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WTC Announces the Rossville Fiber Network is a Go!

Wamego, KS, 04-14-2021 — Rossville (KS) can now rest assured they will soon be a community no longer left behind on the Internet Superhighway. Within just 2 short months of hearing about WTC's plans to bring Fiber-to-the-Premise (FTTP) technology to their town, the community has already met the 70% pre-signup goal needed by WTC to proceed.

"With the way most people live their lives today, Internet services are not just a want, they are a basic need. Having consistent and reliable high-speed Internet service is an expectation," stated Jason Connell, resident of Rossville and current Chief of Police. "And now, having a well-known and trusted company like WTC bring their services, including Internet, voice and video, to Rossville is going to add a big positive to the overall quality of life for our community," Connell added.

The community of Rossville really stepped up to the challenge when they saw the opportunity to get fiber optic services. From members delivering information door-to-door and people visiting with their neighbors to a very well attended pre-signup event, it was clear early on that they saw the need and had the desire to improve their community.

"We are very excited to be announcing plans to begin building a fiber network in Rossville," stated Jeff Wick, General Manager of WTC. "To see the community reach our 70% pre-signup goal in just 60 days shows a tremendous amount of interest and commitment. And, the excitement to see this project start can be seen throughout town and within WTC," Wick added. WTC will now finish engineering the project with the goal of beginning construction in May of 2021. Over the next several months, customers can expect to hear from WTC, as technicians conduct site visits to determine the best location to bring the fiber into their homes and businesses. Assuming no major obstacles or weather delays, WTC hopes to start transitioning customers to their services this fall.

WTC is headquartered in Wamego (KS) and provides a full line of Voice, Internet and Video services to residential, government, education and commercial clients. For more information about WTC, please visit www.wtcks.com or call 785-456-1000.