

River Valley Telephone Cooperative  
and  
Ruthven LLD, Inc.  
P.O. Box 298  
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September 8, 2008

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
236 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E.  
Suite 110  
Washington, D.C. 20002

Re: PS Docket No. 08-146  
River Valley Telephone Cooperative  
Ruthven LLD, Inc.

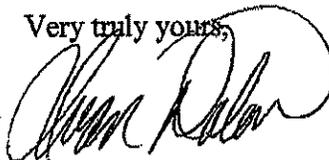
Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to directives of the Federal Communications Commission in the *Third Report and Order*, PS Docket No. 07-287, FCC 08-184, released August 7, 2008, *Public Notice*, DA 08-1866, PS Docket No. 08-146, released August 7, 2008, and Section 10.210 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 10.210, River Valley Telephone Cooperative and Ruthven LLD, Inc. hereby submits their election of whether to transmit emergency messages as part of the Commercial Mobile Alert System (CMAS).

River Valley Telephone Cooperative elects not to transmit CMAS Alerts.

Ruthven LLD, Inc. elects not to transmit CMAS Alerts.

Very truly yours,



Ivan Dalen  
Manager