

## **Annual EEO Public File Report**

### **Brothers Broadcasting Corporation stations WIBN, WLQI, and WRIN.**

The purpose of this EEO Public File Report ("this Report") is to comply with Section 73.2080(c)(6) of the Federal Communications Commission's EEO Rules.

This Report has been prepared on behalf of the Station Employment Unit that is comprised of the following stations in the Brothers Broadcasting Corporation cluster:

WIBN, Earl Park, IN

WLQI, Rensselaer, IN

WRIN, Rensselaer, IN

The information contained in this Report covers full-time vacancy data and recruitment initiatives for the time period beginning March 23, 2015 to, and including, March 22, 2016

The Commission's EEO Rules require that this Report contain the following additional information:

1. A list of all full-time vacancies filled by the Station Employment Unit during the Reporting Period; identified by job title (see Appendix A);
2. For each such vacancy, the recruitment source(s) utilized to fill the vacancy (including, if applicable, organizations entitled to notification pursuant to Section 73.2080(c)(1)(ii) of the Commission's EEO rules, which should be separately identified, identified by name, address, contact person, and telephone number (see Appendix B);
3. The recruitment source that referred the hiree for each full-time vacancy during the Reporting Period (see Appendix A);
4. Data reflecting the total number of persons interviewed for full-time vacancies during the Reporting Period and the total number of interviewees referred by each recruitment source utilized in connection with such vacancies (see Appendix B); and
5. A list and brief description of the initiatives undertaken pursuant to Section 73.2080(c)(2) of the Commission's EEO Rules during the Reporting Period (see Appendix C).

For the purposes of this Report, a vacancy was deemed "filled" not simply when the offer was extended but when the hiree accepted the job offer. A person was deemed "interviewed" whether he or she was interviewed in person or over the telephone.

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## **APPENDIX A: VACANCIES FILLED**

**The following is general information on the positions filled for the reporting period.**

	Job Title	Recruitment Source Referring Hiree
1	ON AIR PERSONALITY - WIBN	WIBN WEB SITE
2	SALES PERSON – WIBN	EMPLOYEE REFERRAL
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## APPENDIX B: DETAILED VACANCY INFORMATION

The following is detailed information on the recruiting sources used for the positions filled above.

**POSITION: ON AIR PERSONALITY - \_REFERRAL SOURCE(S) OF HIREE: WIBN WEB SITE**

NAME OF ORGANIZATION NOTIFIED OF JOB VACANCY	CONTACT PERSON	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	# OF INTERVIEWEES REFERRED	DID RECRUITMENT SOURCE REQUEST NOTIFICATION
AIR COMMERCIAL WLQI	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	1	NO
AIR COMMERCIAL WRIN	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-5105	0	NO
AIR COMMERCIAL WIBN	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D RENSSELAER IN 47978	765-385-2373	0	NO
WLQI FACEBOOK 97.7 FM WLQI, THE "Q"	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	0	NO
WRIN FACEBOOK THE BEAR COUNTRY 1560	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-5105	0	NO
WIBN WEB SITE 981wibn.com	JOHN BALVICH	BOX C RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	1	NO

**POSITION: SALES - WIBN REFERRAL SOURCE(S) OF HIRE: EMPLOYEE REFERRAL**

NAME OF ORGANIZATION NOTIFIED OF JOB VACANCY	CONTACT PERSON	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	# OF INTERVIEWEES REFERRED	DID RECRUITMENT SOURCE REQUEST NOTIFICATION
EMPLOYEE REFERRAL	JOHN BALVICH	PO BOX D RENSSELAER IN 47978	2519-866-4104	1	NO
AIR COMMERCIAL WRIN	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	0	NO
WLQI FACEBOOK 97.7 FM WLQI, THE "Q"	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	0	NO
AIR COMMERCIAL - WLQI	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-4104	0	NO
AIR COMMERCIAL WIBN	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	765-385-2373	0	NO
WRIN FACEBOOK THE BEAR COUNTRY 1560	JOHN BALVICH	BOX D, RENSSELAER IN 47978	219-866-5105	0	NO
LAFAYETTE JOURNAL & COURIER	ANNE MECKLENBURG	217 N 6 <sup>TH</sup> ST LAFAYETTE IN	765-456-3223	0	NO

**Total number of Interviewees Referred: For the period from March 23, 2015 to March 22, 2016 this Employment Unit interviewed 3 interviewees for full-time job vacancies.**

## **APPENDIX C: SUPPLEMENTAL RECRUITMENT INITIATIVES**

**The following is a brief summary of the Supplemental Recruitment Initiatives undertaken during the period covered by this report.**

### ***BROTHERS BROADCASTING CORPORATION INTERNSHIP PROGRAM:***

WIBN, WLQI, and WRIN radio, collectively known herein as Brothers Broadcasting Corporation, offers internships to any high school and college students interested in pursuing a career in the broadcasting industry. This program is designed to allow students to apply their formal course work in a day-to-day setting, which provides the intern the opportunity to acquire the skills needed for broadcast employment. The stations hosted interns from St. Joseph College, Collegeville IN. For those interested in an internship, contact WIBN at (765) 385-2373 or WLQI/WRIN at 219-866-4104.

### ***COMMUNITY/CONTACT INFORMATION:***

Brothers Broadcasting Corporation regularly posts community events and information on our Facebook pages and WIBN web site [981wibn.com](http://981wibn.com), WLQI web site [wlqi977.com](http://wlqi977.com) and WRIN web site [1560bearcountry.com](http://1560bearcountry.com). Stations also broadcasts community events and information on air during the broadcast day, which links the community to area activities, etc.

### ***RADIO STATION TOURS***

WRIN WLQI & WIBN gave 3 tours this year to local schools, boy & girl scouts and other groups. The tours offer an opportunity for young people to learn how a radio station works including job opportunities in the various departments. The tours are at the stations facilities and are given by staff members.

Tour on Tuesday August 4, 2015 at 9:00 A.M. Christian Haven School, Medaryville, Indiana

Tour on Tuesday February 2, 2016 at 5:30 P.M. Cub Scout Pack, Kentland, Indiana

Tour on Wednesday February 24, 2016 at 4:00 P.M. Girl Scout Troop, Rensselaer, Indiana

### ***JOB FAIRS:***

Brothers Broadcasting participated in JA Biztown Job Fair at West Central High School Francesville, Indiana on Thursday October 29, 2015. Opportunities in radio broadcasting were encouraged and explained and the company accepted employment applications.

Brothers Broadcasting participated in Jasper County Job Fair on Monday January 11, 2016 at the Rensselaer Central Middle School. Opportunities in radio broadcasting were encouraged and explained and the company accepted employment applications.

### ***JOB SHADOW***

WRIN & WLQI in conjunction with local area colleges offers job shadowing to communication students. College students are invited to participate in various day parts as to the functions of the station on a daily basis. Students also participated in community events and remotes on the weekends. WRIN & WLQI invites students from the local High Schools to job shadow in the morning shows. WRIN& WLQI serves 7 area Counties Schools and the purpose was to educate the students in the operation of a radio station

## **APPENDIX D: EEO CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EMPLOYMENT UNIT**

**Mailing Address:**        **Brothers Broadcasting Corp.**

**WRIN/WLQI/WIBN**

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**Rensselaer, IN 47978**

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