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VIA EMAIL

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Attention: Media Bureau, Audio Division
Federal Communications Commission
45 L Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Southwest Montana Media LLC - - Surrender of Authorizations for Cancellation
Radio Broadcast Station KANA(AM), Anaconda, Montana (Facility ID No. 668)
Dismissal of Pending Renewal Application (LMS File No. 0000129189) As Moot
FM Translator Station K264CZ, Butte, Montana (Facility ID No. 203156) Cancelled
K264CZ Construction Permit (CDBS File No. BNPFT-20180509ACK) Cancelled
Dismissal of Pending License Application (LMS File No. 0000150066) As Moot

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Southwest Montana Media LLC (“SWMM”), licensee of radio broadcast station KANA(AM), Anaconda, Montana (Facility ID No. 668, “KANA”) and applicant for renewal of the KANA license (LMS File No. 0000129189, the “Renewal Application”), and licensee of FM translator K264CZ, Butte, Montana (Facility ID No. 203156, “K264CZ”) and applicant for a license to cover the underlying construction permit (CDBS File No. BNPFT-20180509ACK, the “Permit”) for K264CZ as a new FM translator station (LMS File No. 0000150066, the “License Application”), by its counsel, and pursuant to Sections 73.1740, 73.1750, and 73.3568 of the Commission’s rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 73.1740, 73.1750, and 73.3568, hereby notifies the Commission of the permanent discontinuance of operation of KANA, surrenders the Commission license for KANA (CDBS File No. BL-20020104ABA, as renewed and assigned to SWMM, the “License”) for cancellation, and requests dismissal of the pending Renewal Application; also, since FM translator K264CZ may only retransmit KANA in perpetuity, SWMM has filed a request for cancellation of the Commission license for K264CZ and the Permit on this date (LMS File No. 0000219682), and the pending License Application may be dismissed as moot.

Financial difficulties and the loss of the site authorized for KANA, as well as the expected impact of silent periods during the license period on the pending Renewal Application, have left SWMM unable to continue to operate KANA and K264CZ. Therefore, SWMM is surrendering KANA and the License, and has surrendered K264CZ and the Permit, for cancellation, and the pending Renewal Application and pending License Application may both be dismissed as moot.

Any questions concerning this filing may be directed to the undersigned FCC Counsel for SWMM.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey L. Timmons". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Jeffrey L. Timmons

cc: Mr. Ted W. Austin, Jr.