



Chaska

April 4, 2013

Katie Clark Sieben, Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development
1st National Bank Building
332 Minnesota Street, Suite E-200
St. Paul, MN 55101-1351

RE: City of Chaska BDPI Infrastructure Grant Application Support

Dear Commissioner Katie Clark Sieben:

The City of Chaska strongly supports our request for grant funds from DEED to support the new data center proposed by Stream Data. Chaska needs the support of the DEED grant funds to supplement the public infrastructure costs associated with this project.

The City of Chaska has a goal, and it fits with our Strategic Plan, to work with local municipalities to increase the local tax base and create high quality jobs. This project certainly will achieve that goal. It is not very common that a company from another state comes to Minnesota and offers to invest over \$35 million in capital expenditures and create a \$17,000,000 plus taxable market value facility. We kindly ask for your support of this project.

Warmest Regards,

Mark Windschitl

Mayor of Chaska

Matt Podhradsky

City Administrator