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The following is an informal objection to the license renewal for low power station WYNB-LD based in Ellenville, NY. The station broadcasts on channel 30 but I live in an area that is in between 2 stations that broadcast on the same channel/frequency, this is what is called co-channel interference.

There is a full power station on the same channel in Farmington, CT, PBS Member station WEDH. Because of the presence of WYNB-LD, I cannot obtain reception of the full power station 48.82 miles from my location in Hopewell Junction, NY. Therefore the LD station would be in violation of FCC part 74.703 section B. Also Low Power Digital stations have secondary status of the channel. Since it's next to a full power station on the same channel, it is required to move to another frequency if available, channel share with another TV station or go off the air. Since channels 14 to 20 are not available in my area due to Land Mobile Radio Service, the former 3 options are available to this station to resolve the co-channel interference. Please see the allocation map below for evidence of co-channel interference. The red mark is the protected full power station, the green mark is the low power station.

Please consider my informal objection when deciding whether to renew this low power station's license.

Sincerely,

Geoffrey Stratman

Allocation Map for Channel 30

