

**Greensboro, North Carolina**  
**Application for Minor Modification of FM Translator W284BN**  
**On Channel 287**  
**by**  
**Eastern Airwaves, LLC**

**Exhibit 13**  
**Interference Analysis**

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Declaration

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am a technical consultant to broadcasting and other communications systems, that I have over twenty-five years of experience in the engineering of broadcast and other communications systems, that I am familiar with the Federal Communications Commission's Rules found in the Code of Federal Regulations Title 47, that I am a Professional Engineer registered in North Carolina, that I have prepared or supervised the preparation of the attached Exhibit 13, Interference Analysis, for Eastern Airwaves, LLC, and that all of the facts therein, except for facts of which the Federal Communications Commission may take official notice, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.



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### Narrative

This Exhibit supports a minor modification application for FM translator W284BN, on Channel 287 in Greensboro, North Carolina. Allocation details are provided in this exhibit. This proposal complies fully with the requirements of 74 C.F.R. §74.1204(a), with the exception of facilities protected under 47 C.F.R. §74.1204(d) by the Undesired to Desired (U/D) method described below. The proposed modified facilities create no mutual exclusivities with any licensed facilities, construction permits, or applications as shown in the allocation table in this exhibit.

Figure 1 shows the licensed 60 dBu F(50,50) coverage area, and the proposed 60 dBu F(50,50) coverage area. Figure 1 shows fill-in status confirmation. As shown on Figure 1, the proposed modification is a minor modification of the licensed facilities.

The modifications consist of a new primary station, third adjacent channel, decrease in elevation, increase in power, and a new antenna.

### Allocations

This application proposes service to Greensboro, North Carolina, on channel 287. An updated Table 1: Allocations is included in this exhibit with a list of the stations, construction permits, allocations, and applications studied. All are protected under §74.1204(a) contour protection by this application, with the exception of facilities protected by the Undesired to Desired (U/D) method. Facilities protected by the U/D method are listed in Table 2. The

allocations table was prepared using the USGS 3 arcsecond terrain database which is described below.

