

## Finding a Service Provider

Service providers are tasked with recruiting groups of 2-5 communities to participate in a Service Provider Grant application. The initial contact between community and provider may be initiated by either party. To encourage connections between communities and potential service providers, GOPIF will maintain a list of organizations that are interested in supporting communities as service providers.

Communities should look for organizations that work in their region or on a statewide basis. There may be other organizations in a region for a community to consider that are not listed here. This list does not convey any level of vetting or approval by GOPIF, nor does it indicate preference or weight in grant application scoring.

If your organization is interested in being added to this list, send an email to Ashley Krulik ([ashley.krulik@maine.gov](mailto:ashley.krulik@maine.gov)) with the organization's name, address, and website; a point of contact name, job title, email, and phone number; and which region(s) to be listed under.

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We will continue to populate this list as organizations inform us of their interest in assisting communities as a service provider.

### **Region 1: York, Cumberland, Sagadahoc, Lincoln, Knox, and southern Oxford\* Counties** (\* including Brownfield, Denmark, Fryeburg, Hiram, Lovell, Porter, Stoneham, Stow, Sweden)

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### **Region 3: Androscoggin, Kennebec, Franklin, Somerset, and Oxford\* Counties**

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