

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 99-158, RM-9615]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Dexter, NM**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Mountain West Broadcasting to allot Channel 241C3 to Dexter, NM, as the community's first local aural service. Channel 241C3 can be allotted to Dexter without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 33-11-42 NL; 104-22-18 WL. Mexican concurrence in the allotment is required since Dexter is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexican border.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before July 6, 1999, and reply comments on or before July 21, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Victor A. Michael, Jr., President, Mountain West Broadcasting, 6807 Foxglove Drive, Cheyenne, WY 82009 (Petitioner).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 99-158, adopted May 5, 1999, and released May 14, 1999. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center, 445 12th Street, SW, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Services, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

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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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 99-159, RM-9616]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Paxton, NE**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Mountain West Broadcasting to allot Channel 228C1 to Paxton, NE, as the community's first local aural service. Channel 228C1 can be allotted to Paxton in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 41-06-48 NL; 101-21-12 WL.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before July 6, 1999, and reply comments on or before July 21, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Victor A. Michael, Jr., President, Mountain West Broadcasting, 6807 Foxglove Drive, Cheyenne, WY 82009 (Petitioner).

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 99-160, RM-9617]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Overton, NE**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Mountain West Broadcasting to allot Channel 257C2 to Overton, NE, as the community's first local aural service. Channel 257C2 can be allotted to Overton in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 13.8 kilometers (8.6 miles) west, at coordinates 40-44-24 NL; 99-42-06 WL, to avoid a short-spacing to Station KKPR-FM, Channel 255C1, Kearney, NE.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before July 6, 1999, and reply comments on or before July 21, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Victor A. Michael, Jr., President, Mountain West Broadcasting, 6807 Foxglove Drive, Cheyenne, WY 82009 (Petitioner).