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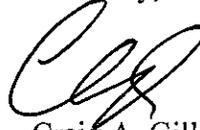
**Re: Docket 14-0100, MCC Illinois LLC  
Notice of Modification of Cable Service Area (Whiteside County, Illinois)**

Dear Ms. Rolando:

Please find attached an original and one copy of a Notice of Modification of Cable Service Area filed by MCC Illinois LLC ("Mediacom") pursuant to Section 401(g) of the Cable and Video Competition Law of 2007 (220 ILCS 5/21-100, et seq.) modifying the cable service area footprint described in Mediacom's Application for State-Issued Authorization to Provide Cable Service in Docket 14-0100 to include Whiteside County. Also included is an additional copy of this letter, which we ask that you please date-stamp and return. Mediacom has, concurrent with the filing of this notice, delivered a copy of this notice and associated application to the County Chair of Whiteside County.

Should there be any questions regarding this notice, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Craig A. Gilley  
Counsel for Mediacom

cc: Bruce Gluckman, Esq.

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**Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris, Glovsky and Popeo, P.C.**

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<b>MCC Illinois LLC</b>	)	
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<b>Application for State-Issued Authorization to Provide</b>	)	<b>Docket No. <u>14-0100</u></b>
<b>Cable Service Pursuant to Section 401 of the Cable</b>	)	
<b>and Video Competition Law of 2007</b>	)	

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**NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OF CABLE SERVICE AREA**

1. Pursuant to Section 401(g) of the Cable and Video Competition Law of 2007, as amended (the “Law”) (220 ILCS 5/21-401(g)), MCC Illinois LLC (“Mediacom” or “Applicant”) hereby notifies the Illinois Commerce Commission (the “Commission”) of a modification of the cable service area footprint described in Mediacom’s Application for State-Issued Authorization to Provide Cable Service (“Application”) in the above-captioned docket that was granted on March 5, 2014.

2. In the Application, Mediacom described the service area footprint as the City of Aledo. (Application p.1). With this Notice, Mediacom is modifying that service area footprint to include **Whiteside County** (the “Modified Service Area Footprint”). Attached as Exhibit 1 is a list of the local units of government that comprise the Modified Service Area Footprint, accounting for all modifications subsequent to March 5, 2014, including Whiteside County.

3. Concurrent with the filing of this Notice, Mediacom has served Whiteside County with a copy of this Notice and the Application.

4. Mediacom is an “incumbent cable operator,” within the meaning of Section 21-201(m) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-201(m)) with respect to Whiteside County, as it provides cable or video services under a franchise agreement with Whiteside County that expired on

September 16, 2011, and is eligible to seek this state-issued authority pursuant to Section 301(b) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-301(b)).

5. Under procedures established in Section 626 of federal Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. § 546, a cable operator is authorized to continue to operate in a municipality past the expiration date of a cable franchise, up until such point as the municipality requests a formal renewal franchise proposal from the operator, conducts a formal administrative hearing to evaluate a cable operator's proposal for a new franchise, and either rejects or accepts the cable operator's proposal. Mediacom properly invoked the statutory procedures of Section 626 with respect to Whiteside County, and to date, Whiteside County has not taken the next step and requested a formal franchise renewal proposal from Mediacom. Accordingly, Mediacom remains authorized by federal law to continue to provide service in Whiteside County despite the expiration of the franchise agreement. Mediacom is eligible for a state-issued authorization pursuant to 220 ILCS 5/21-301(b), which states that "[u]pon expiration of its current franchise agreement, an incumbent cable operator may obtain State authorization from the Commission pursuant to this Article."

6. As shown below and in the attached Affidavit, Applicant satisfies the requirements of Section 401(b)(4) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-401(b)(4)) and, therefore, is eligible to obtain a State-issued authorization for the Modified Service Area Footprint.

7. Mediacom will continue to offer cable service in Whiteside County, which is the area covered by the franchise agreement noted in ¶ 4 above, "at the same levels required by the local franchising authorities for the local unit of government on June 30, 2007." (220 ILCS 5/21-401(b)(4)). Mediacom is the long-standing incumbent cable operator serving Whiteside County, and consistent with its franchise obligations, its cable system/network is fully

constructed. On June 30, 2007, Mediacom's franchise with Whiteside County required Mediacom to provide cable service to all residences within the unincorporated areas of Whiteside County where there is an average of forty homes per linear mile of new construction.

8. Biographical information for key personnel responsible for managing Mediacom's local cable service operations and network in Whiteside County is attached as Exhibit 2.

