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Pursuant to Public Notice, *Media Bureau Announces New Procedures for All Filings Currently Submitted in the Consolidated Database system (CDBS)*, DA 22-29, released January 11, 2022, addressed to audiofilings@fcc.gov; Rodolfo Bonacci, Assistant Chief, Audio Division (rodolfo.bonacci@fcc.gov); and Son Nguyen (son.nguyen@fcc.gov).

Marlene H. Dortch, Esquire
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Federal Communications Commission
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Washington, D.C. 20554

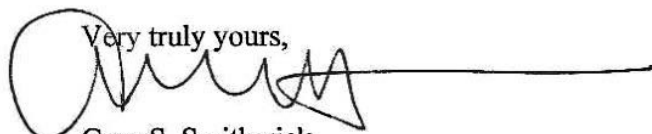
Re: WIZZ (AM), Greenfield, MA (Facility I.D. No. 48236)--FRN: **0009269424**
FCC Form 302-AM Application for License to Cover Permit
(FCC File No. BP-20210723AAI)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Saga Communications of New England, LLC ("Saga"), licensee of WIZZ(AM), Greenfield, MA (Facility I.D. No. 48236), is an FCC Form 302-AM Application for Broadcast Station License to cover Construction Permit File No. BP-20210723AAI.

Pursuant to Public Notice, DA 22-82, released January 25, 2022, please enter this application into CDBS and provide Saga with the associated file number so that Saga may pay the filing fee of \$720. Saga will then submit to audiofilings@fcc.gov an electronic copy of the proof of payment.

If there are any questions, please communicate with the undersigned.

Very truly yours,


Gary S. Smithwick
Counsel for
Saga Communications of New England, LLC

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Attachment-Form 302-AM

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FCC 302-AM
APPLICATION FOR AM
BROADCAST STATION LICENSE

(Please read instructions before filling out form.)

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FILE NO.

SECTION I - APPLICANT FEE INFORMATION

1. PAYOR NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

Saga Communications of New England, LLC

MAILING ADDRESS (Line 1) (Maximum 35 characters)

73 Kercheval Avenue

MAILING ADDRESS (Line 2) (Maximum 35 characters)

CITY

Grosse Pointe Farms

STATE OR COUNTRY (if foreign address)

MI

ZIP CODE

48236

TELEPHONE NUMBER (include area code)

313-886-7070

CALL LETTERS

WIZZ

OTHER FCC IDENTIFIER (if applicable)

Fac. ID. 54779

2. A. Is a fee submitted with this application?

Yes No

B. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R. Section

Governmental Entity Noncommercial educational licensee Other (Please explain):

C. If Yes, provide the following information:

Enter in Column (A) the correct Fee Type Code for the service you are applying for. Fee Type Codes may be found in the "Mass Media Services Fee Filing Guide." Column (B) lists the Fee Multiple applicable for this application. Enter fee amount due in Column (C).

(A)	(B)	(C)	
FEE TYPE CODE	FEE MULTIPLE	FEE DUE FOR FEE TYPE CODE IN COLUMN (A)	FOR FCC USE ONLY
M M R	0 0 0 1	\$720	

To be used only when you are requesting concurrent actions which result in a requirement to list more than one Fee Type Code.

(A)	(B)	(C)	
	FEE MULTIPLE	FEE DUE	FOR FCC USE ONLY
	0 0 0 1	\$	

ADD ALL AMOUNTS SHOWN IN COLUMN C, AND ENTER THE TOTAL HERE. THIS AMOUNT SHOULD EQUAL YOUR ENCLOSED REMITTANCE.

TOTAL AMOUNT REMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION	FOR FCC USE ONLY
\$	

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SECTION II - APPLICANT INFORMATION		
1. NAME OF APPLICANT Saga Communications of New England, LLC		
MAILING ADDRESS 73 Kercheval Avenue		
CITY Grosse Pointe Farms	STATE MI	ZIP CODE 48236

2. This application is for:

- Commercial Noncommercial
 AM Directional AM Non-Directional

Call letters WIZZ	Community of License Greenfield, MA	Construction Permit File No. BP-20210723AAI	Modification of Construction Permit File No(s). ---	Expiration Date of Last Construction Permit 11/23/2024
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3. Is the station now operating pursuant to automatic program test authority in accordance with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1620?

Yes No

If No, explain in an Exhibit.

Exhibit No.

4. Have all the terms, conditions, and obligations set forth in the above described construction permit been fully met?

Yes No

If No, state exceptions in an Exhibit. The license of co-located station WHMQ has been surrendered. Conditions #4 & #5 on the CP authorization are moot.

Exhibit No.

5. Apart from the changes already reported, has any cause or circumstance arisen since the grant of the underlying construction permit which would result in any statement or representation contained in the construction permit application to be now incorrect?

Yes No

If Yes, explain in an Exhibit.

WIZZ is no longer a duplex operation with WHMQ.
WIZZ will be the sole facility using the tower formerly used by WHMQ.

Exhibit No.

