

Franchise Application Procedural Timeline City of Wayzata, Minnesota

1. Informal discussions between Comcast and City staff can take place from start of franchise process.

***Start: February 2022
Complete: May 2022***

2. City Council considers publication of Notice of Intent to Franchise.

February 24, 2022

3. The City publishes the Notice of Intent to Franchise in local paper of general circulation (*Sun Sailor*) once each week for two (2) successive weeks. City will draft the Notice of Intent based upon state statutory requirements.

Publication Dates: March 3 and 10, 2022

4. The City makes official Application Form available to interested parties wishing to submit a proposal. The Application Form is based upon state statutory requirements.

Same dates as #3 above.

5. The City sets the application deadline - no sooner than twenty (20) days from the date of the first published notice in local paper.

March 25, 2022

6. The City holds a Public Hearing to consider applications (Notice of Public Hearing is given in the same manner as any other council public hearing).

April 19, 2022

7. No sooner than seven (7) days after the close of the Public Hearing the City may adopt an ordinance granting a cable franchise. City Charter requires two (2) readings to adopt ordinance.