

Peters Township Cable TV Board Summary of Meeting

January 6, 2008

ATTENDANCE: Ryan Boni, Bob Buck, Bill Herder, Toni Sulkowski, Ed Wisniewski

I. Cable Television Board Reorganization

The Board voted to re-appoint Ed Wisniewski as the Chairperson and Toni Sulkowski as the Vice-Chairperson of the Peters Township Cable Television Board for 2009. The Board also voted to keep the meeting date as the first Tuesday of the month and the meeting time at 7:30 p.m.

II. Approval of December Peters Township Cable Television Board Meeting Minutes

The Board voted to approve the December Peters Township Cable Television Board Meeting Minutes

III. Comcast & Cable Franchise Update/Discussion / Verizon Update

There were no new updates on the Comcast Cable Franchise or Verizon FiOS service. .

IV. Public Access Director's Report

PUBLIC ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 7/VERIZON CHANNEL 38) PRODUCTIONS

There were a total of 36 PTCT productions produced for Comcast Channel 7/Verizon Channel 38 in December. Out of these productions, 2 were recorded using the JVC GY-DV5000, 9 were recorded using a Panasonic AG-HVX200a, and 25 were recorded in the studio. Out of these programs, 16 (44%) aired live to the community. There were 9 (25%) programs recorded straight to DVD, 7 (19%) were recorded to a hard drive, 9 (20%) recorded straight to P2 cards, with the other 11 (31%) being recorded to digital videotape.

GOVERNMENT ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 17/VERIZON CHANNEL 40) PRODUCTIONS

There were 4 productions produced in December for Comcast Channel 17/Verizon Channel 40. These were the December 1st Peters Township Council Budget Public Hearing, December 11th Peters Township Planning Commission Meeting and the December 8th and December 18th Peters Township Council General Meetings, all utilizing the multi-camera set-up in Council Chambers and recorded onto DVD.

EDUCATIONAL ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 19/VERIZON CHANNEL 39) PRODUCTIONS

There was 1 production produced for Comcast Channel 19/Verizon Channel 39 in December, the December 8th Peters Township Board of School Directors Regular Meeting. This was recorded with the School District camcorder.

PUBLIC ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 7/VERIZON CHANNEL 38) PROGRAMMING

December:

- There were 401.99 total hours of programming on Channels 7/38, with the other 342.01 hours utilizing the bulletin board.
- There were 216.1 hours of local programming shown. “Last Word in Sports with Dale Lolley” was shown for 20.5 of those hours.
- There were 76.942 hours of community events aired on Channels 7/38. Broadcasts of PTHS Boys Soccer games were shown for 33 hours of that total.
- There was 75.946 hours of imported programming.
- There were 9 different religious services/programs shown accounting for 33 hours of programming.

GOVERNMENT ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 17/VERIZON CHANNEL 40) PROGRAMMING

Council and Planning Commission meetings accounted for 99.5 hours of airtime on Channels 17/40 in December. The other 644.5 hours were taken up with the bulletin board.

EDUCATIONAL ACCESS (COMCAST CHANNEL 19/VERIZON CHANNEL 39) PROGRAMMING

Broadcasts of the PTHS Morning Announcements, “Let’s Compute!” and School Board Meetings accounted for 53.868 program hours in December. The other 690.13 hours were used by the bulletin board.

V. MAINTENANCE AND EQUIPMENT

MAINTENANCE

No equipment was out for repair.

EQUIPMENT

No new equipment was purchased.

VI. COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Boni presented the Board with December Insider newsletter.

VII. OTHER

- A. The Board asked Mr. Boni to provide budget information at Cable Board meetings. Mr. Boni agreed to begin adding current budget/expenses to the Board docket.

B. The next meeting, the Reorganization Meeting, of the Peters Township Cable TV Board was set for **Tuesday February 3, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. in Room A100** of the Peters Township High School. (This meeting was cancelled)