

I have been using the GPS system for more than 10 years to assist in search & rescue. The proposal to permit interference by LightSquared will result in less SAR efficiency, and potentially result in loss of life.

As a pilot, I depend on GPS as the primary means of navigation, and have funds invested in navigation equipment which would be wasted or require additional expenditures to mitigate the impact of this new & incompatible use of the GPS spectrum.

Then as a user of the navigable waterways in Florida, my family depends on the accuracy of the GPS system to avoid submerged obstacles when underway in poor visibility. Loss of the GPS system could result in damage to our vessel or personnel injury.

I am also a user of the GPS system for vehicle navigation, where the loss of GPS would have lesser consequences of lost time and money.

With all the negative impacts to the GPS system, I am amazed that this proposal continues to advance. Please end this insanity, and prevent the damage to our GPS navigation system.