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Dear Program Director:

First of all, my name is "Big John" Horton and I live in Poteau, OK. I'm a pretty talented guy who's looking for a full-time on-air position. I've been in Country for my career, but I am interested in doing Rock or even do a little Talk Radio. I am passionate about Radio, can bring ideas to the table, love working on imaging and production, and want to be a part of the team. Not be apart from the team. My philosophy is simple: "Actions speak louder than words + Do what I say I'm going to do = Kicking the butt of those in the way." I have next to no ego, competitive, my imaging and my production skills are really good, I'm a quick learner, and I am HUNGRY FOR KNOWLEDGE. Hoping to own an AM/FM station one day soon. If you need a voice guy, let's talk. I am a certified Storm Spotter with my Technicians License (Ham Radio – KF5UUV), a Public Notary for the state of Oklahoma, a member of the Le Flore County Emergency Management Agency Communications Support Team (LCEM-CST) along with the Oklahoma Medical Reserve Corps (OKMRC) – Leflore County chapter #1987, the ring announcer for TWO wrestling organizations: S.A.W. & E.T.C.W. AND to top it all off, I have my own online radio station called "TBJs Radio Network" (www.tbjsradio.com) where I am heard weekdays 10am to 2pm CDT! I guess you could call me the total package and it would be good to catch me while I am on my way up. My website is found at www.thebigjohnshow.com for more details.

With all this said, ask yourself this question: what can I do when I'm employed by YOU? Just look at my resume and listen to my air-check so that I may be considered for an on-air position that you may have now or in the near future. Please feel free to email me at bigjohn@thebigjohnshow.com and my phone number is (918) 839-0972. Willing to re-locate if the gig is worth it. I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

"Big John" Horton

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Objective Proven On-Air Talent with experienced Commercial Production, Remote Broadcasting, and Station Imaging wants to work for you. Utilizes skills to achieve a common goal: To be the best! Looking and hoping to be syndicated again. Can work phones and feed off listener interaction both on and off the air. Do you need help with imaging? I want to help!

Education August 1999 – December 2002 Carl Albert State College in Poteau, OK.

- AA Degree in Computer Information Systems.
- AA Degree in Telecommunications.
- Phi Theta Kappa (Alpha Delta Lambda) – Recording Secretary Officer.
- Baccus – Vice President of Leadership.
- Student Activity Board – Board Member.

Experience

October 2015 – Present KFSM 950 AM & Hog Country 93.1 FM (Stereo 93) in Fort Smith, AR.

- Helped Launched "*Rock 94.1*"
- Helped Launched "*The Rooster 105.5 FM*"
- Helped Launched "*The River 101.9 FM*"
- Full time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John.
- On-Air Weekdays 9:00pm until 2:00pm (former Afternoon Drive 2-6pm)
- Assistant Program Director (Music Director)
- Trained in the knowledge of DAD (Enco)
- Trained in the knowledge of Natural Music Log
- Trained in the knowledge of Ceasar Dial-up Remote Interface
- Trained in the knowledge of Comrex BRIC-Link
- Imaging Producer
- Producer on Brand Change (Hog Country 4/1/17)

January 2011 – Present TBJR Radio Network (Internet Radio) in Poteau, OK.

- Full time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John.
- On-Air Voice Tracked Weekdays 10:00am until 2:00pm.
- PSA / PD / MD Director
- Trained in the knowledge of StationPlaylist Studio
- Trained in the knowledge of StationPlaylist Creator
- Trained in the knowledge of StationPlaylist Remote VoiceTracker
- Trained in the knowledge of Telos Z/IP ONE
- Trained in the knowledge of Music1 Scheduler
- Trained in the knowledge of SAM Broadcaster

March 2013 – To October 2015 Rapid Detect, Inc in Poteau, OK.

- Assistant To Webmaster
- Assistant To Customer Service
- Voice-over Personality For Drug Testing Videos
- Blog Writer / Social Media

November 2011 – February 2013 KOMS 107.3 FM (Cumulus) in Fort Smith, AR.

