

December 20, 2017

City of Cedar Hill

ATTN: Mayor Tom Richards
90 South Main Street
Cedar Hill, TN 37032

RE: NOTICE of TPUC Receipt of Application for or Amendment to Certificate of Franchise Authority and OFFICIAL REQUEST for Information

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Town of Guys
<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Keith Rinehart
P.O. Box 122,
Guys, TN 38339

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Haywood County
ATTN: Mayor A. Franklin Smith
North Washington Avenue
Brownsville, TN 38012

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McNairy County <u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Ronnie L. Brooks 170 West Court Avenue, Suite 201 Selmer, TN 38375

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Town of Oliver Springs

<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Cecil Crowe
717 Main Street,
Oliver Springs, TN 37841

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City of Ridgeside <u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Janet Jobe P.O. Box 3265, Ridgeside, TN 37404

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Town of Signal Mountain <u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Chris J. Howley 1111 Ridgeway Avenue, Signal Mountain, TN 37377

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City of Westmoreland
ATTN: Mayor Jerry D. Kirkman
1001 Park Street,
Westmoreland, TN 37186

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December 20, 2017

City of Gallaway
ATTN: Mayor William Simpson
333 Old Brownsville Rd.,
Gallaway TN 38036

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Hawkins County
ATTN: Mayor Melville Bailey
150 East Washington Street, Suite 2
Rogersville, TN 37857

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Loudon County
<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Buddy Bradshaw
100 River Road, Suite 106
Loudon, TN 37774

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Cityof Moscow
<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor LaCrisha Jackson
14075 Highway 57,
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#### TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION Andrew Jackson Building 502 Deaderick Street 4<sup>th</sup> Floor

Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

December 20, 2017

City of Parrottsville

<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Dewayne Daniel
2101 Old Highway 321,
Parrottsville, TN 37843

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December 20, 2017

Town of Vonore

ATTN: Mayor Bob Lovingood
613 Church Street,
Vonore, TN 37885

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December 20, 2017

City of Williston
<u>ATTN</u>: Mayor Audrey McQueen
15630 Highway 193,
Williston, TN 38076

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### TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION 502 Deaderick St. 4thFloor Nashville, Tennessee 37243

January 4, 2018

Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC ATTN: Ms. Amy K. Averill, Director of Government Affairs 6200 The Corners Parkway Norcross, GA 30092

RE: Amendment to State-issued Certificate of Franchise Authority (Docket No. 09-00137)

Dear Ms. Averill:

On December 15, 2017, the Tennessee Public Utility Commission ("TPUC") received your application on behalf of Comcast Cable Communications Management, LLC ("Comcast") to issue the sixth amendment to Comcast's state-issued certificate of franchise authority pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-301, *et seq.*, also known as the Competitive Cable and Video Services Act (the "CCVSA").

Upon review, it has been determined that the application complies with the statutory requirements of the CCVSA and is therefore complete. Further action will be taken on the application as delineated within the CCVSA. Should you have any questions or concerns in this matter, please contact me at (615) 770-6889 or the address listed above. Thank you for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerest Regards,

John Hutton

John Hutton Telecom/Utilities Consultant john.hutton@tn.gov

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