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Federal Communications Commission
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in reference to **MB Docket No. 04-233**. It is my understanding that the FCC is currently seeking public comment on the issue of giving priority to LPFM over FM translator service. My comments are specific to the FM Station of K-LOVE heard in my area on 91.1.

K-LOVE serves me as a resident of the city of Fort Collins in many important ways. The music and commentary heard on K-LOVE supports my Christian faith and encourages me whenever I listen. The music played on K-LOVE is not only honoring to my Lord, but is also a positive influence on our society. The lyrics are uplifting, clean, and safe for families and small children. I never have to worry about being embarrassed or abhorred by what I hear on K-LOVE, a statement I unfortunately cannot make about other stations.

The city of Fort Collins, Colorado would gravely suffer should K-LOVE be replaced by an LPFM broadcaster providing other programming. Without the service of K-LOVE to Fort Collins, the community will be left without this safe public programming to enjoy with our families and children. I shutter to think of what our teenagers will be left to listen to should K-LOVE be replaced. This station and the values that it supports are so important to me and many others in our community that we take money from our own pockets to support K-LOVE financially each month.

The service provided by K-LOVE serves the community of Fort Collins by providing information on events in the surrounding area that are of interest to members of the community. It also provides accurate coverage of national and local news issues, which is no doubt of great importance.

I can say with utmost confidence, that should the K-LOVE station in Fort Collins be taken off the air, I will not support any other radio stations that air in my area. Instead I will support the Christian artists heard on K-LOVE by purchasing their CDs and playing them in my home, car, and workplace. Unfortunately for the FCC, this means that advertiser's dollars on an LPFM station will be wasted, as this is one less listener being reached.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this very important matter. I strongly encourage you to preserve the precious service provided by K-LOVE that is valued so highly in communities across America.

Sincerely,



Andrew P. Crane
Fort Collins, Colorado