9. The United States Census Bureau's most recent estimate of the number of low income households, as defined in Section 201(p) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-201(p)), located within Whiteside County is 8399 or 36%. (220 ILCS 5/21-401(b)(4)). The total number of low income households in the Modified Service Area Footprint indicated in Exhibit 1 is 48,585 or 38%.

10. With respect to the Modified Service Area Footprint, Mediacom will begin to operate pursuant to the State-Issued Authorization granted it on March 5, 2014 effective the date of this Notice.

11. Under Section 401(g) of the Law, the Commission "is not required or authorized to act" upon this Notice. (220 ILCS 5/21-401(g)).

Sincerely,



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the public version of this Notice and associated Application has concurrently been delivered by first class mail to Whiteside County.

Sincerely,



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**AFFIDAVIT OF BRUCE GLUCKMAN**

I, Bruce Gluckman, being placed under affirmation, solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm the following:

1. I am currently Group Vice President – Legal and Regulatory Affairs, and an officer of MCC Illinois LLC (“Applicant” or “Mediacom”). As Group Vice President I oversee Mediacom’s regulatory, government and external affairs in Illinois. Mediacom is the nation’s eighth largest cable company based on the number of customers who purchase one or more video services, also known as video customers. Mediacom is among the leading cable operators focused on serving the smaller cities in the United States, with a significant customer concentration in the Midwestern and Southeastern regions. As of December 31, 2012, Mediacom’s cable systems passed an estimated 2.79 million homes, primarily in the states of Iowa, Illinois, Georgia, Minnesota and Missouri, and served approximately 1,000,000 video customers, 915,000 high-speed data (“HSD”) customers and 356,000 phone customers.

2. The purpose of my Affidavit is to provide support for Mediacom’s Notice of Modification of Cable Service Area (the “Notice”) to provide cable services filed pursuant to

Section 401(g) of the Cable and Video Competition Law of 2007 (the “Law”). (220 ILCS 5/21-401(g)).

3. This Affidavit and supporting Exhibits provide the affirmations and information required by Section 401(b)(4) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21- 401(b)).

4. I have knowledge of the facts stated in this Affidavit and accompanying supporting Exhibits 1 and 2. I am competent to testify to them and I have authority to make this Affidavit on behalf of and to bind Mediacom.

5. On March 5, 2014, Mediacom’s Application for State-Issued Authorization (“Application”) to Provide Cable Service was granted, with respect to the Service Area Footprint identified as the City of Aledo.

6. With the Notice, Mediacom is now modifying the Service Area Footprint to include Whiteside County. Exhibit 1 to the Notice identifies the local units of government that comprise the Modified Service Area Footprint accounting for all modifications subsequent to March 5, 2014, including Whiteside County.

7. Exhibit 2 lists biographical information for key personnel responsible for managing Mediacom’s local cable service operations and network in Whiteside County.

8. For purposes of this Notice, Mediacom is an “incumbent cable operator,” within the meaning of Section 201(m) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-201(m)) with respect to Whiteside County and is eligible to seek State-issued authorization pursuant to 301(b) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-301(b)). Consistent with its franchise obligations as the long-standing incumbent cable operator serving Whiteside County, Mediacom’s cable system/network is fully constructed and Mediacom will continue to offer cable service in Whiteside County, “at the same levels required by the local franchising authorities for the local unit of government on June 30, 2007.” (220 ILCS

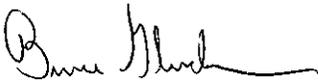
5/21-401(b)(4)). On June 30, 2007, Mediacom's franchise with Whiteside County required Mediacom to provide cable service to all residences within the unincorporated areas of Whiteside County where there is an average of forty homes per linear mile of new construction.

9. The United States Census Bureau's most recent estimate of the number of low income households, as defined in Section 201(p) of the Law (220 ILCS 5/21-201(p)), located within Whiteside County is 8399 or 36%. (220 ILCS 5/21-401(b)(4)). The total number of low income households in the Modified Service Area is 48,585 or 38%.

10. With respect to the Modified Service Area Footprint, Mediacom will begin to operate pursuant to the State-Issued Authorization granted it on March 5, 2014 effective the date of the Notice.

11. Concurrently with the filing of the Notice, Mediacom has served Whiteside County with a copy of the Notice and Application.

I solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm that all of the foregoing statements and representations made in this Affidavit and accompanying Exhibit are true and correct.



