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May 19, 2015

Linda Jerome, President Elect  
Indiana Community Radio Corporation  
15 N. Wood Street  
Greenfield, Indiana 46140

Re: Indiana Community Radio Corporation (ICRC)  
WRFM(AM), Muncie, Indiana  
Facility Identification Number: 1724  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA- 20150422AAQ

Dear Ms. Jerome:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 22, 2015. ICRC requests further extension of the STA originally granted on September 2, 1999, to operate with reduced power and employing a temporary ND antenna (due to loss of the licensed site).<sup>1</sup> In support, ICRC states that more options for filing an FCC Form 301 application may become available after final action has been taken on MB Docket 13-249, based upon recommendations by consulting engineer Clarence Beverage, so additional time is being requested.

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 STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WRFM may continue to operate with the following facilities:

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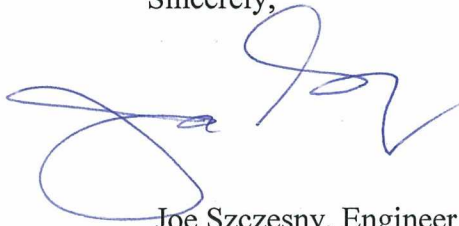
<sup>1</sup> WRFM is licensed for DA operation on 990 kHz with 0.25 kW day and 0.001 kW night.

Transmitter site: 3908 West 30th Street, Muncie, IN  
Coordinates: 40° 09' 35" N, 85° 25' 55" W (NAD27)  
Frequency: 990 kHz  
Operating hours: Unlimited  
Operating power: not to exceed 0.062 kW daytime, 0.001 kW nighttime  
Antenna: existing tower, non-directional (folded unipole)

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. ICRC must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> ICRC must file an acceptable FCC Form 301 application to propose a new site location after MB Docket 13-249 has been adopted in order to resume licensed operations (which may still require the use of a directional antenna to adequately protect all other stations). ICRC 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 **November 19, 2015**.

Sincerely,



Joe Szczesny, Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

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<sup>2</sup> See 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.61(b).