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RE: Low Power FM Broadcast Proposition (MM Docket No. 99-25)

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to submit an informal comment voicing my support for the Low Power FM service whose creation was proposed by the FCC earlier this year. I am a member of the Mendon Presbyterian Church, in Mendon, New York.

I am interested, as are many other church members, in utilizing the FM broadcast radio medium for the betterment of our community. Our goal is to have the opportunity to provide Mendon with a source for positive, uplifting music and radio programming, as well as public service messages and community information. The possibility that communities and schools across the country could provide such on-air resources is an exciting development in the world of radio!

Once again, I would like to voice my support for Docket No. 99-25, the Low Power FM Radio Service, through this informal written comment. Thank you for your time and consideration!

Sincerely Yours,

Harriet Pannetier

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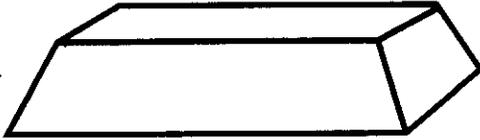
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July 29, 1999

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In the Matter of
Creation of a Law
Power Radio Service

MM Docket No. 99-25
RM - 9208
RM - 9242

Dear Sir:

I am a General Manager of a FM Radio Station in Odessa, Texas. I believe that Low Power Fm would interfere with the current FM signals and destroy the integrity of the FM Signal throughout the U.S.

Our current Odessa/Midland market is approximately 225,000 people. There are 23 to 25 Radio Stations in this market. We have minority ownership already with some stations in the market with abundance of formats and stations to choose from. I don't see or understand how Low Power FM could add anything or benefit our market in any way. We are a locally owned and operated station among the big conglomerates. We have stations in this market that can be bought by any minority group who wishes.

Listed below are several reasons why Low Power FM is a bad deal for Full-Power Broadcasters.

1. Low Power FM will cause interference to existing stations.
2. Low Power FM will harm the development of In-Band, On-Channel ("IBOC") digital radio.
3. Low Power FM proposal will not achieve what the Commission wants.
4. Lower Power FM will not create viable stations in increase minority and female ownership.
5. "Those who don't know history are doomed to repeat it."

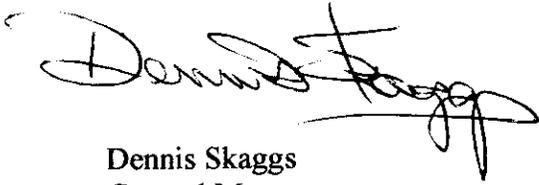
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6. Low Power FM will be an administrative nightmare for the FCC.
7. Low Power FM proposals for 1-10 watt stations are an inefficient use of the spectrum.

Please do not destroy the future of Radio.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis Skaggs". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and a long, sweeping underline.

Dennis Skaggs
General Manager



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Taft Broadcasting Inc.

July 26, 1999

Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S. W.
Washington, D. C. 20554

Reference: MM Docket No. 99-25

I am writing to express my deep concerns about the development of low powered FM radio.

One of the reasons for the existence of the FCC is to insure an interference free radio band. I believe this proposal will not only jeopardize our current listenable band but also hurt the development of IBOC digital radio.

I believe it will be a nightmare for the FCC to regulate all these additional new stations. There's no guarantee these new stations will increase minority and female ownership. Thanks to Docket 80-90, there are too many stations in the marketplace now with many small markets struggling to stay in business.

I would urge you to put any actions on hold until technical issues can be resolved. Thank you for your consideration of my opinions.

Sincerely,



Bryant W. Ellis
President & General Manager

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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445 TWELTH ST, S.W.
WASHINGTON DC 20554

Ref: MMDOCN 99-25

Dear Sirs/Madams

The Poteau Kiwanis Club has become aware that you are considering authorizing the licensing of 4000 low power radio stations. We wish to express our opposition to any such action.

Our concern results from our support of our local radio stations. Presently, we, along with many other local organizations, receive considerable support from our local stations. For example, KPRV has helped us with numerous projects ranging from our annual fund raising pancake breakfast to, most recently, our first annual Fourth of July Celebration. Without their announcements our club would not be able to adequately inform the community of these and other events.

Our fears are that if the airways are littered with these many low powered stations, the resulting fragmented audiences will make it nearly impossible for us to reach the community with the news of our events. We would have to contact each of the many stations in order to accomplish what we can presently effectively achieve with a call to one station. In addition, with the community customers being divided among a much larger number of stations, we see the possibility of no one station, nor combination of stations, being economically able to render the level of public service announcements presently provided.

While our Club would be disadvantaged from the damage of fragmenting audiences of such radio stations as KPRV (who has helped us in too many ways to record in this writing), the ultimate loss is to the community we and KPRV serve. Our organization strives to make this community a better place to live, especially for children, and KPRV is an orchestrated part of our efforts.

Please consider our concerns as you deliberate this action.

Sincerely,
Poteau Kiwanis Club

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

July 14, 1999

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Office of Secretary
Federal Communication Commission
445 Twelfth Street S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: M. M. Docket #99-25

Dear Madam Secretary:

It is my understanding this new law is proposing a great number of new low watt radio stations. The reason is supposedly that many stations aren't taking care of their public affairs programming.

We have been doing business in Poteau, Oklahoma and the surrounding areas for over 40 years with our local radio stations.

We as an individual are involved with several clubs and organizations in our area. Down through the years KPRV Radio licensed in Heavener, Oklahoma and KLCO Radio licensed in Poteau, Oklahoma have always backed all our civic and community projects 100%.

As a member of the Poteau Evening Lions Club for over 35 years, member of the Gideons International for over 35 years, member Board of Regents and member of the Development Foundation of Carl Albert State College for over 15 years, Chamber of Commerce over 35 years, I couldn't express how helpful these stations have been to our community in announcements, promotions of projects and in general backing our community and surrounding area.

I feel it wouldn't be fair nor justifiable to add other stations in this market area. It would only make it unprofitable for both owners.

Sincerely,



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