

dear fcc,
i am pleased to learn that you are debating whether to lift the ban against low-watt fm stations.
it is clear that there is little diversity on the radio these days, what with most stations in the hands of a small corporate monopoly.
as a citizen, i hope you consider this letter in support of lifting the ban. but i feel that that it is important that any proposed new rules do not disqualify operators who have been previously shut down for outlaw broadcasts. here in los angeles, this would mean that paige jarret would not be allowed to start kbft up again.
her station did so much to improve the diversity of radio content in los angeles.
it would be a shame that someone who dared to stand up and say this law was unconstitutional will now be prohibited from running a legal low-watt station. this strikes me as extremely ant-democratic.
jarret, and hundreds of others, practiced the very civil disobedience that thoreau thought was essential to a living and vital democracy.
in fact, to keep these outlaw operators from starting legal stations is practically un-american.
these are the people who dared to stand up to a law which only benefited the large media conglomerates.
they stood up for the little guy, as the little guy.
in america, the laws are support to benefit us all, rich and poor alike.
please give an amnesty to these courageous low-watt radio operators.
thank you,
scott polisky, u.s. citizen