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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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In the Matter of)
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Amendment of Section 73.202(b))
Table of Allotments,) RM-
FM Broadcast Stations.)
(Minerva, New York))

To: Mass Media Bureau (Policy & Rules)

Petition for Rule Making

Bible Broadcasting Associates ("BBA"), by its attorney, respectfully petitions for rule making so as to allot channel 264A to Minerva, New York as its first local service.

Minerva is a town within Essex county in upstate New York. According to information from the town's web site, Minerva has a population of approximately 800 full time residents, with "nearly twice that number in part time residents" (see attached).

Although small, Minerva meets the Commission's definition of a community. Minerva has its own Post Office and unique zip code, 12851.

Minerva has its own form of town government with a town supervisor, clerk and a local building inspector.

There are businesses located in Minerva such as Minerva Lake Campsite, Minerva Park & Playground and tourists visit Morningside Sugarbush to learn about maple sugaring. Because of nearby Gore Mountain, Minerva draws many visitors each year and is home to several retirees. Children in grades K-12 attend the newly renovated Minerva Central School. Minerva has its own volunteer fire and rescue squads.

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The above facts demonstrate that residents regard Minerva as a community of its own, with a separate identity. See Keanansville, Florida, 10 FCC Rcd 9831 (1995).

No radio station is licensed nor allocated to Minerva. Grant of this petition will thus provide Minerva with its first local radio station.

According to the Commission's database, the reference coordinates for Minerva, NY are: NL 43 47' 29" WL 73 59' 05". A slight site restriction of 2.9 km northwest will be required to comply with all domestic spacing requirements. The proposed allotment coordinates are: NL 43 48' 33" WL 74 00' 41". All of Minerva will receive 70 dbu service from the proposed allotment coordinates. The proposed allotment is however, short spaced by 65km to Canadian Station CBF-FM in Montreal; therefore, Canadian concurrence is required.

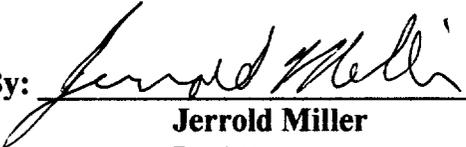
BBA states that it will apply for the station at Minerva upon the opening of a filing window after the finalization of the allotment proposed herein, and will promptly construct and operate the station should it receive a grant of its application.

In view of the above, the Commission should allot Channel 264A to Minerva, New York as its first local Service.

Respectfully submitted,

BIBLE BROADCASTING ASSOCIATES

October 5, 1999

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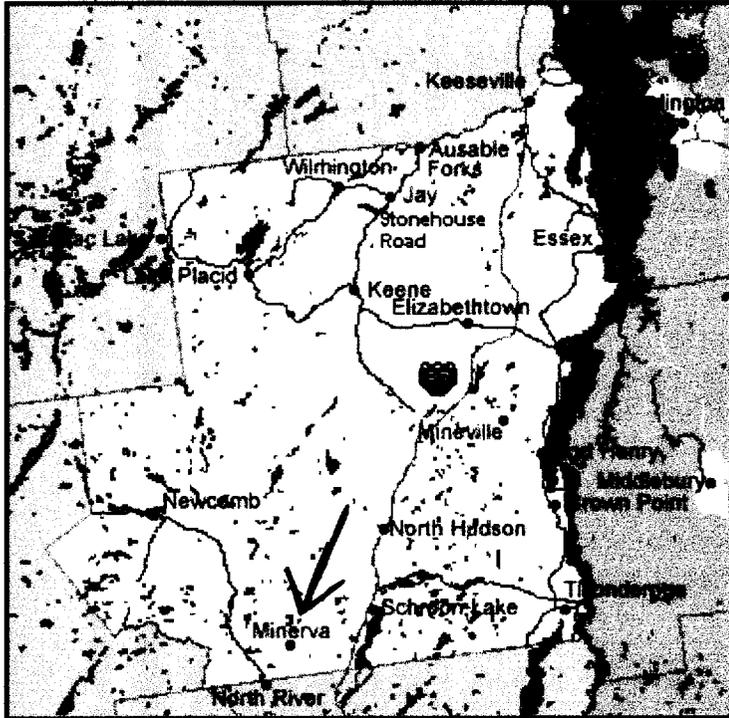
Fourpeaks Site Index

