## FOURTH QUARTER 2022 (OCT/NOV/DEC 2022)

## PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAMMING FOR WBQN BORINQUEN RADIO NETWORK

Stations included: WBQN-AM San Juan, WAPA-AM Ponce, WVOZ-AM Aguadilla, WMIA-AM Arecibo, WXRF-AM Guayama, WTIL-AM Mayaguez, WMTI-AM Barceloneta-Manati, P.R.

The following programs and or PSA announcements are an example of the public service programming the network will be broadcasting for the next three months:

The stations are mainly focusing on:

- 1. updates on Russia/Ucrania crisis thru its live broadcasts from CNN radio/CNNen espanol, including analisis on the crisis, live press conferences of the President of the USA and other leaders related to this war are being broadcast live.
- 2. health crisis due to covid variants (incidence is increasing again for this winter season. President Biden declared an extension of the covid emergency).
- 3. Follow up on Hurricane Fiona reconstruction of Puerto Rico and problems to reenergize the Island.
- 4. Pending U.S. house of Representatives bill for a new plebiscite in Puerto Rico among statehood, free association and independence/Shadow representatives at U.S. Congress iniatives to solve the political status of the Island.

## **INITIATIVES BEING FOLLOWED:**

- a) WBQN BORINQUEN RADIO NETWORK is an affiliate of CNN. CNN broadcasts thru BORINQUEN RDIO have been increased to include live coverage, and analisis of the Russian invasion over Ukraine. Press conference by the President of the USA and other world leaders about the crisis are being broadcast.
- b) An editorial on how the contract made to privatize the Public Electric Power Company is against the best interest of the people of Puerto Rico and requesting government not to privatize Public still is being broadcast once per hour.
- c) As a Public Service WAPA Radio Network granted the Association of Retired Electric Power Employees a 30 minute program (at least twice weekly) to address the issue of privatization of electric power company and the impact to the society.
- d) Press conferences offered by local and federal entities on omicron pandemia managing efforts are being broadcast entirely. Public service ads on vacunation are being scheduled.

  Lots of interviews to government officials, community leaders, professional associations dealing

with the pandemia, governmental corruption and the privatization of electric power authority

under LUMA etc. are being made since the station is an all news network.

- d) "TRENDING con ANGEL JAVIER": One hour program dealing with major health, politics and Russian/Ukraine crisis is being broadcasted Saturdays 2pm
- e) Opine Usted: At least four hours on Saturdays and Sundays are dedicated to receive listener's phone calls about their concerns on the Covid crisis, Hurricane Fiona reconstruction and places undergoing difficulties in getting back electricity, and government corruption
- f) Poniendole los puntos sobre las ies: Ex Speaker of the House of Representatives, Jose Ronaldo Jarabo, has a one hour program to analyze the main political, he alth and social issues.
- g) As a CNN affiliate BORINQUEN radio network rebroadcasts CNN newscasts all day long and rebroadcasts "Directo USA" (1hr. national newscast) AND PANORAMA MUNDIAL (1HR Sat/Sun) to inform Puerto Rican listeners on the Covid Emergency in the continental and on political and community issues in the US and around the

World.

h) BORINQUEN RADIO NETWORK: Rebroadcasts LAS NOTICIAS (WLII-TV) newscasts at 12am and 4pm/5pm. (at least 2.5 hours daily) allowing car radio listeners to follow this important TV news segments from another perspective.

An update from Shadow U.S. Congressmen is being broadcast twice a week (15 min programs) on the negotiations to solve the political status of Puerto Rico. Shadow Congressmen and former Governor Ricardo Rosello informs Puerto Rico on their efforts to make Puerto Rico State 51.

WBQN BORINQUEN RADIO network is an all news/talk radio station that continuously airs short interviews

with head government officials, majors, emergency management personnel, weather service officials, worker union officials, and much more on all issues affecting the island.