JEDO Broadband RFI Questions

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1. Can you provide a map of the areas of the City and County that JEDO considers served/unserved by broadband now?

The map on page 4 of the RFP (page 6 of the PDF) and accompanying description shows which areas are considered served/unserved. This is as granular data as we have and reflects the FCC Form 477 data of census blocks that Cox does not currently serve, which was our working definition of what was considered unserved. We also included as unserved some blocks in which Cox is present around the edges of their territory to compensate for the "1 served-all served" overstatement of Form 477 data.

2. Do I have to respond to everything in the RFI?

No. The purpose of the RFI is to gather input from as many interested parties as possible on how they might propose to work with JEDO and other local government or community organizations to improve broadband service in Topeka and Shawnee County. JEDO welcomes responses that address any set of the posted questions for which a party has information.

3. Do you have estimates on how many low income households there are, or where they are located?

Please see the following link to US Census poverty data for locations within Shawnee County: https://bit.ly/2pPHIoE.