

## JOINT SALES AGREEMENT

THIS JOINT SALES AGREEMENT (this "**Agreement**") is made as of October 3, 2012, (the "**Effective Date**"), by and between Young Broadcasting of Lansing, Inc. ("**Young**") and WLAJ-TV LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("**Licensee**").

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, reference is made to that certain Asset Purchase Agreement by and among Sinclair Television Group, Inc., Sinclair Communications, LLC and WLAJ Licensee, LLC (collectively, "**Seller**") and Licensee, dated as of the date hereof (the "**Purchase Agreement**"), pursuant to which Licensee, following approval of the FCC, will acquire certain assets of Seller with respect to television station WLAJ-TV, Lansing, MI (the "**Station**"), including the FCC licenses relating thereto;

**WHEREAS**, Young is the licensee of television station WLNS-TV, Lansing, MI (the "**Service Station**");

**WHEREAS**, simultaneously with the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the parties hereto are entering into that certain Shared Services Agreement, with respect to which Young (as Service Provider) shall provide certain services and make available to the Licensee certain technical and other facilities (the "**Shared Services Agreement**").

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing premises and the mutual promises, undertakings, covenants and agreements of the parties contained in this Agreement, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound, hereby agree as follows:

### Article I. DEFINITIONS

Section 1.1 **Terms Defined in this Section.** The following terms, as used in this Agreement, shall have the meanings set forth in this Section:

"**Applicable Law**" means any of the Communications Act, the FCC Rules, and all other federal, state and local constitutions, laws, statutes, codes, rules, regulations, ordinances, judgments, orders, decrees and the like of any governmental entity, including common law.

"**Commencement Date**" means the date on which the closing shall have occurred under the Purchase Agreement

"**Communications Act**" means the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, as in effect from time to time.

"**FCC**" means the Federal Communications Commission or any successor agency thereto.

"**FCC Rules**" means the rules and published policies of the FCC, as in effect from time to time.

“**Network**” means any national television network party to any network affiliation agreement to which Licensee is a party with respect to the Station.

“**Non-Primary Spectrum**” means the portion of the Station’s digital broadcast spectrum authorized by the FCC for the operation of the Station that is not used or intended for use in the transmission of the Station’s Primary Channel.

“**Obligations of Young**” means any and all obligations and duties of Young under this Agreement and the Shared Services Agreement.

“**Person**” includes, without limitation, natural persons, corporations, business trusts, associations, companies, joint ventures, and partnerships.

“**Primary Channel**” means that portion of the program transport feed of the Station’s digital signal that constitutes the primary video and audio presentation of the Station’s digital signal.

“**Third Party Claim**” means any action, suit, claim or legal, administrative, arbitration, mediation, governmental or other proceeding or investigation, other than any brought by a party to this Agreement or an Affiliate of a party to this Agreement.

“**Transaction Documents**” means this Agreement, the Shared Services Agreement, the Letter Agreement, the Option Agreement and the other documents, agreements and instruments executed by the parties hereto and thereto in connection therewith.

Section 1.2 **Additional Defined Terms.** In addition to the defined terms in the preamble, recitals and Section 1.1 hereof, the following is a list of terms used in this Agreement and a reference to the section or schedule hereof in which such term is defined:

| <u>Term</u>                       | <u>Section</u> |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Acquisition Financing Arrangement | Schedule I     |
| Advertisements                    | Section 4.1(a) |
| Broadcast Material                | Section 4.3    |
| Converted Programming             | Schedule II    |
| Defense Counsel                   | Section 8.4(a) |
| Defense Notice                    | Section 8.4(a) |
| Delivered Programming             | Section 4.2    |
| Designated Expenses               | Schedule I     |
| Direct Claim                      | Section 8.4(e) |
| Disclosure Statement              | Section 5.2(c) |
| Indemnified Party                 | Section 8.4(a) |
| Indemnifying Party                | Section 8.4(a) |
| Initial Term                      | Section 2.1(a) |
| JSA Fee                           | Section 3.1    |
| Letter Agreement                  | Section 9.13   |
| Licensee Revenue Share            | Section 3.1(a) |
| Management Agreement              | Section 5.1(j) |
| National Advertisements           | Section 4.1(a) |

| <u>Term</u>               | <u>Section</u> |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Net Sales Revenue         | Schedule I     |
| Option Agreement          | Section 2.2(a) |
| Other Advertisements      | Section 4.1(a) |
| Other Expenses            | Schedule I     |
| Policy Statement          | Section 4.3    |
| Principal Agreements      | Schedule I     |
| PSAs                      | Section 4.1(b) |
| Young Assignee            | Section 9.3(a) |
| Young Indemnified Party   | Section 8.2    |
| Station Expenses          | Schedule I     |
| Station Indemnified Party | Section 8.1    |
| Television Advertisements | Section 4.1(a) |
| Term                      | Section 2.1(b) |
| Trade Agreements          | Section 4.4    |
| Website Advertising       | Section 4.1(c) |

## Article II.

### TERM

#### Section 2.1 *Term.*

(a) *Initial Term.* This Agreement shall be deemed effective, and the initial term hereof shall commence, on and as of the Commencement Date and such initial term (the “*Initial Term*”) shall continue until the eighth (8th) anniversary of the Commencement Date, unless terminated in accordance with Section 2.2 below.

(b) *Renewal Term.* This Agreement shall be renewed automatically for successive two-year renewal terms (the Initial Term and any such renewal term hereinafter referred to as the “*Term*”) unless either party provides the other party with written notice of non-renewal at least one-hundred-eighty (180) days prior to the expiration of the then-current Term.

#### Section 2.2 *Termination.*

(a) *Mutual Agreement.* This Agreement may be terminated at any time by mutual agreement of the parties hereto. In addition, this Agreement shall terminate upon the Option Closing (as such term is defined in the Option Agreement) under that certain Option Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and among Licensee, Shield Media Lansing LLC and Young, as such agreement may be amended from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof (the “*Option Agreement*”).

(b) *Termination by Licensee or Young.* This Agreement may be terminated by Licensee or Young, by written notice to the other, upon the occurrence of any of the following events; *provided* that any such termination shall be effective as of the date thirty (30) days after such notice:

(i) this Agreement has been declared invalid under Applicable Law or illegal in whole or substantial part by an order or decree of an administrative agency or court of competent jurisdiction which is not subject to appeal or further administrative or judicial review, and the parties, acting in good faith, are unable to agree upon a modification of the Agreement so as to cause the Agreement to comply with Applicable Law; or

(ii) there has been a change in the Communications Act or the FCC Rules that causes this Agreement in its entirety to be in violation thereof and the applicability of such change is not subject to appeal or further administrative review; and the parties, acting in good faith, are unable to agree upon a modification of the Agreement so as to cause the Agreement to comply with the Communications Act or the FCC Rules as so changed.

(c) *Termination by Young.* This Agreement may be terminated by Young, by written notice to Licensee, upon the occurrence of any of the following events, *provided* that any such termination shall be effective as of the date thirty (30) days after such notice and *provided further* that if there is an exercise of the Option (as defined in the Option Agreement) under the Option Agreement prior to any notice of such termination or during the 30-day period thereafter, the termination hereunder shall not be effective until the either of (i) the Option Closing (as defined in the Option Agreement) or (ii) the termination of the Option Agreement:

(i) if Young is not then in material breach and Licensee is in material breach under this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement (other than a breach by Licensee of any of its payment obligations under the Shared Services Agreement) and Licensee has failed to cure such breach within thirty (30) days after receiving written notice of such breach from Young, or if Young is not then in material breach and Licensee breaches any of its payment obligations to Young under the Shared Services Agreement (other than any such payment obligation that is being contested in good faith) which breach shall not have been cured within fifteen (15) days after receiving written notice of such breach from Young;

(ii) if Licensee or any Affiliate of Licensee makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, files, or has filed against it, a petition for bankruptcy, reorganization or an arrangement for the benefit of creditors, or for the appointment of a receiver, trustee, or similar creditor's representative for the property or assets of Licensee or any Affiliate of Licensee under any federal or state insolvency law which, if filed against Licensee or any Affiliate of Licensee, has not been dismissed within thirty (30) days thereof; or

(iii) upon and at any time following termination of the Option Agreement.

(d) *Termination by Licensee.* This Agreement may be terminated by Licensee, by written notice to Young, upon the occurrence of any of the following events, *provided* that any such termination shall be effective as of the date thirty (30) days after such notice and *provided further* that if there is an exercise of the Option under the Option Agreement prior to any notice of such termination or during the 30-day period thereafter, the termination hereunder shall not be effective until the either of (i) the Option Closing or (ii) the termination of the Option Agreement:

(i) if Licensee is not then in material breach and Young breaches any of its obligations under this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement which breach reasonably could be expected to result in the revocation or non-renewal of the Station's FCC Licenses and such breach shall not have been cured within thirty (30) days after receiving written notice of such breach from Licensee, or if Young breaches any of its payment obligations to Licensee (other than any such payment obligation that is being contested in good faith) which breach shall not have been cured within fifteen (15) days after receiving written notice of such breach from Licensee;

(ii) if Young or any of its Affiliates makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, files, or has filed against it a petition for bankruptcy, reorganization or an arrangement for the benefit of creditors, or for the appointment of a receiver, trustee, or similar creditor's representative for the property or assets of Young or any of its Affiliates under any federal or state insolvency law which, if filed against Young or any of its Affiliates, has not been dismissed within thirty (30) days thereof; or

(iii) upon and at any time following termination of the Option Agreement.

### Section 2.3 ***Certain Matters Upon Termination.***

(a) *Continuing Obligations.* No expiration or termination of this Agreement shall terminate the obligations of any party hereto to indemnify the other party for Third Party Claims under Section 8 of this Agreement, or limit or impair any party's rights to receive payments due and owing hereunder on or before the effective date of such termination.

(b) *Cooperation.* Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, if this Agreement is terminated pursuant to the second sentence of Section 2.2(a) following the Option Closing, the parties shall cooperate with each other as may be reasonably requested to effect an allocation of the revenues and expenses for any partial calendar month resulting from such termination or to effect any working capital payment required in connection with such allocation or a related transfer of control pursuant to the Option Agreement.

## Article III. CONSIDERATION

Section 3.1 ***JSA Fee and Licensee Revenue Share.*** As consideration for the services of Young hereunder, with respect to each calendar month during the Term, Young shall have the right to retain an amount equal to thirty percent (30%) of the total amount of Net Sales Revenue for such calendar month as its commission with respect to its services provided hereunder (the "***JSA Fee***"). With respect to each such calendar month during the Term, Young shall pay over to Licensee an amount equal to the remaining seventy percent (70%) of the total amount of Net Sales Revenue for the applicable calendar month (the "***Licensee Revenue Share***"). The Licensee Revenue Share shall be due and payable on the fifteenth (15th) day of each calendar month and such Licensee Revenue Share and the corresponding JSA Fee shall be

calculated with respect to the immediately preceding calendar month in accordance with Schedule I hereto. The JSA Fee and Licensee Revenue Share shall be prorated for any partial calendar month during the Term.

