

Telecommunications Commission

Thursday, May 14, 2015 – 5:30 P.M.

Council Chambers – Brecksville City Hall

Members Present: Jack Shott, Gerald Broski, Jim Steiger, Eric Hall, John Guardado

Members Absent: Darryl Mancini, Joe Fleming

The meeting began at 5:30 p.m. with the pledge of allegiance. Roll was called with one member absent. The committee then approved the minutes from the last meeting on April 14, 2014. Motion to approve by Eric Hall, seconded by Jim Steiger. All were in favor.

New Business

Kevin Lynch from ATT&T gave a brief update regarding AT&T and Direct TV. He explained that they are currently in partnership with Direct TV and that they can offer Direct TV to the consumer where they are unable to receive U-Verse. The merger of the two companies should be completed by the end of the second quarter, June 30, 2015. At this time no further expansion is planned for U-Verse in the State pending legislation.

Customer Complaints

Jack Shott received a complaint from his neighbor regarding AT&T. AT&T had been working on the neighbor's property and the yard had been left in disrepair due to some excavation. Kevin Lynch was contacted and repairs were to be made the following day, May 15, 2015.

Franchise Fees

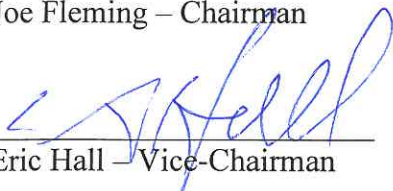
Fees were reviewed with Time Warner showing a slight subscriber decrease while there was a slight increase with AT&T.

Open Forum

Councilmember Broski gave a brief review of some projects and events in the City such as the Blossom property, Dominion Gas Line, traffic on Rt. 82, McDonald's and the Memorial Day Parade.

With no further business to discuss the meeting adjourned at 6:20 p.m. Motion by Jack Shott, seconded by Gerry Broski.

Joe Fleming – Chairman



Eric Hall – Vice-Chairman



Jim Steiger - Secretary

Minutes prepared by recording secretary Christine Dubiel