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NCE Window Announced for 2021
The FCC has announced a filing window for applications for noncommercial educational (NCE) station permits. The FCC said, “the filing window will open at 12:01 am EDT on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, and close at 6:00 pm EST on November 9, 2021.” The FM broadcast window will be accessible for reserved band (88–92). Read More.

KPFK Seeking General Manager
Pacifica station KPFK in Los Angeles has a number of candidates for a general manager position but is hoping for a few more applicants before June 1st. For a job description please go to their website.
PSA for mRNA Vaccines
As part of their daily podcast to educate the public about Coronavirus, Epidemiologist Dr. MarkAlain Dery (WHIV) and Public Health Specialist Doc Griggs have created an animation to illustrate how mRNA vaccines work to fight COVID-19. They want everybody to check it out!

FCC Orders Broadcasters to Report Programming Funded by Certain Foreign Governments
Due to situations where the Russian and Chinese governments have bought time on stations that broadcast to the U.S., the FCC has established new rules requiring U.S. broadcasters to disclose content sponsored by foreign governments. "The Order increases transparency, ensuring audiences are aware when a foreign government, or its representatives, uses the airwaves to persuade the American public," the FCC said in a statement. If there is no remuneration involved, stations do not have to make disclosures unless programming includes political or controversial issues. More on this issue can be found at Reuters and the FCC website.

New in AudioPort
Laura Flanders' Commentaries: The F-Word
Hosted by Laura Flanders / Bi-weekly, 3 Minutes

Longtime broadcaster Laura Flanders hosts the weekly "Laura Flanders Show." The LF Show features in depth conversations about change and change-making with leading thinkers and doers, as well as commentaries and field reports. In her weekly commentary, The "F" Word, she tells you what she thinks.

Catching a Wave
Hosted by James Riley of WPVM-LP / Weekly, 1 Hour

Catching A Wave with host Jammin' James Riley is the sounds of Summer, Surf and good time rock & roll! You'll hear special features plus lots of current and vintage surf music as well as icon artists like The Beach Boys, Jan & Dean, The Ventures, Dick Dale and more! It's the only place that feels like summer all year long!