

## **VIA CERTIFIED MAIL**

February 27, 2019

The Honorable Andre Sayegh Mayor, City of Paterson 155 Market Street Paterson, New Jersey 07505

Dear Mayor Sayegh:

Our records indicate that our cable television franchise with the City of Paterson is due to expire on January 30, 2022.

Federal law governs renewal procedures. The Cable Communications Policy Act of 1984 and the Cable Television Consumer Protection Act of 1992 requires that the Franchisee provide notification to the Town of its intent to seek renewal 30-36 months prior to the expiration of the current franchise. Cablevision of Paterson, LLC, of course, wishes to continue to provide service to the City of Paterson, and is by this letter and in accordance with federal regulations, set forth in Section 626 subsection (a) through (g), is informing you of its intention to seek renewal of the franchise. A copy of Section 626 is attached for your use.

The Cable Act also allows the parties to reach a mutually beneficial agreement for franchise renewal through formal or informal negotiations. Cablevision of Paterson, LLC, undertook the informal process with the City of Paterson in our previous renewal. We seek to reach agreement using the informal process again for the upcoming renewal.

We are proud to be able to serve the residents of Paterson and look forward to serving you in the future. If you have any questions concerning this process, please call me at 862-270-1062 or by email at <a href="Marilyn.Davis16@alticeusa.com">Marilyn.Davis16@alticeusa.com</a>.

Sincerely.

Marilyn D. Davis

Area Director, Government Affairs

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