

# FCC 388

## DTV Consumer Education Quarterly Activity Report

### Instructions

This form should be used to provide the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) with information pertaining to all station activity to educate consumers on the transition to digital television (DTV). All stations should log DTV Transition-Related Public Service Announcements (PSAs) and other DTV activities using the appropriate house (identification) numbers. These logs or records should include the date and time that each DTV activity occurred. This form must be filed in Docket Number 07-148 as Document Type: REPORT, and placed in the station's Public Inspection File. This form must continue to be filed for each quarter in which a station has DTV Transition education obligations.

- Go to the ECFS upload page: [http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/prod/ecfs/upload\\_v2.cgi](http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/prod/ecfs/upload_v2.cgi)
- Fill out the relevant cover sheet information.
- In the "Send Comment Files to FCC (Attachments)" section click the "Browse" button to choose the file you want to attach. (Or the first file if you have multiple files to attach)
- Click on the "Select one of these file types or convert your file to one of these types:" dropdown to choose the type of file that was attached.
- Click "Send Attached File to FCC"
- If you only had one file to attach click "Finish Transaction and Receive Confirmation".
- If you have another file to attach, click on the "Enter Additional Attachments"

Station Call Sign(s)

WFLD

Report reflects information for quarter ending (mm/dd/yy)

03/31/08

Have you opted to comply with Option One, Two, or Three (once elected, this choice may not change)?

Option One (A and D)

Option Two (B and D)

Option Three (C and D)

Over the past quarter, have you fully complied with the requirements of this option?

Yes  No

### Simulcasting

Are you simulcasting on your Analog channel and your primary Digital stream?

Yes  No

If YES, complete only one form for both. If NO, complete a form for your Analog channel and a second for your primary Digital stream

Call Sign WFLD	Channel Numbers		Community of License			
	Analog	32 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	City	State	County	Zip Code
	Digital	31 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CHICAGO	IL	COOK	60601
Licensee FOX TELEVISION STATIONS, INC						
Above, circle the Channel Number(s) to which this form applies.			Nielsen DMA CHICAGO	World Wide Web Home Page Address www.myfoxchicago.com		
Facility ID Number 22211	Previous Call Sign (if applicable) N/A		License Renewal Expiration Date (mm/dd/yy) 12/01/13			

**Section A (For broadcasters electing Option One)**

Stations that elect Option One must place a copy of this form on the station's public website, if such exists.

On its analog channel, and its primary digital stream, a station must air one transition PSA, and run one transition crawl, in every quarter of every day. This requirement will increase to two PSAs and crawls per quarter per day on April 1, 2008, and to three of each on October 1, 2008. Stations are required to air PSAs or crawls at various times in any given day part, and at least one PSA and one crawl per day must be run during primetime hours. On-air education must not contain inaccurate or misleading statements and must be provided in the same language as a majority of the programming carried by the station. PSAs must be at least 15 seconds, and closed-captioned. Crawls must run during programming for no fewer than 60 consecutive seconds across the bottom or top of the viewing area (See rules for additional details).

Have you aired a sufficient number of eligible PSAs (28, 56, or 84 per week, depending on the reporting period) during the correct quarters of the day?

Yes       No

Have you aired a sufficient number of eligible crawls (28, 56, or 84 per week, depending on the reporting period) during the correct quarters of the day?

Yes       No

**Section B (For broadcasters electing Option Two)**

On its analog channel, and its primary digital stream, a station must run an average of 16 transition-related PSAs and 16 transition-related crawls, snipes, and/or tickers per week in each quarter, all between the hours of 5 a.m. and 1 a.m.. It must also run one 30 minute DTV-related informational program once, and one 100-Day Countdown piece per day for the 100 days prior to the conclusion of the transition. Comment boxes MUST be used to describe these compliant activities (See rules for additional details).

**Total Number of Eligible DTV Transition-Related PSAs and Crawls, Snipes, and/or Tickers (CSTs) Run -- Last Quarter**

How many DTV PSAs and CSTs did your station run between 5:00 a.m. and 1:00 a.m. last quarter?