Article IV.  
SCOPE OF SERVICES

Section 4.1     *Sales and Related Services.*

(a)     *Station Sales.* Except as expressly provided to the contrary herein, Licensee retains Young on an exclusive basis to market and sell all forms of regional and local spot advertising (including political advertising), sponsorships, direct response advertising, paid programming (including infomercials), and all long-form advertising broadcast on the Station, including, for the avoidance of doubt, on the Station's Primary Channel and its Non-Primary Spectrum (the "**Television Advertisements**") and all forms of advertisements relating to distribution of the Station's programming or otherwise utilizing the spectrum allocated to the Station, whether by mobile device or other means of distribution, whether or not now existing (the "**Other Advertisements**"), during the Term. National advertisements broadcast on the Station (the "**National Advertisements**") shall be sold by Licensee's national rep firm. Young shall determine the placement and duration of the Television Advertisements, Other Advertisements, National Advertisements and Website Advertising (as hereinafter defined) (collectively, the "**Advertisements**"); *provided, however*, that Licensee shall retain ultimate authority with respect to establishing or setting rates for Advertisements. Young may sell the Advertisements in combination with the advertisements of the Service Station; *provided, however*, that Young may not require advertisers to purchase time on the Station and the Service Station or any other station together.

(b)     *PSA Placements.* Young acknowledges that the Station has in the past provided time for the promotion of public service organizations in the form of public service announcements ("**PSAs**"), and agrees to release spot time to Licensee for the broadcast of PSAs at times and in amounts consistent with the Station's past practices. Young and Licensee shall cooperate in good faith concerning the placement of the PSAs to be broadcast on the Station; *provided, however*, that Licensee shall be ultimately responsible for selecting, obtaining and scheduling PSAs for broadcast on the Station.

(c)     *Station Websites.* Young shall have the exclusive right to sell any and all advertising on the Station Websites (as defined in the Shared Services Agreement), including display advertising that appears in the same pageview as, or adjacent to, editorial content on such website, or advertising embedded into audio or visual content posted or otherwise displayed on such websites (including text ads, banner ads, instream ads, pre-roll ads, wallpaper ads, video ads and sponsorships) ("**Website Advertising**"). Young shall not discriminate in advertising arrangements on the basis of race or ethnicity and all agreements for the sale of advertising shall include the following clause: "Station does not discriminate in the sale of advertising time, and will not accept advertising which is placed with the intent to discriminate on the basis of race or ethnicity. Any provision in any order or agreement for advertising that purports to discriminate, or has the effect of discriminating, on the basis of race or ethnicity, is hereby declared null and void." Young shall maintain internal policies for

demonstrating compliance with the FCC's nondiscrimination policy and shall exercise due diligence to ensure that all third party advertising arrangements contain a non-discrimination clause in compliance with FCC rules and regulations.

Section 4.2 ***Delivered Programming.*** Commencing on the Commencement Date, Young shall provide Licensee for broadcast, simulcast or rebroadcast on the Station local news and other programming as described more particularly in Schedule II hereof (the "***Delivered Programming***"), which Delivered Programming shall be less than fifteen percent (15%) of the Station's broadcast hours for any week. Young shall be responsible for obtaining the rights to broadcast the Delivered Programming on the Station and for paying all costs incurred in obtaining such rights. To the extent permission is required to rebroadcast any Delivered Programming under Section 325 of the Communications Act, Young hereby grants Licensee such permission. The Delivered Programming shall be subject to Young's editorial judgment and the requirements of Section 4.3, including but not limited to the right of rejection or preemption of Licensee. All Delivered Programming shall be in conformity in all material respects with standards established by Licensee and consistent with similar programming broadcast on Young's own television broadcast stations and shall otherwise conform to all Applicable Law, including the Communications Act, the FCC Rules and the intellectual property rights of third parties.

Section 4.3 ***Content Policies.*** All material furnished by Young for broadcast on the Station, including all Delivered Programming and Advertisements (collectively, "***Broadcast Material***") shall comply with applicable federal, state and local regulations and policies, including commercial limits in children's programming. Licensee shall have the right to preempt any Broadcast Material to present program material of greater local or national importance. Licensee may reject any Broadcast Material if it reasonably determines that the broadcast of such material would violate Applicable Law or would otherwise be contrary to the public interest. Licensee shall promptly notify Young of any such rejection, preemption, or rescheduling and shall cooperate with Young in efforts to fulfill commitments to advertisers and syndicators. Schedule III sets forth Licensee's statement of policy (the "***Policy Statement***") with regard to the Broadcast Material. Young shall ensure that the Broadcast Materials are in compliance with the terms of this Agreement and the Policy Statement.

Section 4.4 ***Trade and Barter Spots.*** On or as soon as reasonably practicable after the Commencement Date, Licensee shall deliver to the Young a list, which is accurate and complete in all material respects, of all contracts for the sale of advertising time on the Station for non-cash consideration that are in effect as of, and will extend beyond, the Commencement Date ("***Trade Agreements***"). Young shall comply with and honor all such Trade Agreements, if and to the extent that Trade Agreement spots may be broadcast on a preemptible basis. The dollar value of advertising time on the Station provided to advertisers pursuant to Trade Agreements shall not be included in the computation and determination of Net Sales Revenue for purposes of this Agreement. After the Commencement Date, Young and Licensee shall have the right to enter into new contracts for the sale of Advertisements for non-cash consideration, provided that the parties agree to each such Trade Agreement and *provided further* that the dollar value of such advertising time on the Station for such Trade Agreements shall be included in the computation and determination of Net Sales Revenue for purposes of this Agreement. The parties shall mutually agree as to the use of the non-cash consideration received for each new

Trade Agreement. For purposes of this Section 4.4, the term "Trade Agreement" applies only to the bartering of advertising in return for goods and services other than programming.

Section 4.5 ***Pre-Commencement Accounts Receivable.*** In accordance with the Purchase Agreement and for the avoidance of doubt, any accounts receivable or revenue accrued as of the time prior to the Commencement Date shall not be included in Net Sales Revenue.

Section 4.6 ***Monthly Reports; Books and Records.*** The following obligations shall begin on the first day of the first full calendar month beginning after the Commencement Date:

(a) On or before the twentieth (20th) day of each calendar month during the Term, Young shall furnish Licensee with a report regarding Young's sales by advertiser, of the Advertisements for the previous calendar month. Licensee shall have the right to review the books and records of Young at reasonable times and upon reasonable notice, with respect to the sale of Advertisements and any other sales by Young in connection with or related to its sale of the Advertisements for the Station.

(b) Licensee shall furnish to Young information each month with respect to Station Expenses. Upon reasonable prior notice, Young shall have the right at all reasonable times to review (and the right, at Young's expense, to make copies of) the books and records of Licensee, *provided* that the foregoing access shall not interfere unreasonably with the Station's business.

(c) The audit and inspection rights of Young under this Section 4.6 shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement for a period of two (2) years.

Section 4.7 ***Control.*** Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the parties hereto acknowledge and agree that during the Term, Licensee will maintain ultimate control and authority over the Station, including, specifically, control and authority over the Station's operations, finances, personnel and programming. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to limit the control and authority of Licensee with respect to the selection, development and acquisition of any and all programming to be broadcast over the Station, as well as the payment therefor, other than those payments of Young associated with the Delivered Programming. To that end, Licensee shall (a) have exclusive authority for the negotiation, preparation, execution and implementation of any and all programming agreements for the Station, and (b) retain and hire or utilize whatever employees Licensee reasonably deems appropriate or necessary to fulfill those programming functions. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Licensee shall employ at least two full-time employees (and no fewer than the number required to comply with Applicable Law) in connection with the business and management of the Station, one of whom shall be a managerial level employee. Young shall not represent, warrant or hold itself out as the licensee of the Station, and all sales material prepared by Young for the sale of advertising time on the Station shall identify Licensee as the licensee of the Station using mutually agreeable wording and references. Young shall sell advertising time and enter into all agreements for the sale of time on the Station and for the Delivered Programming in its own name.



Article V.  
OTHER OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES

Section 5.1 ***Responsibilities of Licensee.*** Licensee, at its expense, shall be responsible for and perform the following obligations with respect to the business and operations of the Station during the Term, in accordance with and subject to the following provisions:

(a) Licensee shall continue to maintain full control over the operations of the Station, including programming editorial policies, employees of Licensee and Licensee-controlled facilities. Licensee shall be responsible for, and shall comply in all material respects with all applicable provisions of the Communications Act, the FCC Rules and all other Applicable Law with respect to the operation of the Station. Licensee shall file in a timely and complete manner all reports and applications required to be filed with the FCC or any other governmental body.

(b) Licensee shall maintain in effect policies of insurance insuring the assets and the business of the Station in accordance with good industry practices.

(c) Licensee shall use, operate, and maintain all of its assets in a commercially reasonable manner. If any loss, damage, impairment, confiscation or condemnation of any of such assets occurs, Licensee shall use commercially reasonable efforts and cooperate with Young to repair, replace, or restore the assets to their prior condition as soon thereafter as possible, and Licensee shall use the proceeds of any claim under any insurance policy to repair, replace or restore any of the assets of the Station that are lost, damaged, impaired or destroyed.

(d) Licensee shall be responsible for payment of all operating costs of the Station (excluding those costs to be borne by Young in accordance with Section 5.2), including the cost of electricity, other utilities and rental or other payments with respect to any real property leased by Licensee, taxes, the Services Fee (as defined in the Shared Services Agreement) and the salaries, insurance, and other costs for all personnel employed by Licensee and, without limiting the foregoing, shall pay all other Station Expenses. Promptly following the Commencement Date, but in no event more than thirty (30) days thereafter, Licensee shall provide Young a copy of the operating budget of the Station (collectively, the “***Operating Budget***”), which shall reflect Licensee’s good faith budget of reasonable and customary capital and other expenses necessary to the operations of the Station and not otherwise contemplated by the Designated Expenses, as determined by Licensee in its sole and absolute discretion. Licensee shall provide updated copies of the Operating Budget each year during the Term, identifying adjustments from year to year.

(e) Subject to the Obligations of Young, Licensee shall pay when due all music rights payments (including, without limitation, music performance rights, synchronization rights, and master use rights), if any, in connection with the broadcast and/or transmission of all announcements, including the Advertisements, and programming on the Station, other than the Delivered Programming.

(f) Licensee shall be solely responsible for all costs and expenditures associated with the procuring of programming to be aired on the Station, other than those associated with the Delivered Programming. Licensee shall pay over to Young all funds received by Licensee each year from the Network and any other program syndicator or supplier for promotion of the Network and other programming on other stations or media, and Young shall use all such funds solely for their intended promotional or other similar purposes and in accordance with Section 5.2 of the Shared Services Agreement. Licensee shall cooperate with Young in filing any necessary forms or reports required to obtain co-op reimbursement or other funds to which Young is entitled under this Section 5.1(f). For the purposes of Schedule I hereof, Young's receipt of promotional or co-op payments identified in this Section 5.1(f) shall not be considered a part of Net Sales Revenue and its expenditures of such promotional or co-op payments shall not be considered an expense for purposes of calculating Net Sales Revenue. To the extent that any network or program service agreement of Licensee provides that, in exchange for cash payment, additional spot time that otherwise would be used by such network or program service may be released for local sales by the Station, Licensee, upon request by the Young, will obtain the release of such commercial spot inventory for the placement of Advertisements by the Young, subject to Young paying to Licensee the cash amount required for such release.

