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Tranche-3 Questions

- How will CBGs without a winning bid in Tranche-3 be addressed?
Based on the Arkansas BEAD Program's Tranche-3 rules of adjudication, every CBG that received *at least one bid* in Tranche-3 will be preliminarily selected.

Preliminary Selectee Questions

- When will ARConnect run the true-up process for preliminary selectees?
The true-up process will take place after Tranche-3 results are announced.
ARConnect will provide additional guidance at a later date.

If you anticipate participating in the true-up process for any of your preliminarily selected bids, you are encouraged to begin collecting the proper documentation and evidence, which are summarized below.

The Arkansas BEAD Program will facilitate a true-up process for preliminarily selected locations, requiring submission of two items of documentation

1	CSV File of Non-Service BSL IDs		2	Evidence		
Non-Service Reason Codes		Non-Service Sub-Codes				
<div><div>1. No Broadband Connection: location should not have a broadband connection (e.g., barn, rock)</div><div>2. No Demand for Mass-Market Broadband Service: location does not need mass-market broadband service due to the nature of internet use</div><div>3. Remove from FCC's Fabric: location has been removed from the latest version of the Fabric by the FCC</div><div>4. Enforceable Commitment: location will be served through an enforceable commitment</div><div>5. Served by Non-Subsidized Service: location is already served by non-subsidized service</div><div>6. Other Reasons: any other reasons that are not listed</div></div>		<div><div>1. Non-BSL Code</div><div>D: Location has been demolished and is not expected to be rebuilt</div><div>B: Location is no longer habitable</div><div>U: Location is a support structure (e.g., a garage, parking structure, barn, silo, storage shed, etc.) to a nearby building</div><div>M: Location is intended to be mobile and has not been permanently installed in its current location (e.g., it is an RV or boat)</div><div>R: Location is a natural formation such as a rock or something assembled but not serviceable such as a collection of hay bales</div><div>Z: Location is not serviceable for another reason</div><div>2. Location Type</div><div>E: Enterprise location</div><div>P: Government property</div><div>4. Enforceable commitment</div><div>State enforceable commitment E: Enterprise location</div><div>Federal enforceable commitment (select from list)</div></div>			<div><div>Potential sources of evidence that providers can submit to support non-service code selection:</div><div><div>• Photographic evidence</div><div>• Attestation by unit of local government</div><div>• Attestation by private property owner</div><div>• Evidence of subscription</div><div>• Network diagram</div><div>• Network speed test</div></div></div>	

- If an applicant identifies environmental permits that will be required for their project area, do they need to document that information in the engineering design packet or only in the project timeline?

Environmental permits need to be documented both on page 3 of the engineering design packet and in the project timeline.