

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 593 as follows:

1.2 Page 1, after line 4, insert:

1.3 "Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 116J.394, is amended to read:

1.4 **116J.394 DEFINITIONS.**

1.5 (a) For the purposes of sections 116J.394 to 116J.396, the following terms have
1.6 the meanings given them.

1.7 (b) "Broadband" or "broadband service" has the meaning given in section 116J.39,
1.8 subdivision 1, paragraph (b).

1.9 (c) "Broadband infrastructure" means networks of deployed telecommunications
1.10 equipment and technologies necessary to provide high-speed Internet access and other
1.11 advanced telecommunications services for end users.

1.12 (d) "Commissioner" means the commissioner of employment and economic
1.13 development.

1.14 (e) "Last-mile infrastructure" means broadband infrastructure that serves as the
1.15 final leg connecting the broadband service provider's network to the end-use customer's
1.16 on-premises telecommunications equipment.

1.17 (f) "Middle-mile infrastructure" means broadband infrastructure that links a
1.18 broadband service provider's core network infrastructure to last-mile infrastructure.

1.19 (g) "Political subdivision" means any county, city, town, school district, special
1.20 district or other political subdivision, or public corporation.

1.21 (h) "Underserved areas" means areas of Minnesota in which households or businesses
1.22 lack access to wire-line broadband service at speeds that meet the state broadband goals of
1.23 ten to 20 megabits per second download and five to ten megabits per second upload.

1.24 (i) "Unserved areas" means areas of Minnesota in which households or businesses
1.25 lack access to wire-line broadband service at speeds ~~that meet a~~ contained in the most

2.1 current Federal Communications Commission threshold of four megabits per second
2.2 download and one megabit per second upload definition of broadband service."

2.3 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

2.4 Amend the title accordingly