Table 1: Allocations

Allocation Study											
Eastern Airwaves, Llc											
CH# 287D - 105.3 MHz, Pwr= 0.15 kw, HAAT= 98.9 M, COR= 341 M											
Average Protected F(50-50)= 11.3 km											
Omni-directional											
DISPLAY DATES											
DATA 03-22-15											
SEARCH 03-22-15											
CH	CALL	TYPE	ANT	AZI.	DIST	LAT.	Pwr(kw)	INT(km)	PRO(km)	*IN*	*OUT*
CITY		STATE		<--	FILE #	LNG.	HAAT(M)	COR(M)	LICENSEE	(Overlap in km)	
287C1	WOSF	LIC	CX	238.4	151.06	35 21 51.0	51.000	168.8	73.5	-28.6*	41.5
Gaffney			SC	57.6	BLH20100429ADK	81 11 13.0	395	644	Gaffney Broadcasting, Llc		
286C1	WDCG	LIC	NCX	115.3	95.12	35 42 50.0	73.000	105.6	72.4	-22.7*	4.3
Durham			NC	295.9	BLH20080310ADT	78 49 04.0	339	443	Capstar Tx Llc		
289C1	WVBZ	LIC	NCX	301.4	63.05	36 22 36.4	30.000	8.6	73.8	43.7	-11.6*
Clemmons			NC	121.1	BLH20110902AAJ	80 22 08.6	472	794	Clear Channel Broadcasting		
Protected by U/D ratio, see text and figures.											
284D	W284BN!	LIC	C	0.0	0.00	36 04 58.0	0.013	0.3	6.2	-11.5	-7.0
Greensboro			NC	0.0	BLFT20070928BBU	79 46 08.0	103	342	Eastern Airwaves, Llc		
Facility being modified.											
233C1	WPTI	LIC	DEX	337.1	31.62	36 20 42.0	100.000	74.5	24.8	21.5R	10.1M
Eden			NC	157.0	BLH20150227ABY	79 54 24.0	299	519	Clear Channel Broadcasting		
233C1	WPTI	LIC	DE	337.0	31.85	36 20 48.0	100.000	74.5	24.8	21.5R	10.4M
Eden			NC	156.9	BMLH20010514AAN	79 54 30.0	299	522	Clear Channel Broadcasting		
285D	W285EU	LIC	C	236.5	25.62	35 57 20.0	0.099	0.7	9.1	14.0	15.3
Jamestown			NC	56.4	BLFT20140514AAM	80 00 22.0		330	Eastern Airwaves, Llc		
287C3	WBRW	LIC	ZCN	332.8	138.09	37 11 12.0	12.000	103.1	37.3	23.9	63.1
Blacksburg			VA	152.4	BLH19960906KZ	80 28 54.0	146	753	Cumulus Licensing Llc		
286L1	WFOZ-LP	CP		268.2	45.36	36 04 09.0	0.100			27.2	25.7
Winston-salem			NC	87.9	BNPL20131114ANW	80 16 20.0	17	270	Forsyth Technical Communit		
290D	W290CJ	CP	V	162.2	39.40	35 44 41.0	0.150	0.9	6.2	26.9	32.3
Ramseur			NC	342.3	BMPFT20150223AAL	79 38 07.0		176	Triad Family Network, Inc		
288A	WFJA	LIC	NCX	149.7	82.17	35 26 34.4	2.700	42.8	28.1	27.6	36.5
Sanford			NC	330.0	BLH20141203ABE	79 18 40.9	138	251	wwgp Broadcasting Corporat		
288A	WFJA	LIC	NCX	149.7	82.18	35 26 34.0	2.300	41.5	27.3	28.8	37.3
Sanford			NC	330.0	BLH20081029ACZ	79 18 41.0	148	254	wwgp Broadcasting Corporat		
284C0	WKQC	LIC	DCY	222.2	124.13	35 15 06.0	100.000	11.5	79.1	101.5	44.2
Charlotte			NC	41.6	BLH19920416KB	80 41 12.0	369	570	wkis License Limited Partn		
288D	W288BU	CP	DC	96.3	82.81	35 59 54.0	0.250	20.2	13.4	50.3	51.3
Durham			NC	276.8	BMPFT20120622AAD	78 51 21.0	131	235	Truth Broadcasting Corpora		
285D	W285DJ	LIC	CN	301.5	63.28	36 22 41.0	0.010	0.2	11.6	52.3	50.8
Mount Airy			NC	121.1	BLFT19941212TG	80 22 16.0	381	702	Triad Family Network, Inc,		
Translator For WBFJFM, Winston-Salem, NC											
288D	W288BU	LIC	C	96.3	82.81	35 59 54.0	0.009	8.5	6.1	62.0	58.6
Durham			NC	276.8	BLFT20070926AQN	78 51 21.0	131	235	Truth Broadcasting Corpora		
288A	WKDE-FM	LIC	CN	21.9	129.10	37 09 37.0	6.000	46.8	30.3	70.7	81.4
Altavista			VA	202.2	BMLH19970305KB	79 13 28.0	100	313	D.j. Broadcasting, Inc		
284D	W284CL	CP	C	144.8	87.11	35 26 26.0	0.010	0.2	6.5	74.8	79.7
Sanford			NC	325.2	BNPFT20130827ABT	79 12 53.0	119	221	Positive Alternative Radio		

Terrain database is USGS 03 SEC, R= 73.215 qualifying spacings or FCC minimum spacings in KM, M= Margin in KM. In & Out distances between contours are shown at closest points. Reference Zone= East Zone, Co to 3rd adjacent. All separation margins (if shown) include rounding. Call signs with exclamation marks need not be protected. Ant Column: (D= DA Standard, Z= DA 73.215, N= Not DA 73.215, \_= Omni), Polarization (C,H,V,E), Beamtilt(Y,N,X) "\*"affixed to 'IN' or 'OUT' values = site inside restricted contour. « = Station meets FCC minimum distance spacing for its class.

**Table 2: Facilities Protected by U/D Method**

Facility	WVBZ Clemmons, North Carolina
Relationship	289 C1, second adjacent
Distance (km)	63.05
Bearing (degrees)	301.4
ERP (kW, on azimuth)	30.0
HAAT (m, on azimuth)	495.3
Ratio	40
Signal Strength (dBu)	64.3
Translator Signal Strength	104.3
Translator distance (km)	.525

**Undesired to Desired Method under §74.1204(d)**

Protection to some facilities is provided through the use of Undesired to Desired Signal Strength Ratio (U/D) calculations. Table 2 lists the parameters studied. The proposed antenna is an SWR FMEC/3 75 three bay three quarter wavelength (75%) spaced antenna, The elevation pattern is shown in Figure 2.