(g) Subject to the Shared Services Agreement and to the provisions of any network affiliation or other programming agreement to which Licensee is a party, Licensee may, in the sole discretion of Licensee, consult with Young in the negotiation, maintenance and enforcement of retransmission consent agreements with cable, satellite and other multichannel video providers; provided, that, notwithstanding the foregoing or any other provisions of this Agreement or any other agreement between the parties to the contrary, neither this Agreement, nor Young's performance of its obligations hereunder, shall be deemed to make Young a manager, owner, operator, programmer or agent of the Station or Licensee. .

(h) Licensee shall not take any action or unreasonably omit to take any action that would be reasonably likely to result in a (i) revocation, non-renewal or material impairment of the FCC Licenses, (ii) material adverse effect upon the Station's transmitters, antennae and other material assets included in the Station's transmission facilities or (iii) material breach or default under the terms of any of the agreements to which Licensee is a party on and as of the date hereof.

(i) Licensee shall list Young as the exclusive sales representative for the Advertisements in all applicable trade listings and advertising and promotional material if and when such listings and material are published by Licensee.

(j) During the Term, Licensee shall not: (i) engage in any business other than the business of owning and operating the Station; (ii) incur any liabilities or obligations, except those liabilities and obligations incurred in connection with its business conducted in compliance with clause (i) of this Section 5.1(j); (iii) file a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, any petition or answer seeking for itself any reorganization, arrangement, composition, readjustment of debt, liquidation or dissolution or similar relief under any present or future insolvency statute, law or regulation of any jurisdiction; petition or apply to any tribunal for any receiver, custodian or any trustee for substantially all of its properties or assets; file any answer to any such petition admitting or not contesting the material allegations of any

such petition sufficient to support the grant or approval of any such order, judgment or decree; seek, approve or consent to any such proceeding or in the appointment of any trustee, receiver, sequestrator, custodian, liquidator or fiscal agent for it or substantially all of its properties or assets; or take any action for the purpose of effecting any of the foregoing; or be the subject of an order entered appointing any such trustee, receiver, custodian, liquidator or fiscal agent or (iv) amend or modify any provision of that certain Management Agreement by and between Licensee and Shield Media Lansing LLC, dated as of the date hereof ("**Management Agreement**").

(k) During the Term, Licensee shall cooperate with Young and, upon request by Young, use commercially reasonable efforts to assist Young in making and prosecuting any claims for indemnification pursuant to the Purchase Agreement relating to any assets of the Station owned, leased or held by Licensee which are or may be subject to claims under the Purchase Agreement, and Young shall reimburse Licensee for reasonable costs and expenses in connection with any such cooperation afforded pursuant to this Section 5.1(k).

(l) During the Term, Licensee shall provide to Young upon the written request of Young (but no more often than once each fiscal quarter) a true and accurate listing of the outstanding equity interests of Licensee and the holders thereof. Licensee acknowledges that Young may provide such information to its lenders.

Section 5.2 **Responsibilities of Young.** Young, at its expense and subject to the provisions of Schedule I, shall be responsible for and perform the following obligations with respect to the marketing and sale of the Advertisements during the Term in accordance with and subject to the following provisions:

(a) Young shall be solely responsible for (i) all commissions to its employees, agencies or representatives and other expenses incurred in its marketing and sale of the Advertisements; (ii) all expenses incurred in its performance of traffic, billing and collections functions with respect to the Advertisements; (iii) any other fees incurred in performing its obligations under this Agreement; and (iv) all fees related to the software used for sales, traffic, billing and similar functions including any fees charged by the provider to make Young's software interface in the most efficient manner with the Station's master control equipment.

(b) Young shall be solely responsible for the salaries, taxes and related costs for all personnel employed by Young in the sale of the Advertisements and the collection of accounts receivable (including salespeople, billing personnel and traffic personnel).

(c) Young shall cooperate with Licensee and use commercially reasonable efforts to assist Licensee in complying with the provisions of the Communications Act and FCC Rules regarding political advertising, including compliance with Licensee's statement disclosing political advertising rates and practices for purchasers of political advertising consistent with Applicable Law ("**Disclosure Statement**"). Young shall supply such information promptly to Licensee as may be necessary to comply with the public inspection file, lowest unit rate, equal opportunities and reasonable access requirements of the Communications Act and FCC Rules. If the Station fails to meet the political time obligations under the Communications Act and FCC Rules based on the advertising sold by Young, then, to the extent

reasonably necessary to enable Licensee to cause the Station to comply with such political time obligations, Young shall release advertising availabilities to Licensee; *provided, however*, that all revenues realized by Licensee from the sale of such advertising time shall be immediately paid to Young and shall be considered a part of its Net Sales Revenue.

(d) The parties acknowledge and agree that the acquisition or provision of audience measurement services is material to the performance by Young of its services hereunder and the Shared Services Agreement and, accordingly, Young shall have, subject to Section 4.7 hereof, the right to direct the management of such audience measurement and related services for the Station on behalf of Licensee.

(e) All Broadcast Material shall comply in all material respects with the Policy Statement, the Communications Act, the FCC Rules and other Applicable Law and shall not violate the intellectual property rights of any Person. All services to be provided and all obligations to be performed by Young hereunder shall comply in all material respects with all Applicable Law, including without limitation the Communications Act and FCC Rules, and standards of performance customary for the broadcast television industry.

Section 5.3 ***Delivery of Broadcast Material.*** All Broadcast Material shall be delivered to the Station in a format to be mutually agreed upon by the parties hereto, in a form ready for broadcast on the Station's existing playback equipment, and with quality suitable for broadcast. Licensee shall not be required to provide production services or to copy, reformat or otherwise manipulate material furnished by Young other than inserting tape cartridges or similar broadcast-ready media into machinery or computers for broadcast.

Section 5.4 ***Access to Information.*** In order to ensure compliance with the Communications Act, the FCC Rules and other Applicable Law, Licensee shall be entitled to review at its reasonable discretion from time to time any Broadcast Material that Licensee may reasonably request. Young also shall maintain and deliver to the Station such records and information required by the FCC Rules to be placed in the public inspection files of the Station pertaining to the sale of political programming and advertisements, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 73.1940 and 73.3526 of the FCC Rules, and to the sale of sponsored programming addressing political issues or controversial issues of public importance, in accordance with the provisions of Section 73.1212 of the FCC Rules. Young shall furnish to Licensee upon request any other information that is reasonably necessary to enable Licensee to prepare any records or reports required by the FCC or other governmental entities. Nothing in this Section 5.4 shall entitle Licensee to review the internal corporate or financial records of Young. Licensee shall keep confidential any information obtained from Young in connection with this Agreement, except as and to the extent required by Applicable Law. If this Agreement is terminated, Licensee shall return to Young all information obtained by it from Young in connection with this Agreement. This Section 5.4 shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement for a period of three (3) years.

#### Article VI.

#### REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF LICENSEE

Licensee represents and warrants to Young as follows:

Section 6.1 ***Authorization and Binding Obligation.*** The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by Licensee has been duly authorized by all necessary organizational action on the part of Licensee. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by Licensee and constitutes the legal, valid, and binding obligation of it, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms except as the enforceability thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, reorganization, or other similar laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights or by general principles of equity limiting the availability of equitable remedies.

Section 6.2 ***Absence of Conflicting Agreements or Consents.*** The execution, delivery, and performance by Licensee of this Agreement and the documents contemplated hereby (with or without the giving of notice, the lapse of time, or both): (a) will not conflict with the organizational documents of Licensee; (b) to the actual knowledge of Licensee, does not conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under any law, judgment, order, ordinance, injunction, decree, rule, regulation, or ruling of any court or governmental instrumentality applicable to Licensee; (c) does not conflict with, constitute grounds for termination of, result in a breach of, constitute a default under, or accelerate or permit the acceleration of any performance required by the terms of any agreement, instrument, license, or permit to which Licensee is a party or by which it is bound as of the date hereof; and (d) will not create any claim, lien, charge, or encumbrance upon any of the assets of the Station owned by Licensee, other than any lien for current taxes, payments of which are not yet due and payable, or liens in respect of pledges or deposits under worker's compensation laws or similar legislation, carriers', warehousemen's, mechanics', laborers' and materialmen's and similar liens, if the obligations secured by such liens are not then delinquent or are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings.

#### Article VII.

#### REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF YOUNG

Young represents and warrants to Licensee as follows:

Section 7.1 ***Authorization and Binding Obligation.*** The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by Young have been duly authorized by all necessary organizational action on the part of such party. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by Young and constitutes the legal, valid, and binding obligation of such party, enforceable against such party in accordance with its terms except as the enforceability thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, reorganization or other similar laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights or by general principles of equity limiting the availability of equitable remedies.

Section 7.2 ***Absence of Conflicting Agreements and Required Consents.*** The execution, delivery, and performance by Young of this Agreement and the documents contemplated hereby (with or without the giving of notice, the lapse of time, or both): (a) will not conflict with the governing documents of Young; (b) to the actual knowledge of Young, does not conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any law, judgment, order, ordinance, injunction, decree, rule, regulation, or ruling of any court or governmental

instrumentality applicable to such party; and (c) does not conflict with, constitute grounds for termination of, result in a breach of, constitute a default under, or accelerate or permit the acceleration of any performance required by the terms of, any agreement, instrument, license or permit to which Young is a party or by which it is bound as of the date hereof.

#### Article VIII.

#### INDEMNIFICATION AND REMEDIES

Section 8.1 **By Young.** Young shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Licensee and any employee, director, member, manager, officer, stockholder, or agent of Licensee, or any of its Affiliates, successors or assignees (exclusive of Young and its Affiliates and agents) (each, a “**Station Indemnified Party**”), from and against, and reimburse and pay to such Station Indemnified Party as incurred, any loss, liability, damage or expense (including reasonable legal expenses and costs and any cost or expense arising from or incurred in connection with any action, suit, proceeding, claim or judgment) relating to any matter described in this Section 8.1, or in enforcing the indemnity provided by this Section 8.1 (any such amount being a “**Loss**”), which any such Station Indemnified Party may suffer, sustain or become subject to, in any way arising from, relating to, or as a result of:

(a) any act or omission, event or occurrence that was or shall be caused by Young, its agents or Affiliates (including any predecessor in interest thereto) relating to the business of Young or the Station;

(b) any omission by Young or breach by Young (including any predecessor in interest to Young) of any of its obligations hereunder or under the Shared Services Agreement; or

(c) any Broadcast Material.

