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December 13, 2017

Mr. Lee Grassley
Senior Manager, Government Relations
Mediacom Communications Corporation
6300 Council St. NE
Cedar Rapids, IA 52402

Re: 2018 Funding for Public Access and Community Programming Services

Dear Lee:

This letter conveys the adjusted calculation for the 2018 payment to the City of Iowa City (the City) from Mediacom Communications Corporation (MCC) for the support of public access services, as stated in Section XI (C) of the municipal cable television franchise agreement between the City and MCC. This letter is in response to your December 8, 2017 emailed reply to my letter, dated December 6, 2017, which calculated the payment amount based on the interpretation of the effective date of the franchise as being August 5, 2005.

Though the City disagrees with the assertion that the expiration date of the franchise is July 31st, our expectation is that the payment would, at a minimum, cover the 212 days leading up to and including July 31, 2018. This results in a multiplier of .581, which, when multiplied by the calculated full-year amount of \$247,184.95, results in a prorated payment amount of \$143,614.46 for 2018.

This payment is due to the City by January 1 of each year, though I understand that due to the extra time needed for us to work out an agreeable calculation, the payment could be slightly delayed. The City also expects that during the remaining term of the franchise, Mediacom will continue to provide monthly "pass through" payments as described in Section XI (B) of the municipal franchise agreement.

Please review the figures above and let me know if you do not agree.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation in this matter.
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ty M. Coleman".

Ty M. Coleman
Media Production Services Coordinator
City of Iowa City Cable TV Office

cc: Geoff Fruin, City Manager
Ashley Monroe, Assistant City Manager
PATV, Inc.
Iowa City Telecommunications Commission