

February 28, 2002

**Mr. Lee Kent
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Dear Mr. Kent:

I am writing this letter, first of all, to thank you for your professionalism, insight and words of wisdom, you have shared with me, as well as your vision for COOL 105-5.

I am certainly excited about watching your vision reach fruition. And, feel certain that your vision, is in great part my own! Regardless, of the capacity in which I realize this vision, as a working comrade for COOL 105-5, or as what I am naturally ... a demographic listener, I, sincerely, wish you and COOL 105-5 much success.

Secondly, as you are well aware, I have been contemplating for some time now to leave my employment with LM Communications, based on various professional reasons of which, some, I have shared verbally with you.

I had thought, the weekend of March 2nd and 3rd, would be my last weekend at COOL 105-5. However, our conversation on this Wednesday, has piqued my interest, I must confess. And, I do appreciate your sincerity in asking me to stay. Furthermore, I must reiterate, that my decision to leave was made, and based solely on numerous events, prior to your arrival to COOL 105-5.

At this juncture, and after much consideration regarding our discussion on Wednesday, it would take the following from LM Communications – WCOO, to start emptying my cup of over-fullness, thereby, causing me to re-consider my previous decision and stay with COOL 105-5 in sincere effort to help reach the vision together:

A specific raise to at least \$10 an hour while in continued part-time status (inclusive of my previous generic request for “just a raise” the month of my one-year anniversary with LM Communications, in October 2001, of which I was lead to believe would be forthcoming and has not yet been received!).

And, certainly more than equal to that of my radio comrades that have become employed or re-employed by WCOO after me, which is all of the staff currently employed under WCOO. I too, was not entry level when I started with LM Communications, having worked in radio prior in the Charleston market at WWVZ & WMGL between 1995 and 1997. And, I have proven myself in ratings during periods that have not been interfered by Citadel football on Saturday afternoons or the frequency change over the Summer 2001.

Also, if consideration is given to me, in the future, for a full-time or specific weekday day-part, I would expect a "true salary" to be negotiated at that time.

Additionally, I will need the weekend of Saturday, March 9th and Sunday, March 10th off.

Saturday, March 9th, is the long awaited Charleston's Promise Children's Festival and Turbo Turtle Race at Brittle Bank Park. I have labored long, tenaciously and diligently, for well over a year, in effort to do my part in helping Charleston's Promise plan this event for the children of the LowCountry and for it to be a pleasurable memory, for all, in years to come.

At the same time, I have continued to promote COOL 105-5 in the community in a positive manner, regardless of the outcome, any acknowledgement and support, or lack there of, from my peers and LM Communications.

On Sunday, March 10th, as I have previously indicated, my son is receiving the Statewide 4-A Football Player of the Year Award in Columbia at a banquet that begins at 2pm. I plan on traveling to Columbia, Saturday evening after the children's festival.

Thirdly, regardless of the outcome of the aforementioned, I trust we can and will still work together for Charleston's Promise, as well as on other promotional endeavors. I still look forward to working with you and Mr. Brown's agent, perhaps as a consultant/liaison.

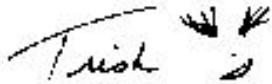
Lee, I have enjoyed the opportunity to work with you for this short time in the field in which I choose to major in college, Mass Communications - Radio/TV Broadcasting (Radio Concentration). Thanks for your mentoring!

Finally, I hope that we can reach an amicable resolution for all parties concerned. If my specific requests cannot be met at this time, then please accept this as my formal Letter of Resignation, because I am seriously feeling the infamous words of one of the greatest rhythm & blues artist ... B.B. King ... "The thrill is gone!" (smile)

And Lee, should this not work out at this particular time, PLEASE, keep me in YOUR mind for any future endeavors or opportunities that you know I would be well suited for.

The quality and work ethic you desire is in the character of the individual; the commitment you seek comes from the heart, as I remain ...

Respectfully,



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