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Federal Communications Commission ("FCC")  
45 L Street NE  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: Las Vegas Public Radio Inc.  
Indian Springs, NV  
Full NCE Application  
November 2021 Filing Window

### **FCC Educational Program Exhibit**

The purpose of this exhibit is to demonstrate Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. educational objective and that the proposed radio station will be used for the advancement of an educational program under 73.503(a) of the Rules. The rules describe that noncommercial licenses are not limited to classroom instruction, but may "transmit educational, cultural, and entertainment program to the general public," (Section 73.503(b)) in the advancement of a radio program. The following clearly demonstrates Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. eligibility:

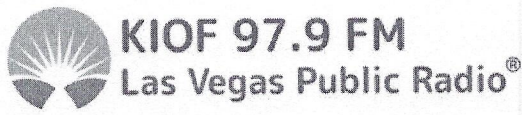
#### **EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE**

Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. is a tax-exempt educational corporation under section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code operating as a public charity in the Las Vegas, Nevada community. Within its Articles of Incorporation filed with the Secretary of State of Nevada, it's purpose of the corporation is to "create and to broadcast programming of public affairs, news, free speech discussions, music, science, the arts literature, drama, other entertainment and educational programs, as well as matters substantially affecting the public, promote cultural diversity, and giving voice to the community". Additionally Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. provides the public with "resource for radio broadcasting information." The corporation's objective is well in-line with the qualification of being considered an educational nonprofit.

#### **PAST EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS**

Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. has educated nonprofits and colleges about non-commercial radio through the usage of published materials and lectures. Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. has:





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- Published manuals on non-commercial radio development and programming.
- Educated students in radio engineering.
- Given educational presentations on community radio.
- Published informative articles/research on radio on its website.
- Promoted art, diversity, science, and educational in media.

Additionally, Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. has been on the air currently broadcasting on the KIOF-LP 97.9 FM broadcast licensee and is claiming "localism points", has been in the Las Vegas, Nevada community since it's 2010 founding and later it's incorporation on January 11, 2012. Some of the programs at Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. include:

- "The U.S. Constitution Yesterday and Today" program.
- "Self Xpressions Hot Line" program to help eradicate opioid use.
- "The Paul & Dean Show" on government waste and corruption.
- "The Sports Circus" associated talk show addressing COVID-19 and vaccinations/quits & fires.

Key achievements for Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. in the Las Vegas, Nevada community on KIOF-LP 97.9 FM include:

- Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. exposed to the nation the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) on fraud & non-equitable analysis/ discriminatory/exclusionary/confiscatory policies with impermissibly erecting a barrier to the CPB Radio Community Service (CSG) grant funding vehicle for new public broadcasting facilities as licensed by the Federal Communications Commission.
- Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. is the first public broadcasting of it's kind in the State of Nevada to receive consecutive back-to-back Radio Community Service Grant (CSG) denials when it applied for grant funding back in 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019. Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. has not applied for Radio CSG grant funding in 2020 or 2021. The actions by the CPB speak for itself on who they represent as they "pick and choose" which public broadcasting radio stations they want operating in communities throughout the nation which is opposite of their intended charter and purpose utilizing federal tax payer money. Through it's own failed public policies, rules and regulations it established over the years for certain ethnic groups, it became a racist organization by writing those policies, rules and regulations by excluding other ethnic groups instead of writing common sense policy that excludes MASS terminology. The Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) is an quasi-federal organization who accepts tax payer money from



U.S. Congress appropriations and uses those funds specifically for special interest groups at the direction of Washington, D.C. lobbying firms and not for the United States as a whole. Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. is an advocate of addressing the dissolution of the centralized Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) by replacing it with a U.S. Department of Public Broadcasting that is structured similar to that of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and U.S. Small Business Administration whereas the U.S. Department of Public Broadcasting would had offices established in each state where Radio Community Service Grant (CSG) applications are processed in each state for those broadcasters operating within that state.

- Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. is also the first State of Nevada Public Broadcasting company to receive preliminary approval by the People's Republic of China to establish an office in mainland China through the U.S. Foreign Mission Act as announced "over the air and live" to the Las Vegas, Nevada community on KIOF 97.9 FM with an interview the radio station's President & CEO personally conducted through a special news broadcast back on January 6, 2020 with Ambassador Donghua Wang of the People's Republic of China. Ambassador Wang and his support staff is assisting the radio station and it's staff with the logistics and operational needs under the Decree of the State Council of the People's Republic of China No. 537.

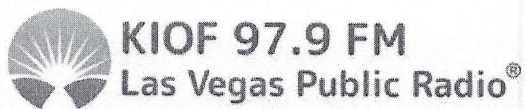
#### PROPOSED EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Las Vegas Public Radio Inc. intends to utilize the proposed facility to extend its educational mission to the airwaves by carrying:

- Public affairs programming dealing with art, environment, current affairs, science, and media education.
- A diversity of musical programming to encourage musicology.
- Debates, independent news, and issues of concern to the community.

Seriously, what do you want a radio station for? How does this extend your educational objective? If you are the disco preservation society, you are basically going to extend your disco education program by educating listeners about.... just a disco music box station. But not only that, you can still expand into different facets of radio such as news, public affairs, emergency news, etc.

The radio program will basically expend its current program to fully actualize its original intent prescribed in its mission.



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Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Gregory P. LaPorta".

Gregory P. LaPorta  
President & CEO  
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