

EXHIBIT A

AMENDMENTS TO PCC 3.114

Chapter 3.114 Office of Cable Communications and Franchise Management for Community Technology**3.114.010 Creation.**

There is hereby established an Office of ~~Cable Communications and Franchise Management~~ for Community Technology. The Office shall be administered by a Director and shall have such other employees as the Council may provide.

3.114.020 Functions.

A. The Office shall be responsible for coordinating Citywide broadband planning, communications policy advocacy, technology grants and related consumer protection activities.

B. The Office shall be responsible for supervising and coordinating all franchising processes engaged in by the City, for monitoring the performance of all franchisees for franchise compliance and for performing all other necessary work relating to franchises in the City.

BC. The Office shall be responsible for promoting the orderly development of City-owned or City-partnered broadband and cable communication systems, for providing staff support needed by the Mt. Hood Cable Regulatory Commission and for performing all other necessary work related to broadband planning, communications policy advocacy, related technology grants, and cable communications in the City.

CD. The Office shall be responsible for overseeing franchise and utility audits and revenues in coordination with the City Auditor's Office, the Office of Management and Finance and other City agencies and bureaus.

3.114.030 Jurisdiction.

A. The Office shall have jurisdiction over all franchisees and utility licensees. The Office shall have jurisdiction over all public or private utilities or other entities seeking similar rights to use City rights-of-way.

B. The Office shall have jurisdiction over all cable communications and broadband policy matters affecting the City of Portland.

3.114.040 Policy.

In order to establish and ensure a stable, predictable basis for long-term relations, it is the policy of the City of Portland that public or private utilities and other entities seeking similar rights to utilize City rights-of-way should be subject to franchise agreements with the City.