The obligations of Young under this Section 8.1 shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement, as applicable. The obligations of Young under this Section 8.1 shall be direct and not conditioned or conditional upon Licensee’s pursuit of remedies against any other party, and irrespective of Licensee’s rights under the Purchase Agreement, Licensee shall have the right to elect to proceed against Young in the first instance without any requirement to first proceed against the Sellers or any such third party. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in the Shared Services Agreement, in no event shall Young be liable under this Section 8.1 for punitive, treble, exemplary, consequential, special or other damages that are not actual damages in accordance with Applicable Law.

Section 8.2 **By Licensee.** Except with respect to or to the extent of any Loss subject to indemnification pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions of Section 8.1 and subject to the limitations set forth in Section 14 of the Shared Services Agreement, Licensee shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Young and any employee, director, member, manager, officer, stockholder or agent of Young, or any of its Affiliates, successors or assignees (each, a “**Young Indemnified Party**”) from and against, and reimburse and pay to such Young

Indemnified Party, as incurred, any Loss, which any such Young Indemnified Party may suffer, sustain or become subject to, in any way arising from, relating to, or as a result of:

(a) any libel, slander, illegal competition or trade practice, infringement of trademarks, trade names, or program titles, violation of rights of privacy, and infringement of copyrights and proprietary rights resulting from or relating to all material broadcast on the Station following the Commencement Date other than the Broadcast Material and with respect to which Licensee had notice or otherwise should have been reasonably aware; and

(b) the actions or omissions of Licensee's employees and representatives in performing their duties under this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement or in acting outside the scope of their employment, which actions or omissions constitute willful misconduct or gross negligence.

Section 8.3 The indemnification obligations of Licensee hereunder and under the Shared Services Agreement, in the aggregate, shall in no event exceed a maximum aggregate liability equal to the aggregate amount of the difference between (a) the total aggregate amount of Licensee Revenue Share retained by or otherwise paid over to Licensee hereunder, minus (b) all Services Fees paid to Service Provider under the Shared Services Agreement. The payment of any indemnification obligation by Licensee under this Agreement and the Shared Services Agreement shall in no event be due until and solely in the event of an Option Closing (as defined in the Option Agreement) under the Option Agreement and in connection with such Option Closing the amount of indemnification shall be applied as a credit against the payment obligations of the Option Holder (as defined in the Option Agreement) thereunder.

#### Section 8.4 *Procedure.*

(a) If any Person entitled to indemnification under this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement (an "**Indemnified Party**") asserts a claim for indemnification for, or receives notice of the assertion or commencement of any Third Party Claim as to which such Indemnified Party intends to seek indemnification under this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement, such Indemnified Party shall give reasonably prompt written notice of such claim to the party from whom indemnification is to be sought (an "**Indemnifying Party**"), together with a statement of any available information regarding such claim. The Indemnifying Party shall have the right, upon written notice to the Indemnified Party (the "**Defense Notice**") within fifteen (15) days after receipt from the Indemnified Party of notice of such claim, to conduct at its expense the defense against such Third Party Claim in its own name, or if necessary in the name of the Indemnified Party (which notice shall specify the counsel the Indemnifying Party will appoint to defend such claim ("**Defense Counsel**"); *provided, however*, that the Indemnified Party shall have the right to approve the Defense Counsel, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed). The parties hereto agree to cooperate fully with each other in connection with the defense, negotiation or settlement of any Third Party Claim. If the Indemnifying Party delivers a Defense Notice to the Indemnified Party, the Indemnified Party will cooperate with and make available to the Indemnifying Party such assistance and materials as may be reasonably requested by the Indemnifying Party, all at the expense of the Indemnifying Party.

(b) If the Indemnifying Party shall fail to give a Defense Notice, it shall be deemed to have elected not to conduct the defense of the subject Third Party Claim, and in such event the Indemnified Party shall have the right to conduct such defense in good faith. If the Indemnified Party defends any Third Party Claim, then the Indemnifying Party shall reimburse the Indemnified Party for the costs and expenses of defending such Third Party Claim upon submission of periodic bills. If the Indemnifying Party elects to conduct the defense of the subject Third Party Claim, the Indemnified Party may participate, at his or its own expense, in the defense of such Third Party Claim; *provided, however*, that such Indemnified Party shall be entitled to participate in any such defense with separate counsel at the expense of the Indemnifying Party if (i) so requested by the Indemnifying Party to participate or (ii) in the reasonable opinion of counsel to the Indemnified Party, a conflict or potential conflict exists between the Indemnified Party and the Indemnifying Party that would make such separate representation advisable; and *provided, further*, that the Indemnifying Party shall not be required to pay for more than one counsel for all Indemnified Parties in connection with any Third Party Claim.

(c) Regardless of which party defends a Third Party Claim, the other party shall have the right at its expense to participate in the defense of such Third Party Claim, assisted by counsel of its own choosing. The Indemnified Party shall not compromise, settle, default on, or admit liability with respect to a Third Party Claim without the prior written consent of the Indemnifying Party, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, and, if the Indemnified Party settles, compromises, defaults on, or admits liability with respect to a Third Party Claim except in compliance with the foregoing, the Indemnified Party will be liable for all Losses paid or incurred in connection therewith and the Indemnifying Party shall have no obligation to indemnify the Indemnified Party with respect thereto. The Indemnifying Party shall not compromise or settle a Third Party Claim without the consent of the Indemnified Party, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, unless such compromise or settlement includes as a term thereof an unconditional release of the Indemnified Party and such compromise or release does not impose any non-monetary obligations on the Indemnified Party other than immaterial administrative obligations (and all monetary obligations are subject to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement), in which case the consent of the Indemnified Party shall not be required.

(d) After any final decision, judgment or award shall have been rendered by a court or governmental entity of competent jurisdiction and the expiration of the time in which to appeal therefrom, or after a settlement shall have been consummated, or after the Indemnified Party and the Indemnifying Party shall have arrived at a mutually binding agreement with respect to a Third Party Claim hereunder, the Indemnified Party shall deliver to the Indemnifying Party notice of any sums due and owing by the Indemnifying Party pursuant to this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement with respect to such matter and the Indemnifying Party shall be required to pay all of the sums so due and owing to the Indemnified Party by wire transfer of immediately available funds within ten (10) business days after the date of such notice.

(e) It is the intent of the parties that all direct claims by an Indemnified Party against a party not arising out of Third Party Claims shall be subject to and benefit from the terms of this Section 8.4. Any claim under this Section 8.4 by an Indemnified Party for



indemnification other than indemnification against a Third Party Claim (a “**Direct Claim**”) will be asserted by giving the Indemnifying Party reasonably prompt written notice thereof, and the Indemnifying Party will have a period of twenty (20) days within which to satisfy such Direct Claim. If the Indemnifying Party does not so respond within such 20-day period, the Indemnifying Party will be deemed to have rejected such claim, in which event the Indemnified Party will be free to pursue such remedies as may be available to the Indemnified Party under this Section 8.

(f) A failure by an Indemnified Party to give timely, complete, or accurate notice as provided in this Section 8.4 shall not affect the rights or obligations of either party hereunder or under the Shared Services Agreement, except to the extent that, as a result of such failure, any party entitled to receive such notice was deprived of its right to recover any payment under its applicable insurance coverage or was otherwise materially adversely affected or damaged as a result of such failure to give timely, complete, and accurate notice.

(g) The parties shall use their commercially reasonable efforts to collect the proceeds of any insurance that would have the effect of reducing any Losses (in which case such proceeds shall reduce such Losses). To the extent any Losses of an Indemnified Party are reduced by receipt of payment under insurance policies or from third parties not affiliated with the Indemnified Party, such payments (net of the expenses of the recovery thereof) shall be credited against such Losses and, if indemnification payments shall have been received prior to the collection of such proceeds, the Indemnified Party shall remit to the Indemnifying Party the amount of such proceeds (net of the cost of collection thereof) to the extent of indemnification payments received in respect of such Losses. The indemnification obligations hereunder shall survive any termination of this Agreement and the Shared Services Agreement.

Section 8.5 **Services Unique.** The parties hereby agree that the services to be provided by the parties under this Agreement are unique and that substitutes therefor cannot be purchased or acquired in the open market. For that reason, the parties would be irreparably damaged in the event of a material breach of this Agreement by the other party. Accordingly, to the extent permitted by the Communications Act and the FCC Rules then in effect, the parties may request that a decree of specific performance be issued by a court of competent jurisdiction, enjoining the other party to observe and to perform such other party’s covenants, conditions, agreements and obligations hereunder, and the parties hereby agree neither to oppose nor to resist the issuance of such a decree on the grounds that there may exist an adequate remedy at law for any material breach of this Agreement.

Section 8.6 **Exclusivity.** After the Commencement Date, the indemnification provided by this Article 8, together with Section 13 of the Shared Services Agreement, shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of either of Young and Licensee against the other party hereto for any claim arising out of a breach of any representation, warranty, covenant or agreement herein or otherwise in connection with this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement; *provided*, that neither this Section 8.6 nor Section 13 of the Shared Services Agreement shall prohibit (a) injunctive relief (including specific performance) pursuant to Section 8.5 of this Agreement or Section 21 of the Shared Services Agreement or if available under Applicable Law, (b) termination of this Agreement pursuant to Section 2.2 and 2.3 above, or (c) any other remedy

available at law or in equity for any fraud committed in connection with this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement.

Article IX.  
MISCELLANEOUS

Section 9.1 ***No Partnership or Joint Venture.*** This Agreement is not intended to be, and shall not be construed as, an agreement to form a partnership or a joint venture between the parties. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Agreement, no party shall be authorized to act as an agent of or otherwise to represent any other party hereto.

Section 9.2 ***Confidentiality.*** Each party hereto agrees that it will not at any time during or after the termination of this Agreement disclose to others or use, except as duly authorized in connection with the conduct of the business or the rendering of services hereunder, any secret or confidential information of the other party. To the extent required by the Communications Act and FCC Rules, each party shall place a copy of this Agreement in its public inspection file and shall consult with the other party and agree upon the confidential and proprietary information herein that shall be redacted from such copy.

Section 9.3 ***Assignment; Benefit; Binding Effect; Use of Agents.***

(a) Neither party may assign this Agreement or delegate its obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, (i) Young may assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to (A) any Affiliate of Young or (B) any successor in interest as the operator or licensee of the Service Station (each a "***Young Assignee***") upon written notice to Licensee; *provided*, however, that such Young Assignee shall also assume the rights and obligations of the Option Holder (as defined in the Option Agreement) under the Option Agreement, and provided that Young, as assignor, shall guarantee, and remain responsible for, the full and complete performance of its Young Assignee and any subsequent assignee of Young Assignee and (ii) Licensee shall assign this Agreement and all of its rights and obligations hereunder to any Person to which the FCC Licenses are transferred or assigned, *provided* that as a condition to such transfer or assignment (A) this Agreement, the Shared Services Agreement, the Option Agreement and all of Licensee's rights and obligations hereunder and thereunder are assigned to such Person, which assignments are to be effective simultaneously, (B) such Person is legally and financially qualified to be the holder of the FCC Licenses and (C) such Person executes and delivers to the Young an instrument in form and substance reasonably acceptable to Young, accepting such assignments of this Agreement, the Shared Services Agreement, the Option Agreement and the rights and obligations of Licensee hereunder and thereunder and agreeing to pay, discharge and perform the obligations and liabilities of Licensee hereunder and thereunder in accordance with the terms hereof and thereof and such other documents and instruments as Young may reasonably request. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns. Any permitted assignee of a party hereto shall be a party to this Agreement for all purposes hereof.

