Milford Government Access Television Committee

Tuesday, March 23, 2010

Platt Technical High School Room 113 600 Orange Avenue Milford, CT 06461

Call to Order: 7:12 PM

Attendance: Michael Manente, Michael Cavallaro, Phil Kearney, Paula Patterson, Toby Zabinski

Motion to accept the previous minutes made by Michal Cavallaro, Seconded by Phil Kearney. Motion passed.

Chair's Report: Michael Manente reported that the technical problems at City Hall and Parsons Complex have been corrected by Cablevision. He will schedule a meeting with the Facility Director of the Parsons building to discuss and plan for the installation of additional wiring from the modulator to the Board of Education room. The chair will also make an appointment with the Superintendant of Schools to discuss future plan for the Board of Education room set up.

Phil Kearney reported that the GATA Grant 2009-10 in the amount of \$28,347.79 has been approved for MGAT. The funding will be allocated quarterly. Also approved, Foran High School and Jonathan Law High School will each get \$6,451. Platt Technical High School will receive \$12,000 for new studio equipment.

Old Business: A letter from Ron Davis, chairman of the Area II Cable Advisory Council was distributed to committee members. It stated that there are no subscribers' funds available from AT&T. Currently subscriber funding is turned over to Soundview Community Media.

The line producer's report was presented.

Michael Manente will look into providing better security for the MGAT equipment located in City Hall.

Toby Zabinski made a motion that a PC based laptop and appropriate editing software be purchased to be used to produce MGAT programming. Seconded by Phil Kearney. Passed.

Michael Cavallaro moved to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by: Phil Kearney. Passed.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.