

ACTION: Final rule; dismissal.

SUMMARY: This action dismisses a petition for rule making filed by Lee County Broadcasters requesting the allotment of Channel 286A to Lexington, TX. See 62 FR 43302, August 13, 1997. Petitioner requested withdrawal of its petition for rule making. It is Commission policy to refrain from allotting a channel absent an expression of interest.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Blumenthal, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-173, adopted December 10, 1997 and released December 19, 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, ITS, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-22; RM-8953, RM-9075]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Waelder and Yorktown, TX

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission denies the petition for rule making filed by Waelder Broadcasting Company proposing the allotment of Channel 242A to Waelder, Texas, as the community's first local FM service. See 62 FR 04228, January 29, 1997. In response to a counterproposal filed by Gonzales Communications, the Commission allots Channel 242A to Yorktown, Texas (RM-9075). Channel 242A can be allotted to Yorktown in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of

8.6 kilometers (5.4 miles) northeast in order to avoid short-spacing conflicts with the licensed operation of Station KSJL-FM, Channel 241C1, San Antonio, TX, and with the construction permit for Station KHMC-FM, Channel 240C3, Goliad, Texas. The coordinates for Channel 242A at Yorktown are 29-02-30 NL and 97-26-30 WL. Since Yorktown is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexican border, concurrence of the Mexican government has been obtained for this allotment. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 2, 1998. A filing window for Channel 242A at Yorktown, TX, will not be opened at this time. Instead, the issue of opening a filing window for this channel will be addressed by the Commission in a subsequent order.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Blumenthal, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

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List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Texas, is amended by adding Yorktown, Channel 242A.

Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-120; RM-9054]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Gideon, MO

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: Action in this document allots Channel 280A to Gideon, Missouri, as that community's first local service in response to a petition filed by Gideon Radio Company. See 62-FR 22901, April 28, 1997. The coordinates for Channel 280A at Gideon are 36-32-10 and 89-49-18. There is a site restriction 12.9 kilometers (8 miles) northeast of the community. With this action, this proceeding is terminated. A filing window for Channel 280A at Gideon, Missouri, will not be opened at this time. Instead, the issue of opening a filing window for this channel will be addressed by the Commission in a subsequent order.

DATE: Effective January 26, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-120, adopted December 3, 1997, and released December 12, 1997. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the Commission's 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 contractors, International Transcription Services, Inc., 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC. 20036, (202) 857-3800, facsimile (202) 857-3805.

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Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Missouri, is amended by adding Gideon, Channel 280A.

Federal Communications Commission.

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