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Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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[MM Docket No. 97-66; RM-8997]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Fredonia, KY**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by JoeMyers Productions, Inc., proposing the allotment of Channel 221A at Fredonia, Kentucky, as the community's first local aural transmission service. Channel 221A can be allotted to Fredonia in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 6.2 kilometers (3.8 miles) northeast to avoid short-spacings to the licensed sites of Station WYNU(FM), Channel 222C, Milan, Tennessee, Station WBKR(FM), Channel 223C, Owensboro, Kentucky, and Station WMJL-FM, Channel 274A, Marion, Kentucky. The coordinates for Channel 221A at Fredonia are North Latitude 37-15-22 and West Longitude 88-01-49.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before April 7, 1997, and reply comments on or before April 22, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: John F. Garziglia, Esq., Pepper & Corazzini, L.L.P., 1776 K Street, NW., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20006 (Counsel for Petitioner).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sharon P. McDonald, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 97-66, adopted February 7, 1997, and released February 14, 1997. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's

copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

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[MM Docket No. 97-64; RM-9001]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Lexington, IL**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Atlantis Broadcasting Co., L.L.C., proposing the allotment of Channel 258A at Lexington, Illinois, as the community's first local aural transmission service. Channel 258A can be allotted to Lexington in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 8.1 kilometers (5.1 miles) southwest to avoid short-spacings to the licensed sites of Station WAJK(FM), Channel 257B1, LaSalle, Illinois, and Station WUSN(FM), Channel 258B, Chicago, Illinois. The coordinates for Channel 258A at Lexington are North Latitude 40-35-15 and West Longitude 88-50-39.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before April 7, 1997, and reply comments on or before April 22, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant,

as follows: James K. Edmundson, Esq., Gardner, Carton & Douglas, 1301 K Street, NW., Suite 900, East Tower, Washington, DC 20005 (Counsel for Petitioner).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sharon P. McDonald, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 97-64, adopted February 7, 1997, and released February 14, 1997. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

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[MM Docket No. 97-65; RM-9002]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Chewelah, WA**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by LifeTalk Broadcasting Association proposing the allotment of Channel *283C3 at Chewelah, Washington, and its reservation for noncommercial educational use. Channel *283C3 can be