

KMTR Television, LLC
KMTR(TV), Eugene, Oregon

Request to Extend Engineering STA

KMTR Television, LLC, licensee of KMTR(TV), Eugene, Oregon (Facility ID 35189), respectfully requests an extension of Special Temporary Authority that was granted on October 24, 2018, and extended on April 16, 2019 and October 17, 2019, to operate with an interim facility. *See* File Nos. 0000063023, 0000071628 and 0000086379. The station was unable to continue broadcasting at its licensed site and filed an application to relocate to an 860' tower at a different site. *See* File No. 0000035793. The station began operating on interim facilities pursuant to an STA on a nearby 360' pending grant of the license modification application. The station subsequently found that it cannot install its antenna on the the 860' tower because the tower cannot handle the additional loading. The station is looking into other options and engineering solutions. In the meantime, the public interest would be served by permitting KMTR to continue operating with interim facilities on the 360' tower pursuant to an extension of STA so that KMTR can avoid loss of service to its viewers that would otherwise result from the loss of its licensed transmitter site.