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City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
2007-0084	Communication	In Committee
	Video/Cable Communications Coordinator communication regarding Fourth quarter funding for the Educational Access Channel.	
	Introduced: 2/20/2007	Controlling Body: License & Health Committee

APPROVAL

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
FEB 20 2007	_____	_____	Barczak				
	_____	_____	Czaplewski				✓
	_____	_____	Dobrowski	✓			
	_____	_____	Kopplin	✓			
	_____	_____	Lajsic				
	_____	_____ ✓	Narlock	✓			
	_____	_____	Reinke				
	_____ ✓	_____	Sengstock	✓			
	_____	_____	Vitale				
	_____	_____	Weigel				
		TOTAL		4			1

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER

Kurt Kopplin _____
 Chair Vice-Chair Member

APPROVAL

COMMON COUNCIL ACTION

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
FEB 20 2007	_____	_____	Barczak	✓			
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CITY OF WEST ALLIS

WISCONSIN



Department of Administration & Finance
Office of Cable Communications

JERRY MUSIAL
Video/Cable Communications Coordinator

To: License & Health Committee
From: Jerry Musial
Re: 4th Quarter Funding for Educational Access
Date: 2/14/07

The educational access channel continues to experience equipment problems, which won't be resolved until a franchise renewal is reached with Time Warner Cable. They are making due and trying to repair equipment when budget allows.

Sarah Barbian is their new news anchor and joins Bill Kloc on the Channel 13 Team. Besides appearing on camera Sarah will help out operating the video switcher during the School Board Meetings. The Channel 13 Team and Video Clubs have produced 30 productions so far this school year. Projects include football games, some basketball games, instructional videos, news updates, board meetings and new this year gymnastic coverage.

The major project they are working on is a documentary entitled "We're Counting on You". The program looks at the importance of good schools on redevelopment efforts. Mayor Bell and John Stibal, Director of Development, have already been interviewed for this project. A recent forum with Congresswoman Gwen Moore went so well that they are working on a similar program with Congressman Sensenbrenner's Office. Channel 13 has also televised a school board candidate forum along with a 5th Senate District candidate forum.

After reviewing the School District activities relating to the educational access channel, I recommend that the fourth quarter funding for educational access television operations be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

Jerold E. Musial

Cc: Mayor Bell
Paul Ziebler

Ann, please put on Council
Agenda, and have L&H
act on this at recess only.
"Approve"
Thanks
Jerry