2020 Annual Report
To Kitsap County
(George Geyer)
From BKAT/COB
KC-339-06-B
Programming Stats

See Attachments:

“BKAT Productions Stat Sheet”

“County Hours Service Contract 121819”
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Citizen Advisory Committee
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2019 Schedule of Rates and Fees
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1. **PRE-PRODUCTION**
   - a) Equipment Consultation  
   - b) Program Development  
   - c) Research  
   - d) Location  
   - e) Scripting  
   - f) Graphics Development  
   
   $100/hour

2. **PRODUCTION**
   - a) Set-up  
   - b) Production  
   - c) Breakdown  

   *minimum of 2 hours for any productions

   $100/hour

3. **POST PRODUCTION**
   - a) Edit  
   - b) Voice Over  

   $100/hour

4. **TRAINING**
   - a) Studio - 3 hours of camera and director training – max 4 people  
   - b) Edit - 5 hours of Apple Final Cut  

   $100.00  
   $50.00

5. **MISCELLANEOUS**
   - a) DVD Duplication (includes tax)  
   - b) Studio rental for non-members  
      
      BKAT Staff as crew  
      
      Additional  

   $35.84  
   $100/hour  
   $100/hour

6. **MEMBERSHIP (ANNUAL)**
   - a) Individual Resident (within Kitsap County)  
   - b) Individual Non-Resident  
   - c) Organization – Resident (within Kitsap County)  
   - d) Organization – Non-Resident  

   $25.00  
   $50.00  
   $75.00  
   $150.00

7. **PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT**
   BKAT will produce PSA with or without voiceover. The public service announcement will air on BKAT for a minimum of two weeks. Client receives digital copy for their own purposes.

   $100.00/hour
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Formal Complaints
B.KAT (Hello Char.)

My friends + I are avid viewers of corporate free T.V. like "Democracy Now" with Amy Goodman, of Free Speech T.V. (Ch. #12, at 9:30 a.m. on Comcast.)

We are terribly upset, + saddened, that Comcast suddenly removed the only other Corporate Free News channel in our channel line-up on 12-23-18.

We are the disabled, elderly, + retired folks who are low income. We can't afford internet service, Dish, or Direct T.V., where they still have access to 24/7 corporate Free World News, (R.T. America)

We ALL deserve access to the news of our world, that is not corporate owned, because we are citizens, and we vote. We need worldwide news to
be able to vote knowledgeably; to be completely informed.

We especially trust Larry King, Jesse Ventura, Rick Sanchez and Ed Shultz, who moved to RT America because they could report the truth, instead of having a script they had to follow, as on corporate-owned stations.

Larry King said, that on RT (Free Speech) he can speak his mind and can interview whoever he wishes, where he could not on any of our corp-owned stations, like 4, 5, 7, 11, 13 etc. This is the reason many of our long time trusted news casters, & reporters, have left corp. T.V. & chose 'Free speech T.V.'

It is undemocratic &
discriminatory for Comcast to remove all our access to unscripted World News. We may be elderly, disabled or retired, but we are not dead & we still wish to continue participating in our gov. by voting.

We can’t reach Comcast Administrators, because Comcast won’t tell us their address. We are limited to contacting the franchise in Port Orchard. We are heart-sick that we no longer have access to World Wide News.

We honor & Bless BKAT for respecting our rights by airing "Dem Now," but we need more access to free speech than 1 hr. a day. R.T. is 24/7 & commercial-free (thus no corpor-
owned restrictions. We've woken up every morn., for over 3 mos. (since Dec. 23rd 2018) to find that our World News hasn't been restored yet. It was replaced with 24/7 commercials, trying to sell us (the financially poor) junk we can't afford and do not need. What a waste, and a slap in the face to all of us low income citizens. We deserve access to information about our world so we can vote wisely.

Please, if there is anything you can do for us, to get our RT (Free Speech) back, we would all be so grateful. (It feels like living in a box, without access to World News.)

Sincerely, Ann Brown 75 yr.
Ms. Ann Brown
1107 Evans Ave W
Bremerton, WA 98312-4452

Dear Ms. Brown,

I received your letter dated March 4th, 2019 regarding Russia Today – America no longer being carried by Comcast. I investigated it as much as I could, and it seems that RT – America has been taken off Comcast in the Puget Sound region.

My hunch is that RT-America’s lease ran out on that channel and they didn’t renew it. I don’t know this for sure, but my experience with the cable industry leads me to suspect this is the reason.

I have tried to find a contact for you within the Comcast organization, but their website does not have addresses or phone numbers. If you can get on the internet, you should have luck contacting someone with answers by searching for “Comcast Government Affairs – Seattle”. That will give you some email links to people who may be able to provide the answers you are looking for.

Char Burnette has retired from BKAT and is traveling the country looking for warm weather and visiting her many friends.

I hope this helps.

Warm regards,

Jon Rauch
Public Access Manager
City of Bremerton Budget

https://www.bremertonwa.gov/1161/2020-Annual-Budget
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Unaudited financial reports

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Network Status Report,

Interruptions and outages
2019 Service Interruptions

None.
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Capital Funding Support

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Support Contracts