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Re: St. Gabriel Radio, Inc.
WUCO (AM), Marysville, Ohio
Facility Identification Number: 29636
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed January 27, 2010, on behalf of St. Gabriel Radio, Inc. ("SGR"). SGR requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on August 13, 2007, to operate Station WUCO with temporary facilities.¹ In support of the request, SGR provides a report of its progress on refurbishment of the licensed daytime directional antenna. SGR requests extension of STA for operation during daytime hours with the licensed nighttime pattern and reduced power. SGR states that much progress has been made; however, several issues related to reradiation from nearby structures remain unresolved.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made substantial progress toward restoring licensed operation. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WUCO may continue to operate during daytime hours with the licensed nighttime directional pattern and

¹ WUCO is licensed for operation on 1270 kHz with 0.5 kilowatt daytime and 0.5 kilowatt nighttime, employing different directional antenna patterns daytime and nighttime (DA-2-U).

reduced nominal power not to exceed 125 watts. Operation during daytime and/or nighttime hours with a temporary nondirectional antenna and reduced power not to exceed 125 watts also is authorized, only as necessary to facilitate the repair work. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. SGR must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² SGR 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 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **September 11, 2010**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: St. Gabriel Radio, Inc.

² *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).