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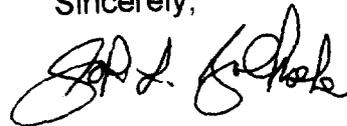
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Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Enclosed is a petition for rule-making to amend the table of allotments. You will find an original and four copies.

Should you have any questions whatsoever, please do not hesitate to call me at (503)-769-2886.

Sincerely,



John L. Zolkoske

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Before the
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In the Matter of:
Petition for Rule Making to Amend the Table of Allotments

To: Federal Communications Commission (FCC)
Date: August, 26, 1998

Petition Made by John L. Zolkoske for
Rule-Making to Amend
the Table of FM Allotment to Add
Channel 235A (94.9mHz) to Manzanita, Oregon.

Submitted is a petition for rule-making to amend the table of FM allotments to add the channel 235 (94.9 mHz) with service class A to the community of Manzanita, Oregon. Based on the enclosed constraint study, this channel meets all minimum distance requirements as set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations part 73.207. It is noted that one allotment in the constraint study is shown as being "SHORT". This was the initial allotment coordinate for channel 236C2 at Lincoln City, Oregon (45-57-06, 124-00-54). This allotment was subsequently assigned and constructed with coordinates (44-45-24, 124-02-53) and is therefore not short-spaced.

Manzanita, Oregon is an incorporated community in the state of Oregon. It has a population of 513* and is in Tillamook County, population 21570.* There are at least two-thousand full-time residents in and near Manzanita, including residents of the communities of Nehalem (pop. 232), Wheeler (pop. 335), and Rockaway Beach (pop. 970)*. There are also many tourists and vacationers that spend time in this coastal area. Manzanita itself is an established community of homes, businesses, schools, and offices. It has a bank, a post office, and a number of retail establishments.

If permitted, this allotment will be the first aural service assigned to the community of Manzanita, and the third commercial FM service to Tillamook County. Currently Tillamook County is allotted channels 231C3 and 282C1 - both licensed to the City of Tillamook approximately 20 kilometers to the south. Tillamook County is in an area of extremely steep terrain, and it is very difficult for signals to enter the Manzanita area. Nehalem Bay, which Manzanita sits near the mouth of, is surrounded by steep slopes rising hundreds of feet from the waters of the bay. Manzanita sits on the shores of the Pacific Ocean, and near-vertical cliffs rise from the shore. This makes reception of most FM signals from points north and east nearly impossible. Reception from the south is difficult. The applicant notes that given the steep terrain and lack of radio signals entering the area, this allocation would serve a vital public safety interest in disseminating information should an emergency arise.

The proposed reference location (N 45° 43' 02", W 123° 56' 01") is one roughly in the center of the community. While it is unknown if this exact location could be used for a transmission facility,

there are numerous locations inside and near the community which would serve this purpose and still meet all minimum distance requirements.

If the proposed channel is added, the petitioner intends to apply to obtain a construction permit to build a broadcast facility on this frequency in this community if opened for applicants. It is believed by the petitioner, John L. Zolkoske, that the citizenry of Manzanita and Tillamook County would be served substantially from establishment of a broadcast facility there. Since this would be the first aural service assigned to Manzanita, Oregon, the petitioner believes this proposal is in the greatest public interest.

Therefore, it is requested that the FM Table of Allotments be amended to add channel 235A to Manzanita, Oregon.

For more information or correspondence regarding this petition, the petitioner may be contacted at the following address:

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To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this petition is accurate.

Signed this 26th day of August, 1998:


John L. Zolkoske

* From U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 data.

Attachments

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Constraints Study FM Channel 235A

Title: ORMANZANITA Latitude: 45-43-02
 Reference City: Manzanita, OR Longitude: 123-56-01
 Translators Are Not Included FCC Database: 980824
 Audit File: fms08268.A01

