

AMENDED
RESOLUTION NO. 2003-713

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON DATE OF OCT 9 2003

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO
ENCOURAGING INVESTMENT IN LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS
SERVICES IN CALIFORNIA, INVESTMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITIES AND
INCREASED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN LOCAL COMMUNITIES.**

WHEREAS, the Telecommunications Act of 1996 was designed to open all telecommunications markets to increased competition; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Communications Commission and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) have successfully opened telecommunications markets and created competition in California; and

WHEREAS, a number of telecommunications companies now offer local and long distance service in California; and

WHEREAS, the availability of advanced telecommunications services is important to City residents, businesses and communities; and

WHEREAS, the availability of telecommunications services is dependent on maintaining the current telecommunications network infrastructure and investments in future network facilities and infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the development of and investment in network infrastructure promotes economic growth and employment opportunities for City residents; and
WHEREAS, telecommunications companies offering service in California have pledged to make investments in infrastructure and local communities; and

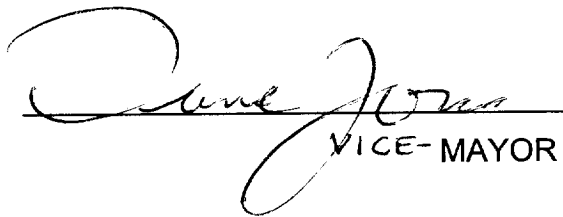
WHEREAS, the benefits of competition and new investments in telecommunications infrastructure should be extended to all Californians; and

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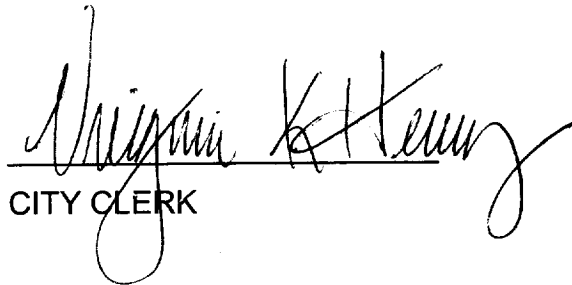
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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Sacramento as follows:

1. Telecommunications policymakers are hereby urged to require each telecommunications company offering local service in California to offer the benefits of competition to low-income consumers.
2. Telecommunications policymakers are hereby urged to require each telecommunications company offering local service in California to report annually to the CPUC the name of each city, municipality, and county where the company has local service customers and the number of such customers in each locale.
3. Telecommunications policymakers are hereby urged to require each telecommunications company offering local service in California to certify annually to the CPUC and to each city, municipality and county where it provides service, (a) its current capital investment in the State and its additional, yearly incremental investment by city, municipality and county and (b) the number of its management and non-management employees in the State and in each city, municipality and county where it provides service.


VICE-MAYOR

ATTEST:


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