APPENDIX A

BANK or CREDIT UNION Letterhead

COMMITMENT TO ISSUE AN IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT

DATE

Issuing Bank or Credit Union Name Address of Issuing Bank or Credit Union

Amount: \$

BENEFICIARY

State of Alaska, Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development Alaska Broadband Office 550 W. 7th Avenue, Suite 1535 Anchorage, AK 99501-3587 Attn: Director of Broadband

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We hereby agree, at the request and for the account of (GRANTEE) to issue an Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit ("Letter of Credit"), in favor of the State of Alaska, Department of Commerce, Community & Economic Development, Alaska Broadband Office ("Beneficiary"), as required under the Connect Alaska Notice of Funding Opportunity and the Federal Notice of Funding Opportunity for the Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program in the amount of (Spell out Dollar Amount) U.S. Dollars and 00/100 (\$______00). This Letter of Credit will be issued upon notice of award of grant funds to (GRANTEE) and it shall be substantially in the form required or by Beneficiary as set forth in the attached Exhibit "A" hereto.

Issuing Bank Signature
Printed Name of Signatory
Title of Officer