# **City of Fayetteville Staff Review Form**

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Doug Bankston  Submitted By  Submitted By		6/18/2021	MEDIA SE	RVICES (060)
		Submitted Date	Division / Department	
	Actio	n Recommendation:		
pproval of a budget adjustment in Media) Trust Account to recognize of ctivities budget.			-	
		Budget Impact:		
1010.060.0600-5342.00		1010 General Fund		
Account Number		Fund		
51022.1101		Public AccessTelevision Fees		
Project Number		Project Title		
Budgeted Item?	Yes	Current Budget	\$	2,959.00
•		Funds Obligated	\$	600.00
	<u>-</u>	Current Balance	\$	2,359.00
Does item have a cost?	No	Item Cost	\$	-
Budget Adjustment Attached?	Yes	Budget Adjustment	\$	10,000.00
		Remaining Budget	\$	12,359.00
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**Comments:** 

**Original Contract Number:** 



## CITY COUNCIL MEMO

# **MEETING OF JULY 6, 2021**

TO: Mayor and City Council

**THRU:** Lisa Thurber, Director of Communications

Susan Norton, Chief of Staff

**FROM:** Doug Bankston, Director of Media Services

**DATE:** June 18, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Receipt of Public Access Fees

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approval of a budget adjustment in the amount of \$10,000 from the Community Access Television (dba Your Media) Trust Account to recognize Public Access activity revenue to allow expenditure for promotional activities in 2021 for Fayetteville Public Television.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Per the City's 2021 contract with Your Media:

Your Media may charge a fee for the following items or activities utilizing equipment, facilities or resources owned or controlled by the City of Fayetteville:

- 1. Non-resident of Fayetteville annual service dues.
- 2. Training workshops and seminars that are conducted utilizing City of Fayetteville resources.
- 3. The sale of blank recording media.
- 4. Transfer and/or duplication services.
- 5. Other small items, such as t-shirts or other promotional items, as approved by the City of Fayetteville Communications Director or Director of Media Services.
- 6. Video production services. If production services are provided, the following conditions apply:
  - a. These services and activities will be referred to as "contract production".
  - b. Contract production may include studio production activity at the Television Center and related activity, including pre- and post-production.
  - c. Your Media shall charge rates adequate to cover the basic costs of production. Service rates will be reviewed and approved by the Director of Media Services on an annual basis.
  - d. Your Media will utilize a standard contract document for each agreement to provide contract production services. This contract document will be approved by the Director of Media Services.
  - e. All fees charged for providing contract production services will be collected at the point Your Media delivers the final product for which it was contracted.

- f. All monies collected for providing production services will be utilized to support Fayetteville Public Access services or capital improvements as approved by the City Council and following applicable City of Fayetteville policies and procedures.
- 7. In addition to charging a fee for services described above, Your Media may generate revenue utilizing equipment, facilities, or resources owned or controlled by the City of Fayetteville through:
  - a. Fundraising activities designed to raise funds to support the operations or capital improvements of the Public Access channel.
  - b. Acquisition of grants or awards dedicated to support the operations or capital improvements of the Public Access channel.

If Your Media generates or collects any revenue through activities as allowed in this contract, or otherwise approved by the City, utilizing equipment, facilities, or resources owned or controlled by the City of Fayetteville, Your Media will ensure:

- All monies collected for such services will be deposited into and all checks shall be made payable to the "Trust Account of Community Access Television, Inc." which shall contain only those funds.
- 2. Your Media's manager shall ensure proper accounting of all such revenues collected and shall report such accounting monthly to the Director of Media Services.
- 3. All funds within the "Trust Account of Community Access Television, Inc." may only be expended through City Council Resolution authorizing the receipt of funds into the Television Center budget and approving any necessary Budget Adjustments. Normal bank fees related directly to the use of this trust account may be paid with trust account funds without prior authorization.
- 4. Proper accounting and records of services provided, fees charged and monies collected for services will be kept by Your Media, in a manner approved by the Director of Media Services.

#### DISCUSSION:

Community Access Television, dba Your Media, the City's contracted third party public access service provider, holds a Trust Account into which revenue from public contract productions, media sales, DVD copies, digital transfers and other services is deposited. This revenue is periodically used for promotional activities for Fayetteville Public Television (FPTV), as well as additional production equipment (minor equipment) for the City of Fayetteville Television Center to meet demand. FPTV's provided services warrant the purchase of some additional equipment to support the public access services and the public that uses these services and equipment. The \$10,000 will be used for FPTV activities in 2021, now that the Fayetteville Television Center has reopened to the public.

### **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

Approval of the Budget Adjustment will increase the promotional activities (1010 Media Services) budget by \$10,000.

### Attachments:

Budget Adjustment for revenue.

	Key Code	Date	06/18/2 <b>1</b> Amount	\$10,000.00				
	Contact Name	DONG BANKSTON	Extension	3436				
	Debit/Cash Account #	6890.1101.00	DO NOT CH	IANGE				
	Credit Account #	1010.060.0600-4449.00 PA TV Fees						
	Project/Subproject#	51022.1101						
	Description	Funds from Public Access Trust						
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