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FIRST READING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE GRANT OF A CABLE FRANCHISE TO COMCAST COLORADO IX, LLC, APPROVING A CABLE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT BETWEEN COMCAST COLORADO IX, LLC, AND THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

Summary and Background Information:

Over the past year, Staff has worked to negotiate a new franchise agreement with Comcast. This agreement allows Comcast to operate within the City. Due to the complex and technical nature of this negotiation, Staff has retained outside counsel to assist in the negotiations. Staff has provided updates to Council and received negotiating direction throughout the year. Staff believes the agreement before Council at this meeting reflects the best possible deal between the City and Comcast. It conforms to Council's direction and provides the best value to the City and service to residents.

Once approved, the new agreement will go into effect and supersede the existing agreement. Should Council not approve of this agreement, the current agreement will remain in effect.

Staff Responsible (Department Head): Jason R. Rogers, AICP, City Manager

Staff Member Presenting: John Bourjaily, Management Analyst II

Financial Impact: N/A

Funding Source: N/A

Staff Recommendation: Approve the agreement

Suggested Motion: Approve the ordinance on first reading