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Re: NEW-LP, Tacoma, WA
Facility ID No. 197066
Northwest Leadership Foundation
File No. BNPL-20131114BCN

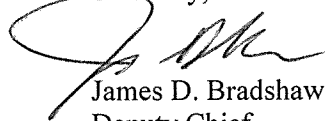
Dear Applicant:

The staff has under consideration the above-captioned application for a new low power FM station, as amended July 10, 2014.

An engineering study has revealed that the proposed transmitter site specified in the application fails to meet the minimum spacing requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 73.807. Specifically, the site proposed is located 42.8 kilometers from the licensed facility (BLED-20081014AFI) of KMIH(FM) on channel 205D in Mercer Island, WA. The required spacing pursuant to § 73.807 is 67 kilometers. The application fails to address this defect.¹

Accordingly, in light of the above, application BNPL-20131021ABI is unacceptable for filing and IS HEREBY DISMISSED. This action is taken pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 0.283 and 73.870(c).²

Sincerely,


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cc: Clayton Leander

¹ The Note to paragraphs (a) and (b) of 47 C.F.R. § 73.807 states that Class D stations with 60 dBu contours that exceed 5 km will be protected by the Class A minimum distance separation requirements. We note that KMIH(FM) has an authorized 60 dBu contour distance of 6.3 km.

² “[A]pplications...that fail to meet the 73.807 minimum distance separations...will be dismissed without any opportunity to amend such applications.” 47 C.F.R. § 73.870(c).