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TO THE MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL CITY OF HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA

EXTRACT FROM MINUTES OF HARRISONBURG PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING HELD ON: August 14, 2013

Research Report for Telecommunications

Mr. Fletcher said provided before you this evening is the completed research regarding the telecommunications regulations. It is a rather comprehensive document; covering many different things. In the packet we have provided information on the basics, as to “what is telecommunications and how are they regulated.” There is information on what other localities are doing. As well, we included information on some of the new technology that is being deployed on sites and what things might be changing within the industry.

This information has been sent to industry representatives and we have received most all of the communication back from them, which has all been very positive so far. These comments will be comprehensively put together to share with you, so that you can review everything together and we can begin the discussion on this next month. Lastly, we have identified the inventory of telecommunications equipment and their locations. In the correspondence with the industry representatives I asked them to confirm their equipment locations within the City.

There is no need to discuss this tonight; I just wanted to get it out to you because it is a lot to review. This is online for the public, so you may get some feedback from the public as well.

Chair Fitzgerald asked if there would be a presentation on this at the next meeting.

Mr. Fletcher said we will try to figure out over the next month how we want to present the information. There may be a condensed presentation in more layman’s terms.

Chair Fitzgerald asked if there was any further discussion.

Respectfully Submitted,

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