

The FCC should allow for the creation of low-power FM radio stations. These stations should be 50-100 watts (LP100), limited to one owner each and be for non-commercial use. Persons who already own high-power FM or AM stations should not be allowed to own a LP100 station. The owners should reside in the community they serve, should not be allowed to sell or transfer their license and at least 75% of the programming should originate locally. If not enough slots are available for the pool of applicants, a lottery should be employed to award slots. Low-power radio is truly the domain of the community. By employing the above listed guidelines, the communities' interests would be upheld and diversity of opinion and programming would be preserved.