

PFA Smart Sheet: BEAD Project Applications

Users are encouraged to use resources provided in conjunction with their own data sources along with official NTIA files to ensure they have the most comprehensive information for their project application.



All questions from the BEAD Project Application that require review of the data lists are provided below. Additionally, these resources may be found on the KOBD website under “BEAD Applicant Resources” (www.kansascommerce.gov/bead)

KOBD Supplemental PFA Resources

The data lists below can be used to complete the application.

- BAG4_BSL: List of BSLs that fall in awarded BAG4 areas
 - Can be used for individual deduplication as they are not included on the final approved Kansas locations list.
- INVALID_CHALLENGED: (updated September 1): List of BSLs that have a ‘not a BSL’ challenge in the FCC map (not an exhaustive list- to be updated monthly).
- Kansas_PFAs_Final_09_26_24: Map files – based on census blocks (opens in Google Earth and/ or GIS).
- All_Kansas_BSLs_Final_09_26_24: same as NTIA location list with additional information such as PFAs
- Kansas_PFA_BSL_broken_out_9_26_24: File contains BEAD-eligible BSLs in Kansas broken out by PFAs (does not contain served locations).
- Freestate Middle Mile Network
 - [Website](#) – “Provider Planning” current available .kmz maps for download.

The full **Project Application Guide** will be available for review. Should you have additional questions, please email the KDC_BEAD Inbox at KDC_Bead@ks.gov and include “**PFA Question**” in the subject line.

Project Application Guide Questions referencing PFAs

134. How many Project Funding Area(s) are included in this application?

- Resources: All_Kansas_BSLs_Final_09_26_24, INVALID_CHALLENGED and BAG4_BSL
- Find more in the Project Application Guide on page 8

136. Location Types. Enter the number of locations by type as defined in the guide, under each classification. This is the number of locations, by type, as defined in the table below, for each PFA included in the application. Count the number of locations by type under each classification of unserved, underserved, served or line extensions.

- Resource: NTIA Approved Location and CAI List
- KOBD Resources: All_Kansas_BSLs_Final_09_26_24, Kansas_PFAs_Final_09_26_24 and BAG4_BSL
- Find more in the Project Application Guide on page 10

137a. Minimal BEAD Program Outlay: This is a list of project costs by location classifications of unserved, underserved, served or line extensions, for each PFA included in this application. Only the Total Project Cost is broken down by Project Funding Area.

- Resource: NTIA Approved Location and CAI List
- KOBD Resources: All_Kansas_BSLs_Final_09_26_24, Kansas_PFAs_Final_09_26_24 and BAG4_BSL
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143. CAI Types: If CAIs were counted in the earlier Location Types for each PFA; the applicant must enter the count of each CAI type for each PFA in this table. If no CAIs were counted in the Location Types, the applicant must enter zeros to proceed in the portal.

- Resource NTIA Approved Location and CAI List
- Find more in the Project Application Guide on page 13