Total 5:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. PSAs

2

Total 5:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. CSTs

4

For informational purposes only, how many DTV PSAs and CSTs did your station run in the last quarter from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.?

Total 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. PSAs

0

Total 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. CSTs

0

For stations located in the Eastern or Pacific Time Zone, how many DTV PSAs and CSTs did your station run in the last quarter from 6:00 p.m. to 11:35 p.m. (must average at least 4 per week)?

Total 6:00 p.m. to 11:35 p.m. PSAs

N/A

Total 6:00 p.m. to 11:35 p.m. CSTs

N/A

For stations located in the Central or Mountain Time Zone, how many DTV PSAs and CSTs did your station run in the last quarter from 5:00 p.m. to 10:35 p.m.(must average at least 4 per week)?

Total 5:00 p.m. to 10:35 p.m. PSAs

1

Total 5:00 p.m. to 10:35 p.m. CSTs

0

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**30 Minute Educational Programs – Last Quarter**

How many 30 minute, DTV-related informational programs did your station run during the quarter? At least one such program must be run between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 11:35 p.m., prior to February 17, 2009.

Total number of 30 Minute Informational Programs

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Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**100-Day Countdown Eligible Pieces – Last Quarter**

Beginning on November 10, 2008, all stations participating in Option Two will engage in special 100-Day “Countdown to DTV” activities. Stations must execute a minimum of one “Countdown to DTV” on-air activity per day during the 100 days leading up to February 17, 2009. During the last quarter, how many of each eligible 100-Day “Countdown to DTV” pieces did your station run?

N/A *Graphic Displays*

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N/A *Animated Graphics*

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N/A *Graphic and Audio Displays*

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N/A *Longer Form Reminders*

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Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

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**Section C (For Noncommercial broadcasters only)**

On its analog channel, and its primary digital stream, a station must air 60 seconds per day of on-air consumer education, in variable timeslots, including at least 7.5 minutes per month between 6 pm and 12 am. Beginning May 1, 2008, this requirement doubles, and beginning November 1, 2008, it increases again, to 180 seconds per day and 22.5 minutes per month between 6 pm and midnight. It must also run one 30 minute transition education piece once (See rules for additional details).

Have you aired a sufficient amount of consumer education (60, 120, or 180 seconds per day, depending on the date) during each day this quarter?

Yes     No

**30 Minute Educational Programs – Last Quarter**

How many 30 minute, DTV-related informational programs did your station run during the quarter? The comment box may be used to describe this activity. At least one such program must be run between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 11:35 p.m., prior to February 17, 2009.

Total number of 30 Minute Informational Programs

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**Section D (For all broadcasters)**

**Additional DTV On-air Initiatives – Last Quarter**

Did your station run additional on-air initiatives (such as news reports, town hall meetings, etc.) during the quarter? The comment box may be used to describe these initiatives.

Yes  No

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**Station Website Additional Activity Related to the DTV Transition – Last Quarter**

Does your station have a Website?  Yes  No

If YES, did your station provide additional DTV related information or activities on that Website? The comment box may be used to describe what was posted on the station's Website.

Yes  No

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**Additional DTV Outreach Efforts -- Last Quarter**

Check all of the DTV related activities listed below that your station engaged in over the last quarter. The comment box may be used to describe this activity.

Speaking Engagements

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

Community Events

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

Other (describe)

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

**This comment box may be used to include other comments or information about your station's DTV activity over the last quarter.**

Comments (add additional sheets where necessary):

36 DTV pop-ups aired between 3/17/08-3/30/08

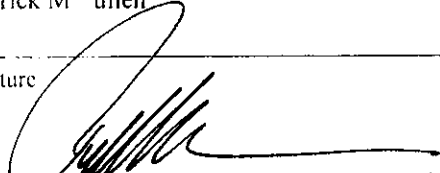
Aired stories on digital conversion on January 2nd, 2008 in our 12N and 10P newscasts. Also, aired one story on February 13, 2008 in our 5A newscast and a different story in our 10P newscast

See attached (Preparing Consumers for the DTV Transition)

See attached (DTV PSA Chicago)

## STATION CERTIFICATION

I certify that the statements in this document are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Patrick Mullen	Typed or Printed Title of Person Signing VP/General Manager
Signature <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 	Date 04/10/08

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).

