



Peach City Community Radio Society
CRTC Application

Appendix 7
Letters of Support

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This appendix contains copies of letters of support received from members of the community regarding the application for broadcast undertaking by the Peach City Community Radio Society.



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25 July, 2013

President Dave Del Rizzo
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RE: July 24th Peach City Community Radio Society Meeting in Penticton

Dear President Del Rizzo;

This is a letter to thank you for the opportunity to join you at your general meeting in Penticton on July 24, 2013.

It was a pleasure to see so many of your members and interested citizens there to hear about the work that you and your board members do, both in terms of committee work and planning but also in creating individual programming.

I was very impressed with the thoughtful presentations from your committee chairs, in particular those on promotions, programming, technical and community support. As the MP for the area, I particularly appreciated hearing the society's plans to become federally regulated through the CRTC and Industry Canada. I also saw first hand that those in attendance concurred and supported this plan to grow and expand community radio in Penticton and the region.

It became quite apparent that over the course of the evening, through many of the presentations and requisite questions taken from the floor and the answers, that your organization is productive, inclusive and organized. I congratulate you and all of your volunteers on the progress to date.

Since I became involved in public office, one of the most rewarding things I get to do is recognize the success of others, particularly those who seek to strengthen our communities. I applaud the great work that you and Peach City Radio are doing!

Sincerely yours,

Dan Albas, MP
Okanagan-Coquihalla

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"A catalyst in the community"

December 13, 2013

Dave Del Rizzo
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Dear President Del Rizzo,

On behalf of the Board of Directors I would like to thank you for your presentation on September 25th. The Board was very interested to learn about Peach City Radio, the Society, programming and goals you plan to achieve developing a community radio station.

The Penticton & Country Chamber of Commerce believe the Peach City Radio Society's efforts will provide value to our community. As such, we fully support the initiatives of the Peach City Community Radio Society, to establish a community-based, terrestrial FM broadcast station in Penticton BC.

Yours very truly,
PENTICTON & WINE COUNTRY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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May 14, 2014

**Canadian Radio-Television and
Telecommunications Commission**
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

Dear Sir/Madam:

Re: Peach City Community Radio Society

I am pleased to support the application on behalf of Peach City Community Radio Society, for a low power FM Community Radio in Penticton, BC.

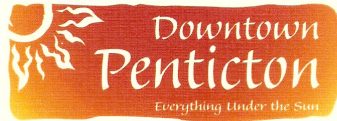
Peach City Radio promises to bring our Penticton area residents a deeper awareness of local events and issues while valuing the diversities within our communities by providing strong community coverage and promotion of our businesses, groups and organizations that help build a vibrant community.

As a result, Peach City Radio will provide a fresh and unique voice that should have a place on the radio dial. For these reasons, I encourage the Commission's approval of this application and thank you for the opportunity to provide these comments.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "G. Litke", written in a cursive style.

Mayor Garry Litke



May 13, 2014

Dave Del Rizzo
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Dear President Del Rizzo,

On behalf of the Downtown Penticton Association, I would like to thank you for your presentation and for taking the time to present to the Board of Directors. The Board was very interested to learn about Peach City Radio, the Society, programming and goals you have planned to move the Peach City Radio concept forward. We at the DPA are very pleased and excited at the idea of having a community radio station in our Downtown.

The Downtown Penticton Association believe the Peach City Radio Society's efforts will provide value to our unique Downtown as well as to the surrounding community. The idea of a community radio station helps to build local partnerships and adds to the uniqueness of our Penticton area. As such, we fully support the initiatives of the Peach City Community Radio Station.

Please let me know if we can do anything to help bring this wonderful plan to fruition.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kerri Milton", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kerri Milton
Executive Director
Downtown Penticton Association