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FCC ANNOUNCES RENEWAL OF DIVERSITY COMMITTEE'S CHARTER, APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE RE-CHARTERED COMMITTEE; AND SCHEDULING OF MAY 7, 2009, COMMITTEE MEETING

The Federal Communications Commission announces the re-chartering and appointment of members and Chairperson to its Advisory Committee on Diversity for Communications in the Digital Age ("Diversity Committee") through December 16, 2010. The Diversity Committee makes recommendations to the Commission regarding policies and practices that will further enhance the ability of minorities and women to participate in the telecommunications and related industries.

The Diversity Committee is organized under, and will operate in accordance with, the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App 2 (1988). Each meeting of the Diversity Committee will be open to the public, unless otherwise noted. A notice of each meeting will be published in the Federal Register in advance of the meeting. Records will be maintained of each meeting and made available for public inspection.

The roster as appointed by acting Chairman Michael J. Copps is as follows:

Chairman

Henry Rivera

Emma Bowen Foundation for Minority Interests in Media

Members

ABC Television Network

Robert Mendez

Afro-American Newspapers

Jake Oliver

American Women in Radio and Television

Maria E. Brennan

Asian American Justice Center

Karen K. Narasaki

AT&T Mobility and Consumer Markets

Ralph de la Vega

BET Holdings, Inc.

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Chickasaw Nation Industries, Inc.

Geoffrey C. Blackwell

Council Tree Communications

Steve Hillard

Google, Inc.

Alan B. Davidson

Inner City Broadcasting

Charles Warfield

Media Access Project

Andrew Schwartzman

Minority Media and Telecommunications Council

David Honig

Mio.TV

Jenny Alonzo

National Association of Black Owned Broadcasters

James Winston

National Association of Broadcasters

Jane Mago

National Urban League

Marc H. Morial

National Cable Television Association

James M. Assey, Jr.

National Credit Union Administration

Rodney Hood

One Economy Corporation

Rey Ramsey

Opportunity Capital Partners

Anita Stephens Graham

Patrick Communications

Susan K. Patrick

Qwest

Melissa Newman

The RLJ Companies
Lisa Pickrum

Roberts Broadcasting Companies LLC
Michael V. Roberts

Ronson Network Services
Ronald Johnson

Shooting Star Broadcasting
Diane Sutter

Showtime Networks
Matthew Blank

Spanish Broadcasting System
Raúl Alarcón, Jr.

Verizon
Kathy Brown

Virgin Mobile
Toni Cook Bush

Upcoming Meeting of the Diversity Committee: The Diversity Committee is scheduled to hold a meeting on May 7, 2009, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, in the Commission Meeting Room at the headquarters of the Federal Communications Commission, TW-C305, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20554. The meeting is open to the general public. The Commission will attempt to accommodate as many people as possible. Admittance, however, will be limited to the seating available. Real Audio access to the meeting will be available at www.fcc.gov/.

Written Comments: Members of the public may submit written comments before the meeting to: Barbara Kreisman, Designated Federal Officer, at Barbara.Kreisman@fcc.gov or by U.S. Postal Mail (FCC, Room 2A-665, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20554).

People with Disabilities: Open captioning will be provided for this event. Other reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Request for such accommodations should be submitted via e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or by calling the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau at (202) 418-0530 (voice), (202) 418-0432 (tty). Such requests should include a detailed description of the accommodation needed. In addition, please include a way we can contact you if we need more information. Please allow at least five days advance notice; last minute requests will be accepted, but may be impossible to fill.

Publicly available documents regarding the Diversity Committee are available for inspection and copying at the FCC Public Reference Room, CY-A257, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20554. In addition, information about the Diversity Committee, including selected publicly available documents, can be found at www.fcc.gov/DiversityFAC.

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