

April 4, 2018

**Letter of Appeal – Request for Waiver**

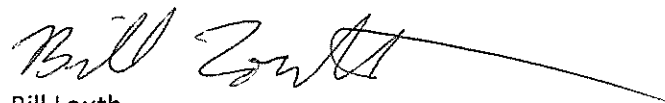
To Whom It May Concern:

Entity & BEN	Stark County District Library (BEN 129702)
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Funding Year	FY2018
Application Type & Application Number	Form 471 Application Number 181042274
FRN	Enter FRN/s 1899082582
Appeal Reason	We are seeking a waiver of rules, and ask the FCC to consider our FY2018 Form 471 as timely filed, granting a status of "Certified in Window".
Proceeding No.	02-6

**Appeal Explanation:**

Due to a turn-over in staff, we were unaware a new FY2018 Form 470 was needed for bandwidth serving our 10 library branch locations, until after the February 22<sup>nd</sup> Form 470 deadline. We filed a Form 470 on March 5<sup>th</sup>, which gave us an Allowable Contract date of 4/2/2018. We awarded a new contract on **4-3-2018**, and filed our FY2018 Form 471 Application No. **181042274** on **4-3-2018**. We are seeking a waiver of rules, and ask the FCC to consider our FY2018 Form 471 as timely filed, and granting a status of "Certified in Window".

Sincerely,



Bill Louth

System Administrator