(b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, Young shall have the right to designate agents or otherwise subcontract with any third party to perform

all or any portion of its obligations under the Agreement; *provided, however*, that Young shall provide prior written notice to Licensee of any designation or subcontract pursuant to the foregoing and, *provided further*, that Licensee shall not be obligated to pay any amounts owing to Young under this Agreement to any such third party and shall continue to pay all such amounts directly to Young and, *provided further*, that Young shall not be relieved of any of its obligations hereunder as a result of entering into any such arrangements with third parties.

Section 9.4 ***Force Majeure.*** Any delay or interruption in the broadcast operation of the Station, in whole or in part, due to acts of God, strikes, lockouts, material or labor restrictions, governmental action, riots, natural disasters or any other cause not reasonably within the control of a party shall not constitute a breach of this Agreement, and no party shall be liable to any other party for any liability or obligation with respect thereto.

Section 9.5 ***Further Assurances.*** The parties hereto shall take any actions and execute any other documents that may be necessary or desirable to the implementation and consummation of this Agreement.

Section 9.6 ***Press Release.*** No party hereto shall publish any press release, make any other public announcement or otherwise communicate with any news media concerning this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby or by the Shared Services Agreement without the prior written consent of the other party hereto; *provided, however*, that nothing contained herein shall prevent any party from promptly making all filings with governmental authorities as may, in its judgment, be required or advisable in connection with the execution and delivery of this Agreement or the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 9.7 ***Unenforceability.*** If one or more provisions of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement, or the application thereof to any Person or circumstances, shall be invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the Shared Services and the application of such provisions to other Persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby and shall be enforced to the greatest extent permitted by Applicable Law, except that, if such invalidity or unenforceability should change the basic economic positions of the parties hereto, they shall negotiate in good faith such changes in other terms as shall be practicable in order to restore them to their prior positions. In the event that the FCC alters or modifies its rules or policies in a fashion which would raise substantial and material questions as to the validity of any provision of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement, the parties shall negotiate in good faith to revise any such provision of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement, as applicable, in an effort to comply with all applicable FCC Rules while attempting to preserve the intent of the parties as embodied in the provisions of this Agreement and the Shared Services Agreement. The parties hereto agree that, upon the request of either of them, they will join in requesting the view of the staff of the FCC, to the extent necessary, with respect to the revision of any provision of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement in accordance with the foregoing.

Section 9.8 ***Notices.*** All notices, demands, and requests required or permitted to be given under the provisions of this Agreement or the Shared Services Agreement shall be (a) in writing, (b) delivered by personal delivery, or sent by commercial delivery service or

registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, (c) deemed to have been given on the date of personal delivery or the date set forth in the records of the delivery service or on the return receipt, and (d) addressed as set forth on Schedule IV.

Section 9.9 **Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be construed and governed in accordance with the laws of New York without reference to the conflict of laws principles thereof.

Section 9.10 **Captions.** The captions in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not be considered a part of, or effect the construction or interpretation of any provision of, this Agreement.

Section 9.11 **Gender and Number.** Words used herein, regardless of the gender and number specifically used, shall be deemed and construed to include any other gender, masculine, feminine, or neuter, and any other number, singular or plural, as the context requires.

Section 9.12 **Counterparts and Facsimile Signatures.** This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. This Agreement shall be legally binding and effective upon delivery of facsimile signatures.

Section 9.13 **Entire Agreement.** This Agreement and the attachments and Schedules hereto (which are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part hereof), the Shared Services Agreement, the Option Agreement and that certain Letter Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and among Young and Licensee and certain of its affiliates (the "**Letter Agreement**"), when executed and delivered by the parties thereto, collectively represent the entire understanding and agreement among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in any of the other Transaction Documents and, without limiting any of the other rights or remedies of the parties hereunder or under any of the Transaction Documents, the parties acknowledge and agree that Young may offset any amount owed by Licensee to Young pursuant to any of the Transaction Documents as a credit against any amount owed by Young to Licensee pursuant to any of the Transaction Documents. No term or provision hereof may be changed, modified, terminated or discharged (other than in accordance with its terms), in whole or in part, except by a writing which is dated and signed by the parties hereto. No waiver of any of the provisions or conditions of this Agreement or of any of the rights, powers or privileges of a party hereto shall be effective or binding unless in writing and signed by the party claimed to have given or consented to such waiver.

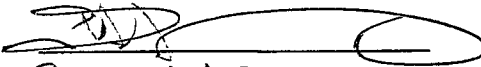
Section 9.14 **Other Definitional Provisions.** The terms "hereof," "herein" and "hereunder" and terms of similar import will refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement. Section references contained in this Agreement are references to Sections in this Agreement, unless otherwise specified. Each defined term used in this Agreement has a comparable meaning when used in its plural or singular form. Each gender-specific term used in this Agreement has a comparable meaning whether used in a masculine, feminine or gender-neutral form. Whenever the term "including" is used in this

Agreement (whether or not that term is followed by the phrase “but not limited to” or “without limitation” or words of similar effect) in connection with a listing of items within a particular classification, that listing will be interpreted to be illustrative only and will not be interpreted as a limitation on, or an exclusive listing of, the items within that classification.

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Joint Sales Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto effective as of the date first written above.

**WLAJ-TV LLC**

By:   
Name: STEVEN A. CRUMLEY  
Title: MANAGER

**YOUNG BROADCASTING OF LANSING,  
INC.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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**WLAJ-TV LLC**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:  
Title:

**YOUNG BROADCASTING OF LANSING,  
INC.**

By: CE  
Name: Chris Eisenhardt  
Title: VP, Treasurer, Secretary and Controller

## SCHEDULE I

1. ***Net Sales Revenue.*** For purposes of this Agreement, the term “***Net Sales Revenue***” means (i) all gross revenue received by Young or Licensee for all Advertisements, less agency, buying service or other sales commissions paid to or withheld by an advertiser, agency or service, as the case may be, (ii) any network compensation or other similar payments made to Licensee or otherwise paid in respect of the Station or its programming, (iii) any retransmission fees or other similar payments made to Licensee or otherwise paid in respect of the Station or its programming or other payments made to Licensee pursuant to any retransmission consent agreements and (iv) any other amounts designated for inclusion in the calculation of Net Sales Revenue pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement.

2. ***Station Expenses; Payments.***

2.1 In the event that due to the performance of the Station and the resulting revenues of the Station with respect to any given month during the Term, the total aggregate amount of Designated Expenses and Other Expenses exceeds the amount of the Licensee Revenue Share for such month, Young shall pay to Licensee the differential of such amounts. Any expenses incurred by Licensee that do not constitute Designated Expenses or Other Expenses (including obligations pursuant to a credit or loan facility that is not designated as an Acquisition Financing Arrangement as provided below) shall remain solely the obligation of Licensee.

2.2 For purposes of this Agreement:

(a) “***Designated Expenses***” shall mean the sum of the actual out-of-pocket payments and expenses of Licensee for the following: (i) utilities associated with the Station’s transmitting facilities together with all other expenses, including rental payments, payable by Licensee under any lease for real property on which the Station is located or used exclusively for the operation of the Station, (ii) salaries for up to two of the Station’s full-time employees, one of which shall be the station manager and hourly rates for accounting and human resource services, all at reasonable and customary rates for such employees or services, (iii) expenses related to maintenance and filings with respect to the FCC Licenses in respect of the Station and other expenses of compliance with FCC Rules and other Applicable Law in connection with the operation of the Station, including reasonable and customary attorneys’ fees of Licensee incurred in connection therewith, (iv) property taxes on any real property, personal property and leased property on which the Station is located or used exclusively for the operation of the Station, (v) with respect to that certain Credit Facility and related financing arrangements contemplated by that certain Commitment Letter, by and among Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, Wells Fargo Securities, LLC (“Wells Fargo Securities”), Royal Bank of Canada, SunTrust Bank, SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc. (“SunTrust Robinson Humphrey” and collectively with Wells Fargo Securities and RBC Capital Markets LLC, the “Lead Arrangers”), U.S. Bank National Association and General Electric Capital Corporation and Licensee dated as of date hereof, or such other credit facility, agreement or other financing arrangement to which Young has agreed to be a guarantor (collectively, an “***Acquisition Financing Arrangement***”), the payments due by Licensee pursuant to such Acquisition Financing Arrangement (and any tax payments, if any, relating to such Acquisition Financing Arrangement), other than those



payments due pursuant to such Acquisition Financing Agreement to the extent arising out of the failure of Licensee to make a timely payment thereunder for which Licensee had received timely payment hereunder or otherwise to the extent arising out of actions or omissions of Licensee in breach of such Acquisition Financing Arrangement (*provided*, that any payments under this clause shall be made directly to Licensee), (vi) premiums and other out-of-pockets costs and expenses relating to any insurance that Licensee is required to maintain pursuant to the terms of the Option Agreement, (vii) all music rights payments required to be paid by Licensee (including music performance rights, synchronization rights, and master use rights), in connection with the broadcast and/or transmission of all announcements and programming on the Station, including the Advertisements (but excluding the Delivered Programming, which shall be the responsibility of Young), (viii) all payments for the acquisition or licensing of programming during the Term, including television network payments, (ix) payments or distributions pursuant to the Management Agreement, as in effect on the date hereof, (x) amounts payable under the Shared Services Agreement, and (xi) any costs or expense actually incurred by Licensee as a result of complying with its obligation to broadcast the Broadcast Material.

(b) “*Other Expenses*” shall mean expenses that are reasonably necessary or customary in the operation and maintenance of the Station, which have been consented to in advance by Young, *provided* that Licensee shall have no obligation under this Agreement to incur any Other Expenses in the absence of such consent and agreement to reimburse under this subparagraph (b).

2.3 “*Station Expenses*” shall mean, collectively, Designated Expenses, Other Expenses, expenses in accordance with the Operating Budget, and any other expenses, distributions or payment obligations that are not contemplated by the Operating Budget.

2.4 In order to promote the administration of the payment obligations between the parties under this Agreement and the Shared Services Agreement (individually and collectively, the “*Principal Agreements*”), the parties agree that (i) the amounts due and payable by one party under any of the Principal Agreements may be offset against any outstanding payment obligation by the other party under any of the Principal Agreements; and (ii) to the extent reasonably practicable, Young shall deliver to Licensee in connection with the payment of the Licensee Revenue Share a single statement reflecting the respective payment obligations of the parties under each of the Principal Agreements, which statement shall reflect any offsetting amounts.

## SCHEDULE II SCHEDULE OF DELIVERED PROGRAMMING

Commencing on the Commencement Date, Young shall be permitted to provide the Delivered Programming in accordance with the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the obligations of Licensee set forth in this Schedule II shall be subject to Licensee's rights under Sections 4.2, 4.3 and 4.4 of this Agreement.

