## PUBLIC NOTICE

Spotsylvania County Government intends to apply for a grant to the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) for the Virginia Telecommunications Initiative. This program allows jurisdictions to provide financial assistance to supplement construction costs by private sector broadband service providers, in partnership with local units of government to extend service to areas that are currently unserved and under-served by any broadband provider. Spotsylvania County proposes to collaborate with Comcast to build, utilize and capitalize on cabled telecommunications infrastructure for underserved, rural areas. Spotsylvania County also proposes to collaborate with Data Stream Mobile Technologies, Inc. to build, utilize and capitalize on wireless telecommunications infrastructure for underserved, rural areas.

All proposed applications for the 2020 grant process will be finalized and submitted to DHCD by September 3, 2019

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