

1 **BILL NO. S-22-12-09**

2 ORDINANCE NO. S-159-22

3 **AN ORDINANCE approving grants to be funded from the Cable TV**  
4 **Fund.**

5 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 111.34.(C).(5).a provides that a minimum of  
6 10% of the City's Cable TV "access dollars" be set aside annually for Non-  
7 Access Channel Originator Grants for access programming by not-for-profit  
8 agencies, educational or governmental agencies within the City of Fort Wayne;  
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11 WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 111.34.(C).(5).d provides that the Cable Fund  
12 Access Board (CFAB) recommend grant awards, with final approval granted by  
13 the Common Council from the Cable TV Fund; and

14 WHEREAS, the Cable Fund Access Board recommends the following  
15 Non-Access Channel Originator Grant awards from the Cable TV Fund totaling  
16 \$98,499.99:

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18	Miami	\$6,966.62
19	The Impact Center	\$6,966.62
20	Portage	\$6,966.62
21	Cinema Center	\$6,966.62
22	Snider	\$6,966.62
23	North Side	\$6,966.62
24	Anthis	\$4,160.55
25	South Side	\$6,966.62
26	Raines Sports Academy	\$3,000.00
27	Dance Collective	\$6,966.62
28	Friends of the Third World	\$6,966.62
29	Concordia	\$6,966.62
30	Blackhawk	\$6,966.62
	Jefferson	\$6,966.62
	WBOI	\$3,000.00
	Carriage House	\$4,740.00

1 WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne states that the details of each grant  
2 proposal are available for inspection.  
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4 **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL**  
5 **OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:**  
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7 SECTION 1. The following Non-Access Channel Originator Grant  
8 awards totaling \$105,000.00 from the Cable TV fund are approved:

9	Miami	\$6,966.62
10	The Impact Center	\$6,966.62
11	Portage	\$6,966.62
12	Cinema Center	\$6,966.62
13	Snider	\$6,966.62
14	North Side	\$6,966.62
15	Anthis	\$4,160.55
16	South Side	\$6,966.62
17	Raines Sports Academy	\$3,000.00
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19	Friends of the Third World	\$6,966.62
20	Concordia	\$6,966.62
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22	Jefferson	\$6,966.62
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24	Carriage House	\$4,740.00

25 SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and  
26 after January 1, 2023 and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor, and  
27 shall expire on July 1, 2023.  
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30 Council Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

  
Malak Heiny, City Attorney

November 10, 2022

Fort Wayne City Council  
c/o City Clerk' Office  
1 East Main Street  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

Subject: Cable TV Non-Access Channel Originator Grants

Members of City Council:

This ordinance authorizes the payment of grants totaling \$98,499.99 for access programming by not-for-profit agencies, governmental groups, and educational groups. This is the list of grantees, their requests and the recommended amounts:

<b>Requestor</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
Miami	\$11,936.34	\$6,966.62
The Impact Center	\$14,000.00	\$6,966.62
Portage	\$12,947.78	\$6,966.62
Cinema Center	\$15,086.24	\$6,966.62
Snider	\$7,251.00	\$6,966.62
North Side	\$10,949.93	\$6,966.62
Anthis	\$4,160.55	\$4,160.55
South Side	\$10,590.00	\$6,966.62
Raines Sports Academy	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Dance Collective	\$14,686.19	\$6,966.62
Friends of the Third World	\$11,675.00	\$6,966.62
Concordia	\$12,937.95	\$6,966.62
Blackhawk	\$16,294.20	\$6,966.62
Jefferson	\$13,592.90	\$6,966.62
WBOI	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Carriage House	\$10,500.00	\$4,740.00

This money comes from the Cable Franchise fee remitted to the City of Fort Wayne. By local ordinance 111.34, ten percent of "access dollars" are designated for Non-Access Channel Originator Grants, subject to approval by City Council. Any funds not utilized for grants must remain in the fund for use the following year.

The budget for non-access originator grants is \$98,500, which is 10% of "access dollars" (4% of the total franchise fees) collected in the previous four quarters, plus grants not awarded in the previous year. In addition to funding cable channels and these grants, Cable Franchise fees provided \$1.36 million dollars to the City's general fund in the previous four quarters.

If you have any questions, please call me at 260-427-1461.

James Haley  
CIO  
City of Fort Wayne

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**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

**December 20, 2022**

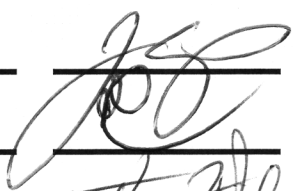
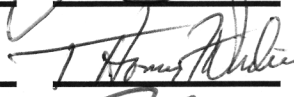






***Russ Jehl Chair***

***Sharon Tucker Co-Chair***

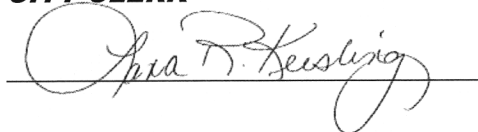
***All Council Members***

An Ordinance approving grants to be funded from the Cable TV Fund

COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS HAVE HAD SAID Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common Council that said Ordinance

<u>COUNCIL MEMBER</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	<u>DO NOT PASS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
<u>ARP</u>			
<u>CHAMBERS</u>			
<u>DIDIER</u>			
<u>ENSLEY</u>			
<u>FREISTROFFER</u>			
<u>HINES</u>			
<u>JEHL</u>			
<u>PADDOCK</u>			
<u>TUCKER</u>			

**LANA R. KEESLING  
CITY CLERK**



Public Hearing Date: N/A

Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilperson Jehl.

Read the second time by title and referred to the Finance Committee.

Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilperson Tucker, placed on passage by the following vote:

<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
ARP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CHAMBERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
DIDIER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ENSLEY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FREISTROFFER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
HINES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
JEHL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
PADDOCK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TUCKER	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

DATED: December 20, 2022

  
LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as

Special Ordinance No. S-22-12-09 on the 20th day of December, 2022

ATTEST:

  
LANA R. KEESLING  
CITY CLERK

  
PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 21st of December 2022, at the hour of            o'clock A.M. E.S.T.

  
LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 22<sup>ND</sup> day of December 2022, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock AM E.S.T.

  
THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR

