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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Support for the "Consensus Plan for 800 MHz  
Realignment" *Ex Parte*, WT Docket No. 02-55

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The combined chapter of Oregon Association of Public-safety Communications Officials (APCO) and National Emergency Number Association (NENA) support and encourage the FCC to adopt the "Consensus Plan for 800 MHz Realignment".

Our chapter has had great concerns over this interference issue. Our chapter Frequency Coordinator, Joe Kuran, was the first person to identify this problem and what was causing it. This plan will begin a process of clearing the airways of interference for our public safety agencies.

Our membership views this plan as the only plan that offers a near term solution to this problem. We would ask that the FCC work with Nextel to ensure that the funding is administered in a manner that ensures the interference problem is resolved.

Respectively submitted,

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Oregon APCO/NENA