



January 10, 2022

WVUX-LD, Fairmont, WV (Facility ID: 129306)

Michael Karr d/b/a WVUX-LD, Fairmont, WV, (hereinafter "WVUX") is applying for Special Temporary Authority because of extraordinary circumstances. WVUX is currently unable to operate in accordance with its license because of decrepit conditions of the tower to which it is licensed.

The condition of the tower has declined due to no fault of the licensee. WVUX sought permission from the tower and land owners to make repairs to the tower but was denied. A tower study has determined that the tower cannot be repaired.

WVUX has been in the process of procuring another tower and location sufficient to operate pursuant to its construction permit for Channel 10. WVUX possesses the equipment, including antenna, to operate as authorized in its construction permit, but lacks an existing suitable tower for the new Channel 10 antenna which is 30' long and over 300 pounds.

WVUX seeks permission to temporarily operate on an existing tower next to its currently licensed tower. By granting this application, WVUX will be able to continue to provide qualified low power television service to its licensed community of Fairmont, West Virginia, and will not extend service beyond its currently licensed boundaries.

WVUX expects that the duration of this STA would last no longer than six (6) months because WVUX has found a new site and is in the process of procuring a new tower to be constructed thereon within said time.

Sincerely,

Michael Karr  
Owner/Operator