- Part time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John.
- On-Air Week Days 3:00pm until 7:00pm.
- Promotions Assistant
- Trained in the knowledge of BSI Op-X Radio Automation
- Arbitron ratings - Fall 2012: #1 Men 25-54, #1 All Persons 25-54, and #3 Women 25-54.

March 2006 – January 2011 KTCS 99.9 FM (Big Chief) in Fort Smith, AR.

- Full time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John.
- Former PSA Director
- On-Air Week Nights 7:00pm until 12:00am.
- On-Air Saturday Nights 6:00pm until 12:00am.

April 2005 – December 2005 KFXI 92.1 FM / KIXO 106.1 in Marlow, OK.

- Full-time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John Monday through Friday (2pm to 7pm) Afternoon Drive.
- Trained in the knowledge of Scott Studios.
- Trained in the knowledge of Shortcut Audio Editor.
- Trained in the knowledge of Digilink II.
- PSA Director for Sister Station KIXO 106.1 FM.

January 2005 – April 2005 Clear Channel Radio in Fort Smith, AR.

- Board Operator
- Part time Board Operator for a 6 cluster station on Saturday 7am to 12pm.
- Trained in the knowledge of NexGen Digital Broadcast.

July 2003 – September 2004 KICM 97.7 FM in Ardmore, OK.

- Full time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John on Monday through Friday (6:00pm to Midnight) and Saturday schedule varied.
- The host of The Red Dirt Road Trip every weeknight at 9pm.
- PSA Director.
- Sports Producer/Engineer (Area High School Football/OU Football).
- Production (UDS, Adobe Audition, Simian Broadcast Software International).
- Trained Two Individuals for immediate Full-Time On-Air Personalities.
- Received "KICM Most Improved Personality Of 2003" Award.
- Simulcast on 93.7 KNOR in Dallas, TX Market from March to July 2004.
- Co-captain for Carter County's Relay-4-Life 2004 Cancer Fund (Raised \$473).

- February 2002 – July 2003 KTCS 99.9 FM in Fort Smith, AR.
- Part time On-Air Personality A.K.A. Big John.
 - On-Air on Friday Night/Saturday Mornings 12:00am until 9:00am, Saturday Nights from 7:00p.m. until Sunday Morning 4:00am, and Sunday Night/Monday Mornings 11:00pm until 6:00am.
 - Copy Writer/Production (DARTS, BE Audio Vault, Voice Track Scheduler, Cool Edit Pro 1.1, 2.0).

- June 2000 – May 2002 Carl Albert State College in Poteau, OK.
- Department of Telecommunications
 - Responsible for day-to-day operations of office and labs.
 - Assistant to Instructors and Administrator.
 - Micro-Internships at WorldCom in Tulsa (Owasso), OK.

- 1998-99 US Army Fort Jackson, SC. □
- Administrative Specialist □ Basic Training.
- Advanced Individual Training for Administrative Specialist.
 - Responsible for LAN.
 - Excellent Familiarity with Microsoft Office Suite including Excel, Access, and Outlook.

- 1997–1998 Staffmark Temporary Agency in Poteau, OK.
- Various Industrial Jobs
 - Kenco Plastic Company - Mold Injection Technician.
 - Wortz Cracker Company - Production Staff.

- June 1997 – October 1997 Encore Plastics in Poteau, OK.
- Machine Operator
 - Relief Operator – Assist other Mold Injection Technician.
 - Mold Injection Technician.

- February 1997 – May 1997 Internet Partners of America (PT) in Fort Smith, AR.
- Customer Service
 - Designed Web Pages using HTML and Front Page.
 - Customer Service and Guidance through problems.

- January 1997 – June 1997 Southwestern Glass in Van Buren, AR.
- Glass Manufacture
 - Side Pack – Packaging & Shipping Glass Products.
 - Hot Glass Carrier – From Mold to Production Line.
 - Glass Blower – Molding Hot Glass while in Liquid Form.

*References available upon request. I will be happy to email or bring them if you decide to do an interview at your earliest convenience.