

United States of America

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION FM BROADCAST TRANSLATOR/BOOSTER STATION CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

Authorizing Official:

Official Mailing Address:

THE BERKSHIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

98 MILL PLAIN ROAD DANBURY CT 06811

Facility Id: 147329

Call Sign: W249D0

Permit File Number: BMPFT-20161212AAW

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Grant Date: December 13, 2016

The authority granted herein has no effect on the expiration date of the underlying construction

permit.

This permit modifies permit no.: BNPFT-20130828AEW

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: THE BERKSHIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Principal community to be served: CT-DANBURY

Primary Station: WDAQ (FM) , Channel 252, DANBURY, CT

Via: Other

Frequency (MHz): 97.7

Channel: 249

Hours of Operation: Unlimited

Callsign: W249DO Permit No.: BMPFT-20161212AAW

Antenna Coordinates: North Latitude: 41 deg 22 min 27 sec

West Longitude: 73 deg 26 min 47 sec

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

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

Major lobe directions (degrees true):

Horizontally Vertically
Polarized Polarized
Antenna: Antenna:

Effective radiated power in the Horizontal Plane (kw): 0.099

Height of radiation center above ground (Meters):

Height of radiation center above mean sea level (Meters): 227

Antenna structure registration number: Not Required

Overall height of antenna structure above ground: 3 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(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

None Required

Special operating conditions or restrictions:

The permittee/licensee shall, upon completion of construction and during the equipment test period, make proper radiofrequency electromagnetic (RF) field strength measurements throughout the transmitter site area to determine if there are any areas that exceed the FCC guidelines for human exposure to RF fields. If necessary, a fence must be erected at such distances and in such a manner as to prevent the exposure of humans to RF fields in excess of the FCC Guidelines (OET Bulletin No. 65, Edition 97-01, August 1997). The fence must be a type which will preclude casual or inadvertent access, and must include warning signs at appropriate intervals which describe the nature of the hazard. Any areas within the fence found to exceed the recommended guidelines must be clearly marked with appropriate visual warning signs.

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Special operating conditions or restrictions:

- 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 quidelines.
- 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.
- This construction permit authorizes the mounting of an antenna on the nondirectional tower of the AM station identified below. During the installation of the antenna, the AM station shall determine operating power by the indirect method (see Section 73.51 of the Commission's Rules). Upon completion of the antenna installation, antenna impedance measurements on the AM antenna shall be made. If the resistance of the AM antenna has changed by more than 2 percent from the licensed value (see Section 73.45(c)(1) of the Commission's Rules), an application for the AM station to return to direct power measurement, including a tower sketch of the installation, shall be filed with the Commission by the AM station licensee using form FCC 302-AM. (See Section 1.30003 of the Commission's Rules.) The permittee must submit confirmation of completion of the requirements of this condition in the application for license to cover this construction permit.

WLAD (AM), DANBURY, CT, 800 KHZ

*** END OF AUTHORIZATION ***