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### Open Mic Poet Connects Local Writers and Readers with Listen & Be Heard Radio

In August, 2023, Pacifica welcomed new affiliate station WLBH.org, Listen & Be Heard Radio. Originating from Greenville, South Carolina, the station will serve as a cultural center, a community hub connecting local writers and readers. For founder and station manager Martha Cinader, the station is the culmination of a life time's work.

The arts have been a throughline in my life's journey. I graduated high school early and took off for Amsterdam with a jazz musician in the 80's. We traveled throughout Europe. Ultimately, I found my true loves to be



### Pacifica Announce is Verifying People's Accounts

Because of an anti-spam issue, Groups.io has been asking users to reverify their identities on the site, either through email or on the site directly.

Groups.io is the website that harbors our list, *pacifica* announce. So, if you are on this list, know that these emails are indeed legit and not a spam operation.

If you receive an email about this issue, you will be invited to verify your email via the email or through the website directly.

From Groups.io: For domains where no

writing, storytelling and poetry. I returned to New York a single mother with a 3-year-old daughter, where I joined the very active spoken word scene of the 90s. I toured with my band Po'azz Yo'azz, which included a rhythm section and DJ Jeannie Hopper, who put out a successful remix of my cut Living It!, which might be my biggest claim to fame if you Google me. ~Martha Cinader

Read more about Martha in an interview with Diane Reinhardt.

reverifications happened, no invites or direct adds will be permitted going forward. If there is a valid person on one of those domains, they should contact <a href="mailto:support@groups.io">support@groups.io</a> to have the domain ban lifted.



# LPFM Filing Window Update

There have been 1,336
applications filed. 590 singletons
(applications that have no
competition) have already been
accepted for filing. Upon
acceptance, the singleton must
notify the public so that anyone
with objections can file these
with the FCC (a Petition to Deny)
within a 30 day period. The FCC
has already opened this 30-day
window for the singletons that
have been accepted.

Recnet has identified 148 MX groups. MX is shorthand for Mutually Exclusive. MX stations are stations that have applications that are competing for the same frequency or broadcast area and therefore cannot be immediately accepted until this conflict is resolved. Michelle Bradley cited some reasons why there are fewer applications than there were in 2013. She thinks one of these



### 2024 Community Radio Forecast with Michelle Bradley

For an in-depth analysis of everything happening with the 2023 LPFM filing window, Michelle Bradley of REC Networks is a great resource. You can catch her here at our latest Round-Table meeting. She also keeps everyone updated on her website.

factors is the rule change that said that only three applicants could apply at a time-share. Another factor could be there was much less spectrum available..

There are 415 applications on the "Applications of Concern List". But none of those have gone to public notice as of this date. There is also the "Garbage List." These are applications that likely are not grantable for one reason or another – careless error, wrong coordinates, etc. The most frequent reason they are on the GL is they didn't have established community presence.

~ Courtesy of Betty McArdle from <u>C-Map</u> and Radio 4 People.

## **New in AudioPort**



Poetry in Commotion

Hour

Poetess / hostess
Brenda Cave-James
shares her original
tales & poems of
love, family, culture,
& politics, woven
with the underrealized Black
history of
Binghamton &
beyond.

Produced by Brenda Cave-James & Andru Bemis at WBDY in Binghamton, NY.



BreakThrough News Radio

**Hour** 

BreakThrough News is a nonprofit media and educational organization dedicated to independent, fact-based reporting and commentary on a diverse range of issues affecting the global movements for social justice.

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Moist Fluids

2 Hours

Liquid drum and bass is a sub-genre of drum and bass with more melodic, jazzy tones while usually accompanied by vocals. The majority of music comes from the UK, however, the genre is expanding worldwide. The tempo of the music played usually averages out around 70-90 bpm.

Occasionally

a popular online video and social media platform that produces the shows "The Freedom Side," "Rania Khalek Dispatches," "The Socialist Program with Brian Becker," and news reports and explainers by Kei Pritsker, and more.

Produced at WPFW in Washington, D.C. Thumpah will explore other subgenres of DnB such as liquid jazz and bass, dark liquid drum and bass, jungle, neurofunk.

Produced by independent & international DJ Thumpah Lee in Lank-Latum, Germany for his home affiliate WHPW in Harpswell, ME & other stations.







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