The WVBZ field strength calculated at ground level at the proposed W284BN site is 64.3 dBu, using the FM Curves calculator on the FCC web site. For the translator interference contour, free space calculations are used. The corresponding 104.3 dBu field strength distance is .525 kilometers in the horizontal plane. The proposed antenna location is 109 meters above ground. The 104.3 dBu signal level does not reach ground level. The 104.3 dBu contour remains at least 21 meters above the level of the tower base. For all distances beyond 105 meters from the tower base, the 104.3 dBu contour remains at least 33 meters above the level of the tower base. Figure 3 is a vertical plot of the 104.3 dBu contour.

Figure 4 is a topographic map of the transmitter site, showing that the site is on a level ground, with no significant higher ground in the vicinity. Figure 5 is an aerial photograph of the site, showing the absence of any tall structures in the area of interest. Figure 6 is an aerial

photograph of the site with circles of 105 meter and 525 meter radius. There is no structure taller than a single story within the 105 meter radius circle and no structure taller than five stories within the 525 meter radius circle. There is no population within the predicted interference area and therefore this facility is permitted under §74.1204(d).

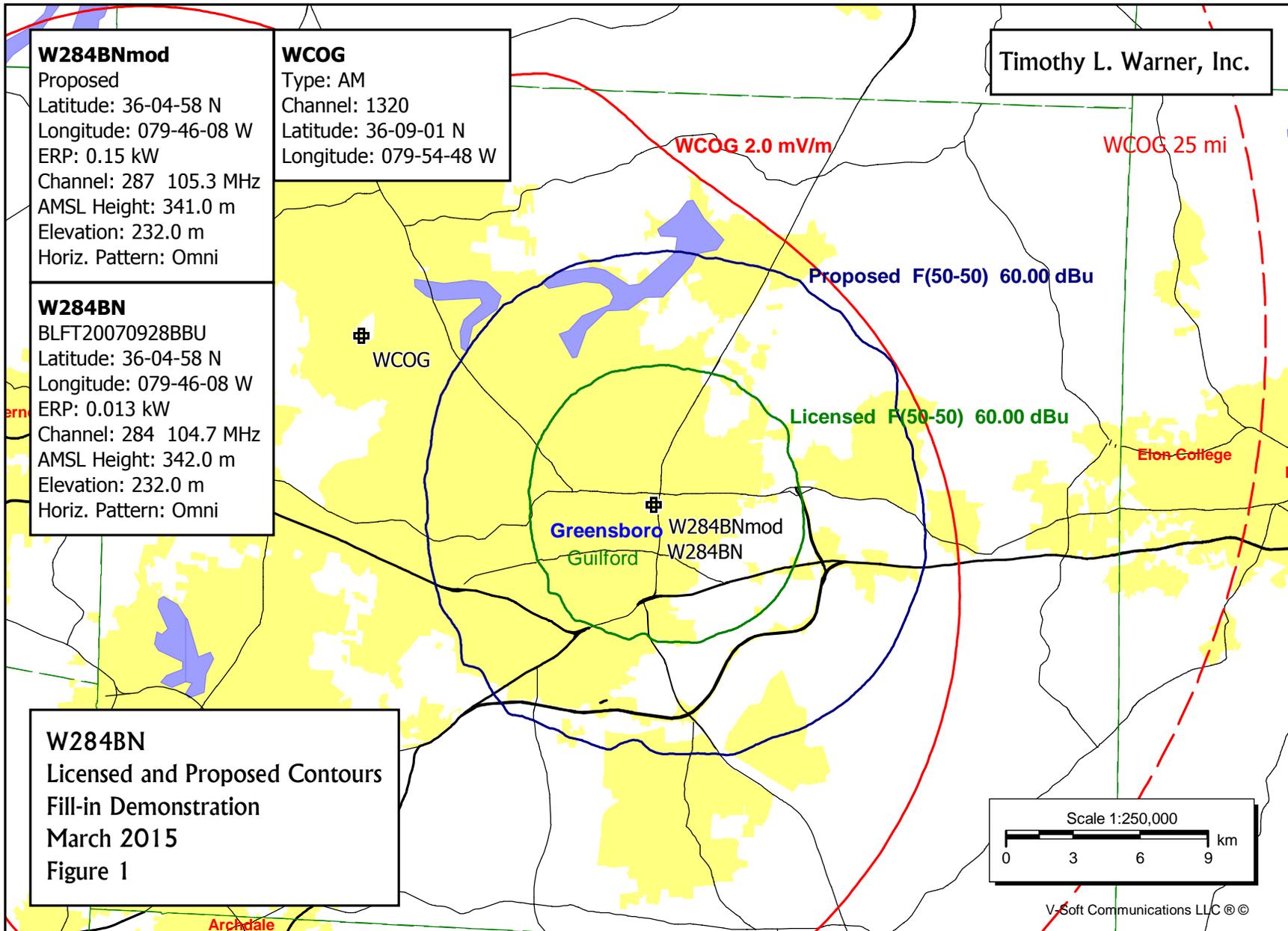
The applicant recognizes that the U/D method is only a tool for predicting likely interference. Should any actual interference be experienced, the applicant will cooperate fully in correcting the interference. Corrective steps may require changes in the transmitting antenna or other steps which would require Commission authorization, may require that the translator cease operation except for brief equipment tests, or may require filtering at the receivers which report interference.

