

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D. C. 20554

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In the matter of)
Amendment of Section 73.202 (b),)
FM Broadcast Stations)
(Breckenridge, Crawford, Eagle,)
Ft. Morgan, Greenwood Village,)
Gunnison, Loveland, Olathe)
Strasburg, Colorado and)
Laramie, Wyoming))

MB Docket No. 03-144
RM-10733, 10788 and 10789

OPPOSITION TO REINSTATEMENT OF INTEREST

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

1. Dana J. Puopolo ("Petitioner") respectfully submits his comments opposing Mayflower-Crawford Broadcasters, LLC ("MCB") request to reinstate their counterproposal dated June 17, 2004 in the above captioned proceeding.

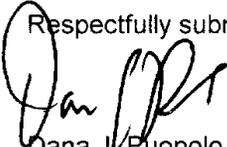
2. MCB originally submitted a timely filed counterproposal in this proceeding, one which turned it from a simple request for a single class C3 FM station in Gunnison, Colorado into a multi-community quagmire. On November 2, 2003, MCB filed a request with the Commission that their counterproposal be withdrawn. By withdrawing their counterproposal, MCB gave the Commission the opportunity to quickly grant petitioner's original allotment request. Unfortunately, the Commission did not timely act upon their request nor the rulemaking. Now, almost eight months after withdrawing their counterproposal, MCB wishes it reinstated. MCB gives no justifications whatsoever for this request, simply that it has changed its mind.

3. Petitioner objects to MCB's reinstatement request, not only because of the amount of time that has elapsed since their earlier withdrawal, but because by further complicating what is now a simple request to allot a single channel to Gunnison, this rulemaking proceeding (which was filed well over a year ago) could drag out even longer. Clearly, this does not serve the public interest, convenience and necessity.

4. Petitioner therefore requests that MCB's Reinstatement of Interest be **DENIED**, and that the Commission grant FM channel 299C3 to Gunnison, Colorado as originally proposed.

5. Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are his, and are accurate to the best of his knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,



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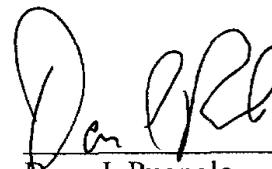
I, Dana J. Puopolo do certify that on this 7th day of July, 2004, I have sent by first class mail, postage prepaid, copies of this: "Opposition to Reinstatement of Interest" to the following:

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