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Town of Rossville, Tennessee

July 7, 2008

Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

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Attn: Ms. Lisa Cooper

Dear Ms. Cooper:

Please be informed that the Town of Rossville is in a franchise agreement with Comcast, formally Time Warner, and receive 5% of the revenue quarterly. If there is more information needed, please do not hesitate to contact the Town of Rossville at the number below.

Sincerely,

James C Gaither

Mayor



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Geritlemen:

Regarding your letter dated July 3, 2008, OFFICIAL REQUEST for Information, please be advised that the City of Piperton has a franchise agreement with **COMCAST Cable (previously Time Warner)** and receives a 5% franchise fee, quarterly.

Sincerely,

Whitney J. Chambers

Mayor

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July 8, 2008

Tennessee Regulatory Authority Attn: Docket Room (08-00115) 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243

Gentlemen.

Per your written request dated July 3, 2008, this is to confirm the City of Bartlett has one (1) active broadband telecommunications franchise agreement with Comcast. A copy of section 07-0135 of that agreement is attached for reference.

The two (2) PEG channels referred to in C.1 and 2 are activated and in use.

The one (1) channel referred to on C.3 is available for leased access.

The City receives no support payments for the PEG channels other than the equipment necessary to broadcast our programming.

Paragraph D requires the ability to override the audio on all channels in the case of an emergency. This has been done and in our opinion, all cable providers should be required to do the same for their systems.

Should you need more information, please advise.

Sincerely,

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A. Keith McDonald

Mayor

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7-0135 REQUIRED SERVICES AND FACILITIES

- A. The broadband telecommunications system shall have a minimum channel capacity of fifty (50) channels available for immediate use for the totality of broadband telecommunications services to be offered.
- B. Such system shall maintain a plant having the technical capacity for communications.
- C. The Company may maintain the following:
 - At least one (1) specially-designated, channel for use by non-commercial public access available on a first-come, non-discriminatory basis, and by local educational authorities and/or the County.
 - 2. At least one (1) specially-designated channel for local governmental uses;
 - 3. At least one (1) specially-designated channel for leased access uses;
 - Provided, however, these uses may be combined on one or more channels until such time as additional channels become necessary in the opinion of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.
- D. The Company shall incorporate into its broadband telecommunications system the capacity which will permit the City, in times of emergency, to override by remote control, the audio of all channels simultaneously. The Company shall designate a channel which will be used for emergency broadcasts of both audio and video. The Company shall cooperate with the City in the use and operation of the emergency alert override system.
- E. The Company may be required to interconnect its system with other broadband communication facilities. Such interconnection shall be made within the time limit established by the City. The interconnection shall, at the City's discretion, be accomplished according to the method and technical standards determined by the City and generally accepted in industry practices. "Broadband communications facility," as used

herein, means any network of cable, optical, electrical or electronic equipment, including broadband telecommunication systems, used for the purpose of transmitting telecommunications signals.

- 1. Interconnection procedure: Upon receiving the directive of the City to interconnect, the Franchisee shall immediately initiate negotiations with the other affected system or systems in order that all costs may be shared equally among companies for both construction and operation of the interconnection link.
- 2. Relief: The Franchisee may be granted reasonable extensions of time to interconnect or the City may rescind its order to interconnect upon petition by the Franchisee to the City. The City shall grant the request if it finds that the Franchisee has negotiated in good faith and has failed to obtain an approval from the operator or franchising authority of system to be interconnected, or the cost of the interconnection would cause an unreasonable or unacceptable increase in subscriber rates.
- 3. Cooperation required: The Franchisee shall cooperate with any interconnection corporation, regional interconnection authority or City, County, State and Federal regulatory agency which may be hereafter established for the purpose of regulating, financing, or otherwise providing for the interconnection of broadband telecommunication systems beyond city boundaries.
- 4. Initial technical requirements to assure future interconnection capability:
 - (a) All broadband telecommunication systems receiving Franchises to operate within the city shall use the standard frequency allocations for television signals.
 - (b) The City urges Franchisees to provide local origination equipment that is compatible throughout the area so that videocassettes or videotapes can be shared by various systems.
- F. The Company shall provide such additional services and facilities as are contained in its application, which is incorporated by reference herein.

Ordinance 80-26, January 13, 1981, amended by Ordinance # 95-2, on May 23, 1995