



Regarding RM-11727

I am John Eves, General Manager/Owner of WXHC Homer, N.Y. I support the FM Class C4 / 73.215 petition filed by SSR Communications and urge the Commission to adopt the proposal.

We are the definition of local hometown radio. I moved back to my hometown to start the radio station over 23 years ago. My brother is also part owner of the station. Now my oldest son Mike works here full-time and my youngest son Jack (still in school) works part time. My wife is the bookkeeper. We cover everything local, news, high school football, rotary radio day, the United Way polar challenge, the dairy parade...etc..It is very hard to compete against the large stations. Most big box stores won't deal with a single owner operated station in an unrated market. The small mom and pop stores which are our advertisers continue to decline. If we could expand our signal it would keep us going. WXHC has been a dream come true for me and my family.

Sincerely,

John Eves