At any time and from time to time following the Commencement Date, Young may designate by written notice to Licensee the days and times during which the Delivered Programming shall be broadcast on the Station, and Licensee shall commence the broadcast of such Delivered Programming no later than 14 days following its receipt of such notice, so long as (i) the duration of such Delivered Programming, together with the duration of all other Delivered Programming broadcast on the applicable Station, does not exceed 15% of such Station's weekly broadcast schedule and (ii) the broadcast of such Delivered Programming during the days and times specified by Young does not conflict with the contractual obligations of Licensee.

At any time and from time to time following the Commencement Date, Young may designate, by written notice to Licensee, existing programming broadcast on the Station that, effective upon receipt of such notice, shall constitute Delivered Programming for all purposes under this Agreement (such existing programming so designated by Young, the "***Converted Programming***"). At Young's election, such notice may specify changes to the days and times during which such Converted Programming shall be broadcast on the Station and Licensee shall broadcast such Converted Programming during the days and times specified by Young no later than 14 days following its receipt of such notice, so long as (i) the duration of such Converted Programming, together with the duration of all other Delivered Programming broadcast on the applicable Station, is less than 15% of such Station's weekly broadcast schedule and (ii) the broadcast of such Converted Programming during the days and times specified by Young does not conflict with the contractual obligations of Licensee. Subject to receipt of any required consent, Licensee shall assign to Young as promptly as practicable following receipt of Young's written notice Licensee's rights and interests in the Converted Programming. Licensee shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain the consent of any third parties required in connection with any such assignment.

If the FCC changes its rules or policies in a manner that allows Young to provide Delivered Programming that exceeds 15% of the Station's broadcast hours for any week, at the request of Young, Licensee shall cooperate in good faith with Young to agree upon one or more additional time periods during which Young shall be permitted to provide additional Delivered Programming for broadcast on the Station, but in no event shall the aggregate duration of all Delivered Programming, including such additional time periods, exceed the total amount of Delivered Programming as may be permitted by the FCC after giving effect to such change in the FCC Rules.

Upon no less than 14 days prior written notice from Young to Licensee, Young may change the date and times that the Delivered Programming shall be broadcast on the Station and

Licensee agrees to broadcast the Delivered Programming in accordance with such revised schedule, so long as (i) the duration of such Delivered Programming, together with the duration of all other Delivered Programming broadcast on the applicable Station, does not exceed 15% of such Station's weekly broadcast schedule and (ii) the broadcast of such Delivered Programming during the days and times specified by Young does not conflict with the contractual obligations of Licensee.

### SCHEDULE III

#### POLICY STATEMENT FOR BROADCAST MATERIAL

Young agrees to cooperate with Licensee in the broadcasting of programs of high quality and, for this purpose, to observe the following policies in the preparation, writing, production and delivery of Broadcast Material.

**CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE.** Any discussion of controversial issues of public importance shall be reasonably balanced with the presentation of contrasting viewpoints in the course of overall programming; no attacks on the honesty, integrity, or like personal qualities of any person or group of persons shall be made; and Station programs (other than public forum or talk features) are not to be used as a forum for editorializing about individual candidates. If such events occur, Licensee may require that responsive programming be aired.

**NO PLUGOLA OR PAYOLA.** The mention of any business activity or "plug" for any commercial, professional, or other related endeavor, except where contained in an actual commercial message of a sponsor, is prohibited.

**ELECTION PROCEDURES.** At least ninety (90) days before the start of any primary or regular election campaign, Young will clear with Licensee the rate Young will charge for the time to be sold to candidates for public office and/or their supporters to make certain that the rate charged is in conformity with Applicable Law and Licensee's policy.

**PROGRAMMING PROHIBITIONS.** Young shall not knowingly broadcast any of the following programs or announcements:

- (a) *False Claims.* False or unwarranted claims for any product or service.
- (b) *Unfair Imitation.* Infringements of another advertiser's rights through plagiarism or unfair imitation of either program idea or copy, or any other unfair competition.
- (c) *Commercial Disparagement.* Any unlawful disparagement of competitors or competitive goods.
- (d) *Obscenity/Indecency/Profanity.* Any programs or announcements that are obscene or indecent, as those terms are interpreted and applied by the FCC or any programs or announcements that are slanderous, obscene, profane, vulgar, repulsive or offensive, either in theme or treatment.
- (e) *Price Disclosure.* Any price mentions except as permitted by Licensee's policies current at the time.
- (f) *Unauthorized Testimonials.* Any testimonials which cannot be authenticated.
- (g) *Descriptions of Bodily Functions.* Any continuity which describes in a repellent manner internal bodily functions or symptomatic results or internal disturbances, and no reference to matters which are not considered acceptable topics in social groups.

(h) *Conflict Advertising.* Any advertising matter or announcement which may, in the reasonable opinion of Licensee, be injurious or prejudicial to the interest of the public, the Station, or honest advertising and reputable business in general.

(i) *Fraudulent or Misleading Advertisement.* Any advertisement matter, announcement, or claim which Young knows to be fraudulent, misleading, or untrue.

**LOTTERIES.** Announcements giving any information about lotteries or games prohibited by Applicable Law are prohibited.

**RELIGIOUS PROGRAMMING RESTRICTIONS.** The subject of religion and references to particular faiths, tenants, and customs shall be treated with respect at all times. Broadcast Material shall not be used as medium for attack on any faith, denomination, or sect or upon any individual or organization.

**CREDIT TERMS ADVERTISING.** Any advertising of credit terms shall be made over the Station in accordance with Applicable Law.

**NO ILLEGAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.** No announcements or promotion prohibited by Applicable Law shall be made over the Station. At Licensee's request, any game, contest, or promotion relating to or to be presented over the Station must be fully stated and explained in advance to Licensee, which reserves the right in its sole discretion to reject any game, contest, or promotion.

**LICENSEE DISCRETION PARAMOUNT.** In accordance with the responsibilities of Licensee under the Communications Act and the FCC Rules, Licensee reserves the right to reject or terminate any Broadcast Material proposed to be presented or being presented over the Station which is in conflict with the policy of Licensee or which in the reasonable judgment of Licensee would not serve the public interest.

**PROGRAMMING IN WHICH YOUNG HAS A FINANCIAL INTEREST.** Young shall advise Licensee with respect to any Broadcast Material concerning goods or services in which Young has a material financial interest. Any announcements for such goods and services for which Young charges less than its regular rate shall clearly identify Young's financial interest.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS.**

(a) *Waiver.* To the extent legally permissible, the parties may jointly waive any of the foregoing policies in specific instances if, in their opinion, good broadcasting in the public interest is served.

(b) *Prior Consent.* In any case where questions of policy or interpretation arise, Young will attempt in good faith to submit the same to Licensee for decision before making any commitments in connection therewith.

**SCHEDULE IV**  
**NOTICES**

If to Licensee:

With a copy (which shall not constitute notice) to:

If to Young:

With a copy (which shall not constitute notice) to:

## SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT (this "**Agreement**") is entered into as of October **3**, 2012 by and between Young Broadcasting of Lansing, Inc. ("**Service Provider**") and WLAJ-TV LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("**Licensee**").

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, reference is made to that certain Asset Purchase Agreement, by and among Sinclair Television Group, Inc., Sinclair Communications, LLC and WLAJ Licensee, LLC (collectively, "**Seller**") and Licensee, dated as October \_\_ (the "**Asset Purchase Agreement**"), pursuant to which Licensee, will acquire certain assets held by Seller in connection with its ownership and operation of television station WLAJ-TV, Lansing, MI (the "**Station**"), including the FCC licenses relating thereto;

**WHEREAS**, Service Provider is the owner of television station WLNS-TV, Lansing, MI (the "**Service Station**");

**WHEREAS**, it is the parties' expectation that Service Provider, with its experience and operating infrastructure, will maintain or improve the overall efficiency of the Station's operating processes and reduce costs, by providing certain technical, administrative and back-office and other business and promotional functions of the Station thereby helping the Station to serve the television viewing public in the market; and

**WHEREAS**, simultaneously with the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the parties hereto are entering into that certain Joint Sales Agreement, dated as of the date hereof (the "**JSA**"), pursuant to which Service Provider (in accordance with the terms of the JSA) agrees to sell advertising and commercial time on the Station and provide certain local news and other programming (this Agreement, the JSA, the Option and the Letter Agreement (both hereinafter defined) and the other documents, agreements and instruments executed by the parties hereto and thereto in connection therewith, shall be collectively referred to as the "**Transaction Documents**").

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the above recitals and of the mutual agreements and covenants contained herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties, intending to be bound legally, agree as follows:

1. **General Principles Governing Sharing Arrangements.** All sharing arrangements contemplated by this Agreement will be subject to, and are intended to comply in all respects with, the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "**Communications Act**"), the rules and regulations of the FCC ("**FCC**") promulgated thereunder ("**FCC Rules**") and all other federal, state and local constitutions, laws, statutes, codes, rules, regulations, ordinances, judgments, orders, decrees and the like of any governmental entity, including common law ("**Applicable Law**"). The arrangements made pursuant to this Agreement will not be deemed to constitute "joint sales," "program services," "time brokerage," "local marketing," or similar arrangements, or a partnership, joint venture, or agency relationship between the parties, and no such arrangement will be deemed to give Service Provider any right to control the policies, operations, management or any other matter relating to the Station.

2. ***Certain Services Not to be Shared.***

2.1 ***Senior Management Personnel.*** Licensee shall maintain for the Station sufficient personnel to comply with its obligations as a broadcast licensee under the FCC's Rules. Such personnel shall (a) include not less than one managerial employee, (b) be retained solely by, and report solely to, Licensee, and (c) have no involvement or responsibility with respect to the business and operation of the Service Station.

2.2 ***Programming.*** Licensee shall retain ultimate authority with respect to the selection and procurement of programming on the Station and in furtherance thereof, each of Licensee and Service Provider shall maintain for its own respective broadcast television station(s), including the Station and the Service Station, separate managerial and other personnel to carry out its selection and procurement of programming for its station(s).

3. ***Licensee's Retained Authority Concerning Station Carriage by MVPDs.*** Licensee shall retain the full authority (a) to make elections for must-carry or retransmission consent status, as permitted under the FCC Rules, and (b) to negotiate, execute, and deliver retransmission consent agreements with any cable television systems, direct-broadcast-satellite systems, local exchange carriers or other multichannel video programming distributors that distribute the signals of a television broadcast station ("**MVPD**"). Subject to the foregoing, Licensee agrees to take all commercially reasonable steps in a timely manner to assert, enforce, defend, and preserve the rights of the Station to carriage of the Station's signals by MVPDs that may exist under Applicable Law as necessary to ensure that the Station has valid and enforceable arrangements with all MVPDs in the Nielsen Designated Market Area that encompasses the Station ("**DMA**"). Notwithstanding anything contained herein or in any other agreement between the parties to the contrary, neither this Agreement, nor Service Provider's performance of its obligations hereunder, shall be deemed to make Service Provider a manager, owner, operator, programmer or agent of the Station or Licensee.

