## ORDINANCE NO. 11-103

## CITY OF COURTLAND NICOLLET COUNTY, MINNESOTA

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A FRANCHISE FEE APPLICABLE TO THE CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE GRANTED TO COMCAST OF ARKANSAS/FLORIDA/LOUISIANA/MINNESOTA/MISSISSIPPI/TENNESSEE, INC.

WHEREAS, by ordinance number 09-101, adopted by the City of Courtland on June 4, 2009 a cable television franchise was granted to Comcast of Arkansas/Florida/Louisiana/Minnesota/Mississippi/Tennessee, Inc. (the "Franchise");

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 7.1 of the Franchise, the City of Courtland is permitted to impose a franchise fee of up to 5% no sooner than March 1, 2011;

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Courtland has determined that the imposition of a franchise fee of 5% as part of the Franchise is necessary and appropriate to compensate the City for the use of its public property, facilities and rights-of-way under the terms of the Franchise;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Courtland as follows:

- 1. A franchise fee of 5% is hereby imposed against the franchisee under the Franchise, Comcast of Arkansas/Florida/ Louisiana/Minnesota/Mississippi/Tennessee, Inc.
- 2. Pursuant to the terms of the Franchise, the imposition of such franchise fee shall be effective as of August 1, 2011, which is more than 90 days after the adoption of this ordinance.
- 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Courtland April 7, 2011.

Mayor

City Clerk