TOWN OF ADDISON

ORDINANCE NO. <u>094-082</u>

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, REGULATING AND PRESCRIBING THE RATES TO BE CHARGED BY HARRON CABLEVISION OF TEXAS FOR THE BASIC SERVICE TIER; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, in accordance with applicable FCC regulations, on or about November 9, 1993, the City passed and adopted an Ordinance providing for the regulation of rates charged by cable television operators within the City for the basic service tier and related equipment and installation charges and providing for a reasonable opportunity for interested parties to express views concerning basic cable regulation; and

WHEREAS, on or about the 15th day of August, 1994, Harron filed its proposed rate schedule with the Town Secretary based on "cost of service" approach; and

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of September, 1994, the Town Council of the Town of Addison, Texas, duly passed Resolution No. R94-064 which suspended the service rates proposed by Harron for a period of 90 days in accordance with FCC Regulation Section 76.933; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has reviewed Harron's cost of service rate structure and finds same to not be duly reflective of the cost of providing cable tv service to its subscribers in the Town of Addison in as much as the filing contains capital costs and operating expenses from other areas outside of the Town of Addison which are not necessarily reflective of Harron's actual costs in rendering services to subscribers within the Town of Addison.

WHEREAS, the rates proposed to be charged by Harron far exceed the FCC's benchmark/price cap rates as well as the rate charged by the company's nearest competitor within the limits of the Town of Addison; and

WHEREAS, the rates proposed by Harron are determined to be not in the public interest;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the above recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and incorporated herein.

Section 2. That the rates to be charged by Harron are hereby determined to be the FCC's benchmark/price cap rates for the basic service tier plus equipment and service charges in accordance with the following schedule:

TYPE OF SERVICE	MONTHLY AMOUNT
Economy Basic	\$8.63
Cable Plus	\$9.25
Equipment and Service Charges:	
Converter Additional Outlet Installation Apartment Install Service Call	\$2.46 \$-0- \$38.20/hr. \$19.00 \$19.00

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effective immediately from and after its adoption and it is so ordained.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, this 13th day of December, 1994.

ATTEST:

Rich Beckert, Mayor

Carmen Moran, City Secretary

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APPROVED AS TO FORM: Thank I Al. prid

Ken Dippel, City Attorney

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