Harvey-Brewers Protection Association Benton, KY

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Federal Communications Division Media Bureau / Audio Division Washington, DC

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for allowing us to apply and receive a license for a Low Power FM radio station. We had intentions on the service providing community information and cultural and educational programming. We had our system operational and recently lightning destroyed our system, and our insurance company has denied payment for the items stating our coverage was not for transmitter electronics. We have exhausted our funds and regrettably request to cancel the license for WXFR-LP 96.3. We are however, working with another group in the area that has graciously offered us airtime, so this may end up being an amicable situation for all concerned.

One final note, as LPFM is designed for a small area, the 100 watts maximum ERP really did not provide coverage in a rural area as we had anticipated. The lower wattage presented problems to people in houses with clock radios or small receivers. We would recommend that the power be increased to 250 or 350 watts to allow for penetration of signal in these areas. In rural areas, an area of 10-15 miles would be considered acceptable.

Again, we appreciate the opportunity to participate in Low Power FM. Again, please at your convenience cancel the license for WXFR-LP (file number BLL - 20140321AAA).

Thanks

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