

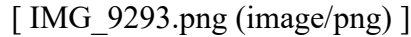
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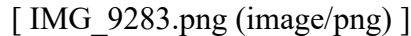
I firmly believe the best solution for connecting everyone in America with access to internet with is Starlink by SpaceX. I have used the system myself for my home for over two years and it exceeds my previous provider's capabilities in uptime and bandwidth. I also use a mobile version for areas where I have no cellular coverage. I grew up in rural Colorado and this access to today's Starlink system would have been a financial win and knowledge access win, with its high bandwidth, >120Mbps at ~28 ms latency at a cost less than the "rural" providers.

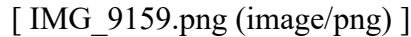
Do look elsewhere but a proper trade study will show the superiority of Starlink for access, reliability and cost.

Thank you (sent via Starlink)
Justin Ward

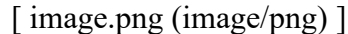
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