4. ***Access to Premises, Facilities and Equipment.*** Upon the Commencement Date (as such term is defined in the JSA) and during the Term (defined below), Service Provider shall make available to Licensee (a) such premises and facilities as may be reasonably necessary (i) to conduct broadcast operations from such location and establish the main studio of the Station at such location and (ii) for the employees of Licensee at the Station to conduct the applicable business and operations of the Station; provided, that all such access and use shall be pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in *Exhibit I* attached hereto (the "**Studio Lease**") and (b) the use of, certain tangible personal property with respect to the Station or Service Station sufficient to ensure and enable Licensee to conduct broadcast operations of the Station consistent with, and pursuant to, the FCC Rules and the Communications Act.

5. ***Shared Services.*** Subject to Licensee's ultimate supervision and control, Service Provider agrees to provide to Licensee the following services to support the operation of the Station; provided, that such supervision and control shall not be deemed to permit Licensee to expand in any material respect the obligations of Service Provider or to require Service Provider to incur any material additional obligation or liability hereunder:

5.1 ***Technical Services.***



(a) Commencing on the Commencement Date, Service Provider shall perform monitoring and maintenance of the Station's technical equipment and facilities and, upon the request of Licensee, shall assist Licensee with the installation, repair, maintenance and replacement of the Station's equipment and facilities and otherwise assist in the performance of Licensee's obligations under Section 5.1 of the JSA; provided, however, subject to the obligations of Service Provider pursuant to Section 5.2 of the JSA, Licensee shall be responsible for all capital and equipment replacement expenditures.

(b) Commencing on the Commencement Date, Service Provider shall make available to Licensee, on an independent contractor basis, a staff engineer employed by Service Provider to assist the chief operator for the Station in fulfilling its duties as specified by the FCC Rules.

5.2 *Promotional and Other Services.* Service Provider shall be responsible for the promotion of the Station; provided, however, that Licensee shall have the right to supplement the promotional efforts undertaken by Service Provider, but shall coordinate such efforts with Service Provider to maintain image consistency with Service Provider's promotional efforts. Service Provider shall (a) maintain and operate a website associated with the Station, whether (i) the current website for the Station (and its corresponding domain name) or (ii) another website (and other domain name) that is prominently associated with the Station, or (b) combine the current Station website with a website for the Service Station and be operated as a single website for the Station and the Service Station or otherwise include in the navigation structure of each such website for the Station and the Service Station links and navigation to such other site.

5.3 *Back-Office and Related Support Services.* Service Provider shall provide reasonable and customary back-office support services with respect to the business of the Station, including with respect to traffic, the collection of accounts receivable in a manner consistent with Service Provider's own practices, and payroll and other similar, related services

5.4 *Use of, and Access to, Towers, Facilities and Equipment.* Service Provider shall make available to Licensee, including its employees and agents, the right of access to, and use of such towers and related real property and certain tangible personal property owned or leased by Service Provider with respect to the Station in the ordinary course of business and otherwise to an extent and in a manner sufficient to ensure and enable Licensee to conduct broadcast operations of the Station consistent with, and pursuant to, the FCC Rules; *provided* that to the extent any tower facility is subject to the terms of a third-party lease, such access hereunder shall be subject in all respects to the terms and conditions of such lease.

6. *Services Fee.* In consideration for the services to be provided to Licensee by Service Provider pursuant to this Agreement, Licensee shall pay to Service Provider with respect to each calendar month during the term of this Agreement an amount equal to the sum of the Base SSA Amount and the Performance Bonus, if any, as such terms are defined in, and in accordance with, *Schedule II* hereto (collectively, (the, "**Services Fee**"). The Services Fee will be payable monthly, in arrears, as set forth in *Schedule II* hereto and will be prorated on a daily basis for the first and last months during which this Agreement is in effect. The payment of the Services Fee hereunder shall be due and payable upon, and subject to, the payments due in respect of such calendar month under the JSA.

7. ***Service Provider Costs.*** Service Provider shall be solely responsible for the salaries, taxes and related costs for all personnel employed by Service Provider who are used by Service Provider in the performance of Service Provider's obligations hereunder, including, without limitation, any publicity or promotional expenses incurred in performing its obligations hereunder.

8. ***Term of Agreement.***

8.1 ***Initial Term.*** This Agreement shall be deemed effective, and the initial term hereof shall commence, on and as of the Commencement Date and such initial term (the "**Initial Term**") shall continue until the eighth (8th) anniversary of the Commencement Date, unless earlier terminated in accordance with Section 12 below.

8.2 ***Renewal Term.*** This Agreement shall be renewed automatically without any further action by the parties hereto if the JSA is renewed in accordance with its terms and shall remain in full force and effect until the JSA is terminated in accordance with its terms (the Initial Term and any such renewal term hereinafter referred to as the "**Term**").

9. ***Representations and Warranties of Licensee.*** Licensee represents and warrants to Service Provider as follows:

9.1 ***Authorization and Binding Obligation.*** The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by Licensee have been duly authorized by all necessary organizational action on the part of such party. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by Licensee and constitutes the legal, valid, and binding obligation of such party, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms except as the enforceability thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, reorganization, or other similar laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights or by general principles of equity limiting the availability of equitable remedies.

9.2 ***Absence of Conflicting Agreements or Consents.*** The execution, delivery, and performance by Licensee of this Agreement and the documents contemplated hereby (with or without the giving of notice, the lapse of time, or both): (a) will not conflict with the organizational documents of Licensee; (b) to the actual knowledge of Licensee or its respective Affiliates, does not conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under any law, judgment, order, ordinance, injunction, decree, rule, regulation, or ruling of any court or governmental instrumentality applicable to Licensee; and (c) does not conflict with, constitute grounds for termination of, result in a breach of, constitute a default under, or accelerate or permit the acceleration of any performance required by the terms of any agreement, instrument, license, or permit to which Licensee is a party or by which it is bound as of the date of this Agreement.

10. ***Representations and Warranties of Service Provider.*** Service Provider represents and warrants to Licensee as follows:

10.1 ***Authorization and Binding Obligation.*** The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by Service Provider have been duly authorized by all necessary organizational action on the part of such party. This Agreement has been duly executed and

delivered by Service Provider and constitutes the legal, valid, and binding obligation of such party, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms except as the enforceability thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, reorganization or other similar laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights or by general principles of equity limiting the availability of equitable remedies.

10.2 *Absence of Conflicting Agreements and Required Consents.* The execution, delivery, and performance by Service Provider of this Agreement and the documents contemplated hereby (with or without the giving of notice, the lapse of time, or both): (a) will not conflict with the organizational documents of Service Provider; (b) to the actual knowledge of Service Provider or its Affiliates, does not conflict with, result in a breach of, or constitute a default under, any law, judgment, order, ordinance, injunction, decree, rule, regulation, or ruling of any court or governmental instrumentality applicable to Service Provider; and (c) does not conflict with, constitute grounds for termination of, result in a breach of, constitute a default under, or accelerate or permit the acceleration of any performance required by the terms of, any agreement, instrument, license or permit to which Service Provider is a party or by which it is bound as of the date of this Agreement.

11. ***Insurance.*** Licensee shall maintain in effect policies of insurance insuring the assets and the business of the Station pursuant to the terms, and subject to the conditions, of the JSA.

12. ***Termination.***

12.1 *Mutual Agreement.* This Agreement may be terminated at any time by mutual agreement of the parties. This Agreement shall terminate as of the time immediately following the Option Closing (as such term is defined in the Option Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and between Licensee and Service Provider, as such agreement may be amended from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof (the "**Option**").

12.2 *Automatic Termination.* This Agreement shall terminate automatically without any further action by the parties upon the termination of the JSA in accordance with its terms.

12.3 *Certain Matters Upon Termination.* No expiration or termination of this Agreement shall terminate the obligations of any party hereto to indemnify any other party for any action, suit, claim or legal, administrative, arbitration, mediation, governmental or other proceeding, or investigation, other than any brought by a party to this Agreement or an Affiliate of a party to this Agreement under Section 13 of this Agreement, or limit or impair any party's rights to receive payments due and owing hereunder on or before the effective date of such termination or expiration.

13. ***Indemnification.*** After the Commencement Date, the indemnification provided by Article 8 of the JSA, the terms and conditions of which are hereby incorporated by reference and made be a part hereof, shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of Licensee and Service Provider against the other party for any claim arising out of a breach of any representation,

warranty, covenant or agreement herein or otherwise in connection with this Agreement; provided, that neither this Section 13 nor Section 8.4 of the JSA shall prohibit (a) injunctive relief (including specific performance) pursuant to Section 20 if available under Applicable Law, (b) termination of this Agreement pursuant to Section 12 above, or (c) any other remedy available at law or in equity for any fraud committed in connection with this Agreement.

14. **Force Majeure.** Any delay or interruption in the broadcast operation of the Station, in whole or in part, due to acts of God, strikes, lockouts, material or labor restrictions, governmental action, riots, natural disasters or any other cause not reasonably within the control of a party shall not constitute a breach of this Agreement, and no party shall be liable to any other party for any liability or obligation with respect thereto.

15. **Unenforceability.** Section 9.7 of the JSA is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part hereof.

16. **Notices.** All notices, demands, and requests required or permitted to be given under the provisions of this Agreement shall be given in accordance with Section 9.8 of the JSA.

17. **Assignment; Binding Agreement.** Neither party may assign this Agreement or delegate its obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the other. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, each party shall assign its rights and obligations under this Agreement to any Person to whom it assigns its respective rights and obligations under the JSA. Upon any assignment of this Agreement, Licensee shall pay, or shall cause to be paid, all amounts accrued and owing to Service Provider as of the consummation date of such assignment. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and permitted assigns. Any permitted assignee of any party hereto shall be a "party" to this Agreement for all purposes hereof.

18. **Entire Agreement; Amendment; Waiver.** This Agreement and any attachments and Schedules hereto (which are hereby incorporated by reference and made a part hereof), the JSA, the Option Agreement that certain Letter Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and among Service Provider and Licensee and certain of its affiliates (the "**Letter Agreement**") collectively represent the entire understanding and agreement among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in any of the other Transaction Documents, the parties acknowledge and agree that Service Provider may offset any amount owed by Licensee to Service Provider pursuant to this Agreement as a credit against any amount owed by Service Provider to Licensee pursuant to any other Transaction Document. No term or provision hereof may be changed, modified, amended, terminated or discharged (other than in accordance with its terms), in whole or in part, except by a writing which is dated and signed by the parties hereto. No waiver of any of the provisions or conditions of this Agreement or of any of the rights, powers or privileges of a party shall be effective or binding unless in writing and signed by the party claimed to have given or consented to such waiver.

19. ***Governing Law.*** This Agreement shall be construed and governed in accordance with the laws of New York without reference to the conflict of laws principles thereof that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdiction other than the State of New York.

