FIVE TOWN CABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE Representing the Towns of Great Barrington, Lee, Lenox, Sheffield and Stockbridge

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Five Town Cable Advisory Committee will hold its Regular Quarterly Meeting December 10th, 2019, 6:30pm CTSB, 40 Limestone Road, Lee

AGENDA

6:30 PM – Call to Order Reading and approval of minutes of meeting September 10th, 2019

Walking Tour of CTSB facility

CTSB Report

CTSB not available in starter/basic tier per FCC rule, channels 16, 17 & 18 *

CTSB channel identification in guide <u>continues not to be available</u>. *It has not been since the transition to required converter boxes* *

PSA schedule - Not discussed in September - information requested not provided in written Spectrum report * Fall Festival of Shakespeare

For discussion - Members, volunteers and donations and creative solutions needed

Retirement for Station Manager

Spectrum Report

Spectrum not represented at September CAC meeting - breach of agreement Section 7.4 (b) of the License agreements

Announced rate increase

Subscriber complaints -

• Billing date changes/payment window – customer service information inconsistent. *

Status of WCVB and – WWLP programming offered at no charge to Spectrum – WSHM (Channel 3) not in HD On-going lack of local coverage on Spectrum's own news channels *

- Insulting TV Spots for Spectrum indicating, "...we cover your neighborhood."
- No news from Massachusetts State Government covered on Spectrum's own channels continues
- Little to no news from Berkshires covered on Spectrum's own channels

Communication with CAC lacking - answers requested within 30 days not forthcoming *

Responses to questions/issues raised at March and June Meetings *

Subscriber questionnaire 2019 *

Letter to the Massachusetts Attorney General/ DTC

Old Business

New business

Other Business

Set next meeting date and time, March 10th, 2020, 6:30 PM, in Stockbridge Adjourn

* No communication on this subject since last meeting.