

KCFL Westport, WA - Temporary Request to Remain Silent

Northwest Indy Radio hereby requests temporary authority to remain silent. Our last broadcast was December 19, 2013.

The station has requested a new location on a new channel in BPED 20130613AAB. Operation on the current channel at the authorized location has resulted in interference to KOSW-LP Ocean Shores on the adjacent channel. Rather than force the established community station to move to a new channel, Northwest Indy Radio chose to move the full power station to a more viable site on a channel that will not disrupt KOSW-LP.

We acquired KCFL from Grays Harbor Institute in 2012 and have operated on an unscheduled basis during random overnight periods, throughout late 2012 and 2013. Operation was done in this manner primarily to maintain at least a minimal schedule while not disturbing KOSW-LP during primary listening hours.

However, the licensed site has now been sold and the landlord has asked us to vacate. While the plan all along has been to leave the site, we were hoping the construction permit for the new site and channel would be approved before the property was sold.

Since our schedule didn't work out, we are temporarily unable to originate programming at the licensed site. Therefore, we ask that KCFL be allowed to remain silent temporarily until the construction permit is approved.

If and when the pending construction permit application is approved, NW Indy Radio expects to be back on the air fairly quickly on the existing tower of an allied community radio station as specified in the CP application.

Thank you.

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