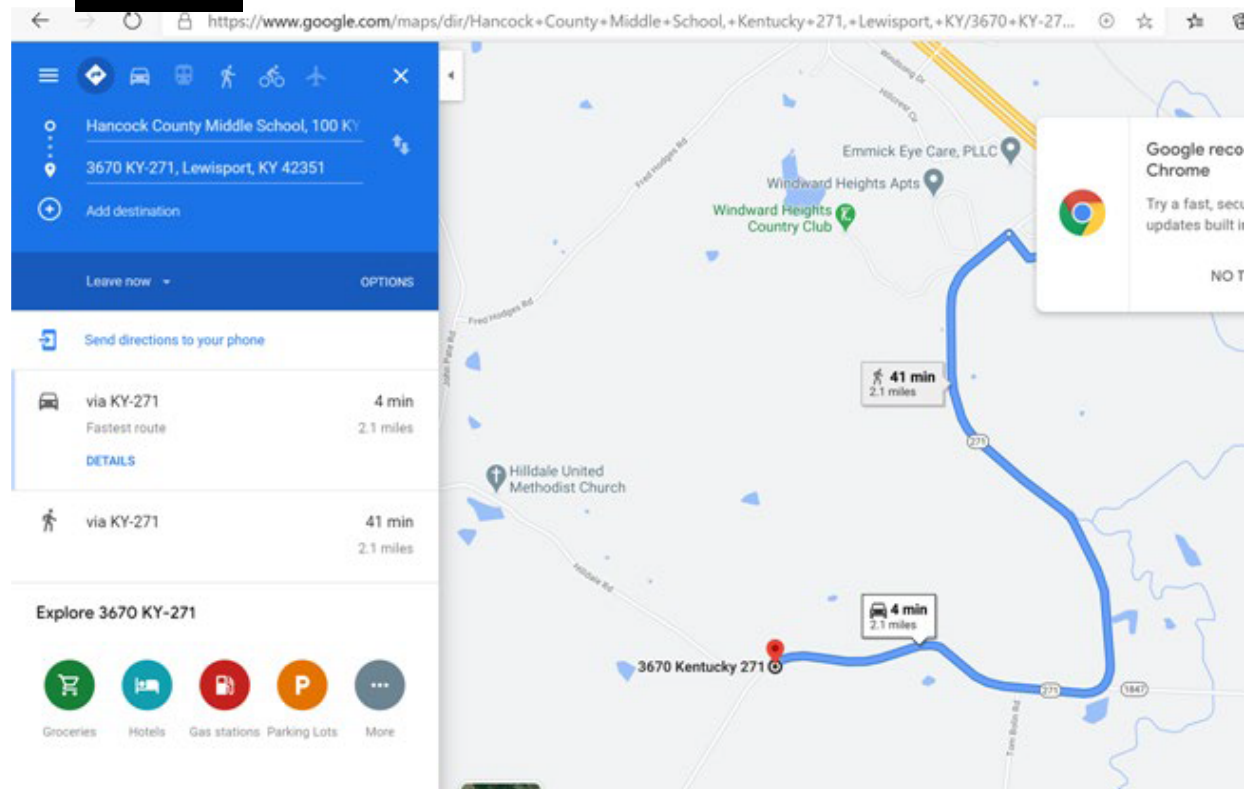
This happens frequently.

I work from home year round prior to COVID and adding the online schooling for 2 kids on top of the normal workload has proved challenging. Connectivity is intermittent. I have attempted to reach out to additional internet providers to obtain a better service, but am unable. The most consistent reason service providers cannot assist is they are unable to service our area due to not being allowed/banned from the market.

Please note, my family is not the only one impacted. We have many families within our small area all within 5 miles of the schools that fight this issue. It would be nice if this situation could be resolved or at least allow other service providers to operate in our area.

Thank you and have a nice day.

Rebecca McFarling
3670 State Rout 271 S.
Lewisport, KY 42351
Cell: [REDACTED]



Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
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Thomas and Terri Septer,

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From: TERRI SEPTER [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, September 16, 2020 4:01 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: RE: Case #. 2020-00215

Our place of residence is 6567 Hatchett Mill Rd Spottsville KY 42458 full names are Thomas K Septer Jr and Terri J Septer
It would help us to do the online school work much quicker also.

[Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android](#)

On Wed, Sep 16, 2020 at 8:40 AM, PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov> wrote:

Hello,

Instructions for submitting a comment to ensure it is included in the case record are on the PSC Web site:

<https://psc.ky.gov/Home/Contact>

We ask that you include the case number in the subject line and your full name and **place**

of residence in the body of your email.

Thank you,

Karen L. Wilson

Kentucky Public Service Commission

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Frankfort, KY 40601

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From: TERRI SEPTER <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 8:09 PM

To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>

Subject: Case #. 2020-00215

My family supports Kenergy in its attempt to acquire and provide broadband services. It would make it more convenient and more affordable for all.

Sincerely,

Thomas & Terri Septer

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From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
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Wade C Benzel,

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 1:46 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00215

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Kentucky Public Service Commission
I'm sending this in support for Kenergy to provide broadband services for my communitie.
Case No.2020-00215

Thank You

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