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George R. Reed, President  
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Re: Monticello Media LLC (MML)  
WCHV(AM), Charlottesville, VA  
Facility Identification Number: 19838  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20210806AAC

Dear Mr. Reed:

This is in reference to the request filed on August 6, 2021. MML requests a further extension of the STA granted on September 22, 2016, to continue ND operation at reduced power to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application to cover BP-20200706AAD.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, MML stated that it plans to file the application as soon as possible.

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.

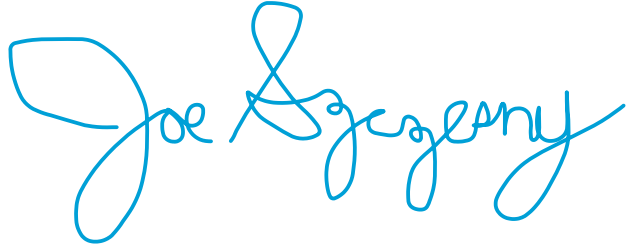
Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is **HEREBY GRANTED**, and MML may continue to operate ND daytime only with a maximum of 0.8 kW as authorized by the construction permit. MML must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. MML must submit an e-mail to note the date the application was filed to verify no further STA operation will be needed.

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<sup>1</sup> WCHV(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1260 kHz with 5 kW day and 2.5 kW night, and BP-20200706AAD authorizes daytime only ND operation with 0.8 kW.

This authority expires on **February 8, 2022.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being larger and more prominent than the last name "Szczesny".

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