20. ***Specific Performance.*** The parties hereby agree that the services to be provided hereunder are unique and that substitutes therefor cannot be purchased or acquired in the open market. For that reason, either party would be irreparably damaged in the event of a material breach of this Agreement by the other party. Accordingly, to the extent permitted by the Communications Act and the FCC Rules then in effect, either party may request that a decree of specific performance be issued by a court of competent jurisdiction, enjoining the other party to observe and to perform such other party's covenants, conditions, agreements and obligations hereunder, and each party hereby agrees neither to oppose nor to resist the issuance of such a decree on the grounds that there may exist an adequate remedy at law for any material breach of this Agreement.

21. ***Confidentiality.*** Each party hereto agrees that it will not at any time during or after the termination of this Agreement disclose to others or use, except as duly authorized in connection with the conduct of the business or the rendering of services hereunder, any secret or confidential information of the other parties hereto. To the extent required by the Communications Act or the FCC Rules, each party shall place a copy of this Agreement in its public inspection file and shall consult with and agree upon the confidential and proprietary information herein that shall be redacted from such copy.

22. ***Press Release.*** Section 9.6 of the JSA is hereby incorporated by reference and made a part hereof.

23. ***Further Assurances.*** The parties hereto shall take any actions and execute any other documents that may be necessary or desirable to the implementation and consummation of this Agreement.

24. ***Counterparts and Facsimile Signatures.*** This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original but all of which taken together will constitute one and the same instrument. This Agreement shall be legally binding and effective upon delivery of facsimile signatures.

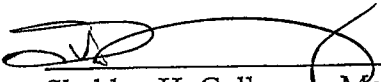
25. ***Captions.*** The captions used in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only, do not constitute a part of this Agreement and will not be deemed to limit, characterize or in any way affect any provision of this Agreement, and all provisions of this Agreement will be enforced and construed as if no caption had been used in this Agreement.

26. ***Definitional Provisions.*** The terms "hereof," "herein" and "hereunder" and terms of similar import will refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular provision of this Agreement. Section references contained in this Agreement are references to Sections in this Agreement, unless otherwise specified. Each defined term used in this Agreement has a comparable meaning when used in its plural or singular form. Each gender-specific term used in this Agreement has a comparable meaning whether used in a masculine, feminine or gender-neutral form. Whenever the term "including" is used in this Agreement (whether or not that term

is followed by the phrase “but not limited to” or “without limitation” or words of similar effect) in connection with a listing of items within a particular classification, that listing will be interpreted to be illustrative only and will not be interpreted as a limitation on, or an exclusive listing of, the items within that classification.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed this Shared Services Agreement as of the date first written above.

**LICENSEE:**  
**WLAJ-TV LLC**

By:   
Sheldon H. Galloway, Manager

**SERVICE PROVIDER:**  
**Young Broadcasting of Lansing, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SERVICE PROVIDER:**  
**Young Broadcasting of Lansing, Inc.**

By: Chris Esenhardt  
Name: Chris Esenhardt  
Title: VP, Treasurer, Secretary and Controller



## SCHEDULE I STUDIO LEASE

Pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement, Service Provider shall provide Licensee with office space, equipment, and furnishings in the studio and business facilities of the Service Station (the “**Service Provider Premises**”) as follows:

1. During the Term, Service Provider shall provide to Licensee’s employees and agents, at no additional cost, the non-exclusive right, in common with Service Provider, to access and use of space and facilities in the applicable Service Provider Premises, including (a) accommodation of Licensee’s studio transmitter links from time to time, and (b) (i) furnishings and office equipment for a main studio for the Station and (ii) sufficient space to permit Licensee to maintain and make available to the public the Station’s public inspection file and otherwise satisfy the applicable “main studio” requirements under the FCC Rules at such locations in or near the Service Provider Premises, the grant of such rights as may be mutually acceptable to Service Provider and Licensee and in accordance with the FCC Rules, so long as the provision of such space and the use of such equipment do not unreasonably interfere with the conduct of Service Provider’s business or operations. Licensee acknowledges and agrees that (y) it inspected and accepts the Service Provider Premises in their “as is” condition, without any representations or warranties by Service Provider as to the present or future condition of such Service Provider Premises, except as specifically set forth in this Agreement; and (z) Service Provider shall have no obligation to perform any work therein, except as specifically set forth in this Agreement.

2. During the Term, Service Provider shall give Licensee and its agents a nonexclusive and unrestricted right of access, in common with Service Provider, to the space provided for Licensee at the Service Provider Premises herein at all times, subject only to Service Provider’s reasonable security procedures and rules applicable to its own employees, as the Licensee reasonably requires for the conduct of the business of the Station and to fulfill its obligations as an FCC licensee. Licensee shall not use the Service Provider Premises for any other purposes without the prior written consent of Service Provider. Licensee shall use and occupy the Service Provider Premises in compliance with all Applicable Laws, ordinances, requirements and regulations of any applicable governmental authority and in accordance with all superior leases, mortgages, deeds of trust and encumbrances of record. The rights granted under this section shall include the incidental benefit and reasonable right of use of utilities (heat, water, electricity) provided for purposes of Service Provider’s own operations. In addition, Service Provider shall provide separate and, to the extent reasonably practicable, lockable office facilities for use by Station Employees and, subject to Service Provider’s reasonable prior approval, shall permit Licensee to install appropriate signs on the inside and outside of the Service Provider Premises (consistent with applicable local requirements governing such signage, if any, and the overall appearance of the Service Provider Premises) identifying Licensee as the licensee of the Station. No alterations or additions may be made to the Service Provider Premises without the prior written consent of Service Provider, in its sole and absolute discretion, except as otherwise permitted under the Agreement.

3. Licensee shall be given a transition period (“**Transition-Tail Period**”) of ninety (90) days following the expiration or notice of termination of this Agreement in which to

relocate the operations of the main studio of the Station and shall surrender the Service Provider Premises at such time in substantially the same condition as Licensee received such Service Provider Premises upon commencement of the Initial Term (including removing all signage installed by Licensee), subject only to reasonable wear and tear. All costs incurred by Licensee with respect to relocating the operations of the main studio of the Station following such termination shall be paid by Licensee. During such Transition-Tail Period, Licensee shall have access to the Service Provider Premises in the same manner as during the Term. Such Transition-Tail Period may be lengthened upon such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreeable to the parties in writing. If Licensee holds over beyond the expiration of the Transition-Tail Period, then, in addition to all other rights and remedies of Service Provider provided by Applicable Law or by the terms of this Agreement, Licensee shall pay to Service Provider an amount equal to the Services Fee last payable by Licensee under this Agreement prior to termination of this Agreement, pro rated as a monthly amount, for each month or partial month of such holdover; provided, that, in such event, at any time, Service Provider, without waiving any other remedy that it may have, may use legal process to enter upon, take possession of the Service Provider Premises and expel or remove Licensee and any other person in occupancy thereof from the Studio Facility. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed a consent by Service Provider to the holding over by Licensee, nor a waiver of any other remedy which may be available to Service Provider. The obligations of Licensee under this Section 3 shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

4. Licensee shall not assign its rights under this Studio Lease or sublet or permit the occupancy or use of Service Provider Premises by any Person or entity other than Licensee, except as otherwise permitted under this Agreement.

5. Without the necessity of any additional document being executed by Licensee for the purpose of effecting a subordination, this Agreement shall be subject and subordinate at all times to ground or underlying leases and to the lien of any mortgages or deeds of trust now or hereafter placed on, against or affecting the Service Provider Premises, Licensee's interest or estate in the Service Provider Premises, or any ground or underlying lease; provided, that if the lessor, mortgagee, trustee, or holder of any such mortgage or deed of trust elects to have Licensee's interest in this Agreement be superior to any such instrument, then, by notice to Licensee, this Agreement shall be deemed superior, whether this Agreement was executed before or after said instrument. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Licensee covenants and agrees to execute and deliver within ten (10) days of delivery of Service Provider's request such further instruments evidencing such subordination or superiority of this Agreement as may be required by Service Provider. Within ten (10) days following delivery of any written request which Service Provider may make from time to time, Licensee shall execute and deliver to Service Provider or mortgagee or prospective mortgagee a sworn statement certifying such matters as may be requested by Service Provider.

6. With respect to any Service Provider Premises that are subject to a lease agreement with a third party, Licensee's rights under this Studio Lease shall automatically terminate upon the termination for any reason (including by reason of casualty or condemnation) of any superior lease for the Service Provider Premises. Licensee shall occupy the Service Provider Premises in compliance with any superior lease. Licensee shall have no rights under the superior lease for the Service Provider Premises, including any assignment or subletting,

extension, renewal, first offer or purchase rights. Service Provider shall not be responsible for the failure of lessor or other counterparty to the superior lease for the Service Provider Premises to provide any services or utilities or access to the Service Provider Premises; provided, that to the extent of any failure of services, utilities or access, Service Provider shall use reasonable efforts to obtain such services, utilities or access from its landlord.

## SCHEDULE II SHARED SERVICES FEE

For each calendar month during the Term, Licensee shall pay, or shall cause to be paid, to Service Provider the Services Fee, consisting of sum of the Base SSA Amount and a performance bonus (the “**Performance Bonus**”), if any. The Performance Bonus, if any, shall be determined as set forth in this Schedule II.

**1. Base SSA Amount.** The Base SSA Amount shall be an amount equal to Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) per month.

**2. Performance Bonus.** To the degree that Licensee determines in good faith that the performance of Service Provider has contributed to an increase in the performance of the Station, Service Provider shall be eligible to receive a performance bonus with respect to the applicable month, which, if any, shall be in an amount determined by Licensee to reflect the value of the services provided by Service Provider relative to the performance of the Station for such month, which determination shall be in the sole and absolute discretion of Licensee.

**3. Administration and Payment of Services Fee.** No later than the fifteenth (15th) day of each calendar month during the Term, Service Provider shall deliver to Licensee a statement (the “**Monthly Statement**”) setting forth the total aggregate amount of Net Sales Revenue (as such term is defined in the JSA) for the preceding calendar month. Except as the parties may otherwise agree, the Services Fee shall be due and payable within five (5) business days of receipt by Licensee of such Monthly Statement and shall be subject to prior delivery and payment of the Licensee Revenue Share (as defined in the JSA) for such month. Solely in the event that Licensee shall determine, in its sole discretion, in accordance with Section 2 above of this Schedule II, that a Performance Bonus shall be payable in respect of a given month, Licensee shall notify Service Provider of such determination and the amount, if any, of such Performance Bonus and, in such event, the Monthly Statement shall be adjusted to reflect such Performance Bonus, which shall be payable (y) to the extent reasonably practicable with the Services Fee or (z) at such other time as Licensee shall reasonably determine. In order to promote the administration of the payment obligations between the parties under this Agreement and the JSA (individually and collectively, the “**Principal Agreements**”), the parties agree that (a) the amounts due and payable by one party under any of the Principal Agreements may be offset against any outstanding payment obligation by the other party under any of the Principal Agreements; and (b) to the extent reasonably practicable, Service Provider shall deliver to Licensee in connection with the payment of the Services Fee a single statement reflecting the respective payment obligations of the parties under each of the Principal Agreements, which statement shall reflect any offsetting amounts.