



## **Region 42 (700 MHz) RPC**

### **National Public Safety Planning Advisory Committee**

June 16, 2016

John Evanoff  
Policy and Licensing Division  
Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau  
Federal Communications Commission  
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RE: Region 42 700 MHz Plan Amendment

Mr. Evanoff:

Pursuant to your direction, Region 42 is submitting the amended Region 42 700 MHz Plan for public comments and final approval.

On October 27, 2015, the Region 42 Planning Committee met and approved changes to the Region 42 700 MHz Plan to comply with FCC 14-172 and DA 15-476. Adjacent Regional Planning Committee Reviews have been obtained. Administrative errors identified by your office were corrected and approved by the RPC 42 membership on May 4, 2016.

On May 19, 2016, Region 42 requested final review of the plan by the FCC Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau and additional administrative edits have been posted to the plan.

#### Summary of Plan Changes

1. Added information regarding Public Notice DA 15-34 announcing requirements under FCC 14-172 and DA 15-476 changing due date for plan updates to October 30, 2015.
2. Updated Section 1.3 to reflect updated regional census and information regarding cities/counties.
3. Updated Section 1.4 reflecting current RPC Officers.
4. Updated Section 1.8 reflecting membership eligibility ensuring consistency with 47CFR90.523.
5. Updated Section 2.1 to align membership to be consistent with the 800 Mhz Plan as discussed and agreed upon at the April 22, 2015 meeting. Add VSP Frequency Advisor.
6. Updated Appendix B Tables B1; B2; and B3 reflecting current RPC representation.
7. Updated Appendix C Localities listings.
8. Added Appendix D Application Checklist.
9. Updated 700 MHz channel plan to reflect reallocation of reserve channels and those designated air operations pursuant to FCC 14-172 and DA 15-476.
10. Added Appendix K Recommended Statewide Radio ID Plan.

11. Deleted from updated plan the Copies of Notices, Comments and Submissions regarding initial plan adoption.

The plan has been reviewed by adjacent Regional Planning Committees and concurrence has been provided by Region 17 (Kentucky), Region 20 (Maryland/DC), Region 31 (North Carolina), Region 36 (Eastern Pennsylvania), Region 39 (Tennessee) and Region 44 (West Virginia).

Attached documents include the updated Region 42 700 Mhz Plan and the letters of concurrence from adjacent Regional Planning Committees.

Please do not hesitate to contact me regarding this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "CJ Shaffer". The signature is written in a cursive style. To the left of the signature, there is a small, faint blue rectangular stamp with the letters "inip" inside.

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