

## HOLLISTON CABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE c/o Selectboard 703 Washington Street

## 703 Washington Street Holliston, Massachusetts 01746

Committee Members: Jay Leary Lindsey Morris Barry Sims

## Meeting Minutes Tuesday, August 13, 2019, 5:30pm Town Hall, Room 014

- Welcome & organization of the Committee.
   Motion to nominate Barry Sims, Committee Chair
   Jay Leary-motion, Lindsey Morris-second, all in favor.
- 2- Introduction of Committee Members and Bill August, Esq., Town's attorney for this renewal process.
- 3- Other attendees include: Chris Meo, Bruce Gilfoy, Mary Greendale
- 4- Discussion of timeline for Verizon License renewal hearings & meetings.
  Attorney August presented a renewal overview including Federal renewal statute, formal & informal options, State requirement for public hearing, role of the Town, PEG access, license terms for both Vierzon & Comcast, financial terms in the current license, level playing field and the I-Net.
- 5- Update on FCC Rulemaking There was a discussion of the recent FCC rulings and what that means for funding & negotiations going forward.
- 6- Discussion of PEG & Town projected needs going forward.
- 7- Scheduled Public Hearing for Monday, August 26, 2019, 7:30pm.
- 8- Adjourn

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