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**TECHNICAL GUIDE ON BIDDING PROCEDURES**

**FOR AUCTION 904 (Rural Digital Opportunity Fund PHASE I)**

**AU Docket No. 20-34**

The Office of Economics and Analytics (OEA), in conjunction with the Rural Broadband Auctions Task Force and the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau), today makes available a guide that provides technical and mathematical details regarding the bidding procedures for Auction 904 (Phase I of the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund). The guide provides examples and serves as a supplement to the bidding and bid processing procedures for the descending clock auction as adopted by the Commission in the *Auction 904 Procedures Public Notice*.[[1]](#footnote-3) The *Auction 904 Technical Guide* is available in the Education section of the Commission’s Auction 904 website ([www.fcc.gov/auction/904](http://www.fcc.gov/auction/904)).

For further information concerning the technical guide, email [auction904@fcc.gov](mailto:auction904@fcc.gov) or contact the FCC Auctions Hotline at (717) 338-2868.

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1. *See Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Phase I Auction Scheduled for October 29, 2020; Notice and Filing Requirements and Other Procedures for Auction 904*, Public Notice, FCC 20-77, at 70-87, paras. 209-85 (June 11, 2020) (*Auction 904 Procedures Public Notice*). The Commission directed OEA, in conjunction with the Bureau, to release a technical guide that provides further technical and mathematical detail of the bidding procedures for Auction 904. *Id.* at 71, para. 215. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)