Please WAIT! Then SCROLL DOWN for FOURPEAKS MAPS. *(Have you got time for this?)*

ESSEX COUNTY HIGHWAY MAP

This Essex County Road Map shows all the roads you'll need to get to Fourpeaks--the 1829 Stone House at Stonehouse Road on Route 9N. Find the Northway (I87) at Albany heading North or at Montreal heading South. This map will take you the rest of the way! Use it, later on, for motoring around from Lake Placid to Lake Champlain.

CLICK & GO! (On this page.) How to buy this map (\$3). Index to 6 pages of *Fourpeaks* Road and Trail Maps. More about Jay and the Covered Bridge.

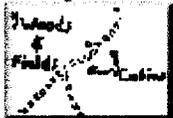


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Like to find the quiet country lanes for old farms, barns and villages too small to make the big map? Ask us for the "Highway Map of Essex County" (27x27 \$3.00 each) or write the Essex County Dept. of Public Works, HCR#1, Box 327, Route 9, Elizabethtown, NY 12932.

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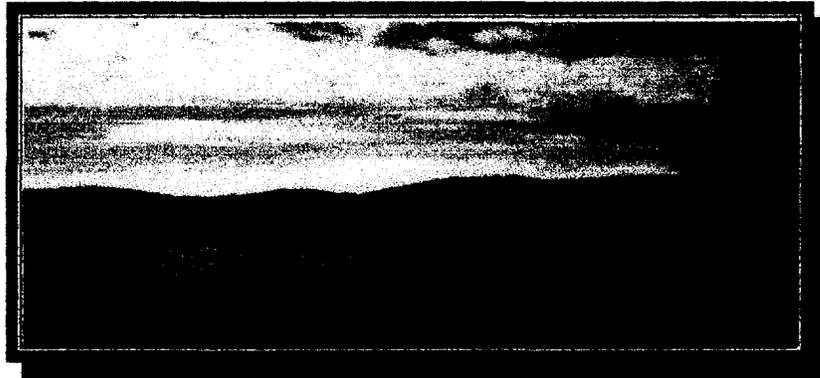
Want to see the exact location of the 1829 Stone House Guest Barns and the Adirondack Camps at Fourpeaks? See [More About Jay and The Old Covered Bridge?](#)



Fourpeaks Maps ROADS & TRAILS

1. Fourpeaks Property Map. Trails & camps on 700 acres. Location Map for Stone House Farm.
2. Fourpeaks Topographic Map. Shows "Hidden Valley" surrounded by our four 2,000-ft. peaks.
3. High Peaks Region Topo Map *(Fourpeaks Details)*. 34x42 map provides an overview of the High Peaks.
4. Essex County Highway Map Shows all the roads you'll need to get to Fourpeaks.
5. Map of Jay NY Puts Fourpeaks Guest Barns and Adirondack Camps on the map!
6. Map of Stonehouse Road. Take a walk back into history on our pretty one-lane dirt road.

Town of Minerva



Minerva Lake, Minerva NY

"Gateway to the Adirondack High Peaks"

The Town of Minerva is located in the center region of the New York State Adirondack Park. The Town of Minerva was first established in 1817.

