

October 1, 2012
Public Hearing

The Board of Commission of the City of Nicholasville held a public hearing at the Nicholasville City Hall. Mayor Russ Meyer presided and the following Commissioners were present: Mr. Andy Williams, Mr. Pete Sutherland, Mr. John Collier and Mr. Doug Blackford. Also present Williams M. Arvin, City Attorney.

A public hearing regarding the cable television franchise of Time Warner Cable was held for the purpose of commencement of proceedings, which, pursuant to 47 USC 546, to afford the public in Nicholasville the appropriate notice and participation for the purpose of (A) identifying the future cable-related community needs and interests, and (B) reviewing the performance of Time Warner Cable under the company's franchise during the current the franchise term.

The Cable Act provides that before the City Commission makes a decision whether to renew its franchise with Time Warner Cable the commission must determine:

1. Whether the company substantially complied with the material terms of the franchise and applicable law.
2. Whether the quality of the company's service, including signal quality, response to consumer complaints, and billing practices, but without regard to the mix or quality of cable services or other services provided over the system has been reasonable in light of community needs.
3. Whether the company has the financial, legal and technical ability to provide the services, facilities and equipment in its proposal.
4. Whether the company's proposal is reasonable to meet the future cable-related community needs and interests, taking into account the cost of meeting such needs and interests.

No one from the community attended the public hearing.

The public hearing proceedings shall remain open while the Commission gathers the information it needs to make its decision regarding renewal.

The public hearing adjourned at 4:47 p.m.

Roberta Warren, City Clerk

Russell Meyer, Mayor