

I feel that allowing the PBL to happen is a very bad idea. There is enough RF noise out there all ready. The ARRL has provided a strong case against this. The RF contamination that this will introduce on the Amateur Radio freqs will not only ruin but possibly take away from one of this nations biggest assets. Ham operators are the sole means of communication during some times of emergency. We provide a service, mind you volunteer, costing the government nothing that is vital during emergencies. To interfere or even cause more Amateur Radio Operators to get out of the service would be a travesty. Passing this will also cause economical damage by closing the few Ham Radio dealers and by causing the manufacturers to lay off personnel due to decreased revenue. 1

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Therefore I request that you please extend the NOI and delay moving on this recommendation. There is no need to give the power companies any more stanglehold on communities. I can hear the static now as the power company dumps their noise over my power lines.. oh.. and who is going to pay for all of this new technology? Those of us who will have no use for this service. I myself will continue to work toward breaking off from the power company by investing in alternate power sources.1

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The FCC is like all government agencies so this will probably fall on deaf ears, but then that is the way our government operates.. Wait. I am sorry I can't hear you for all the RF interference from the powerlines...1

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