

David P. Garland proposing the allotment of Channel 286A at Muldrow, Oklahoma, as the community's first local service. Channel 286A can be allotted to Muldrow in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 10.02 km (6.52 miles) north of Muldrow. The coordinates for Channel 286A at Muldrow are 35-29-47 North Latitude and 94-36-04 West Longitude. See Supplementary Information *infra*.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before March 24, 2003, and reply comments on or before April 8, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner as follows: David P. Garland, 1110 Hackney Street, Houston, Texas 77023; Dana J. Puopolo, 2134 Oak St., Unit C, Santa Monica, California 90405.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Deborah A. Dupont, Media Bureau, (202) 418-7072.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MB Docket Nos. 03-29 and 03-30; adopted January 29, 2003 and released January 31, 2003. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone (202) 863-2893.

The Commission further requests comment on a petition filed by Dana J. Puopolo proposing the allotment of Channel 255A at Trona, California, as the community's first local service. Channel 255A can be allotted to Trona in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 6.8 km (4.2 miles) southeast of Trona. The coordinates for Channel 255A at Trona are 35-43-51 North Latitude and 117-18-28 West Longitude. Petitioner is required to submit sufficient information to establish that Trona qualifies as a community for FM allotment purposes.

The 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.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio, Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR Part 73 as follows:

#### PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES

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

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

##### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Oklahoma, is amended by adding Muldrow, Channel 286A.

3. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under California, is amended by adding Trona, Channel 255A.

Federal Communications Commission.

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#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

##### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 03-266, MB Docket No. 02-27, RM-10631]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Cotulla and Dilley, TX

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document requests comments on a Petition for Rule Making filed by IH-35 South Broadcasters proposing the allotment of Channel 264A at Cotulla, Texas, as a third local FM service. In order to accommodate this allotment, the Petitioner also proposes the substitution of Channel 229A for vacant Channel 264A at Dilley, Texas. Channel 264A can be allotted to Cotulla, Texas, consistent with the minimum distance separation requirement of the Commission's Rules at city reference coordinates. The

coordinates for Channel 264A at Cotulla are 28-26-12 North Latitude and 99-14-05 West Longitude. Since Cotulla is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexican border, Mexican concurrence has been requested. Channel 229A can also be allotted to Dilley, Texas, consistent with minimum distance separation requirements of the Commission's Rules provided there is a site restriction 6.3 kilometers (3.9 miles) south of the community. The coordinates for Channel 229A at Dilley are 28-36-56 North Latitude and 99-10-48 West Longitude. Since Dilley is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexican border, Mexican concurrence has been requested.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before March 24, 2003, and reply comments on or before April 8, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: Harry C. Martin, Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth, PLC, 1300 North 17th Street, 11th Floor, Arlington, Virginia 22209.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Rolanda F. Smith, Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a summary of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MB Docket No. 03-27, adopted January 29, 2003, and released January 31, 2003. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the Commission's Reference Center, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone 202-863-2893, facsimile 202-863-2898, or via e-mail [qualexint@aol.com](mailto:qualexint@aol.com).

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* contact.

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

**List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73**

Radio, Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

**PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES**

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

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

**§ 73.202 [Amended]**

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Texas, is amended by adding Channel 264A at Cotulla and by removing Channel 264A and by adding Channel 229A at Dilley.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION****47 CFR Part 73**

[DA 03-193, MB Docket No. 03-21, RM-10632]

**Radio Broadcasting Services; Port St. Joe, FL**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document requests comments on a Petition for Rule Making filed by Moira L. Ritch proposing the allotment of Channel 270C3 at Port St. Joe, Florida, as that community's second local service. The coordinates for Channel 270C3 at Port St. Joe, Florida are 29-47-45 NL and 85-17-27 WL. There is a site restriction 2.2 kilometers (1.4 miles) south to avoid short-spacing to the application site of Station WWAV, Channel 271C2, Santa Rose, Florida and license site of Station WBGE, Channel 270A, Brainbridge, Georgia.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before March 24, 2003, and reply comments on or before April 8, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: Moira L. Ritch, P.O. Box 13599, Mexico Beach, Florida 32410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Rolanda F. Smith, Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a summary of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MB Docket No. 03-21, adopted January 29, 2003, and released January 31, 2003. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the Commission's Reference Center, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone 202-863-2893, facsimile 202-863-2898, or via e-mail *qualexint@aol.com*.

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* contact.

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

**List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73**

Radio, Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

**PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES**

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

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

**§ 73.202 [Amended]**

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Florida, is amended by adding Channel 270C3 at Port St. Joe.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION****47 CFR Part 73**

[DA 03-194; MB Docket Nos. 03-22, 03-23; RM- RM-10597, RM-10633]

**Radio Broadcasting Services; Conway and Vilonia, AR; Racine, OH and Ravenswood, WV**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission seeks comment on proposals in two separate docketed proceedings in a multiple docket *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*. One, filed by Creative Media, Inc. ("Creative") proposes to substitute Channel 224C3 for Channel 224A at Conway, Arkansas, and reallocate Channel 224C3 from Conway to Vilonia, Arkansas as the community's first local aural transmission service, and modify the license for Station KASR(FM) to reflect the changes. Channel 22C3 can be reallocated from Conway to Vilonia, Arkansas at Creative's requested site 12.7 kilometers (7.9 miles) east of the community at coordinates 35-05-02 NL and 92-04-59 WL. The other, filed by Legend Communications of West Virginia, LLC ("Legend") to reallocate Channel 226A from Ravenswood, West Virginia, to Racine, Ohio, as the community's first local aural transmission service, and modify the license for Station WPTM(FM) to reflect the change of community. Channel 226A can be reallocated from Ravenswood, West Virginia, to Racine, Ohio at Legend's requested transmitter site 14.4 kilometers (9 miles) southeast of the community at coordinates 38-53-36 NL and 81-46-52 WL.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before March 24, 2003, and reply comments must be filed on or before April 8, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, his counsel, or consultant, as follows: Legend Communications of West Virginia, LLC, c/o Christina T. Brumley, Esq., Jackson & Kelly PLLC, P.O. Box 553, Charleston, West Virginia 25322 (MB Docket No. 03-22). Creative Media, Inc., c/o Eugene T. Smith, Esq., P.O. Box 15541, Washington, DC 20003 (MB Docket No. 03-23).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Victoria M. McCauley, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.