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C-Span -

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Viewer

I have been watching C-Span for many years. I must say at the outset that I will protest the appearance of Oriana Huffington on your morning program. She is a disgrace to politics with her background and her relentless effort to be first lady of U.S. Expressing her contempt for poor people as she did does not do a lot for her royal image.

I think the new format will work to some extent but I do not think many people are interested in local newspapers. Also by this process I do not think a true picture of opinions

is presented. I understand
callers are screened and I think
this is a mistake. Most callers
are programmed in advance by
thoughts heard on a talk show and
most times have wrong information.

Do we have to listen to
Speaker Gingrich every morning
with his slippery answers to
the press? Also why not insist on
showing the empty house during
"special orders" as was previously
done. I know the Republican's object.

I miss the "reporters round
table" on Friday morning. I find that
the reporters selected for news comments
every day have a certain opinion to
stress - mostly majority opinions.
Sincerely

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