Special Temporary Authority For a Radio Broadcast Station

Audio Division, Media Bureau

Date:	**January 11, 2023**
File Number:	**0000206572**
Call Sign:	**WGMX (FM)**
Facility ID Number:	**65663**

For the reasons provided in the application request, Special Temporary Authority (STA) IS GRANTED for operation of the station above with the parameters specified in the STA request only**.** The licensee is responsible for addressing any complaints of interference that may arise.

When operations pursuant to this STA commence, the licensee shall file a **Notice of Resumption of Operations** in the FCC's LMS electronic filing system.

We remind the licensee that the station's license will expire as a matter of law upon twelve consecutive months of silence [ending **January 19, 2023**], notwithstanding the grant of the present STA. See 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g), and *Silent Station Authorizations*, 11 FCC Rcd 11569, FCC 96-218 (May 17, 1996). See also Public Notice, *Expedited Processing of Applications Filed by Silent Stations*, 11 FCC Rcd 14356, DA 96-818 (May 22, 1996). Please be aware that unauthorized operations – operations with facilities not authorized by a current STA or license – do not count as a resumption of operations within one year for the purposes of Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, and cannot be used to avoid the consequences of Section 312(g). See *Eagle Broadcasting Group v. FCC*, 563 F.3d 543 (D.C. Cir. 2009).

This STA authority expires **July 10, 2023**.

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A copy of this authorization will be posted in the FCC's LMS database under the file number above.
Please retain a copy of this authorization for your records.

Considerations:

Licensee must take all steps to ensure that workers and the public are not exposed to radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure limit.

This Special Temporary Authority does not supersede any non-FCC-regulated requirements applicable to the STA-authorized facility. The licensee remains solely and wholly responsible for maintaining compliance with such requirements.

Requests for extension of STA may 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.