

**Before The  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In re )  
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Unalaska Community Broadcasting, Inc. )  
(formerly Unalaska Community )  
Television, Incorporated) )  
Station DK08IW )  
Dutch Harbor, Alaska )

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Federal Communications Commission  
Office of Secretary

To: The Secretary, FCC

**Attn: Chief, Video Division, Media Bureau**

**PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION AND REINSTATEMENT**

Unalaska Community Broadcasting, Inc. (formerly Unalaska Community Television, Incorporated)<sup>1</sup> hereby petitions for reinstatement of the license for LPTV Station K08IW. This nonprofit station serves Dutch Harbor and Unalaska, Alaska and the surrounding area of the Aleutian Islands. This location is where the Bering Sea meets the Pacific Ocean, at the terminus of the Alaska Marine Highway. The community of license has no other video service, and the service area is hundreds of miles from the nearest station that originates video programming. This station is a key community resource in a remote area of Alaska, serving an ethnically and culturally diverse population. Dutch Harbor is known as America's richest fishing port, with many people performing very dangerous work. It is subject to storms that can last a week, with seas ranging up to 50 feet and frequent storms with hurricane force winds during the winter. All means of communications are involved at times in public safety broadcasting.

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<sup>1</sup> The name of the licensee corporation was changed by amendment to the Licensee's Articles of Incorporation on February 20, 1996. No change in ownership was involved.

2. The licensee inadvertently failed to file for renewal during the last application period. The license was deleted from the Commission's database on October 15, 2004, and this petition is filed within the 30-day deadline for reconsideration of that action.<sup>2</sup> The station has had managers only intermittently, but the board of directors has now hired a manager who is aware of Commission procedures and deadlines. The licensee wishes to gain reinstatement and renewal of the license and submits that continued operation of the station would clearly be in the public interest. The licensee is simultaneously herewith filing a late application for renewal and a request for STA to operate the station pending action on reinstatement and renewal.

Respectfully submitted,

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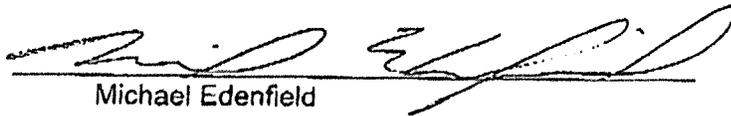
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<sup>2</sup> The 30<sup>th</sup> day fell on a weekend day, so today's filing on the next business day is timely.

**DECLARATION**

I, Michael Edenfield, General Manager of Unalaska Community Broadcasting, Inc., hereby declare under penalty of perjury that, except for the facts of which the Federal Communications Commission may take official notice, the facts stated in the foregoing **PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION AND REINSTATEMENT** are true and correct.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2004.



Michael Edenfield