



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

Authorizing Official:

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PUBLIC BROADCASTING OF NORTHWEST PENNSYLVANIA
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Facility Id: 53717

Call Sign: W291CK

Permit File Number: BMJPFT-20080620AKY

Grant Date: April 16, 2012

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: PUBLIC BROADCASTING OF NORTHWEST PENNSYLVANIA, INC.

Principal community to be served: PA-MEADVILLE

Primary Station: WQLN-FM (FM) , Channel 217, ERIE, PA

Via: Direct - off-air

Frequency (MHz): 106.1

Channel: 291

Hours of Operation: Unlimited

Antenna Coordinates: North Latitude: 41 deg 37 min 46 sec
 West Longitude: 80 deg 10 min 30 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):	0.019	0.019
Height of radiation center above ground (Meters):	12	12
Height of radiation center above mean sea level (Meters):	469	469

Antenna structure registration number: 1065891

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 If the antenna is mounted on an existing tower that is not base-insulated or detuned at the AM frequency, the permittee shall submit a certification to this effect.

If the antenna is mounted on an existing tower that is base-insulated or detuned at the frequency of AM station WMGW(AM), Meadville, PA, the applicant shall notify the AM station. If necessary, the AM station may determine operating power by a method described in Section 73.51(a)(1) or (d). Permittee shall be responsible for readjustment and continued maintenance of any detuning apparatus necessary to prevent adverse effects upon the radiation pattern of the AM station. Both before and after the installation of the antenna and transmission line, AM antenna impedance measurements shall be made and sufficient field strength measurements, taken at a minimum of 8 locations along each of 6 equally spaced radials, shall be made to establish that the AM radiation pattern is essentially omnidirectional. The results of the field strength measurements and the impedance measurements shall be submitted to the Commission in an application on FCC Form 302 notifying of the AM station's return to the direct method of power determination. (See Section 73.45(c), FCC Rules).

- 2 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.

Special operating conditions or restrictions:

- 3 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.

*** END OF AUTHORIZATION ***