



United States of America
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
FM BROADCAST STATION LICENSE

Authorizing Official:

Official Mailing Address:

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Facility Id: 173770

Call Sign: WMQS

License File Number: BLED-20130320AEK

Grant Date: April 04, 2013

This license expires 3:00 a.m.
local time, December 01, 2019.

This license covers permit no.: BMPED-20130108ABD

Subject to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, subsequent acts and treaties, and all regulations heretofore or hereafter made by this Commission, and further subject to the conditions set forth in this license, the licensee is hereby authorized to use and operate the radio transmitting apparatus herein described.

This license is issued on the licensee's representation that the statements contained in licensee's application are true and that the undertakings therein contained so far as they are consistent herewith, will be carried out in good faith. The licensee shall, during the term of this license, render such broadcasting service as will serve the public interest, convenience, or necessity to the full extent of the privileges herein conferred.

This license shall not vest in the licensee any right to operate the station nor any right in the use of the frequency designated in the license beyond the term hereof, nor in any other manner than authorized herein. Neither the license nor the right granted hereunder shall be assigned or otherwise transferred in violation of the Communications Act of 1934. This license is subject to the right of use or control by the Government of the United States conferred by Section 606 of the Communications Act of 1934.

Name of Licensee: WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC RADIO, INC.

Station Location: NC-MURPHY

Frequency (MHz): 88.5

Channel: 203

Class: A

Hours of Operation: Unlimited

Transmitter: Type Accepted. See Sections 73.1660, 73.1665 and 73.1670 of the Commission's Rules.

Transmitter output power: .052 kW

Antenna type: Non-Directional

Description: SHI 6812B-2

Antenna Coordinates: North Latitude: 35 deg 07 min 37 sec
 West Longitude: 84 deg 01 min 35 sec

	Horizontally Polarized Antenna	Vertically Polarized Antenna
Effective radiated power in the Horizontal Plane (kW):	.049	.049
Height of radiation center above ground (Meters):	15	15
Height of radiation center above mean sea level (Meters):	835	835
Height of radiation center above average terrain (Meters):	196	196

Antenna structure registration number: Not Required

Overall height of antenna structure above ground: 18 Meters

Obstruction marking and lighting specifications for antenna structure:

It is to be expressly understood that the issuance of these specifications is in no way to be considered as precluding additional or modified marking or lighting as may hereafter be required under the provisions of Section 303(q) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

None Required

Special operating conditions or restrictions:

- 1 The permittee/licensee in coordination with other users of the site must reduce power or cease operation as necessary to protect persons having access to the site, tower or antenna from radiofrequency electromagnetic fields in excess of FCC guidelines.

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- 2 Waiver of 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1125 was previously granted to allow operation of this facility as a satellite operation of the following station: WCQS(FM), Facility ID No. 71923, Asheville, NC, Western North Carolina Public Radio.

- 3 Pursuant to 47 CFR Section 73.7005(a) the permittee/licensee shall be subject to a holding period. From the grant of the construction permit and continuing until the facility has achieved four years of on-air operations, the permittee/licensee proposing to assign or transfer the construction permit/license to another party will be required to demonstrate the following two factors: that the proposed buyer would qualify for at least the same number of points as the assignor or transferor originally received; and that consideration received and/or promised does not exceed the assignor's or transferor's legitimate and prudent expenses as defined therein.

*** END OF AUTHORIZATION ***