ORDINANCE NO. 34

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MOLENA RELATING TO FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the City of Molena, Georgia, that telecommunication companies shall pay, on or before March 15 of each year, an occupational license tax for that calendar year in the amount of 3% of recurring local services revenues received by the Company from subscribers located within the City of Molena. The annual amount due may be computed by annualizing the taxable revenues billed during the month of June preceding the date of payment. The First payment under this ordinance shall cover the period from its effective date through December 31, of the year in which enacted; shall be 3% of the taxable revenues billed during that part of the year; and shall be paid on or before March 15, of the following year. Any amount of license tax previously paid, and absorbed by the Company, which is applicable to any period subsequent to the effective date of this Ordinance shall be credited against the amounts imposed herein, or by subsequent Ordinance.

"Recurring local service revenues" shall mean:

- A. Monthly charges for local exchange service, including:
 - 1. Charges for additional listing and joint users:
 - Charges for local message rate service, including mobile service local messages; and
 - 3. Subscriber station revenues from teletypewriter exchange service.
- B. Charges for Morse transmission, signaling, data transmission remote metering and supervisory control, where both terminal points are within the city limits.

- C. All changes for local private line services (except audio and video program transmission services) where both terminals of the private line are within the City limits.
- D. Nothing in this definition shall preclude the charging of a separate franchise fee for the transmission of audio or video programs to customers by CATV companies.
 This the 9th day of May, 2005.

	Mayor, City of Molena
Clerk, City of Molena	First Reading:April 11, 2005
	Adopted at Second Reading: May 9, 2005