Call	Auth	Licensee Name	Chan	ERP-kW	Latitude	Az-to	Dist	Req
City of License	St	FCC File No.	Freq	EAH-m	Longitude	-from	(km)	(km)
USED			232A		46-18-51	352.2	66.98	31
Long Beach	WA		94.3		124-03-07	172.1	35.98	CLEAR
Coordinates updated from LIC record BLH880401KC Class B1 with respect to Canada								
KKEE	LIC	Kay Broadcasting, Inc	232A	3.00	46-18-51	352.2	66.98	31
Long Beach	WA	BLH-880401KC	94.3	71	124-03-07	172.1	35.98	CLEAR
Class B1 with respect to Canada Docket: 85-159								
USED			233A		46-09-27	55.8	87.95	31
Kelso	WA		94.5		122-59-29	236.4	56.95	CLEAR
Docket: 87-547								
KUKN	LIC	Washington Interstate	233A	6.00	46-12-54	51.0	88.65	31
Kelso	WA	BLH-910905KB	94.5	100	123-02-24	231.6	57.65	CLEAR
Docket: 90-631								
KNRK	CP	MOD ECI License Company,	234C2	15.0*	45-27-17	104.7	111.89	106
Camas	WA	BMPH-980508IE	94.7	246	122-32-58	285.7	5.89	CLEAR
KNRK	LIC	ECI License Company,	234C3	3.7*	45-27-08	104.8	112.20	89
Camas	WA	BMLH-950829KB	94.7	259	122-32-47	285.8	23.20	CLEAR
KNRK	CP	ECI License Company,	234C2	17.0*	45-27-08	104.8	112.20	106
Camas	WA	BPH-970925ID	94.7	259	122-32-47	285.8	6.20	CLEAR
From Channel 234C3 per D92-241								
USED			234C2		45-32-20	97.0	148.99	106
Camas	WA		94.7		122-02-24	278.3	42.99	CLEAR
Docket: 92-241								
USED			235C1		47-36-58	29.8	245.03	200
Seattle	WA		94.9		122-18-28	211.0	45.03	CLEAR
KUOW	LIC	The University of Was	235C1	100.	47-36-58	29.8	245.03	200
Seattle	WA	BLED-850715KJ	94.9	224	122-18-28	211.0	45.03	CLEAR
Commercial Channel Operating Educational								

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City of License	St	FCC File No.	Freq	EAH-m	Longitude	-from	(km)	(km)
KOOS	LIC	Bay Broadcasting Corp	235C1	56.	43-23-26	183.5	259.01	200
North Bend	OR	BLH-870615KB	94.9	153	124-07-46	3.4	59.01	CLEAR
USED			235C1		43-23-26	183.5	259.01	200
North Bend	OR		94.9		124-07-48	3.4	59.01	CLEAR
COORDINATES ARE FOR KOOS PER D81-155. Docket: 81-155								
USED			236C2		44-57-06	184.3	85.32	106
Lincoln City	OR		95.1		124-00-54	4.2	-20.68	SHORT*
Docket: 89-472								
Applicant Note: *Station was allocated at coordinates 44-45-24, 124-02-53 (See next entry) and thus is not short.								
KSND	LIC	Elite Broadcasting, I	236C2	6.	44-45-24	184.8	107.13	106
Lincoln City	OR	BLH-950403KE	95.1	258	124-02-53	4.8	1.13	CLOSE
USED			236A		46-29-30	41.4	115.55	72
Winlock	WA		95.1		122-56-12	222.1	43.55	CLEAR
Proposed to Canada as B1 920609-Accepted by Canada 920821 Docket: 92-138								
Effective 11-19-92								
KITIFM	LIC	Premier Broadcasters,	236A	0.38	46-32-35	37.1	115.78	72
Winlock	WA	BLH-950501KB	95.1	268	123-01-14	217.8	43.78	CLEAR
USED			238C		45-29-23	104.3	99.78	95
Portland	OR		95.5		122-41-47	285.2	4.78	CLOSE
Coordinates updated from LIC record BLH4129								
KXLFM	LIC	Alexander Broadcastin	238C	100.	45-29-23	104.3	99.78	95
Portland	OR	BLH-4129	95.5	302	122-41-47	285.2	4.78	CLOSE
KXLFM	APP	Alexander Broadcastin	238C	100.	45-29-20	104.3	99.95	95
Portland	OR	BPH-971231ID	95.5	386	122-41-40	285.2	4.95	CLOSE
KXLFM	CP	Alexander Broadcastin	238C	40.	45-29-20	104.3	99.95	95
Portland	OR	BPH-980309II	95.5	309	122-41-40	285.2	4.95	CLOSE

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End of Constraints Study FM Channel 235A