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ORDINANCE RESCINDING CHAPTER 18, CABLE COMMUNICATIONS, OF THE BUNCOMBE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES

WHEREAS,	this Board was empowered by North Carolina General Statute Section 153A-137 and Chapter 18 of the Buncombe County Code of Ordinances to grant franchises for the operation of Community Antenna Television Systems (CATV) within the unincorporated areas of Buncombe County; and
WHEREAS,	the North Carolina General Assembly enacted an Act to Promote Consumer Choice in Video Service Providers and to Establish Uniform Taxes for Video Programming Services by Session Law 2006-151 with an effective date of January 1, 2007; and

WHEREAS, said Session Law repealed General Statute §153A-137 and -154 which gave the County the authority to grant franchises for the operation of Cable Communications; and

WHEREAS, this Board has determined that it is appropriate to rescind Chapter 18 of the County Code of Ordinances in regard to Cable Communications in the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe as follows:

- 1. That Chapter 18, Cable Communications, of the Buncombe County Code of Ordinances be and it is hereby rescinded.
- 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this the 21st day of June, 2016.

ATTEST:	BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE
Kathy Hughes, Clerk to the Board	BY: David Gantt, Chairman
•	David Gantt, Chairman
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
County Attorney	