

**ORDINANCE NO. 673**  
**2<sup>ND</sup> SERIES**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 8.01, SUBDIVISION 5(J),  
ALEXANDRIA CABLE COMMISSION**

The City Council of the City of Alexandria does ORDAIN:

**SECTION I.** That the first paragraph of Section 8.01, Subdivision 5(J) of the Alexandria City Code is hereby amended by deleting the existing language and replacing it with the following language:

Section 8.01, Subdivision 5(J) **Alexandria Cable Commission.**

There is hereby continued in existence a commission to be appointed by the governing body of the City to monitor the performance of the Grantee in executing the provisions of the Franchise. Nominees for appointment to the commission shall be representative of social concerns or geographic areas of the City or have a stated interest in the development or use of cable communications within the City, and they shall be residents of the City, or, if a non-resident of the City, shall reside within the Alexandria service area of the grantee. Except as herein provided for, persons involved commercially in cable communications, broadcasting, or the news media, as well as City-elected officials, shall not serve as members, but may consult with and advise the Committee. If the City should ever have a significant racial minority population, every effort shall be made by the City to place representatives of one or more of the racial minorities on the board. Every effort shall be made to place a proportionate number of women on the commission. The commission shall consist of seven members appointed for two (2) year terms selected as follows: Five at-large representatives (three of whom must be city residents), one representative of School District 206, and one representative of the Grantee. The City or Grantee service area residency requirement does not apply to the representatives of School District 206 and Grantee. The commission shall perform, but not necessarily be limited to, the following tasks:

(The remainder of the subsection continues unamended.)

**SECTION II.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

**ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Alexandria this 13<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2012, by the following vote:

YES: BATESOLE, CARLSON, MILLER, FRANK

NO: NONE

ABSENT: BENSON

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/S/ H. Dan Ness, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
/S/ James P. Taddei, City Administrator