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Missouri Public Service Commission  
Governor Office Building  
200 Madison Street  
PO Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

RE: Case No. KA-2008-0074, In the Matter of the Application of  
Charter Communications Entertainment I, LLC d/b/a Charter  
Communications for Video Service Authorization

Dear Commissioners:

It is our understanding that Charter Communications has filed an application with you for a video service authorization that includes the City of St. Peters as a Political Subdivision within their service area. A review of your website for Case No. KA-2008-0074 indicates that the applications were both filed as Case No. KA-2008-0074 on 9-11-2007, and an Order granting video service authorization has been issued October 1, 2007 to become effective on October 10, 2007.

The City of St. Peters is requesting that this letter be made a part of the record for Case No. KA-2008-0074, and respectfully requests your immediate review and response to the fact that Charter Communications failed to meet a part of the initial step of filing such applications. Please note that Charter Communications did not meet the notification requirements for filing such applications, which is a part of the initial step of the process, in the manner as indicated by John Van Eschen of the Public Service Commission (PSC) as outlined in his comments to the SB 284 Workshop held by the PSC on June 28, 2007. The Comments and Responses are available on your website as "SB 284 Workshop Comments," and were also received in an e-mail from the PSC by City staff who attended the Workshop.

Please note on Page 2, #7, which reads as follows:

7. A video service provider's application should include a copy of the notice provided to affected political subdivisions. Section 67.2979.5 requires anyone seeking to commence providing video service shall file an application for video service with the PSC and also provide written notice to the affected political subdivision. If such

notice is provided in a video service application it will help ensure this requirement has been met.

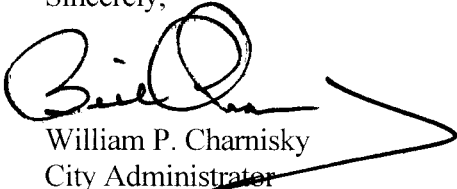
*Commission Staff response: The application form contains a certificate of service indicating the applicant certifies the application was delivered by first class mail, electronic mail or hand delivered to each of the political subdivisions listed in the application. Based on this requirement, we fail to see the benefit of establishing additional requirements. Moreover, any additional requirements, if applied, create the presumption the Missouri PSC can reject the application if such requirements are not met.*

The City of St. Peters has not received a copy of the applications on file at the Public Service Commission from Charter Communications. In reviewing the online applications with the PSC, it is noted that Charter Communications has filed a Certificate of Service that such written notice was sent by certified mail on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2007 to each of the political subdivisions listed in said applications. The City of St. Peters did not receive such notification.

Charter Communications did express to the City of St. Peters that it was their intent to “renew our cable franchise under a State-issued franchise” based upon the passage of SB 284 rather than continue with the informal renewal process to continue providing cable services to the residents of St. Peters under a City Franchise due to expire June 30, 2007. However, no written notice or correspondence from Charter Communications relating to the September 11, 2007 filing of an application for such video service authorization with the Missouri Public Service Commission has been received by the City of St. Peters.

Thus, the City of St. Peters hereby notifies you that we have not received said notice from Charter Communications Entertainment I, LLC d/b/a Charter Communications, as a video service applicant, that they have filed an application for a video service authorization for the City of St. Peters as required by Section 67.2679.5 RSMo.

Sincerely,

  
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City Administrator

Cc: Mayor and Board of Aldermen  
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