# MILFORD GOVERNMENT ACCESS TELEVISION COMMITTEE (MGAT) REGULAR MEETING MARCH 29, 2016

The Milford Government Access Television Committee (MGAT) held its Regular Meeting on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 in the Board of Education meeting room in the Parsons Complex. Chairwoman Flannery called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m.

#### I. Roll Call

<u>Committee Members Present</u> <u>Also Present</u>

Kara Flannery Arney Rogoff, Line Producer
Matt Gaynor Ald. Bill Bevan, Aldermanic Liaison
David Casey

Excused: Barbara Genovese, Jessica Stram

II. Consideration of Minutes of February 23, 2016

Mr. Casey and Mr. Gaynor made and seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the February 23, 2016 meeting as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

#### III. Public Comment

Phil Kearney – former MGAT chairman, who now serves on the Area 2 Cable Advisory Council. He described the process for applying for the Cablevision GATA grant. A lengthy discussion ensued.

### IV. Treasurer's Report

Ms. Genovese was unable to attend, however sent an email stating the current balance in the accout \$7,404.64.

- V. <u>Line Producer's Report</u> Mr. Rogoff provided the Committee members with his report, which included a list of meetings he covered.
- VI. <u>Chairman's Report</u> Chairwoman Flannery reported she made contact with Pua Ford and Ron Davis who run the Government Access Television in Woodbridge and Orange to learn more about how they manage their operations. She also reported she would be joining the Alliance for Community Media, at her own expense, to take advantage of their mentoring program.

Note: Mr. Gaynor had to leave.

## VII. <u>Unfinished Business</u>

- a) <u>Update: Back-up coverage for line producer/training</u> no report.
- b) <u>Update: Fundraising</u> no report.
- IX. <u>New Business</u> none.
- X. Adjournment

Chairwoman Flannery adjourned the meeting.

The next meeting MGAT Committee will take place on Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Kara Flannery.