Resolution

Urging that Congress Pass the Local Radio Freedom Act

WHEREAS NRB has partnered with the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) in supporting the Local Radio Freedom Act;

WHEREAS Some 25 Senators and 201 members of the House of Representatives have supported the Local Radio Freedom Act;

WHEREAS The Local Radio Freedom Act would protect local radio stations that play music as part of their programming from having to pay new “performance” royalties that would cripple, and in some cases decimate, the ability of such radio stations to continue operations;

WHEREAS Among NRB’s valued members are numerous radio stations and networks that include music, including contemporary Christian, Gospel, and sacred music, in their programming day, and those stations may well face burdensome and possibly financially fatal royalty fees in the absence of passage of the Local Radio Freedom Act;

WHEREAS NRB urges the Congress to pass the Local Radio Freedom Act and for President Donald Trump to sign that Act into law.

NOW THEREFORE NRB urges the Congress to pass the Local Radio Freedom Act and for President Donald Trump to sign that Act into law.

Presented to the Board of Directors February 25, 2020