

February 25th, 2014

Mountain View City Council
500 Castro Street
Mountain View, CA 94041

RE: Mountain View and Google Wifi Partnership and Technology Grant

Dear City Council:

Thank you for taking the time to review and vote on the Google and Mountain View wifi agreement and technology investment grant. Dan Rich and other city staff have been dedicated partners as we worked through many aspects of the Wifi partnership and we appreciate their diligence in ensuring that this plan meets the needs of city residents and city government.

In short, this plan provides for a Google operated outdoor Wifi network in the downtown corridor of the city of Mountain View for five years with an automatic renewal for successive one year periods unless otherwise terminated by Google or the City of Mountain View. The new WiFi agreement will supersede the existing WiFi agreement between Google and the City of Mountain View. Upon acceptance of the new agreement, Google will provide notice to the public of the upcoming termination of the existing network, which will occur no earlier than 60 days from the date of notification. Google will also remove the existing network infrastructure from city property within 180 days from the date the new WiFi network is activated.

Additionally, Google will separately provide \$500,000 in funding to enhance the city's technology services and provide residents with additional opportunities to access the internet.

We appreciate the community's involvement in Google's initial foray into wifi and we hope the next generation of Google wifi meets the changing needs of our community.

Thank you for your continued partnership.

Sincerely,



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