

To: FCC  
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RE: RM-11831

My comments will not require any of your time reading a documentary of my long and interesting life in Amateur Radio. Rather than sending an autobiography, I will get right to the point regarding the allegations presented in RM-11831 and why I strongly suggest that the FCC should drop any further consideration of this proposal.

1. The mode in question has been a major step forward in providing life saving error free communications and has performed in an outstanding manner for many years.<sup>2</sup>
2. There is plenty of room within the Amateur Spectrum for everyone to operate
3. The complaints expressed in the petitioners document, and many of the supporting comments, are simple over stated and slanted.
4. Proper recognition must be given to the fact that this is 2019 (not 1919) and that effective advancements in communications technology are vital to the nation and to mankind.
5. The silent majority of Licensed operators are not impacted by the mode of operation in question.
6. This proposal is just one more example of the Tail Wagging the Dog.