Come and experience the

Beauty & Charm of a true Adirondack Community

Town of Minerva

PO Box 937

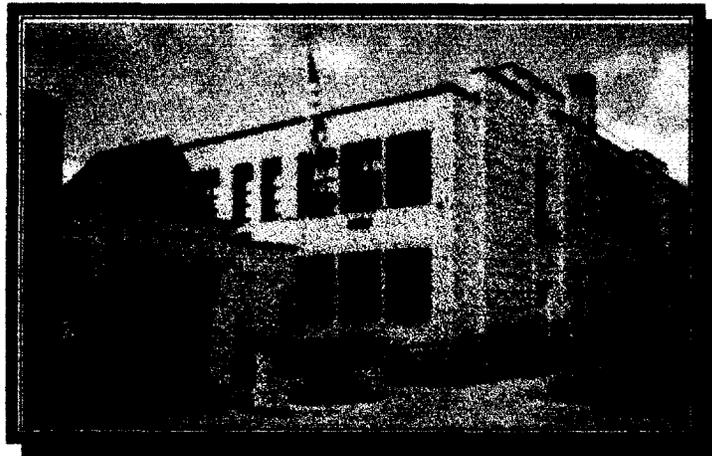
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The Town of Minerva has approximately 104,000 acres of land, of which 68,000 is owned by the State of New York. The large amount of State lands provides for almost unlimited access to thousands of acres of the worlds's most breath taking natural beauty. We are still within easy access to many of Upstate New York's major attractions and industrial areas. (See Tourism) The Town of Minerva has a population of approximately 800 full time residents, with nearly twice that number in part time residents.



The Town of Minerva is the ideal place to raise a family or to choose to retire. Minerva Central School is a newly renovated K-12 school system with approximately 180 full time students. The advantages of a safe nurturing environment to raise and educate our children is one our many strengths.

The Town of Minerva is also the ideal place to retire. We have a strong, active senior citizens group (Sleeping Giant Seniors). We provide many services for the elderly which are not available in most areas. We have a highly trained volunteer fire and rescue squads that are dedicated to serving our community. Minerva is truly the place to be for all families.

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Town of Minerva**

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Tourism in Minerva

The Town of Minerva provides for year round activities for the young and the young at heart!!



Minerva Lake, Minerva NY

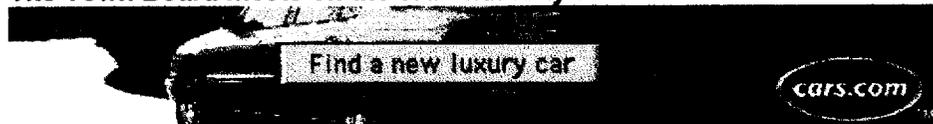
Minerva Lake is an 88 acre lake that provides for year round enjoyment. There is a free of charge public beach, with both public and private camping available, as well as cottage rentals. The Town provides nature trails for summer season use and cross country ski & snowshoe trails for winter time fun. There is a skating rink available for use by all in the community with a warming hut for getting out of the cold. The lake is available for snowmobile use in the winter months and makes for a great place to fish in all seasons. The Town sponsors a summer youth program that is open to all.

Come see, come stay , come play!!

The Town of Minerva is within easy access to the

Area's Major Attractions

The Town Board meets on the 3rd Thursday at 7:00PM.



Town of

Officials:

- **Supervisor:**
 - Daniel L Palmer
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Minerva NY 12851
518-251-2869
 - **Clerk:**
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Town Offices
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Minerva NY 12851
518-251-2604
 - **Building Inspector**
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 - **Town Attorney: Not Available**
 - **Assessor**
 - Philip F Johnson, Chairman
Patrick C McNally
c/o Town Offices
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- **U.S. House of Representatives:**
 - Member of House: John E Sweeney
22nd Congressional District (District Boundaries and Contact Information)
 - **State Senate:**
 - Ronald B. Stafford (R-C)
45th Senatorial District (District Boundaries and Contact Information)
 - **Assembly**
 - Little, Elizabeth O'C.
109th Assembly District (District Boundaries and Contact Information)

You Entered:

MINERVA, NY

MINERVA, NY

Latitude: N 43 47 29

Longitude: W 73 59 5

Map of Coordinates



Another Community?

City or Community:

U.S. State or Possession:

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MAPFM search of channel 264A6 (100.7 MHz), at N. 43 48 33, W. 74 0 41.

Searching Channel 264A6 (100.7 MHz):

CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
WXLG	North Creek	NY	210	C3	L	15.5	12.0	191.4x	3.5
WCMD	Barre	VT	210	A	L	128.1	10.0	74.1x	118.1
NEW	Malone	NY	211	A	A	113.1	10.0	346.7x	103.1
NEW	Watertown	NY	211	A	A	139.0	10.0	276.7x	129.0
W211AP	Malone	NY	211	D	L	113.1	0.0	346.7x	113.1
W211AR	Watertown	NY	211	D	L	155.0	0.0	278.7x	155.0
WRCUFM	Hamilton	NY	211	A	L	166.0	10.0	228.1x	156.0
WRUV	Burlington	VT	211	A	L	98.8	10.0	41.0x	88.8
ALC	North Adams	MA	261	A	U	145.5	31.0	148.1x	114.5
WMNB	North Adams	MA	261	A	L	145.5	31.0	148.1x	114.5
WMNB	North Adams	MA	261	A	C	145.5	31.0	148.1x	114.5
ALC	Plymouth	NH	261	A	U	190.2	31.0	91.6x	159.2
WPNHFM	Plymouth	NH	261	A	A	178.9	31.0	92.5x	147.9
WPNHFM	Plymouth	NH	261	A	L	190.2	31.0	91.6x	159.2
W261CF	Lake George, etc.	NY	261	D	L	61.6	0.0	159.4x	61.6
W261CJ	Potsdam, etc.	NY	261	D	L	106.5	0.0	325.2x	106.5
W261CP	Lowville	NY	261	D	C	125.5	0.0	266.1x	125.5
W261CB	Norwich(West Lebanon, N	VT	261	D	L	133.4	0.0	97.5x	133.4
W261CE	Arlington, etc.	VT	261	D	L	101.8	0.0	134.6x	101.8
W261CG	Rutland, etc.	VT	261	D	L	85.2	0.0	108.3x	85.2
ALC	Ottawa	ON	262	C1		238.1	106.0	322.2x	132.1
CJMJ	Ottawa	ON	262	C1		238.1	106.0	322.2x	132.1
ALC	Magog	QU	262	A		219.4	62.0	42.4x	157.4
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ALC	Delhi	NY	262	A	U	185.2	31.0	203.5x	154.2
ALC	Warrensburg	NY	262	B1	U	47.7	48.0	154.9x	-0.3
ALC	Sylvan Beach	NY	262	A	U	154.8	31.0	243.9x	123.8
W262AC	Little Falls, etc.	NY	262	D	L	110.8	0.0	217.6x	110.8
WBGJ	Sylvan Beach	NY	262	A	A	155.6	31.0	246.3x	124.6
WBGJ	Sylvan Beach	NY	262	A	C	151.5	31.0	246.0x	120.5
WDHI	Delhi	NY	262	A	L	172.7	31.0	203.0x	141.7
WKBE	Warrensburg	NY	262	B1	L	47.7	48.0	154.9x	-0.3
ALC	St. Johnsbury	VT	262	A	A	178.4	31.0	67.2x	147.4
FA USE	Barton	VT	262	A	A	179.8	31.0	54.5x	148.8
W262AA	Montpelier	VT	262	D	L	127.7	0.0	65.8x	127.7
ALC	New Britain	CT	263	B	U	253.0	113.0	157.6x	140.0
WRCH	New Britain	CT	263	B	L	253.0	113.0	157.6x	140.0
WRCH	New Britain	CT	263	B	L	253.0	113.0	157.6x	140.0
ALC	Lebanon	NH	263	C3	U	133.4	89.0	97.5x	44.4
WXXK	Lebanon	NH	263	C3	L	139.3	89.0	97.1x	50.3
ALC	Pembroke	ON	264	B		331.8	223.0	312.2x	108.8
CBFFM	Montreal	QU	264	C1		191.4	256.0	10.0x	-64.6
ALC	Boston	MA	264	B	U	288.6	178.0	124.3x	110.6
WZLX	Boston	MA	264	B	L	288.5	178.0	124.3x	110.5
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ALC	Mexico	ME	264	C3	V	292.9	142.0	70.4x	150.9
WTBM	Mexico	ME	264	C3	A	283.4	142.0	72.4x	141.4
ALC	Utica	NY	264	A	U	125.6	115.0	231.5x	10.6
ALC	Henderson	NY	264	A	U	167.4	115.0	270.4x	52.4
ALC	Peekskill	NY	264	B	U	274.6	178.0	178.0x	96.6
WHUD	Peekskill	NY	264	B	L	274.6	178.0	178.0x	96.6
WOTT	Henderson	NY	264	A	L	167.4	115.0	270.4x	52.4
WVVC	Utica	NY	264	A	L	128.6	115.0	228.2x	13.6
ALC	Hardwick	VT	264	A	A	152.1	115.0	59.5x	37.1

ALC	Wilmington	VT	264	A	U	133.6	115.0	138.2x	18.6
WMTT	Wilmington	VT	264	A	A	129.2	115.0	137.0x	14.2
WMTT	Wilmington	VT	264	A	L	129.2	115.0	137.0x	14.2
ALC	Amherst	MA	265	A	U	203.5	72.0	142.4x	131.5
WRNX	Amherst	MA	265	A	L	206.1	72.0	144.2x	134.1
WRNX	Amherst	MA	265	A	C	206.5	72.0	147.5x	134.5
ALC	Albany	NY	265	A	U	120.2	72.0	175.0x	48.2
ALC	Sidney	NY	265	A	U	201.5	72.0	213.3x	129.5
ALC	North Syracuse	NY	265	A	U	186.5	72.0	246.9x	114.5
W265AN	French Mountain, etc.	NY	265	D	L	61.6	0.0	159.4x	61.6
WCDOFM	Sidney	NY	265	A	L	201.5	72.0	213.3x	129.5
WCPT	Albany	NY	265	A	L	120.2	72.0	175.0x	48.2
WKRLFM	North Syracuse	NY	265	A	L	186.5	72.0	246.9x	114.5
WKRLFM	North Syracuse	NY	265	A	A	186.6	72.0	247.0x	114.6
ALC	Middlebury	VT	265	A	U	72.3	72.0	70.5x	0.3
W265AM	Norwich(West Lebanon, N	VT	265	D	L	134.3	0.0	97.4x	134.3
W265AT	Springfield	VT	265	D	L	136.1	0.0	115.1x	136.1
WWFY	Berlin	VT	265	C2	A	124.1	106.0	63.7x	18.1
WWFY	Middlebury	VT	265	A	D	72.3	72.0	70.5x	0.3
WWFY	Middlebury	VT	265	A	L	72.3	72.0	70.5x	0.3
CHEQFM	Smiths Falls	ON	266	C1		218.1	106.0	310.4x	112.1
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ALC	Manchester	NH	266	B	U	216.8	69.0	115.1x	147.8
WGIRFM	Manchester	NH	266	B	L	216.7	69.0	115.1x	147.7
ALC	Fort Plain	NY	266	A	U	108.7	31.0	206.9x	77.7
WBUGFM	Fort Plain	NY	266	A	L	120.9	31.0	211.3x	89.9
ALC	Haverhill	NH	267	A	U	157.2	31.0	80.2x	126.2
WYKRFM	Haverhill	NH	267	A	L	166.4	31.0	78.3x	135.4
ALC	Essex	NY	267	A	U	76.2	31.0	41.2x	45.2
ALC	Boonville	NY	267	A	U	115.0	31.0	249.6x	84.0
ALC	Stillwater	NY	267	A	U	101.0	31.0	163.3x	70.0
WBRVFM	Boonville	NY	267	A	L	115.0	31.0	249.6x	84.0
WCPV	Essex	NY	267	A	C	103.7	31.0	41.7x	72.7
WCPV	Essex	NY	267	A	L	80.6	31.0	35.0x	49.6
WQAR	Stillwater	NY	267	A	L	92.5	31.0	163.3x	61.5