

**CHAMPAIGN-URBANA CABLE AND  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION MEETING  
REGULAR MEETING**

**DATE:** April 16, 2015

**PLACE:** Urbana City Council Chambers  
400 S. Vine Street, Urbana, IL

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Peter Folk                      Karen Walker                      Andrew Wadsworth

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Chris Lukeman                      Chris Foster                      Giraldo Rosales  
Dale Sinder

**STAFF PRESENT:** Jake Schumacher, City of Urbana  
Jeff Hamilton, Janet Ahern, City of Champaign

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

There is not a quorum. The meeting was called to order at 3:43 pm and attendance noted by clerk. Commissioner Sinder notified the Clerk in advance that he was unable to make this meeting. Jeff Hamilton introduced Janet Ahern, new CGTV liaison to the Commission.

**2. MODIFICATIONS TO AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

The agenda was approved as written.

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The minutes of the previous meeting could not be approved due to lack of a quorum.

**4. CORRESPONDENCE**

Jeff Hamilton noted the Comcast Annual Report for 2014 was included in the packet for this meeting. Channel changes are listed on Champaign's website and are included in direct mail to subscribers.

There were two Comcast complaints to Champaign and one to Urbana in the past quarter.

## **5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

### **A. Amendments to Rules.**

Urbana's Legal department contacted the Clerk regarding several options for proceeding with the necessary changes to city code, and the matter has been referred back to Executive for their preference.

## **6. REPORTS**

### **A. Committee Reports**

None.

### **B. Staff Reports**

Jake Schumacher reported on two new regional awards won by UPTV. Janet Ahern reported on current productions and activity at CGTV.

### **C. Operator Reports**

Chris Warwick, AT&T Director of External Affairs for central Illinois, reported on subscriber numbers and low-income household numbers.

## **7. NEW BUSINESS**

None.

## **8. AUDIENCE PARTICIPANTS**

None.

## **5. COMMISSIONERS COMMENTS**

Jeff Hamilton reported that the City of Champaign will no longer be taking cable complaints from residents, as a non-essential city service, and will instead refer citizens to a new FCC complaint portal that has recently opened.

## **6. SET NEXT MEETING DATE AND ADJOURNMENT**

Next regular meeting will be held Thursday, July 16<sup>th</sup> 2015 at 3:57pm in the Urbana City Council Chambers, 400 S Vine St Urbana IL. Meeting adjourned at 3:57 pm.