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Tennessee Public Utility Commission Attn: Docket Room (11-00208) 502 Deaderick Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Nashville, TN 37243

To Whom It May Concern:

The City of La Vergne has received the notice of TPUC Application for or Amendment to Certificate of Franchise Authority and Official Request for Information. We have also received the Notice from United Telephone Company regarding their application.

The City currently has three entities that provide telephone, cable TV, and/or broadband internet services to the residents of La Vergne. These entities include TDS Telecom, Comcast and AT&T. All three of these providers allow the City to broadcast a Public, Educational and Government ("PEG") channel on their platform at no cost to the City. We would like to request that United Communications also allow the City to broadcast on their system at no cost to the City.

In response to your request for information, the City responds as follows:

- (1) The number of PEG channels that have been activated by the incumbent (Comcast): **Response:** One PEG channel has been activated and is currently being used.
- (2) The number of PEG channels that are authorized to be activated under the incumbent franchise: Response: One additional PEG channel may be made available upon a 90 day notice if the current PEG channel is being fully utilized and if the City has available, additional, local, non-repetitive programming so the second channel would be fully utilized within 12 months after commencing operation.
- (3) The amount of any fee or other payment for PEG access support required under the incumbent franchise: **Response:** The City does not receive any payments for PEG access support other than the quarterly 5% franchise fees that all providers are required to pay. All equipment required to air the PEG channel on their platform was provided by the franchise.

I hope this response provides the requested information. If you need anything else, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Jason Cole Mayor