

**WEST RIVER COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE CO. AND G.W. WIRELESS
INCORPORATED PARTNERSHIP
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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Initial Election Regarding Participation in the CMAS
PS Docket No. 08-146**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This notification is filed pursuant to the Third Report and Order in PS Docket No. 07-287, released August 7, 2008, and the corresponding Public Notice, DA 08-1866, released the same date.

West River Cooperative Telephone Co. and G.W. Wireless Incorporated Partnership. hereby notifies the Commission of its intent not to participate in the Commercial Mobile Alert System.

We reserve the right to change our election at a later date, in accordance with Commission regulations.

Very truly yours,

**WEST RIVER COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE
CO. AND G.W. WIRELESS INCORPORATED
PARTNERSHIP**

By: George Strandell

Name: George Strandell

Title: Officer of General Partner

Dated: September 8, 2008