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COMMISSIONER TATE TO VISIT NASHVILLE AND CHATTANOOGA, TN FOR DTV OUTREACH

Visit is Part of Nationwide Tour Focusing on Markets with High Levels of Over-the-Air Television Viewers

Washington, DC – FCC Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate announced she will visit Nashville, Tennessee, on October 6th and Chattanooga, Tennessee on October 7th to hold Town Halls on the digital television (DTV) transition. This visit is part of an extensive nationwide initiative the Commission has launched to increase awareness about the upcoming transition to digital television. Comcast Nashville is similarly committed to this goal and, to that end, is hosting the events in Nashville and Chattanooga.

WHO:	FCC Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate
WHAT:	Town Hall on the DTV Transition
WHEN:	Monday, October 6, 2008, 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM
WHERE:	Waller, Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP
	511 Union Street, Suite 2700
	Nashville, TN 37219
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WHO:	FCC Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate
WHAT:	Town Hall on the DTV Transition
WHEN:	Tuesday, October 7, 2008, 11:00AM – 12:00PM
WHERE:	Eastgate Senior Activity Center
	5600 Brainerd Road (Inside Eastgate Mall)
	Chattanooga, Tennessee 37411
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The FCC identified target television markets for specific DTV outreach, including all those markets in which more than 100,000 households or at least 15% of the households rely solely on over-the-air signals for television reception. The five FCC Commissioners and senior

Commission staff will visit these and other markets to raise awareness and educate consumers in the days leading up to the DTV transition on February 17, 2009.

Reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Include a description of the accommodation you will need with as much detail as possible. Also include a way we can contact you if we need more information. Please provide as much advance notice as possible; last minute requests will be accepted, but may be impossible to fill. Send an e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202-418-0530 (voice), 202-418-0432 (TTY).

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