

RESOLUTION NO. 9596-R15

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE REORGANIZATION OF THE
CHAMPAIGN-URBANA JOINT CABLE TELEVISION COMMISSION
AS THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Joint Cable Television Commission has provided a valuable public forum, overseen the creation and administration of the local franchise, and has provided advice, expertise, and counsel to the appropriate municipal authorities; and

WHEREAS, data communication technology represents the next major step in the development of a local communications network; and

WHEREAS, data transfer technology is of vital importance to the future well being of the community; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest to develop public policy, provide a public forum, and coordinate telecommunications technology, infrastructure development, and access in both the public and private sectors.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1. That effective July 1, 1996, the Champaign-Urbana Joint Cable Television Commission will become the Intergovernmental Telecommunications Commission.

Section 2. That the University of Illinois and the County of Champaign will immediately be extended an invitation to participate on the Commission as nonvoting ex-officio members.

Section 3. At whatever time the University of Illinois and/or the County of Champaign become able to contribute to the financial support of the Commission, they will be afforded full voting rights and a permanent seat.

Section 4. The scope of Commission responsibility will expand to include oversight, coordination, policy review and analysis in the area of telecommunications.

Section 5. The Champaign-Urbana Joint Cable Television Commission is directed to redefine its mission, develop an action plan and present these for approval by the City Council by May 30, 1996.

PASSED by the Urbana City Council this 20th day of November, 1995.

APPROVED by the Mayor this 27th day of November, 1995.


Phyllis D. Clark by
Phyllis D. Clark, City Clerk

Abraham J. Robert, Deputy Clerk

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Tod Satterthwaite, Mayor

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