

Proposals for Power Line Communications or Broadband over Power Lines concern many users of the radio frequency spectrum.

I believe that one of the problems associated with BPL is that trials on a limited basis are not good indicators, and that the full effects of a problematic technology will not be seen with such trials. I also feel that BPL will not really serve the community's long run needs because of its limited bandwidth. A deep fiber network is to be preferred to using long runs of power lines.

Just one death associated with the miscommunication or no communication because of BPL interference is totally unacceptable.

sincerely,
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