

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554 June 15, 2022

Edward A. Schober, Executive Manager ZIP2, LLC P.O. Box 367 Haddon Heights, NJ 08035

Re: ZIP2, LLC

WKGE(AM), Johnstown, PA

Facility Identification Number: 72964 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20220608AAA

Dear Mr. Schober:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 8, 2022. ZIP2 requests a further extension of the STA granted on October 19, 2016, to continue ND operation with reduced power to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application to propose a new permanent facility. In support of the request, ZIP2 stated that it plans to file the application soon for a permanent facility at a new site (since not feasible to repair the extensive damage to the old licensed facility).

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and ZIP2 may continue ND operation using tower #5 of the WKGE array with a maximum of 2.5 kW (day and night). ZIP2 must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See 47*

 1 WKGE(AM) is licensed for DA operation on $850\,\mathrm{kHz}$ with $10\,\mathrm{kW}$ (day and night).

CFR §1.1310. The application must be filed with the audiofilings team when ready.

This authority expires on December 14, 2022.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division

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