



CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

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CITY OF AMES, IOWA

October 14, 2022

City of Ames
PO Box 811
Ames, IA 50010-0811

Dear Mayor Haila,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that, on or about November 15, 2022, Mediacom will be implementing the following programming changes and rate adjustments:¹

Product:	Old Rate:	New Rate:	Net Change:
Local Broadcast Station Surcharge ²	\$23.73	\$24.52	\$0.79
Regional Sports Surcharge	\$7.34	\$7.75	\$0.41
Variety TV	\$100.00	\$105.00	\$5.00

The decision to make price adjustments is always a difficult one. However, the fees we pay to retransmit local broadcast stations like ABC, CBS, FOX and NBC as well as regional and national sports networks continue to grow rapidly. In addition, supply chain challenges and labor shortages experienced over the past year have resulted in significant inflationary pressure across our business.

Mediacom appreciates the opportunity to continue to serve your community's telecommunications needs.

Any questions call me at 319-395-9699 ext. 3461 or email lgrassley@mediacomcc.com.

Sincerely,

Lee Grassley
Senior Manager, Government Relations

¹ Depending on the terms of each customer's promotional package, these rate changes may not impact a customer until their current promotional package expires.

² Mediacom bills monthly in advance. As a result, the increases for both the Local Broadcast Surcharge and Regional Sports Surcharge are based on our best estimate of the cost increases our company will incur for broadcast and regional sports programming. Mediacom will "true up" customer bills in a subsequent month if it turns out that our estimate was too high or too low.