Leyden Broadband Committee Meeting Informational Meeting with Greenfield June 15, 2016

Minutes

Present: Mayor Martin, Dan Kelley, David Curtis, Bob Ryan and Lance Fritz

The meeting was called to order at 4:02 pm.

Bob opened with an explanation of the origins and details of the Leyden MLP's cost which are based on an extrapolation by Crocker of Leveret's MLP numbers.

We discussed whether Federal and State telecommunication taxes need to be added to MLP billings to their customers/residents.

Bob went into some detail about the various MLP costs for a Leyden stand alone network.

Dan ran through Greenfield's pricing structure and discussed his take on how Leyden would interface with the Greenfield MLP. Dan suggest a cost of \$30/month for internet service and said this was predicated on a take rate of 25%. When it was pointed out that Crocker was only charging \$25/month for internet service the mayor said that by the time we were ready to plug into Greenfield's MLP the take rate should be much higher and the rate automatically lower.

Dan gave us a heads up about pole survey issues. Greenfield is conducting their own pole survey due to Verizon and Eversource's backlog and lack of resources to conduct such surveys on a timely basis.

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Lance Fritz Broadband Committee Member