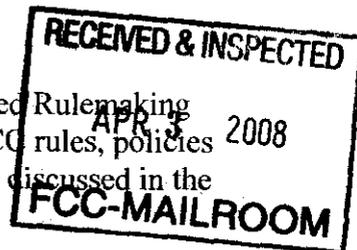


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RESULT: Now, it is possible to serve several missions from one location. But under this proposal, many co-location arrangements would be forced to end – raising daily operating costs and imposing immediate expenses related to moving, construction of other facilities and overseeing forced relocations.

RESULT: When coupled with the rapidly rising costs of broadcasting, including multiplying electricity expenses, extended staffing requirements and forced relocations will leave some Christian Broadcasters with little choice: either cut back or give up. The First Amendment protects the free exercise of religion. The government must not be allowed to impose rules that violate it. Christian Radio needs your support now to keep its message of salvation strong on the nation's airwaves. It's not just a Christian thing – everyone's fundamental constitutional rights are at stake.

HERE'S WHAT YOU CAN DO:

The FCC is taking comments on these proposals. You can add your comments to the record. The FCC can only make rule changes based on evidence – and the evidence you submit can make a difference!

By Mail: Send a letter, specifying what the FCC must not do and why. Make sure you place the docket number on top of the letter to be sure it is delivered to the correct office:

MB Docket No. 04-233, Comments in Response to Localism Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.

Mail your comments, so they arrive by April 14, 2008 to

Using the US Postal Service:

The Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554
Attn: Chief, Media Bureau.

Or using FedEx, UPS, DHL or similar services:

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By Internet: Visit <http://www.savechristianradio.com> for easy step-by-step comment submission assistance.

You can also write to your Senators and Congressman. Tell them that freedom of religion and freedom of speech are threatened. Describe the problematic FCC proposals and the harm they will cause, if they are adopted. For help locating your Senators and Congressman – visit <http://www.savechristianradio.com>

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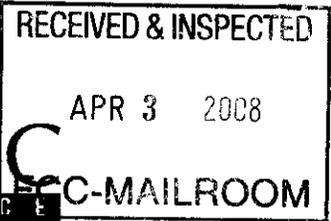
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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



April 14, 2008

Chairman Kevin J. Martin
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Re: In the Matter of Broadcast Localism
MB Docket No. 04-233

Dear Chairman Martin,

I am writing in support of Clear Channel Radio Chicago, a sponsor and partner with the Illinois Hispanic Chamber of Commerce since 2006. This Illinois Hispanic Chamber of Commerce is a non-profit membership organization that provides resources and advocates on issues that affects the Hispanic business community and impact the more than 1.5 million Hispanics in the state of Illinois.

I have been a part of the Clear Channel Radio Chicago Advisory Board since 2006. During that time the advisory board has addressed issues of health, violence prevention and civic participation in the public at large as well as in the Hispanic Community.

In particular to the Hispanic community in Illinois, Clear Channel Radio Chicago's sponsorship of the "Make the Connection" Hispanic Business Expo was invaluable. This unique event hosts over 16 workshops in both English and Spanish to the public free of charge. The focus of the event is to connect business owners with business opportunities in both the public and private sectors. In 2007 there were over 5,000 participants that attended. Clear Channel Radio Chicago provided the following:

- Channel Radio Chicago has donated in 2007 media resources and publicity through over 2400 public service announcements on three of their radio stations, KISS FM, LIT FM and WGCI FM for the "Make the Connection" Hispanic Business Expo. Clear Channel Radio Chicago's

involvement made it possible to access a large sector of the bilingual Hispanic audience.

- Provided publicity on station websites and links to the 2007 "Make the Connection" Expo website.
- Sent email blast of the expo to over 20,000 subscribers to their radio stations websites.
- Presented a workshop on "Marketing and Sales" at the 2007 IHCC Expo.
- Clear Channel Radio Chicago co-sponsored with IHCC, the Hispanic Excellence in Leadership Award dinner in October of 2007. Honored were 10 of the areas Hispanic Leaders in the areas of law, health, education and media.

In closing, Clear Channel Radio Chicago's work in the Hispanic community is a valuable and sincerely appreciated.

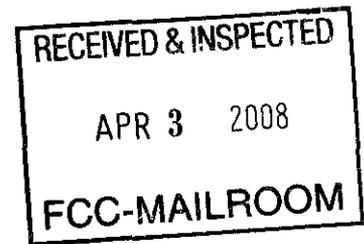
Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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RE: MB DOCKET NO. 04-233
Report on Broadcast Localism and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

Dear Chairman Martin:

As the FCC considers certain changes to its rules and policies to promote localism, the Ad Council would respectfully urge that the FCC consider broadcasters' extraordinary support of our PSAs which serve a myriad of local issues and needs.

Every year, the Ad Council garners approximately \$1.2 billion in donated media from broadcasters for its PSA campaigns which addresses many of the country's most pressing social issues. While nationally produced, either in partnership with a nonprofit or the federal government, many of the Ad Council's PSAs address issues impacting local communities, including reducing gun violence, drunk driving prevention, foster adoption, promoting responsible fatherhood, disaster preparedness, financial literacy, foreclosure prevention, childhood literacy, amber alerts, high-school drop-out prevention, child abuse intervention and mentoring to name just a few.

Notably, KJCE-AM has been a steadfast supporter of the Ad Council's PSAs demonstrating that they care about their listening audience's issues and needs. Supporting a wide variety of issues facing the Austin community, KJCE-AM's commitment to issues such as Obesity Prevention, Wireless Amber Alerts, Blood Donation, Foreclosure Prevention, Emergency Preparedness and Stroke Awareness, along with many other issues, has made a significant and positive impact on the local community by raising awareness and inspiring action.

We urge the FCC to consider KJCE-AM's support of our PSAs as one way in which they demonstrate their support for local communities and needs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peggy Coulter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

cc: The Honorable Michael J. Copps
The Honorable Jonathan S. Adelstein
The Honorable Deborah Taylor Tate
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