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Julie Ziegler, CFO Steel City Radio, Inc. PO Box 444 Spartanburg, SC 29304

> Re: Steel City Radio, Inc. (SCR) WWNL(AM), Pittsburgh, PA Fac. ID No.:18517 Special Temporary Authority (STA) LMS File No.: 0000222180

Dear Ms. Ziegler:

This is in reference to the request filed on October 6, 2023. SCR requests a further extension of the STA granted on September 2, 2021, to continue operating ND with reduced power to allow time to file the required direct measurement of power application (302-AM) in LMS with a new daytime method of moment proof.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, SCR stated that it plans to complete all remaining work within the next 90 days in order to file the application to update all engineering parameters.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is hereby GRANTED, and SCR may continue operating ND with a maximum of 12.5 kW daytime and 6.25 kW during critical hours. SCR must reduce the power levels if complaints of interference are received, and must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>WWNL(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1080 kHz with 50 kW daytime, and using the same DA pattern during critical hours with a reduced power of 25 kW.

This authority expires on April 12, 2024.<sup>2</sup>

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: John C. Trent, Esq., PHT PC (via e-mail only)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Periods of operation pursuant to this STA shall be recorded in the station's records (see 47 CFR § 73.1820). The records shall include start/stop dates and times of such operation. These log entries must be maintained for a minimum of two years as specified in 47 CFR § 73.1840(a), unless a longer retention period is requested by the staff. Periods of operation may be subject to independent verification that they in fact occurred.