



P R O C L A M A T I O N

Special Recognition of Hudson Becoming a Gigabit City

WHEREAS, Hudson City Council and the Mayor recognized the need of Hudson businesses to have access to faster, more reliable, and more affordable Internet and voice services to grow their businesses; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson government had the breadth and expertise to build a high-speed fiber-optic network throughout the City to service Hudson businesses and residents; and

WHEREAS, Hudson City Council and the Mayor had the foresight to invest in the infrastructure necessary to provide fast, reliable, and affordable Internet and voice services to the community in an expedited effort through a new service called Velocity Broadband; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson has connected its first customers to the new Velocity Broadband network capable of offering speeds of a Gigabit or more; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hudson is the first city in Northeast Ohio to own and operate an Internet network offering Gigabit speeds.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William A. Currin, Mayor of the City of Hudson, Ohio, do hereby proclaim the City of Hudson, as a

“Gigabit City”

and proclaim the month of October, 2015 to be "Gigabit City Month" in recognition of the City's efforts to provide services to attract and maintain businesses and enhance the quality of life in Hudson .

IN WITNESS WHEREOF:

I have hereunto set my hand and caused
the Seal of the City of Hudson to be
affixed on this 15th day of September, 2015.

William A. Currin, Mayor
City of Hudson, Ohio