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Our Business Philosophy

Each client's needs are different.
And so are our solutions!



*Please look at us as a **marketing resource**. We want to see your business grow. So your Big Country Marketing Specialist will not come in asking for your business. What he or she will be looking for are ways to help generate **results** for you.*



OUR BELIEF

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- ✓ **Every business is unique...** and faces different challenges in the marketplace.
- ✓ **Every business has a marketing problem ...** a less than ideal location, a misunderstood service/product line, an ill-defined position in the market. Millions of dollars in business flow through our multi-county marketplace every year—is *your* business getting the market share it should? Or could?
- ✓ **Every business is looking for marketing solutions...** and solutions start by asking questions, targeting your optimum audience(s), discussing the benefits you're looking for, the objectives you want to meet, looking hard at your competition, positioning your business to grow.
- ✓ **Any business *brands* with consistency, frequency and an effective message...** every product or service in every business affords a window of opportunity - this window can be a few days, months or longer. But the prospective purchaser must *know* you before they *need* you. Radio's intrusive nature reaches future customers throughout the window and will let them know who your are and what you can do for them before price ever becomes an issue. How? With consistency, frequent repeating of your message and a compelling creative message.
- ✓ **Every business should have a marketing plan...** and our goal is to come back to you with a fully developed long-range plan, tailor-made to achieve your objectives, deliver benefits, get you results. Your Big Country Marketing Specialist believes in accountability and uses the considerable experience and resources at Big Country to do exactly that.





BIG COUNTRY 100.9 OVERVIEW

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Station: WWBR-FM

Frequency: 100.9

Format: Country

Target Audience: Adults 25-54

Audience Breakout: Female 47% / Male 53%

Total Weekly Listeners: 18,100 (SPR/FALL 2008 ARBITRON)

Primary Listening Area: Mecosta, Osceola, Lake & Newaygo Counties

Country listeners *love* their country music.... they listen every morning, all day if they can and thru the evening hours. This format reflects the highest time spent listening of any music format! Country *listening* and country *listeners* bring with them distinct lifestyle choices: they are more likely to spend time outdoors camping and/or hunting, more likely to engage in craftmaking, they hold what they believe to be traditional values. Approximately 1/3 (34%) of the audience is college educated. They are *very* likely to have children in the home and the majority own their own homes.





BIG COUNTRY 100.9 LISTENERS

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STATISTICALLY, COUNTRY LISTENERSHIP IS:

- 53% FEMALE/47% MALE, CAUCASIAN (92.5%)**
- 25-54 YEARS WITH A HOUSEHOLD INCOME OF \$25,000-\$75,000**
- CONSISTENTLY LISTENING ACROSS ALL DAYPARTS**
- LISTENING AT WORK (26.2%), IN THE CAR (35.7%), AT HOME (35.7%)**
- COLLEGE EDUCATED (33.8%)**
- 9% MORE LIKELY THAN THE NORM TO HAVE CHILDREN IN THE HOUSEHOLD AND 10% MORE LIKELY TO OWN A HOME**
- PLANNING ON BUYING A NEW PICK-UP (31.3%)**
- SPENDING \$103 ON GROCERIES WEEKLY**
- 31% MORE LIKELY THAN THE NORM TO HOLD A PERSONAL LOAN**
- MORE INTERESTED THAN ANY OTHER FORMAT LISTENERSHIP IN SEWING AND DOING CRAFTS**
- 67% MORE LIKELY THAN AVERAGE TO GO HUNTING; ENJOY FISHING AND CAMPING AT RATES ABOVE THE NORM EATING IN FAST-FOOD RESTAURANTS 5+ TIMES A MONTH (56%)**