Bruce Gluckman  
*Group Vice President – Legal and Regulatory Affairs*

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015

NOTARY PUBLIC Linda Rossi

My Commission Expires: 1/7/16  
State of New York, County of Orange

LINDA ROSSI  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01RO6180139  
Qualified in Orange County  
Commission Expires 1/7/16

# EXHIBIT 1

## Modified Service Area Footprint

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<b>Local Unit of Government</b>	<b>Low Income Households</b>	<b>Level of service required by the local franchising authority on June 30, 2007</b>
City of Aledo	554 or 37%	The boundaries of the City of Aledo only where technically feasible and at least 15 residences within a quarter mile from the trunk or distribution cable which Mediacom would extend request service.
Village of Coal Valley	308 or 22%	The boundaries of the Village of Coal Valley where there are at least 35 residences within one cable mile from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Village of Milan	1065 or 46%	The boundaries of the Village of Milan where there are at least 35 residences within one cable mile from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended upon request.
City of East Moline	3631 or 42%	The boundaries of the City of East Moline where there are at least 35 residences within one cable mile from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Village of Lyndon	118 or 44%	The boundaries of the Village of Lyndon where there are at least 10 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the portion of the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
City of Moline	6297 or 35%	The boundaries of the City of Moline where there are at least 35 residences within one cable mile from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Village of Stockton	390 or 45%	The boundaries of the Village of Stockton either within 200 feet of an existing cable terminal point or where there is an average of twenty dwelling units.
Jo Daviess County	3213 or 33%	The unincorporated areas of Jo Daviess County where there are at least thirty occupied dwellings units within a cable mile from the existing system.
Carroll County	2366 or 35%	The unincorporated areas of Carroll County where there are at least 15 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Village of Davis Junction	167 or 19%	The boundaries of the Village of Davis Junction.

<b>Local Unit of Government</b>	<b>Low Income Households</b>	<b>Level of service required by the local franchising authority on June 30, 2007</b>
Village of Davis	74 or 26%	The boundaries of the Village of Davis where there are at least 40 homes per cable mile.
Village of Elizabeth	146 or 47%	The boundaries of the Village of Elizabeth consistent with the local cable ordinance.
City of Hamilton	305 or 27%	The boundaries of the City of Hamilton where there are at least 10 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the portion of the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Village of Shannon	161 or 42%	The boundaries of the Village of Shannon where there are at least eight homes per quarter cable mile from the last node or terminating amplifier.
Stephenson County	7806 or 40%	The unincorporated areas of Stephenson County where there are at least 45 homes per cable mile.
Village of Thomson	94 or 39%	The boundaries of the Village of Thomson where at least 15 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the trunk or distribution cable to be extended request service.
Village of Warren	254 or 37%	The boundaries of the Village of Warren consistent with the local cable ordinance.
Williamson County	11442 or 43%	The unincorporated areas of Williamson County where there are at least twenty homes per mile from the existing system.
Village of Winnebago	153 or 14%	The boundaries of the Village of Winnebago except where impracticable, technically infeasible, or economically non-compensatory.
Village of Apple River	102 or 60%	The boundaries of the Village of Apple River consistent with the local cable ordinance.
City of Mount Carroll	371 or 46%	The boundaries of the City of Mount Carroll where there are at least 45 homes per cable mile.
East Dubuque City	283 or 36%	The boundaries of the City of East Dubuque where there are at least 10 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the portion of the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Morrison City	616 or 36%	The boundaries of the City of Morrison where there are at least 10 residences within 1320 cable-bearing strand feet from the portion of the trunk or distribution cable to be extended.
Lanark City	270 or 40%	The boundaries of the City of Lanark.
Whiteside County	8399 or 36%	The unincorporated areas of Whiteside County where there is an average of forty homes per linear mile of new construction.
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,585 or 38%</b>	

# EXHIBIT 2

## Key Personnel

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The following Mediacom management personnel are responsible for Mediacom's operations and network serving Whiteside County:

**Todd Curtis**

***Regional Vice President***

26 years of experience in the cable industry with growing responsibilities from installation technician, service technician, chief technician, systems manager, construction project manager, technical operations manager, area operations manager, senior director of field operations, and regional vice president.

**Richard Schwab**

***Director, Area Operations***

22 years of experience in the Cable/Telecommunications industry with a Master of Business Administration. Positions ranging from field installation to corporate strategies.

**Matthew Bennett**

***Technical Operations Manager***

22 years of experience in the cable industry, Started contracting multi unit and satellite installation. Past and present positions with Mediacom include, Installer, Installer Technician, Service Technician, Lead Technician, Technical Operations Supervisor and Technical Operations Manager.

**Kage Murphy**

***Technical Operations Supervisor***

8 years of experience in the cable industry. Past and present positions include, Installer, Installer Technician, Service Technician, and present Technical Operations Supervisor.?

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