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<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	GVTC GIGAREGION UPDATE
<b>STAFF'S RECOMMENDED ACTION (be specific)</b>	No Action Required
<b>CONTACT PERSON</b>	JEFF THOMPSON
<b>SUMMARY</b>	<p>In January of 2015 City Council approved an agreement for the City to partner with GVTC to become a true “gigabit” city by installing high speed fiber internet access to all businesses and homes within the city limits that were not currently being served with broadband service. The implementation of this project would fulfill an important element in the quality of life aspect of the city’s goals and programs as well as benefit certain city facilities with upgraded services.</p> <p>The entire project called for installation of \$1.8M in new infrastructure in a 24 month period with the City’s share capped at \$77,500. The \$77,500 of City of Boerne’s funds would be used solely toward upgrading our utility poles thereby also benefitting reliability for our electric customers. The original goal was to bring service to 1,590 homes however that amount was increased by adding 52 homes on Schweppe Street to make the new total 1,642 homes.</p> <p>This project was funded through Economic Development as we believed it would differentiate Boerne from other communities in attracting the right businesses to the area. On Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, we received word from Jason Forsberg with GVTC that the project is now 100% complete and the final payment of \$13,790.30 was submitted to Finance for payment.</p> <p>We consider this to have been a mutually beneficial project and are pleased with both the professionalism of GVTC’s staff that we worked with throughout the project and the final outcome.</p>
<b>COST</b>	
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS</b>	
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>	Powerpoint

This summary is not meant to be all inclusive. Supporting documentation is attached.

