

FCC Educational Proposal

This presentation aims to spotlight the unique educational initiatives of Beat Poet Broadcasters, focusing on the promotion of local music content and emphasizing the radio station's commitment to an educational program under Rule 73.503(a).

Educational Program Intent

Beat Poet Broadcasters is dedicated to enriching our community through an exploration of local music and its cultural impact. Our programming centers around showcasing the vibrant music scene in the Monterey Bay area, providing a platform for emerging artists, and fostering a deep appreciation for the diversity of musical genres within our community. Following a Pacifica Network format, our primary mission is to celebrate local creativity, amplify voices from underserved communities, and contribute to the cultural enrichment of the Monterey Bay area.

Local Music Programming

Beat Poet Broadcasters is enthusiastic about using its airwaves to promote and support local musicians. Our programming initiatives include:

- Showcasing grassroots and underground musicians from the Monterey Bay area
- Facilitating the creation of radio shows that explore the local music scene
- Providing training opportunities for aspiring DJs and music enthusiasts
- Collaborating with local artists to feature live performances and interviews
- Creating playlists that highlight the rich musical tapestry of our community

Public Participation and Music Education

Beat Poet Broadcasters encourages public participation in the radio station, offering hands-on experiences to learn about broadcasting and music curation. Our initiatives include:

- Inviting the community to contribute playlists and share their musical discoveries
- Hosting workshops on DJ'ing, studio operations, and music production
- Collaborating with local schools and organizations to provide music education programs
- Creating a space for aspiring musicians to connect and collaborate on creative projects
- Organizing events that showcase local talent and build a sense of musical community

Through these efforts, Beat Poet Broadcasters aims to establish itself as a hub for local music exploration, education, and collaboration, contributing to the cultural vibrancy of the Monterey Bay area.