



United States of America  
**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
**FM BROADCAST TRANSLATOR/BOOSTER**  
**STATION LICENSE**

Authorizing Official:

Official Mailing Address:

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Facility Id: 156452

Call Sign: W253CD

License File Number: BLFT-20171106AAW

Grant Date: November 15, 2017

This license expires 3:00 a.m.  
local time, April 01, 2022.

This license covers permit no.: BPFT-20170807ABM

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.

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Name of Licensee: SAGA COMMUNICATIONS OF NEW ENGLAND, LLC

Principal community to be served: MA-EAST LONGMEADOW

Primary Station: WLZX (AM) , Frequency 1600 kHz, EAST LONGMEADOW, MA

Via: Other

Frequency (MHz): 98.5

Channel: 253

Hours of Operation: Unlimited

Antenna Coordinates: North Latitude: 42 deg 04 min 25 sec

West Longitude: 72 deg 31 min 29 sec

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

Transmitter output power: 0.665 kW

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

Description: NIC BKG77/1-DA

Major lobe directions 120 280 320  
(degrees true):

	Horizontally Polarized Antenna:	Vertically Polarized Antenna:
Effective radiated power in the Horizontal Plane (kw):	0.25	0.25
Height of radiation center above ground (Meters):	50	50
Height of radiation center above mean sea level (Meters):	114	114

Antenna structure registration number: Not Required

Overall height of antenna structure above ground: 52 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.
  
- 2 Pursuant to Revitalization of the AM Radio Service, First Report and Order, 30 FCC Rcd 12145, 12153 para. 16 (2015), the permittee/licensee and any successor in interest (licensee) shall be subject to the following restrictions. From the grant of the construction permit and continuing until the facility has achieved four years of on-air operations rebroadcasting the primary AM station identified on this authorization, the licensee may NOT change such primary station being rebroadcast by this translator, nor may it rebroadcast another station when the primary station identified on this authorization is silent. Periods of station silence shall not count toward the fulfillment of this four-year requirement. During this same four-year period the licensee may not assign or transfer the construction permit/license to another party, unless it is to the licensee of the AM station identified on this authorization or unless such assignment or transfer provides for the continuing right of the primary station to rebroadcast on the translator. Minor modifications of this authorization are permitted, provided that the translator will continue to rebroadcast the AM station for which the modification was granted.

\*\*\* END OF AUTHORIZATION \*\*\*