

RESOLUTION NO. 4417 NEW SERIES

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, URGING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO ALLOCATE THE 700 MHZ D-BLOCK OF THE BROADBAND SPECTRUM TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

WHEREAS, fragmented sections of the radio spectrum have over time been designated for official uses specifically related to public safety and security; the value and efficiency of dedicating a consolidated single-frequency band to public safety radio communications has grown increasingly evident;

WHEREAS, interference-free broadcast spectrum for reliable and interoperable wireless data and voice communications are essential to continued enhancement of the effectiveness of municipal public safety first responders;

WHEREAS, the segment of 700 MHz spectrum known as the "D-Block" provides an opportunity to continue to enhance first responder communications and emergency response capabilities; and

WHEREAS, the federal government, as the regulatory authority over the allocation of the radio spectrum, has a responsibility to provide the telecommunications capability necessary to create secure and dedicated National Public Safety Broadband communications network for use by public safety and emergency services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE as follows:

SECTION 1. That the federal government accept this resolution as a request to work with states and localities to build the National Public Safety Broadband communications network and ensure affordable access to the necessary public safety equipment. That the federal government accept this resolution as a request that 700 MHz D-Block spectrum be reallocated and dedicated to public safety use for the purpose of building a National Public Safety Broadband communications network.

SECTION 2. That the federal government accept this resolution as a request that 700 MHz D-Block spectrum be reallocated and dedicated to public safety use for the purpose of building a National Public Safety Broadband communications network.

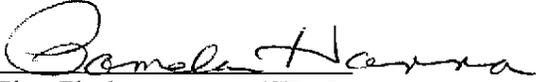
SECTION 3. That the federal government accept this resolution as a request to work directly with representatives of state and local governments to ensure appropriate governance model for dedicated public safety use of the D-Block spectrum.

SECTION 4. That the federal government accept this resolution as a request to ensure that municipalities are included in all national interoperability public safety planning efforts.

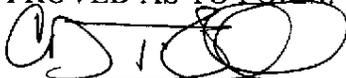
PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Glendale, Maricopa County, Arizona, this 28th day of September, 2010.


MAYOR

ATTEST:


City Clerk (SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


City Attorney

REVIEWED BY:


City Manager