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Washington, DC 20001

Dear sir:

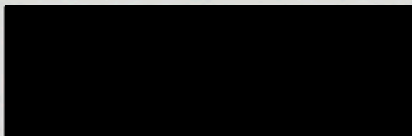
First, allow me to say that I have watched your programming on my local cable system for several years now. I have found it to be interesting and informative, and I congratulate you on the success of your network.

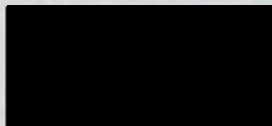
I have recently become involved in producing programs for the Iowa City cable system's Public Access TV channel. In this connection, I have conceived the idea of producing programs of political commentary for this channel. In doing so, it would be very convenient if I could be permitted to use video from your channel in this programming. My conception would be to arrange for local people to view, and humorously discuss and react to speeches and other events of public interest. I anticipate that I might use one to two hours of your programming per month. I would not need any special technical arrangements, as videotapes made with my VCR off the cable system here in Iowa City would be entirely adequate to my needs. I would, of course, give full screen credit to your network as the source of this footage.

Since this program would be produced for a public access channel, none of the participants would receive any compensation for their time or talents, including myself. I am writing to you, rather than one of the other networks, because it is my hope that your network's focus on public service might prompt you to permit this use, where the commercial networks might charge me usage fees which would be beyond my means.

Whatever your response to this request, I do wish you continued success with your network. If I have not heard from you in 30 days, I shall assume that you have no objection if I make this use of your programming.

Sincerely,





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