#### Source of Data

Transmitter location, effective radiated power, directional antenna pattern, and elevation data are extracted from the Commission's CDDBS. All contours for existing and proposed facilities are calculated using height above average terrain calculated at one degree horizontal increments.

The contours were evaluated using terrain extracted from the USGS 3 arcsecond terrain database, formatted by V-Soft Communications to work with its allocations and mapping software.

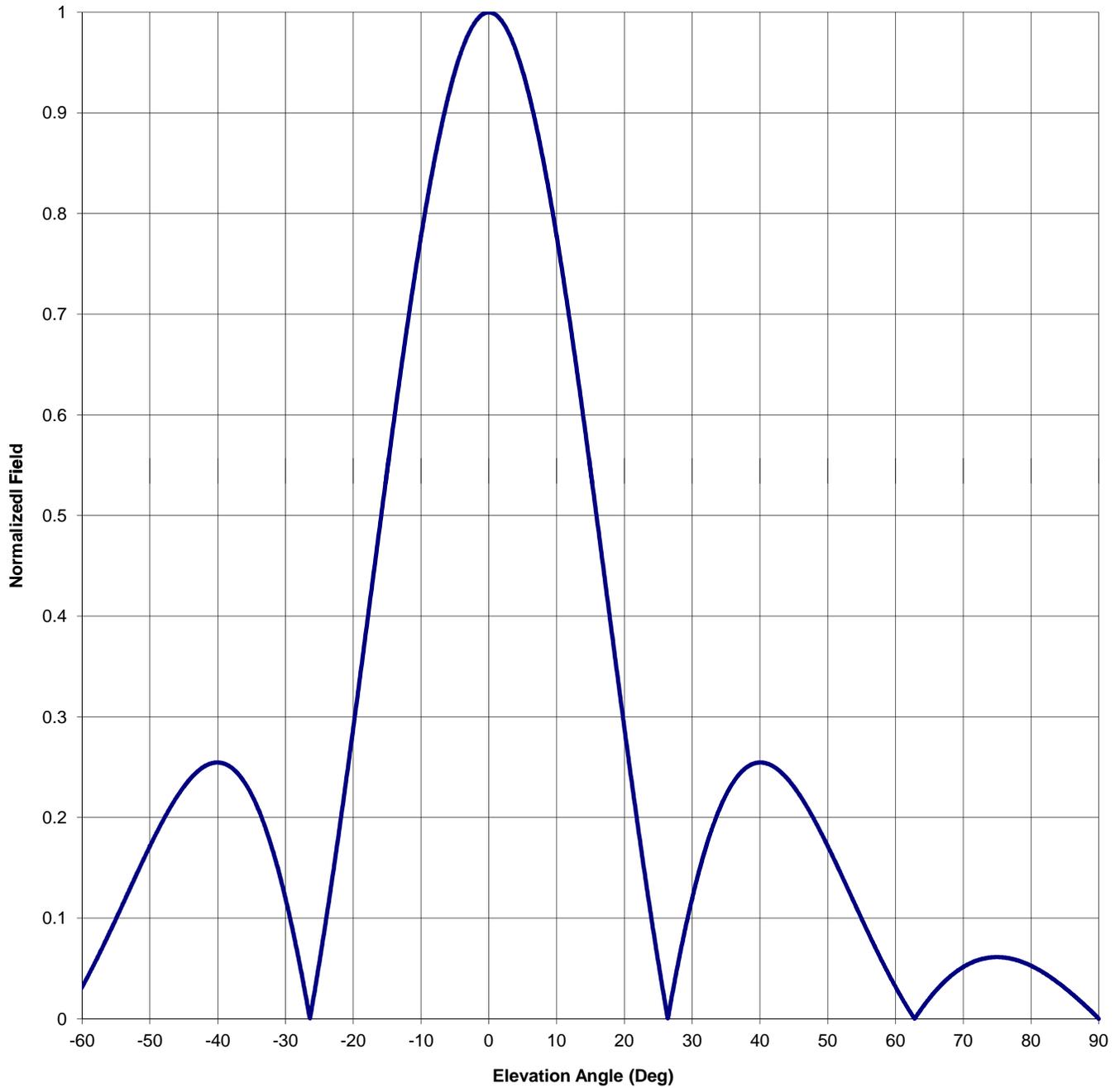
All population data is from 2010 U.S. Census PL data files. Population is counted by considering the location of the centroid of each census block. The data for each block is counted if it falls within the area being counted.

