

## **Member Certification Form**

# PBS Membership Station Membership Certification and Agreement

FY 2020 (July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020)

Status	Approved
First and Last Name	Mark Prasuhn
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This PBS Member Station Membership Certification and Agreement (the "Agreement") is made by and between the Public Broadcasting Service, a District of Columbia not-for-profit corporation with principal place of business at 2100 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Virginia, 22202, ("PBS") and WPBS ("Member Organization") the licensee of PBS member stations as further described below in Section I.

Member Organization hereby submits the following information and makes the designations and certifications for FY 2020 as set forth below:

### I. Member Station Information

Station Call Letters (or State Network)	New York
Licensee Organization (per FCC License)	St. Lawrence Valley Educational Television Council, Inc.
	ALIA

License Type	Community
Organization Address	1056 Arsenal Street Watertown Watertown, NY 13601

#### Station Information

#### Please list your transmitter information here:

WPBS-DT Watertown WNPI-DT Norwood

Please detail below any changes to your transmitter or operation that may have impacted your digital population coverage. (For example, change in the number of transmitters, location, power, etc...):

Due to the FCC mandated repack, channel 16 will move to channel 26, over the air effective August 1, 2019. With the repack, we applied for and received approval to maximize our signal on channel 16. This will increase our population by 241,515 households.

#### **Broadcast Multicast Channels**

Please provide below the name and general description of each of your station's multicast channels. You do no need to provide a description of nationally packaged channels like PBS World, Create and V-ME.

Channel 1	16
Channel 2	16.2
Channel 3	16.3.
Channel 4	16.4.
Channel 5	18
Primary PBS Channel	WPBS/WNPI-DT

#### Cable / Satellite / FiOS / Mobile / Other

Please describe any additional services your station is providing via Cable, Satellite, FiOS, Mobile, the Internet or any other means.

Additional Services	
None	

### II. Designation of Representatives of Members

Article III of the PBS By-Laws requires that each Member annually designate three representatives as follows:

- One professional representative, who shall be an officer or employee of the Member.
- Two lay representatives, each of whom shall be a member of that Member's Board of Directors (or equivalent governing body) or its designee, but in no event a person employed as a noncommercial broadcast professional; and

Under the By-Laws, any one of the representatives, at the Member's designation, shall represent, vote and act for the Member in all affairs of PBS in which the Member is entitled to vote or participate (e.g., the Annual Meeting of the Members and the election of professional directors to the Board). A Member may change its representatives at will and may appoint a substitute representative by giving written notice to the PBS Corporate Secretary.

Please designate your station's professional and lay representatives below:

#### **Professional Representative**

Name	Mark Prasuhn
Job Title	President & General Manaer
Mailing Address	1056 Arsenal StreetWatertown NY 13601
Email Address	mprasuhn@wpbstv.org

Phone Number	315-782-3142 ext. 263
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NOTE: For purposes of communications regarding governance and station services matters, PBS will contact the Professional Representative identified above.

### Lay Representative 1

Name	Stephen Todd
Job Title	Chair
Mailing Address	20104 State Route 3, Watertown, NY 13601
Email Address	stodd@boces.com
Phone Number	315-779-7012

### Lay Representative 2

Name	Tom Piche
Job Title	Treasurer
Mailing Address	Carthage Federal Savings & Loan313 State StreetCarthage NY 13619
Email Address	tpiche@carthagesavings.com
Phone Number	315-493-3480

### III. Membership Certification

On behalf of the Member Organization, a member of the Public Broadcasting Service, I certify that the public television broadcast station or stations operated by the Member Organization shall at all times comply with the PBS By-Laws and the policies, terms and conditions of

#### limited to:

- Policy on Admission to PBS Membership
- Membership Eligibility Criteria and Requirements
- Benefits and Obligations of PBS Membership
- Criteria for Evaluation Sister Station Eligibility
- Program Differentiation Plan
- Terms and Conditions for Use of PBS Content
- PBS Common Carriage Guidelines
- Prerelease Guidelines for PBS Programs
- Rules for Use of PFP Programs & Guidelines for Best Practices in Multi-Station Markets
   PBS Editorial Standards and Policies
- PBS Guidelines for At-Risk and Unserved Areas
- PBS Policy on Member Station Accounts Receivable

I acknowledge that the Membership Rules are available to the Member for review and that it is the Member's responsibility to be aware of all current Membership Rules (available at <a href="https://hub.pbs.org/member-handbook">https://hub.pbs.org/member-handbook</a>) and any future modifications or additions thereto.

I further certify that the information provided in this Agreement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I am authorized to make the certifications contained herein on behalf of the Member Organization. I understand and acknowledge that this certification is a requirement of membership in PBS.

Signature	Mark Prasuhn
Title	President & General Manager
Date	06/26/2019

If you have any questions about this certification, please contact Thomas Crockett (tcrockett@pbs.org).