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To: John Weidl, City Manager

From: Rachelle Blitch, Director of Financial and Administrative Services

Re: TDS Fees

Upon closer examination, it has been determined that the "City of Whitewater Video Service Fee" appearing on the TDS bill corresponds to the franchise fee. This does not constitute new revenue; rather, it signifies a reallocation of funds between the two existing cable service providers. Presently, the City does not have broadcasting capabilities with TDS. However, TDS is scheduled to commence the installation of a new fiber line on March 11th, which will enable broadcasting services with them.