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I heard a description about microbroadcasting, and I felt I should comment. While it is currently illegal to microbroadcast, I have become increasingly concerned about the mega-media giants. I remember reading that there are 10 or less that essentially control everything we see, read, and hear. I was against the Telecommunications Act which allows such blatant consolidation.

Therefore, I feel it is imperative that the FCC reconsider its position against the microbroadcasters and develop a scenario that these people are allowed a voice in the airwaves. I don't like being treated to material strictly for the least and largest common denominator and the so-called public radio is only barely and truly "public." Adjusting technical rules is the FCC's specialty. You should have no problem adjusting the rules to allow localism provided in these microbroadcasters.

Thank you.  
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