6. Has the permittee filed its Ownership Report (FCC Form 323) or ownership certification in accordance with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3615(b)?

Yes No

If No, explain in an Exhibit.

Does not apply

Exhibit No.

7. Has an adverse finding been made or an adverse final action been taken by any court or administrative body with respect to the applicant or parties to the application in a civil or criminal proceeding, brought under the provisions of any law relating to the following: any felony; mass media related antitrust or unfair competition; fraudulent statements to another governmental unit; or discrimination?

Yes No

If the answer is Yes, attach as an Exhibit a full disclosure of the persons and matters involved, including an identification of the court or administrative body and the proceeding (by dates and file numbers), and the disposition of the litigation. Where the requisite information has been earlier disclosed in connection with another application or as required by 47 U.S.C. Section 1.65(c), the applicant need only provide: (i) an identification of that previous submission by reference to the file number in the case of an application, the call letters of the station regarding which the application or Section 1.65 information was filed, and the date of filing; and (ii) the disposition of the previously reported matter.

Exhibit No.

8. Does the applicant, or any party to the application, have a petition on file to migrate to the expanded band (1605-1705 kHz) or a permit or license either in the existing band or expanded band that is held in combination (pursuant to the 5 year holding period allowed) with the AM facility proposed to be modified herein?

Yes No

If Yes, provide particulars as an Exhibit.

Exhibit No.

The APPLICANT hereby waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because use of the same, whether by license or otherwise, and requests and authorization in accordance with this application. (See Section 304 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended).

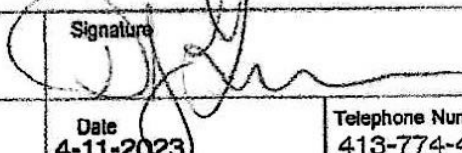
The APPLICANT acknowledges that all the statements made in this application and attached exhibits are considered material representations and that all the exhibits are a material part hereof and are incorporated herein as set out in full in

CERTIFICATION

1. By checking Yes, the applicant certifies, that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862, or, in the case of a non-individual applicant (e.g., corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. Section 1.2002(b).

Yes No

2. I certify that the statements in this application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

Name Dan Guin	Signature 	
Title Vice President	Date 4-11-2023	Telephone Number 413-774-4301

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE OR CONSTRUCTION

FCC NOTICE TO INDIVIDUALS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

The solicitation of personal information requested in this application is authorized by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. The Commission will use the information provided in this form to determine whether grant of the application is in the public interest. In reaching that determination, or for law enforcement purposes, it may become necessary to refer personal information contained in this form to another government agency. In addition, all information provided in this form will be available for public inspection. If information requested on the form is not provided, the application may be returned without action having been taken upon it or its processing may be delayed while a request is made to provide the missing information. Your response is required to obtain the requested authorization.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 639 hours and 53 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden, can be sent to the Federal Communications Commission, Records Management Branch, Paperwork Reduction Project (3060-0627), Washington, D. C. 20554. Do NOT send completed forms to this address.

THE FOREGOING NOTICE IS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974, P.L. 93-579, DECEMBER 31, 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(3), AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT OF 1980, P.L. 96-511, DECEMBER 11, 1980, 44 U.S.C. 3507.

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9. Description of antenna system ((f directional antenna is used, the information requested below should be given for each element of the array. Use separate sheets if necessary.)

Type Radiator Tapered, self-supporting vertical radiator	Overall height in meters of radiator above base insulator, or above base, if grounded. 45.7	Overall height in meters above ground (without obstruction lighting) 47.0	Overall height in meters above ground (include obstruction lighting) 47.0	If antenna is either top loaded or sectionalized, describe fully in an Exhibit. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Exhibit No. N/A</div>
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Excitation Series Shunt

Geographic coordinates to nearest second. For directional antenna give coordinates of center of array. For single vertical radiator give tower location.

North Latitude	42 ° 35 ' 20 "	West Longitude	72 ° 37 ' 05 "
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If not fully described above, attach as an Exhibit further details and dimensions including any other antenna mounted on tower and associated isolation circuits.

Exhibit No.
N/A

Also, if necessary for a complete description, attach as an Exhibit a sketch of the details and dimensions of ground system.

Exhibit No.
N/A

10. In what respect, if any, does the apparatus constructed differ from that described in the application for construction permit or in the permit?

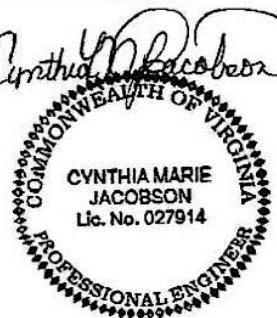
The co-located facility of WHMQ, Facility ID #25834 turned in their license and therefore the site is no longer a diplex site.