Data provided by Radio Advertising Bureau and The Media Audit



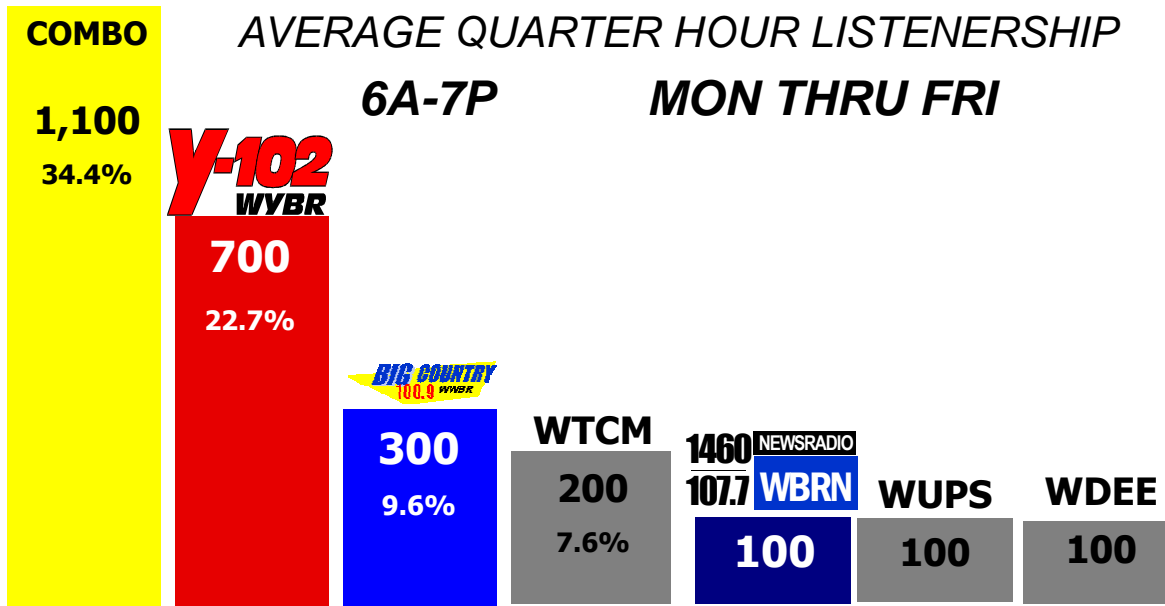
MECOSTA COUNTY

PERSONS 25-54 POPULATION: 15,400

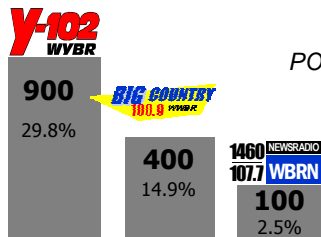
AVERAGE QUARTER HOUR LISTENERSHIP

6A-7P

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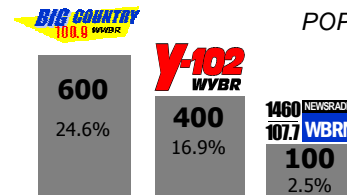
National Regional Database **ARBITRON**® Radio Spring 2008 – Fall 2008 Maximi\$er Plus MultiRanker Report Demographic



WOMEN 18+

POPULATION: 16,600

These 3 stations deliver over 47% of Women 18+ in Mecosta County!



