**Douglas and Jessica Rupp** 

VERIZON DATA REQUEST NO. 24B: Paragraph 3.3 of the Petition alleges that

certain construction costs, either the full cost of construction or the \$11,040 fee for a

construction estimate, is beyond means of the Petitioners. Would a proportionate share

of the cost of construction and/or the construction estimate be beyond your means? If so,

please describe your financial situation, including source(s) of income, principal financial

obligations (for example, mortgage payments, car payments, other loans, etc.), any real

property owned by you, any significant assets owned by you (such as retirement

accounts), and any other information that is significant to evaluating your financial

situation.

I would gladly pay the \$11,040 construction estimate if it would bring wireline

telephone service to Skyko 2.

Response by Douglas Rupp 2/22/06