



United States of America
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
FM BROADCAST TRANSLATOR/BOOSTER STATION
CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

Authorizing Official:

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Facility Id: 152401

Call Sign: K260AM

Permit File Number: BNPFT-20030822AFB

Grant Date: February 23, 2004

This permit expires 3:00 a.m.
local time, 36 months after the
grant date specified above.

Commission rules which became effective on February 16, 1999, have a bearing on this construction permit. See Report & Order, Streamlining of Mass Media Applications, MM Docket No. 98-43, 13 FCC RCD 23056, Para. 77-90 (November 25, 1998); 63 Fed. Reg. 70039 (December 18, 1998). Pursuant to these rules, this construction permit will be subject to automatic forfeiture unless construction is complete and an application for license to cover is filed prior to expiration. See Section 73.3598.

Name of Permittee: SAGA COMMUNICATIONS OF IOWA, LLC

Principal community to be served: IA-AMES

Primary Station: KIOA (FM) , Channel 227, DES MOINES, IA

Via: Direct - off-air

Frequency (MHz): 99.9

Channel: 260

Hours of Operation: Unlimited

Antenna Coordinates: North Latitude: 42 deg 04 min 44 sec
 West Longitude: 93 deg 33 min 41 sec

Transmitter: Type Accepted. See Sections 73.1660, 74.1250 of the Commission's Rules

Antenna type: (directional or non-directional): Non-Directional

Major lobe directions (degrees true): Not Applicable

	Horizontally Polarized Antenna:	Vertically Polarized Antenna:
Effective radiated power in the Horizontal Plane (kw):	0.092	0.092
Height of radiation center above ground (Meters):	116	116
Height of radiation center above mean sea level (Meters):	439	439

Antenna structure registration number: 1017366

Overall height of antenna structure above ground (including obstruction lighting if any) see the registration for this antenna structure.

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.
- 2 Prior to commencing program test operations, FM Translator or FM Booster permittee must have on file at the Commission, FCC Form 350, Application for an FM Translator or FM Booster Station License, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 74.14.
- 3 Prior to commencing operation, permittee must submit documentation to the Commission demonstrating that the translator is able to receive the signal of the primary station specified in this permit directly off-air, pursuant to 47 CFR Section 74.1231(b). The documentation should include, at a minimum, the signal strength of the primary station at the translator receive/transmit site, the type of receive antenna utilized, and any other details necessary to definitively show that the signal can be received directly off-air.

*** END OF AUTHORIZATION ***