

CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 0-97-19

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, GRANTING A FRANCHISE TO TCI CABLEVISION FOR OPERATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE BUSINESSES IN THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY

WHEREAS, the City of Maple Valley will incorporate on August 31, 1997; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35.02.160 provides that any franchise or permit therefore granted to any person, firm or corporation by the State or county is automatically canceled upon incorporation, but that the City must grant such businesses a franchise to continue for a term of not less than the remaining term of the original franchise or permit or seven years, whichever is the shorter; and

WHEREAS, a franchise has been granted by King County to TCI Cable; and

WHEREAS, the City of Maple Valley intends to allow TCI Cable to continue operation under the same terms and conditions as the preexisting franchise between TCI Cable and King County for the remaining term of the original franchise or seven years, whichever is the shorter period; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. TCI Cablevision Franchise Extended. The City of Maple Valley hereby grants to TCI Cablevision a franchise under the same terms and conditions as set forth in Franchise No. 12132 previously issued by King County. This franchise shall expire on August 31, 2004.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force and effect on the official day of incorporation, August 31, 1997.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING
THEREOF THE ____ DAY OF JULY, 1997.**

Mayor Laure Iddings

ATTEST:

Irvalene Moni, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Lisa M. Marshall, Interim City Attorney

Date of Publication:
Effective Date: