Proposed Motion: “Approve the purchase of Video Office equipment including Elgato Cam Link, an Extension Cable, Canon Vixia HR R800, Cord Converter, and a Canon EF 50mm f/1.2L totaling $1691.44 out of FXXGRR*”

Second Motion- “Approve a Surface Pro with 16GB Ram totaling $2,199 for the use by the Communications Office and the Video Staff out of FXXGRR*”

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Attached Document
Attached is the “What We Need for Broadcasting” document which describes everything requested.

Background & Context
“In order to broadcast our event live, we would need to have the equipment’s mentioned in the document above. Last year we were able to broadcast with high-quality because the Peter the former Kivik coordinator owned the equipment’s himself.”

Summary of Proposal and Fiscal Impacts
Briefly summarize what the proposal is.

• First proposal is to purchase of Elgato Cam-Link, $129.95, USB 3.0 Extension Cable, $6.99, Canon Vixia HF R800 $249.00, Cord converter, $6.50, Canon EF 50mm f/1.2L USM $1,299 on sale ($1,449 original) = $1,691.44

• Second, Surface Pro (newest version) Intel Core i7 / 512GB SSD/ 16GB RAM $2,199.00, or Surface Pro (newest version) Intel Core i5/256GB SSD / 8GB RAM $1,099.00.

Rationale
Why the More Expensive Surface Pro is the Better Option
By Jacob Carver

The Surface Pro is a great machine period. In what we are hoping to use it for, mainly mobile live broadcasting, the more power we can get out of it, the better. The difference in processing power from the cheaper option to the more expensive option is literally double, from 8 GB (gigabytes) of RAM to 16 GB.

For us, this will be the difference between a mediocre quality broadcast to a high quality broadcast. The more expensive Surface will also guarantee the ability to run the broadcasting program that we have chosen. In my professional opinion, the Surface Pro with 16 GB of RAM will end up benefitting our video program now and in years to come.

* If FXXGRR still has funding