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CHAIRMAN MARTIN TO VISIT INDIANA FOR DTV OUTREACH
*Visit is Part of Nationwide Tour Focusing on Markets with High Levels
of Over-the-Air Television Viewers*

Washington, DC – FCC Chairman Kevin J. Martin today announced he will visit cities in Indiana, on January 5th. The visit is part of an extensive nationwide initiative the Commission has launched to increase awareness about the upcoming transition.

Date: January 5, 2009 Time: 9:00 AM

Location: Greenwood Public Library
310 S Meridian Street
Greenwood, IN 46143

Date: January 5, 2009 Time: 2:00 PM

Location: Allen County Public Library
900 Library Plaza
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

Date: January 5, 2009 Time: 7:00 PM

Location: University of Notre Dame
The Joyce Center
South Bend, IN 46556

The FCC identified target television markets for specific DTV outreach, including all those markets in which more than 100,000 households or at least 15% of the households rely solely on over-the-air signals for television reception. The five FCC Commissioners and senior Commission staff will visit these and other markets to raise awareness and educate consumers in the days leading up to the DTV transition on February 17, 2009. Chairman Martin has also planned Town Hall meetings in Cincinnati, Dayton and Columbus, Ohio on January 6, 2009.

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