RESOLUTION

APPROVING THE USE OF THE BLACK BOX SPACE AT 14 COURT STREET FOR A STUDIO, PRODUCTION AND CENTRAL BROADCASTING FACILITY FOR PUBLIC, EDUCATIONAL AND GOVERNMENTAL (PEG) ACCESS TELEVISION

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven

RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that

WHEREAS, state law provides that the board of aldermen has the care and superintendence of city buildings and city property (RSA 47:5);

WHEREAS, the City of Nashua owns the building located at 14 Court Street; and

WHEREAS, the Cable Television Advisory Board (CTAB) recommends using vacant space at 14 Court Street for a studio, production and central broadcasting facility to provide Public, Educational and Government (PEG) access television services to the citizens of Nashua.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that the City of Nashua use the Black Box space at 14 Court Street for a Public, Educational and Government access television studio, production and central broadcasting facility, including such ancillary space as may be necessary for locating production, broadcast, network and security equipment;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that costs necessary to renovate space in 14 Court Street for operating the Government (G) and Education (E) access channels may be charged to accounts 305-6012 and 305-6013, consistent with the city’s Cable Television Franchise Agreement with Comcast reserving funds for this purpose, and to such other accounts as may be designated for this purpose;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these accounts may be charged for reasonable maintenance and operating costs of 14 Court Street proportional to the fractional use of the building, not to exceed $500 per month, plus the actual operating costs of electric service for the Black Box space as measured by a dedicated meter installed for this purpose;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if and when the Public (P) access channel, currently not operational, shares the Black Box and ancillary space with the E and G access channel operations, appropriate sources of funding will pay for those renovation costs plus a proportional share for its maintenance and operating costs of the Black Box space and ancillary space.