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The existing high noise floor, that now plagues reception in the AM broadcast band, is one of the major problems. There should be stricter enforcement in regard to devices and services which contribute to this growing problem. While it is unlikely much can be done to immediately to reduce the noise problems steps could be taken to keep the problem from getting worse by strict enforcement. For the long term, conditions could be improved as noise emitting devices and services are brought into compliance.

The AM service needs to be protected because it is still the most cost effective way of reaching across vast distances. If the ability to serve the public is taken away because of a noise floor problem that was allowed to happen because existing rules and regulations were not enforced a short-term solution results in a long-term loss of a valuable resource.