

Having been licensed as K5HCT for over 46 years and having been involved in passing of emergency communication on various occasions, some even through the Pentagon, I fail to see why the FCC is determined to destroy something that has proven its worth time and time again. Everything doesn't have to be looked at from a financial perspective to have worth!! Amateur assistance at 9-11 was invaluable as well as helping during the Shuttle disaster searches, not to mention other storms and disasters. It also is a hobby that has led to developments in equipment and many other areas associated with radio. Please don't destroy a time proven fraternity just for a few shackels from the power companies in their rush to profit from broad band internet connections. You about about to make a real mess of a lot of things. For God's sake don't let this calamity occur.