

Dear Commissioners,

As the State RACES Officer I am tasked with providing statewide back up communications via Amareur Radio. The only efficient way I can do that is using HF frequencies. The testing data I have seen on BPL indicates there is a strong probability that HF will not be available to me as a medium if BPL is allowed to be deployed. Please reconsider allowing this technology to be fielded until it can be proven that it will not interfere with HF communications.

Sincerely,

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