



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554
May 10, 2022

Chuck Marsh, President
Alamance Media Partners, Inc.
2509 Elon Ossipee Road
Elon, NC 27244

Re: Alamance Media Partners, Inc. (AMP)
WSML(AM), Graham, NC
Facility Identification Number: 740
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20220502AAA

Dear Mr. Marsh:

This is in reference to the request filed on May 2, 2022. AMP requests a further extension of the STA granted on February 12, 2021, to continue operating daytime only with reduced power at the licensed site to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application to cover BP-20211007AAH.¹ In support of the request, AMP stated that it plans to file the application as soon as possible, while also attempting to repair the nighttime directional antenna system.

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 extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and AMP may continue to operate with 5 kW daytime-only using the licensed site daytime tower (with no nighttime operation). AMP 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

¹ WSML(AM) is licensed for operation on 1200 kHz with 10 kW day (ND) and 1 kW night (DA), and BP-20211007AAH authorizes use of the WPCM(AM) tower with 4.6 kW day, and 0.008 kW night.

47 CFR §1.1310. AMP must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed, or the date the station was able to restore licensed operations per BML-20050707ADY with negligible changes to all engineering parameters.

This authority expires on **November 9, 2022.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Joe Szczesny, Engineer
Audio Division
Media Bureau

cc: Coe W. Ramsey, Esq., BP (via e-mail only)