11. Give reasons for the change in antenna or common point resistance.

N/A - different tower

I certify that I represent the applicant in the capacity indicated below and that I have examined the foregoing statement of technical information and that it is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name (Please Print or Type) Cynthia M. Jacobson	Signature (check appropriate box) 
Address (include ZIP Code) Carl T. Jones Corp. 7901 Yarnwood Ct. Springfield, VA 22153	Date Telephone No. (Include Area Cod) 703-569-7704



- Technical Director
- Registered Professional Engineer
- Chief Operator
- Technical Consultant
- Other (specify)

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**STATEMENT OF CYNTHIA M. JACOBSON, P.E.
IN SUPPORT OF AN
APPLICATION FOR STATION LICENSE
WIZZ(AM) – GREENFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS
1520 kHz – 1.0 kW DAY/0.160 kW CRITICAL HOURS – ND-2
Facility ID: 54779**

Applicant: Saga Communications of New England, LLC

I am a Radio Engineer, an employee in the firm of Carl T. Jones Corporation with offices located in Springfield, Virginia. My education and experience are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission. I am a Registered Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia, Registration No. 0402027914.

GENERAL

This office has been authorized by Saga Communications of New England, LLC, licensee of AM Broadcast Station WIZZ, Greenfield, Massachusetts, to prepare this statement and FCC Form 302 AM-Section III in support of an Application for License to cover the outstanding Construction Permit, BP-20210723AAI. The Construction Permit

authorizes the relocation of the WIZZ transmission facilities to the transmitter site of Station WHMQ, Greenfield, Massachusetts.¹

The outstanding construction permit authorizes WIZZ to operate non-directionally on a frequency of 1520 kHz with a daytime power of 1.0 kW and Critical Hours power of 0.160 kW. The construction permit authorized WIZZ to collocate with AM Station WHMQ, Greenfield, Massachusetts. WHMQ was licensed to operate non-directionally on a frequency of 1240 kHz with a daytime and nighttime power of 1.0 kW, but has since turned in the license authorization (FCC File No. BML-21091028ACR). The request to cancel the license of WHMQ was filed with the Commission on March 20, 2023. The WIZZ operation as proposed in the outstanding Construction Permit, BP-20210723AAI, will no longer be a diplex operation. WIZZ will be the sole facility using the tower formerly used by WHMQ.

IMPEDANCE AND CURRENT MEASUREMENTS

The WIZZ tower impedance was measured by the engineering staff of WIZZ. The measured impedance at the WIZZ operating frequency of 1520 kHz was found to be $Z = 36.5 + j10.5$ Ohms. Based on the measured output resistance, the transmitter was adjusted for a current reading on the base current meter of 5.23 Amperes, corresponding

¹ The license of WHMQ has been cancelled since the preparation of the Application for Construction Permit in July 2021.

to the authorized daytime power of 1.0 kW and 2.09 Amperes for the authorized Critical Hours power of 0.160 kW.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT SPECIAL CONDITIONS

The WIZZ Construction Permit contains several special requirements with respect to proposed site, which are required to be satisfied before program tests are authorized. These special requirements are described in Special Conditions 4 and 5 of the Construction Permit authorization and are paraphrased here as follows:

Condition 4: The permittee/licensee in coordination with other users of the site must reduce power or cease operation as necessary to protect persons having access to the site, tower or antenna from radiofrequency electromagnetic fields in excess of FCC guidelines.

Condition 5: Before program tests are authorized, sufficient data shall be submitted to show that adequate filters, traps, and other equipment has been installed and adjusted to prevent interaction, intermodulation, and/or generation of spurious radiation products which may be caused by common usage of the same antenna system by Stations WHMQ, Greenfield, MA, ID 25834, and WIZZ, Greenfield, MA, ID 54779, and there shall be filed with the license application copies of a firm agreement entered into by the two (2) stations involved, clearly fixing the responsibility of each with regard to the installation and maintenance of such equipment. In addition, field

observations shall be made to determine whether spurious emissions exist and any objectionable problems resulting therefrom shall be eliminated. Following construction, and prior to authorization of program test under this grant, stations WHMQ, Greenfield, MA, ID 25834, and WIZZ, Greenfield, MA, ID 54779 shall each measure antenna or common point resistance and submit FCC Form 302 as application notifying the return to direct measurement of power.

Special Operating conditions 4 and 5 are no longer applicable due to the surrender of the WHMQ license authorization. These conditions are moot as the site is no longer a diplex site, thus removing coordination with other users with regards to RFR electromagnetic fields and the necessity of installation of filters, traps and other equipment used to isolate the signals of two transmission paths in order. Finally, a Direct Measurement of Power Application for WHMQ notifying the return to direct measurement of power is also moot.

Based on the above discussion, It is believed that with the filing of the instant License Application, that all of the special operating conditions or restrictions in the outstanding Construction Permit have been satisfied.

SUMMARY

It is submitted that the WIZZ antenna system has been constructed in full compliance with the technical terms of Construction Permit BP-20210723AAI. Further,

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all of the Construction Permit Special Conditions are satisfied with the filing of the License Application with the exception of those moot points noted above.

This engineering statement, and FCC Form 302 AM-Section III were prepared by the undersigned or under the undersigned's direct supervision and the information herein is believed to be true and correct.

DATED: April 7, 2023



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