

Town of Stow

Local Access Cable Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

May 3, 2021 6:45pm via Zoom

Members Attending: Bob Glorioso, Lisa Lavina, Meredith Bennett, Jonathan Daisy, Select Board Representative Jim Salvie

Additional Attending: Arny Buckman, Lew Halprin, Bill Solomon, Comcast Rep Greg Franks

Meeting Called to Order: 6:48 pm

Approve Meeting Minutes

Lisa moved, Robert second, to approve the meeting minutes of April 5, 2020. Unanimously approved.

Comcast Meeting with Greg Franks

First meeting with Comcast representative Greg Franks to discuss contract renewal.

Main proposal by Cable Committee-

Keep operating support payments at 4.75%

Put capital number at \$96,000 for 10-year period

Need HD channels

Need Comcast to provide encoders and SDI

Greg questioned the capital number, and said that Comcast would only be able to offer one HD channel. Said he would need to look over the Ascertainment document and consider proposed capital and encoders for continued discussion at next meeting

Adjournment

Meredith moved, Lisa second to adjourn at 7:35pm