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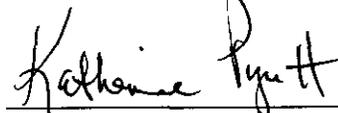
Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Petitioner's Comments (MB Docket No. 07-211)  
Harper, Texas (Channel 256C3)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of my  
Petitioner's Comments for Channel 256C3 at Harper, Texas,  
MB Docket No. 07-211, RM-11400.

Respectfully submitted,



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

In the Matter of	)	
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Amendment of 73.202(b)	)	MB Docket No. 07-211
FM Table of Allotments	)	RM-11400
FM Broadcast Stations	)	
(Harper, Texas)	)	

To: Office of the Secretary  
Attn: Chief, Audio Division,  
Media Bureau

**PETITIONER' s COMMENTS**

Please accept these comments as restated below from Proponents original petition.

**DISCUSSION**

Katherine Pyeatt hereby requests the allotment of Channel 256C3 to Harper, Texas.<sup>1</sup> Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 256C3 to Harper, Texas as that community's first FM service. Harper, Texas is a census designated place with its own zip Code, 78631, and a

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to *Revision of Procedures Governing Amendments to FM Table of Allotments and Changes of Community of License in the Radio Broadcast Services*, 21 FCC Rcd 14212 (2006) ("*Streamlining R&O*"), Katherine Pyeatt is contemporaneously filing a Form 301 application for this proposal along with the requisite filing fee. Should this channel be allotted to Harper, Texas, Katherine Pyeatt hereby states that she will construct the facility specified in the Form 301.

population of 1,006 persons.<sup>2</sup> Harper has its own school district, the Harper Independent School District, its own fire department, post office, Harper Community Hall, Harper Chamber of Commerce<sup>3</sup> and a number of local churches. Harper is a community that is certainly deserving of a first FM service. "Local radio stations play an important role in their communities, providing local news, information and entertainment to residents, and generally serving as good corporate citizens in the local community life. This is particularly true in smaller towns where the radio stations are limited in number. Yet there are still rural areas of our country that do not have even a local radio station."<sup>4</sup> The proposed channel 256C3 will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Harper residents and therefore is in the public interest.

I hereby certify that should this petition be granted and Channel 256C3 is allotted to Harper, Texas as specified in my petition and in my Form 301 for this channel which I have simultaneously electronically filed with this Petition for Rule Making along with the requisite Form 301 filing fee, I will participate in the auction for

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<sup>2</sup>According to the 2002/ 2003 Texas Almanac.

<sup>3</sup> Harper Chamber of Commerce, (830) 864-5656, 23401 W. Hwy 290, Harper, Texas.

<sup>4</sup> Statement of Commissioner Kevin J. Martin, MM & O, MM Docket 99-240, released May 20, 2004.

the channel.

The factual information provided in these Petitioner's Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Katherine Pyeatt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped initial "K".

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cc: Gene A. Bechtel, Law Office of Gene Bechtel, Suite 600, 1050 17<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, Telephone (301) 340-1651, telecopier (301) 340-6811, attorney for Katherine Pyeatt. It is requested that the Commission and any parties who may file pleadings in the captioned matter serve copies to Mr. Bechtel as well as Katherine Pyeatt.

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