

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TAC REGARDING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS MEDIA CAPABILITIES**

WHEREAS, the City of Columbus Technology Advisory Committee (hereinafter “TAC”) has created a strategic plan focused on leveraging information technology to make Columbus a world class connected community while supporting and enhancing its opportunities for success; and

WHEREAS, the goals of this strategic plan include improving the collection, storage, accessibility of public information as well as leveraging IT resources and solutions to strengthen, promote and engage the community; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Brown has expressed a strong desire to increase the transparency and openness of local government and public accessibility to local governmental meetings and information discussed in those meetings; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Brown and TAC are in agreement that by installing media components in the City Council Chambers which would record and stream the local meetings the public as a whole would have greater access to all the information and actions being taken by those local governing bodies.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE TAC ADOPT THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AND RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Public Works and Safety, City of Columbus, Indiana, upgrade the City Council Chambers media capability to allow for audio and video capture and streaming and various other media components in the City Council Chambers for the benefit of community-wide accessibility to local governmental meetings per the CIM Technology Solutions proposal in an amount not to exceed \$58,308 using TAC 2012 budgeted TECH – “B” CAPITAL funds.

ADOPTED this 21st day of September, 2012.



Chris Price, Chairman
Technology Advisory Committee