MEN 18+

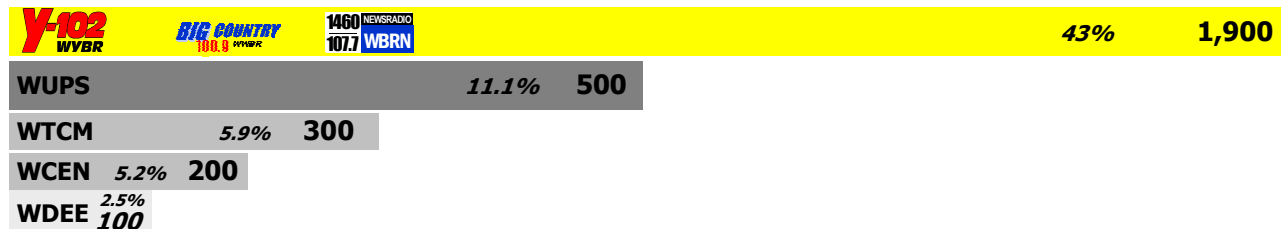
POPULATION: 16,600

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MECOSTA & OSCEOLA COUNTIES

ADULTS 24-54

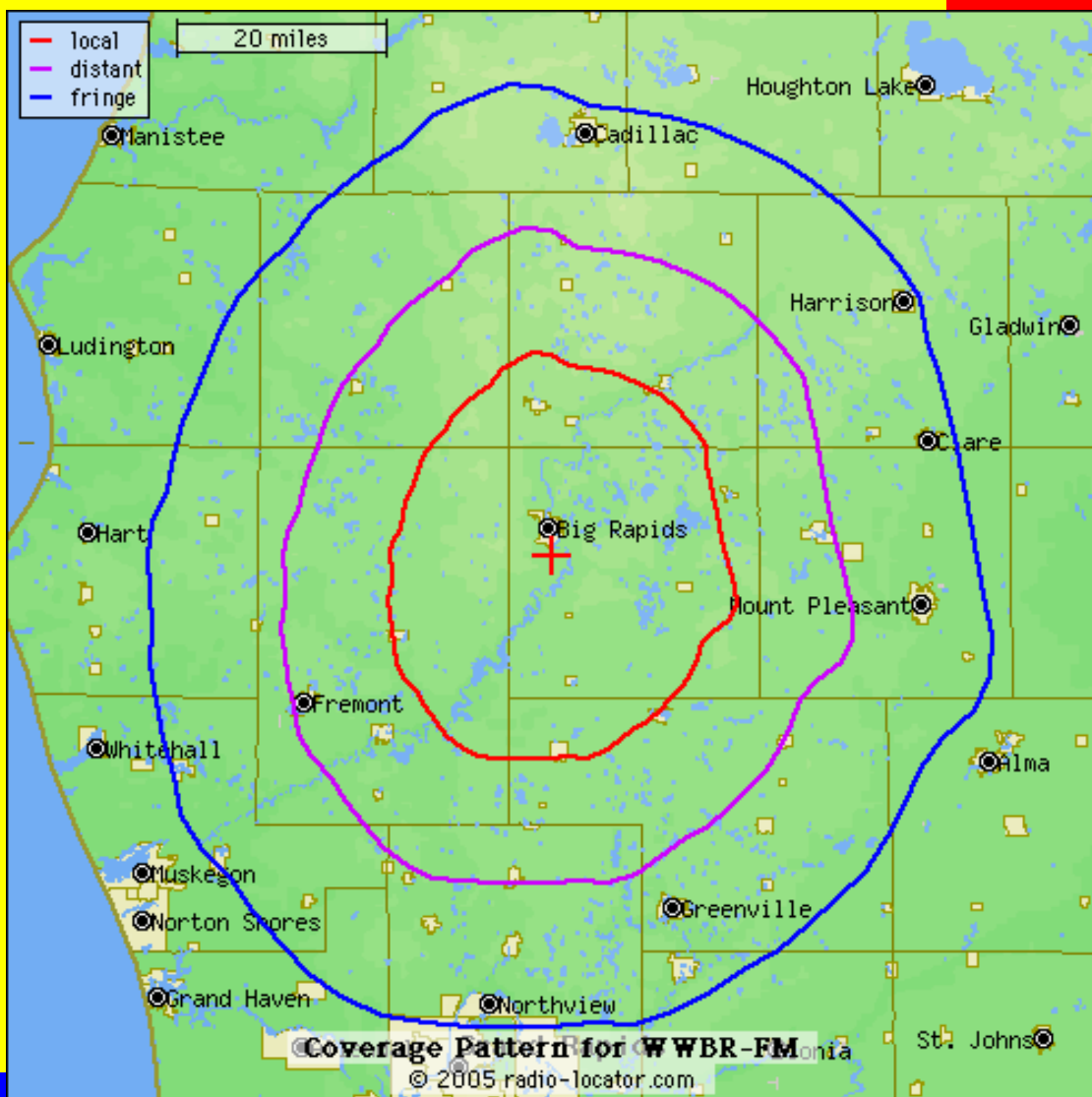




BIG COUNTRY 100.9 COVERAGE

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PROGRAMMING

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Big Country 100.9 plays the artists listeners know, the songs they love, the country hits they remember:

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 6a-10a

Big Country Bill in the Morning

Featuring Bill Beckwith, News Director Paul Cicchini, special guests from the community.... features include news, weather, The Time Tunnel, Jimmy Carter with the Nitty Gritty from Music City and more.

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 10a-2p

Dean Armstrong on Middays

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 2p-7p

Paul Mathews in the Afternoon

Featuring the Big Country 4X4 - 4 country hits played back-to-back at 4 o'clock.

MONDAY-FRIDAY, 7p-10p

Lia—Evenings

SATURDAY, 7A-10A

AMERICA'S COUNTRY COUNTDOWN

SUNDAY, 6p-9p

JEFF FOXWORTHY'S TOP 25 COUNTRY COUNTDOWN

SUNDAY 9P-12MIDNIGHT

RICK JACKSON'S COUNTRY HALL OF FAME

Classic country hits that take you waaaay back!





