

EXHIBIT J
COUNTY MATCHING FUNDS

Chatham County is contributing \$350,000 in matching funds to Connect Holding II LLC d/b/a Brightspeed as part of this Project. Chatham County is using ARPA REVENUE REPLACEMENT funds for this match.

The funds will be sent to Connect Holding II LLC d/b/a Brightspeed in two installments of 50% each. The first installment shall be sent within ten days after execution of this GREAT grant Agreement and Exhibit J by all Parties. The second installment shall be sent within 30 days after the County receives the final progress report for the Construction period from the North Carolina Department of Information Technology.

Connect Holding II LLC d/b/a Brightspeed hereby verifies that these funds will only be used for Eligible Expenditures as provided by Section 2.2 in this Agreement. The County and the Grantee will notify NCDIT of any changes to this Exhibit within 30 days of such change(s).

Chatham County

Connect Holding II LLC d/b/a Brightspeed

Name: Dan LaMontagne

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

Title: County Manager

Title: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____