

December 5, 2014

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

**Re: Notice of Oral Ex Parte Presentation
GN Docket No. 12-354**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 3, 2014, representatives from the Wireless Internet Service Providers Association (“WISPA”) and the electric utility industry met with members of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and the Office of Engineering and Technology to discuss the above-referenced pending rulemaking proceeding.¹

The industry attendees jointly presented a proposal for the grandfathering of existing 3650-3700 MHz operations that would account for the long lifespans of existing equipment, and stressed the need for adoption of rules that does not delay or strand investment through the forced upgrade of equipment. The proposal also offered a path forward for the integration of the 3650-3700 MHz band into the Part 96 licensing scheme proposed by the Commission.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission’s Rules, this letter is being filed electronically via the Electronic Comment Filing System in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Alex Phillips

WISPA FCC Committee Chair

/s/ Brett Kilbourne

General Counsel, Utilities Telecom Council

¹ A list of the attendees is attached hereto, and courtesy copies are being provided by email to each Commission staff.

List of FCC Attendees

Julius Knapp
John Leibovitz
Brian Regan
Paul Powell
Navid Golshani
Kamran Etemad
Bob Pavlak
Ira Keltz (by telephone)
John Lambert (by telephone)
Stephen Buenzow (by telephone)

List of WISPA Attendees

Chuck Hogg – President
Alex Phillips – Vice President and FCC Committee Chair
Jack Unger – Technical Consultant (by telephone)
Stephen Coran – Lerman Senter, Counsel to WISPA

List of Electric Utility Attendees

Brett Kilbourne – Deputy General Counsel, Utilities Telecom Council
Kathleen Nelson – Great River Energy
Christopher Leleux -- Great River Energy
Brett H. Freedson – Eckert Seamans, Counsel to CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC