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September 20, 2001

Maurice Salsa  
5615 Evergreen Valley Drive  
Kingwood, Texas 77345

Re: Petition for Rule Making  
Antlers, OK – Channel 262A

Dear Mr. Salsa:

This is in response to the Petition for Rule Making that you filed requesting the allotment of Channel 262A at Antlers, Oklahoma, as that community's first aural broadcast service.

Your request for the allotment of Channel 262A at Antlers, Oklahoma, is unacceptable. Our engineering analysis indicates that the site that you specify in your proposal (34-15-56 NL and 95-35-00 WL) is short-spaced to a site previously requested in a pending rulemaking. *See Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Bridgeport, Bonham, Graham, Palestine, Price, Range & Stephenville, Texas, and Ardmore, Lawton, Tecumseh & Fort Towson, Oklahoma), MM Docket No. 99-233, DA 01-445 (M.M.Bur., Pol.Div. 2001).*

In Docket 99-233, a counterproposal requested the substitution of Channel 262A at Fort Towson, Oklahoma for Channel 252C3 at Bonham, Texas. Although that counterproposal was dismissed in the initial *Report and Order* issued in the proceeding, a petition for reconsideration was filed on March 19, 2001, and is still pending. If the substitution is approved, the allocation of Channel 262A at Fort Towson would preclude the allotment requested in your petition.

Based on the above, we are returning your proposal for Antlers. You may resubmit the petition, provided that you make a showing that a fully-spaced transmitter site is available that provides city grade coverage to the entire community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John A. Karousos", written over a large, stylized flourish.

John A. Karousos  
Chief, Allocations Branch  
Policy and Rules Division  
Mass Media Bureau

Enclosure

Before the  
**Federal Communications Commission**  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of )  
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Amendment of 73.202 (b) ) MM Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations )  
(Antlers, Oklahoma) )

To: Chief, Allocations Branch  
Mass Media Bureau

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PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Maurice Salsa (Petitioner), pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, hereby requests the commission to amend section 73.202 (b) of its rules, the FM Table of Allotments, to allot channel 262A (100.3 Mhz) at Antlers, Oklahoma.

DISCUSSION

Antlers, Oklahoma is an incorporated community of over 2,520 people and the county seat of Pushmataha County. Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 262A to Antlers, Oklahoma, as that community's first aural broadcast transmission service. Antlers has its own mayor, Roy E. Jackson, its own fire department, its own post office, its own school district and a number of local churches.

Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 262A can be allocated to Antlers, Oklahoma consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

Reference coordinates are:

34 15 56 N  
95 35 00 W

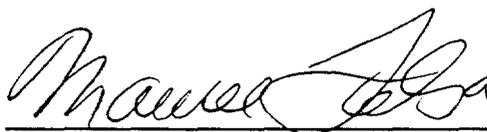
Petitioner hereby states that if the commission grants this petition, he will apply for the channel when it is allotted, and, if his application is granted, he will promptly build the station.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Petitioner respectfully requests the commission to grant this petition and to allot channel 262A to Antlers, Oklahoma.

The information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

By:



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July 2, 2001

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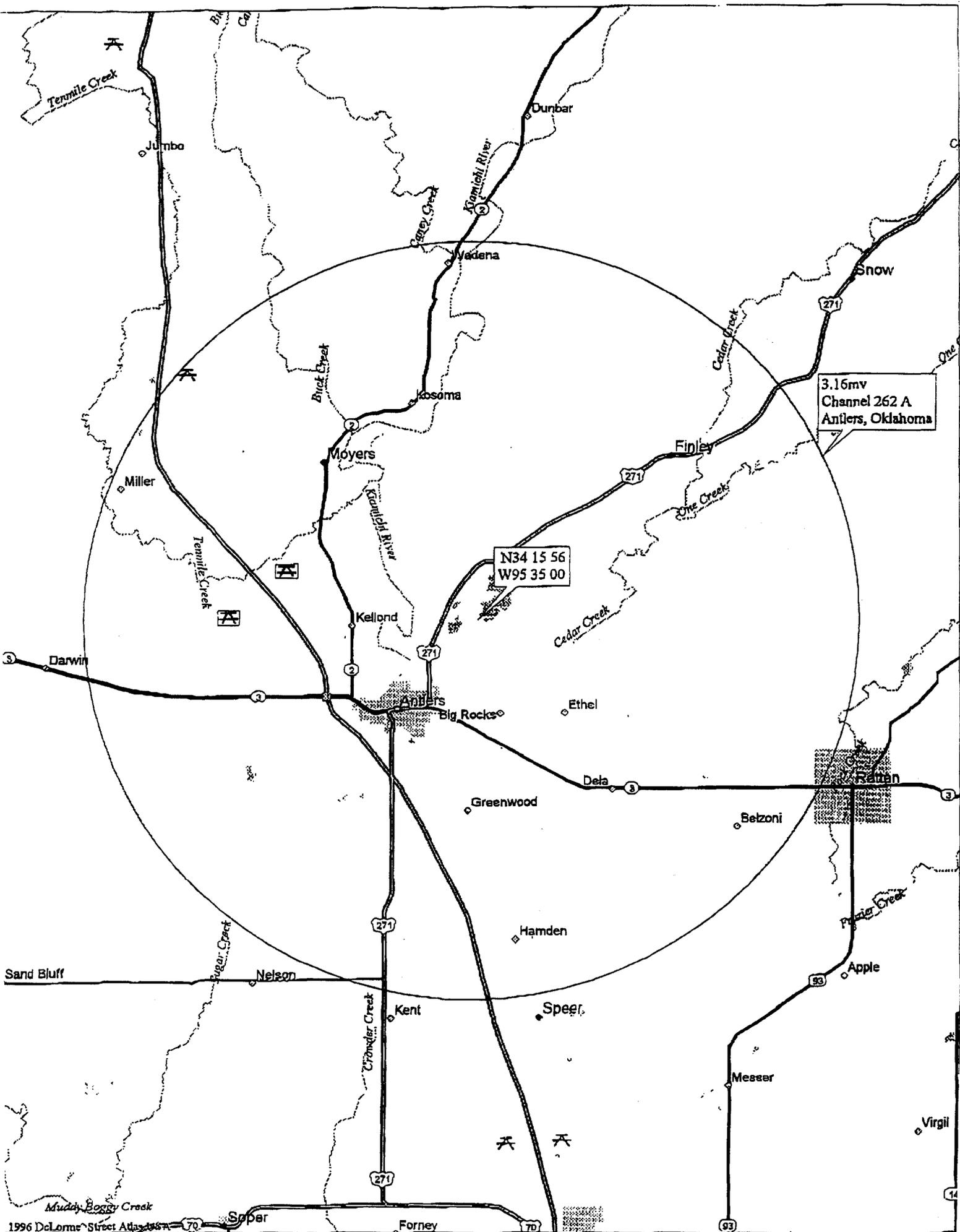
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Antlers, Oklahoma

MAPFM search of channel 262A6 (100.3 MHz), at N. 34 15 56, W. 95 35 0.

Searching Channel 262A6 (100.3 MHz):

CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
KTCS-F	FORT SMITH	AR	260	C	U	121.9	95.0	42.8ø	26.9
KTCS-F	FORT SMITH	AR	260	C	L	121.9	95.0	42.8ø	26.9
880811	BYNG	OK	261	C2	U	126.5	106.0	301.0ø	20.5
KYKC	BYNG	OK	261	C3	L	115.6	89.0	296.2ø	26.6
KYKC	BYNG	OK	261	C2	C	126.5	106.0	301.0ø	20.5
KREB	DALLAS	TX	262	C	U	226.5	226.0	214.7ø	0.5
KREB	DALLAS	TX	262	C	L	226.7	226.0	214.8ø	0.7
KREB	DALLAS	TX	262	C	L	226.3	226.0	214.5ø	0.3
KREB	DALLAS	TX	262	C	C	226.3	226.0	214.5ø	0.3
KREB	DALLAS	TX	262	C	A	226.3	226.0	214.5ø	0.3
ALC	BOGATA	TX	263	A	V	102.8	72.0	159.5ø	30.8



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Channel 262 A  
Anfers, Oklahoma

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