

1 HOLLOWAY: Okay. Dr. Hoffman is not here is he?

2 LAWRENCE: He already spoke.

3 HOLLOWAY: Yeah, he already spoke so. Steve Taylor?

4 TAYLOR: My name is Steven Taylor. I live at 828 Golden Point

5 Drive and I would like to say I adamantly support CARE and the people who

6 have testified against the tower and I would urge you to vote against approving

7 the tower. And when you struggle with this decision I would ask you to look at

8 the children you see on the streets and look at the pregnant women because

9 those people will be the most affected by your decision. Thank you.

10 HOLLOWAY: Thank you. Lili Bell Shelton? Did Bill Astle already

11 speak or is Bill Astle is he here?

12 AUDIENCE: He's gone. He left a letter that he's forwarded.

13 HOLLOWAY: Okay. And do we have it?

14 LAWRENCE: It's in our packet.

15 HOLLOWAY: It's in our packet? Okay. Thank you. Harriet

16 Weltman? Jerry, looks like is it Jerry Rupp, 607 Aspen Lane. Nobody's claiming

17 that. Eugenie Roscoe?

18 ROSCOE: I have to put my reading glasses on. My name is

19 Eugenie Roscoe. I live at 21636 Panorama Drive, Golden 80401. And I have

20 lived there and owned that property for 30 years approximately. What concerns

21 me listening to these hearings has been it seems to me that the Lake Cedar

22 Group is trying to transfer their technical problems to the Board of

23 Commissioners. They cite problems with alternative sites. For example they say

1 that the Squaw Mountain location would not cover Boulder, that KCNC could not
2 be moved because of interference with other stations, that a flat land tower would
3 not reach certain other metro areas and so on. They say they must have the
4 Lookout Mountain site because they need the additional 2,000 plus feet of height.
5 Even as one of their experts attests that there is no transmission tower in the
6 entire country over 2,050 feet, most being far under that. This poses some
7 interesting technical questions but I think they're irrelevant. To put it plainly these
8 are Lake Cedar's problems and certainly not those of the BOC. The Board is not
9 obligated to access television and FM transmission to Boulder or the greater
10 Denver area or indeed anywhere. The Board's responsibility is to represent the
11 interests of Jefferson County citizens and above all to do them no harm. To
12 approve the proposed megaboost in transmissions in this already highly exposed
13 residential area and to ignore the property rights of affected citizens is to put a
14 very high price on something that is in no way Jefferson County's responsibility.
15 This sitting Board cannot be held accountable for the past patchwork of very bad
16 zoning and special use decisions that are resulted...that have resulted in the
17 existing antenna farm. But it need not regard the precedent of past bad
18 decisions as a mandate for future bad policy. It can however stop the damage.
19 It can do what no Jeffco Board has done before. It can mandate a permanent
20 solution for the antenna problem. The first step would be to stop any additional
21 placements in Jeffco residential areas and highly exposed elevations. It can let
22 the state and metro governments and the broadcast industry know that it is not
23 the business of Jefferson County to furnish cheap antenna locations at the

1 expense of it's citizens. It can inform those government entities that they have at
2 least as much stake in this matter as Jefferson County. And to let the
3 broadcasters know that it is their own responsibility to solve their technical
4 problems. And from another view such an approach would be entirely consistent
5 with this Board's open space policies. The existing antenna farm would over
6 time become obsolete. As it stands and expands it is a blight on the gateway to
7 Clear Creek Canyon, that same canyon which at the cost of many millions of
8 taxpayer dollars has been a centerpiece of County preservation. As you see I
9 ask that you deny this application.

10 HOLLOWAY: Any questions?

11 ROSCOE: Do I need to give a copy of this?

12 LAWRENCE: You read it into the record.

13 HOLLOWAY Yeah. You read it into the record so you're okay.

14 You can keep your copy. Thank you. Dave Kibler? No Dave. Okay. David

15 Vennitti? Sorry if I butcher all of your names but...

16 VENNITTI: That's okay. I'm right here. My name is Dave

17 Vennitti, V-E-N-N-I-T-T-I. I live at 44 Lookout Mountain Circle Golden Colorado.

18 Thank you, Commissioners for giving me the opportunity to speak with you this

19 evening. I'm an electrical engineer with a background in design of equipment

20 used to detect ionizing radiation, primarily charged particles and neutrons. In

21 interest of time I'll keep my remarks very brief. There are two things I'd like to

22 talk about. First much has been said about the increased level of interference

23 that will be experienced if this tower is built. However it can be more than just a