



Howard County

Internal Memorandum

To: Brandee Ganz, Chief Administrative Officer

From: Donna Richardson, Cable Administrator *DMR*

Subject: Resolution approving Comcast of Howard County, LLC's application for a franchise renewal

Date: December 8, 2023

I am writing in support of Council Resolution No. ____-2024 that approves the application for a cable franchise renewal.

Timeline

On December 6, 2023, the Office of Cable Administration received an application for franchise renewal from Comcast of Howard County, LLC.

As required by the County Code, official notification of receipt of the application will be published in the December 14 and 21, 2023 editions of the Howard County Times and Baltimore Sun.

Comcast of Howard County, LLC has provided cable television services to residents since 1995. The company is financially and technologically capable of continuing to provide cable television services to our residents.

Pursuant to Section 14.408 of the County Code, the Council shall grant or deny an application. If the Council grants the application, the County Executive and Comcast of Howard County, LLC shall agree on the terms of a franchise agreement which shall be submitted to the Council as well.

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the County associated with this resolution.