Cable TV Advisory Board

Sept 7, 2017 Meeting Auburn Hall 3:30PM

Call to Order/Roll

Communications

Approval of Minutes 6/2017 meeting

Agenda:

- 1. Selection of Board Secretary
- IT Departmental Budget FY18
 FY19 proposed due 12/17

TOTAL FRANCHISE FEE FOR BOTH CITIES: \$285,000

- Auburn total franchise fee: \$135,000 47.37%
- Lewiston total franchise fee: \$150,000 52.63%
 100.00%

TOTAL VIEWERSHIP FOR BOTH CITIES: 13,981

- Auburn viewership: 5,790 41.42%
- Lewiston viewership: 8,191 58.58%

100.00%

APPORTIONED FRANCHISE FEE CONTRIBUTION FOR CITIES:

- Lewiston: 52.63%+ 58.58% ÷ 2 = 55.60% X \$285,000 = \$158,460 X 40% = \$63.384
- Auburn: 47.37% + 41.42% ÷ 2 = 44.40% X \$285,000 = \$126,540 X 40% = \$50,616

So, GFTV revenue is approximately \$114,000 annually. Salaries accounted for around \$83,000 of that, benefits another \$21,000, and licensing and support for another \$6,300. We spent around \$2,500 on lighting and monitors for the new studio. Plus there's all the small amounts expended for carpeting and rigging and bits and pieces charged on the GFTV credit card, that I'm too lazy to dig down through (but will if you really need it).

3. Studio Update/ HD Tri-caster