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Marlene Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
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 (the "*CMAS Third Report and Order*"), and the corresponding *Public Notice*, DA 08-1866, released the same date.

Nucla-Naturita Telephone Company ("NNTC"), on behalf of itself and its subsidiary NNTC Wireless, LLC, hereby notifies the Commission of its intent not to participate in the Commercial Mobile Alert System at this time. We reserve the right to change our election at a later date, in accordance with Commission regulations.

In a recent regulatory compliance audit, NNTC determined that the Company had inadvertently overlooked the CMAS election notice requirement. This letter is intended to remedy that oversight. To the extent deemed necessary, NNTC hereby requests an extension/waiver of the election notice deadline established in the *CMAS Third Report and Order*. NNTC is a small family-owned telco in rural America. Its oversight in not submitting a timely CMAS election notice resulted solely from inadvertence with no intent to evade Commission requirements. Accordingly, there are grounds for a waiver (if required) because NNTC has taken immediate and voluntary steps to cure its oversight without prompting from the Commission, in keeping with the Company's strong record of regulatory compliance.

Very truly yours,  
Nucla-Naturita Telephone Company

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