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Dear Commissioner Ness,

I am writing to you regarding Low Power FM radio (LPFM). I am strongly in favor of these community-based stations and urge you to support "commercial" as well as "non-commercial" LPFM.

I am a restaurant owner and advertising on LPFM would be very beneficial for my business as well as a way for the station to support itself. My customer base is a local one, which I could reach effectively since the listeners are neighborhood residents who listen to the local LPFM as I do.

I believe that the ownership should be restricted so that the advertising, entertainment, and public service announcements are specifically designed to be directed to the local audience that they serve by people living in the same area. In this way the listeners would be able to keep in touch with events and issues that are of neighborhood concern.

Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely,
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