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## Preparing Consumers for the DTV Transition

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With less than a year before our industry undergoes one of the most significant changes in recent history, FOX is working diligently to assist in the consumer awareness and education effort that is necessary and critical to facilitate the Digital Television (DTV) Transition. In addition to the mandated public service announcements and informational crawls, FOX has extended our consumer education outreach and focus to those groups identified by the Federal Communications Commission who are most vulnerable and at the highest risk of being negatively impacted by the DTV transition – namely multi-cultural communities, seniors, Native American and tribal communities, non-English speaking consumers, as well as socially- and economically- disadvantaged groups.

Guided by the expertise of FOX's Diversity Group, we have developed strategic partnerships with local and national multi-cultural, public interest groups – from civil rights organizations to educational institutions - to disseminate materials and information on the upcoming digital transition in English, Spanish, and Asian dialects. We have positioned ourselves as a reliable resource to over 250 organizations, reaching up to several million consumers, most of whom are hearing in-depth information about the DTV transition for the first time.

These *national* organizations include:

American Indian Chamber of Commerce	Japanese American National Museum
Asian American Justice Center	League of Latin American Citizens
Asian Federation	Mexican American Grocers Association
Asian Pacific American Legal Center	Minority Faith Communities
Bureau of Indian Affairs	NAACP
Congressional Black Caucus Foundation	National Assn. of Black Owned Broadcasters
Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute	National Congress of American Indians
Department of Health & Human Services	National Latino Media Council
Hispanic Association of Colleges & Universities	National Puerto Rican Council
Hispanic Federation	National Urban League
Historically Black Colleges and Universities	Native American Media & Technology Network
Indian Country Today	Organization of Chinese Americans
Japanese American Citizens League	

Specifically, we have provided these groups with the necessary materials to more effectively educate and direct their constituents through the conversion process, as well as encouraged them to facilitate workshops at national conferences; place articles in the organizations' newsletters and magazines; as well post the [www.dtv.gov](http://www.dtv.gov) link on their websites.

For more information, please contact the Government Relations office of News Corporation at 202.824.6500.

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**DTV PSA Tracker - CHICAGO WFLD**  
**October 23, 2007 - March 30, 2008**

Date	Spots Aired				Total Spots
	5a - 9a	9a - 5p	5p - Midnight	Midnight - 5a	
10/23 - 10/28/07	3	4	1	8	16
10/29 - 11/04/07	0	10	0	10	20
11/05 - 11/11/07	2	4	2	13	21
11/12 - 11/18/07	1	6	0	7	14
11/19 - 11/25/07	2	4	6	10	22
11/26 - 12/02/07	0	7	0	7	14
12/3 - 12/9/07	3	9	0	11	23
12/10 - 12/16/07	9	3	6	2	20
12/17 - 12/23/07	7	15	8	8	38
12/24 - 12/30/07	8	21	7	4	40
12/31/07 - 1/6/2008	14	12	10	6	42
1/7 - 1/13/08	8	10	10	5	33
1/14 - 1/20/2008	8	10	8	5	31
1/21 - 1/27/08	7	20	14	5	46
1/28 - 2/3/08	6	5	10	7	28
2/4 - 2/10/08	6	6	12	5	29
2/11 - 2/17/08	5	5	4	0	14
2/18 - 2/24/08	11	19	4	7	41
2/25 - 3/2/08	8	12	9	8	37
3/3 - 3/9/08	9	11	8	6	34
3/10 - 3/16/08	8	11	4	10	33
3/17 - 3/23/08	1	7	0	0	8
3/24 - 3/30/08	6	11	5	0	22

		Totals					
		5a - 9a	9a - 5p	5p - Midnight	Midnight - 5a		
		132	222	128	144	626	

<b>TOTAL SPOTS AIRED:</b>	<b>626</b>
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