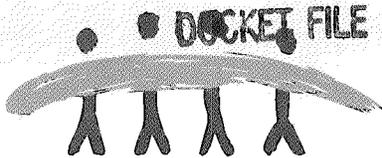


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Chairman Kevin J. Martin
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Re: In the Matter of Broadcast Localism (MB Docket No. 04-233)

Dear Mr. Martin:

I want to share with you how much we appreciate the Clear Channel organization. Their commitment to people with disabilities, their families and friends continues to change our community. They demonstrate this commitment in a variety of ways.

They provide opportunities for The Arc and other nonprofits to participate in public affairs programs. Clear Channel staff member Anna De Haro has a wonderful way of making people feel comfortable when doing radio interviews. I realize that sort of thing is second nature to professionals, but for most of us having a big honking mike in our faces is a bit intimidating! Yet, Ms. de Haro makes the experience fun and comfortable. I suspect the trick is that Clear Channel is genuinely interested in what guests have to say. This was especially apparent to me recently when Ms. de Haro included one of our adult clients in an interview session. She treated her guest with a developmental disability with respect and humor. In other words, as she would treat anyone else she was interviewing.

We also commend their staff for coming out as volunteers to help with events such as "March for Respect." This is a celebration of diversity, not a fundraiser, sponsored by a regional group of nonprofits called the Developmental Disability Coalition of North Texas. Clear Channel supports the event through PSA's and by providing the Master of Ceremony.

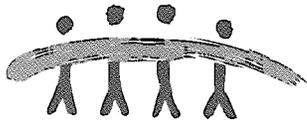
Once again, we thank Clear Channel for demonstrating their continued commitment to people with developmental disabilities. Clear Channel truly believes that people with developmental disabilities are to be valued and included. We are lucky to have them as a community partner.

Sincerely,

Drew Dixon
Dir. of Support Services

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