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Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
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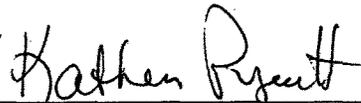
Re: Petitioner's Comments
Moran, Texas/ MB Docket No. 13-102

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an original and five (5) copies of my
Petitioner's Comments for Moran, Texas, MB Docket No. 13-102.

Also enclosed is a self-addressed stamped envelope for
a return date stamped copy.

Respectfully submitted,



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**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)
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Amendment of 73.202(b)) MB Docket No. 13-102
FM Table of Allotments) RM-11696
FM Broadcast Stations)
(Moran, Texas)

To: Office of the Secretary
Attn: Chief, Audio Division,
Media Bureau

PETITIONER'S COMMENTS

Please accept these comments as restated below from Proponents original petition.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 281A to Moran, Texas as that community's first local service. Moran is an incorporated community in Shackelford County, Texas. As of the 2010 US Census, Moran had a population of 270 people. Moran has its own post office¹, city hall², independent school District, cemetery and zip code³. As of January 2008, the state comptroller reported 10 businesses in Moran.⁴ Additionally, Moran has several churches.

Moran is a community that is certainly deserving of a first FM service. "Local radio stations play an important role in their communities, providing local news, information and entertainment to residents, and generally serving as good corporate citizens in the local community life. This is particularly true in smaller towns where the radio stations are limited in number. Yet there are still rural areas of our country that do not have even a local

¹ Moran Post Office, 340 Waters St., Moran, Texas 76464, (325-945-2291).

² City of Moran, 340 Fisher Ave., Moran, Texas, 76464, (325 945-3441). Mayor Mike Whitt.

³ Moran, Texas zip code - 76464.

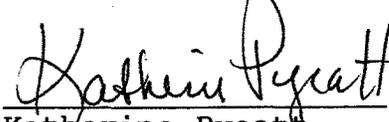
⁴ Texas Almanac 2010-2011, published by Texas State Historical Association, page 398 & 415.

radio station."⁵ The proposed channel 281A will provide additional diversity and an outlet for local self-expression to Moran residents and therefore is in the public interest.
coordinates.

I hereby certify that should this petition be granted and Channel 281A is allotted to Moran, Texas as specified in my petition and in my Form 301 for this channel which I have simultaneously electronically filed with this Petition for Rule Making along with the requisite Form 301 filing fee, I will participate in the auction for the channel.

The factual information provided in these Comments is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

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⁵ Statement of Commissioner Kevin J. Martin, MM & O, MM Docket 99-240, released May 20, 2004.