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(54) SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SELECTING AND PROVIDING ZONE-SPECIFIC MEDIA

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(57)ABSTRACT

A system and method for providing zone-specific media to a user. As a non-limiting example, various aspects of this disclosure provide a system and method that flexibly selects and provides media content (e.g., audio content), where such content is selected based, at least in part, on a user location (e.g., location within a premises).