WHY ADVERTISE ?

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- Advertising is an *investment* in success, not an expense of doing business
 - Advertising creates traffic
 - Advertising attracts new customers
 - Advertising encourages repeat business
 - Advertising keeps your business name in front of current and potential customers (the window of opportunity is always there)
 - Advertising builds a successful image for your business
 - Consistent advertising builds sales
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WHY RADIO?

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- Radio is undisputed  KING for top-of-mind awareness —despite mp3, ipod and satellite radio, listeners migrate back to terrestrial radio for local content & info
- Radio reaches people in their cars, at work, at home, in the gym, outdoors—*everywhere* they go
- Radio reaches prospects closest to the point of purchase
- Radio influences new markets, new prospects
- Radio is the most cost-effective media, reaching the most people for the least amount of money
- Radio can provide unique, specialized on-air promotion
- Radio can be implemented or changed *instantaneously*



Features & Sponsorships

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TIME TUNNEL

Join Bill Beckwith weekday mornings in the 6 o'clock hour on



when he pulls one of his favorite songs from his way-back country music library!

Rick Jackson's

Country Hall of Fame

AMERICA'S PREMIER CLASSIC COUNTRY WEEKEND RADIO SHOW

SUNDAYS 9p-12 midnight



NEWS

4x4

AT 4 PM EACH WEEKDAY AFTERNOON, BIG COUNTRY 100.9 PRESENTS

4 COUNTRY HITS PLAYED BACK-TO-BACK.... HITS YOU LOVE TO LISTEN TO, SINGA LONG WITH, HITS THAT MAKE COUNTRY MUSIC ALL IT IS!



BIG COUNTRY 100.9 WWBR 's Bill Beckwith chats On the phone with Nashville insider **Jimmy Carter** every weekday morning at 7:15 a.m. for the full

Nitty Gritty

on who's doing what in country music!

Don't miss it!



We've got area sports fans covered with more than 100 games broadcast live:

FSU Football on **Y102** high school football on **WBRN-AM**.....**FSU Men's and high school boys' basketball** on **WBRN-AM**..... **Lions** football on **WBRN-AM**..... and **FSU Hockey** on **Big Country 100.9**



Jeff Foxworthy at his Best... with Country's Best Music. Each week, America's top-selling comedian brings country music fans Country hits - as only he can!

SUNDAY 6p-9p

WEATHER



Promotions & Events

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BiG Auction ¹⁰

Each Spring and Fall, Big Country brings you a live auction on-air - the chance to pick up fast food and fine dining certificates, furniture for your home or office, lawn equipment, power tools, hotel stays, carpet cleaning, hair products, jewelry, flowers, lawn service, auto repair and more - get in on the bidding and pick up whatever you need for *HUGE* savings!!

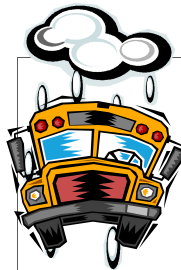
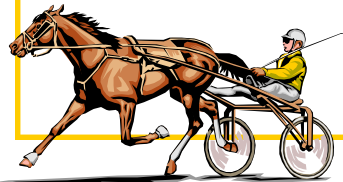


SATURDAY, JUNE 12
HEMLOCK PARK BANDSHELL
DOWNTOWN BIG RAPIDS
4p-10p

This country music showcase gives our own local talent an opportunity to shine, our community a chance to share the experience! At least 25 country performers will take the stage and *one* will walk away the winner, will compete at the Michigan State Fair in July, and have a shot at a *national* tv appearance and \$100,000 grand prize! Additional performances by non-competing bands fill out the event for a full evening of country music entertainment!

Hourly reports & interviews from the Mecosta County Fair

exclusively on



THE **BIG COUNTRY** 100.9 WWBR

10-MINUTE
SCHOOL CLOSING
GUARANTEE

When bad weather hits and schools close, tune in **BIG COUNTRY 100.9** or check wwbr.com for the most up-to-date info!



LIVE BROADCAST OF THE

JULY 4th

Fireworks!

The **Big Rapids Jaycees Fireworks**

begin at dusk at the Mecosta County Fairgrounds....



will be there broadcasting *live* 9p til the fireworks end! The broadcast includes 25-30 minutes of continuous patriotic music throughout the fireworks display!