

## **Noncommercial Educational FM Station WBLW, Gaylord, Michigan: Online Public Inspection File**

Noncommercial Educational FM Station WBLW, Gaylord, Michigan, licensed to Grace Baptist Church of Gaylord, Michigan, is 100 percent supported by its listeners. Typically, Station WBLW conducts two fund-raising drives, although the Spring 2020 drive was cancelled due to the pandemic.

Since 2000, Station WBLW has spread the good news of the Gospel in Northern Michigan through the medium of Christian Radio. At present, Station WBLW employs one part-time employee, with all other positions supporting the Station filled voluntarily. Throughout the current license term, there were never more than three part-time employees working on Station WBLW matters. Moreover, the long-time Pastor of Grace Baptist Church of Gaylord, Michigan, left his position in August 2019, and certain institutional knowledge regarding Federal Communications Commission matters were not transferred to the current Station personnel and volunteers. Grace Baptist Church of Gaylord, Michigan has now retained communications counsel in DC to educate its Station staff and volunteers as to the Station's FCC record-keeping obligations.

During the subject license term, the licensee's records indicate that Station WBLW prepared in a timely manner each Quarterly Issues-Programs List. However, the Station was unaware of the requirement to transition from paper files to the online public inspection file. In preparation for this renewal application, Station WBLW has uploaded all the Quarterly Issues-Programs Lists for the current license term (along with the Quarterly Issues-Programs Lists in its possession for prior years). These Quarterly Issues-Programs Lists, running through 2019, indicate that they were prepared immediately following the end of the applicable calendar quarter. The First Quarter 2020 Issues-Programs List has also been uploaded in June 2020, which is timely pursuant to the Commission's extension of that deadline to July 10, 2020. Also note that Station WBLW does not air political spots per the exemption in the Communications Act for noncommercial stations, so there are no political file materials.