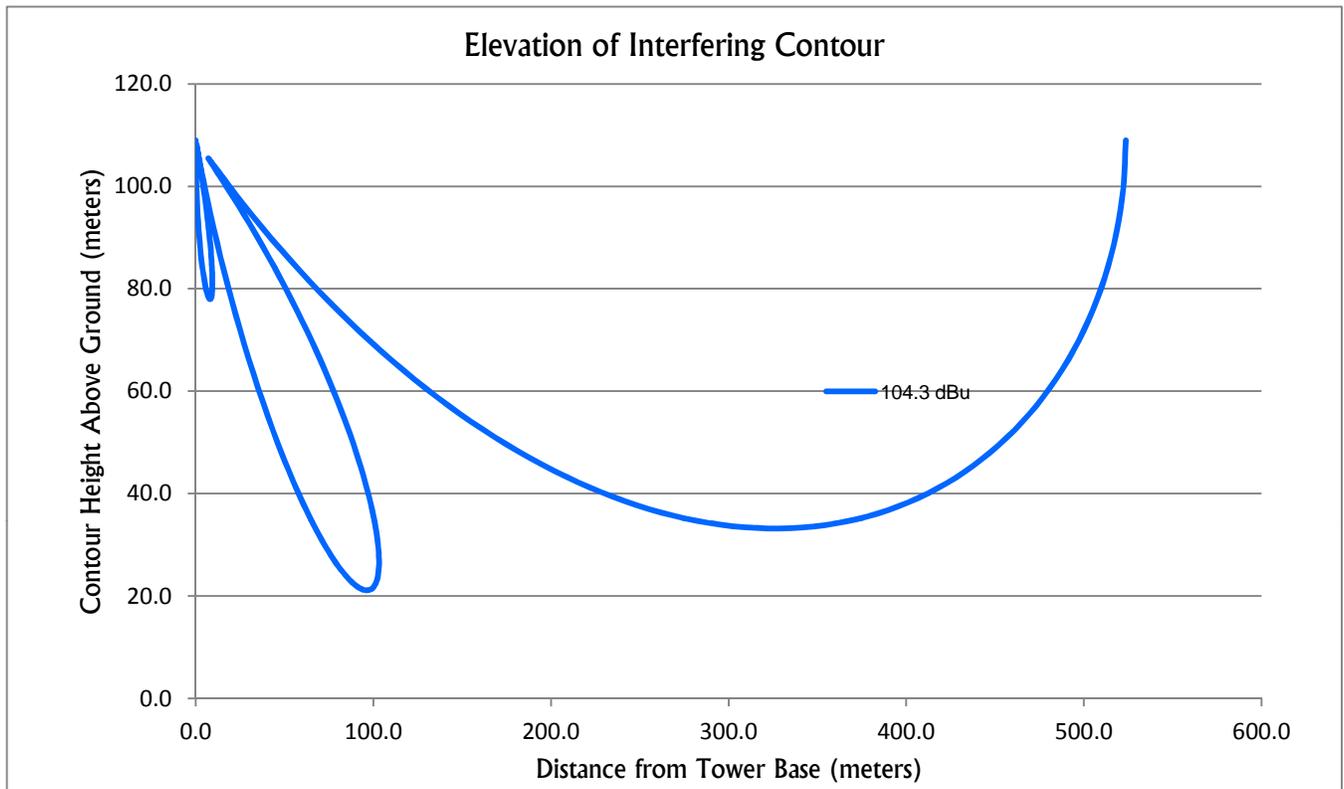


Antenna Mfg.: SWR  
Antenna Type: FMEC/3 75  
Station: W284BN  
Frequency: 105.3  
Channel #: 287  
Figure: 2

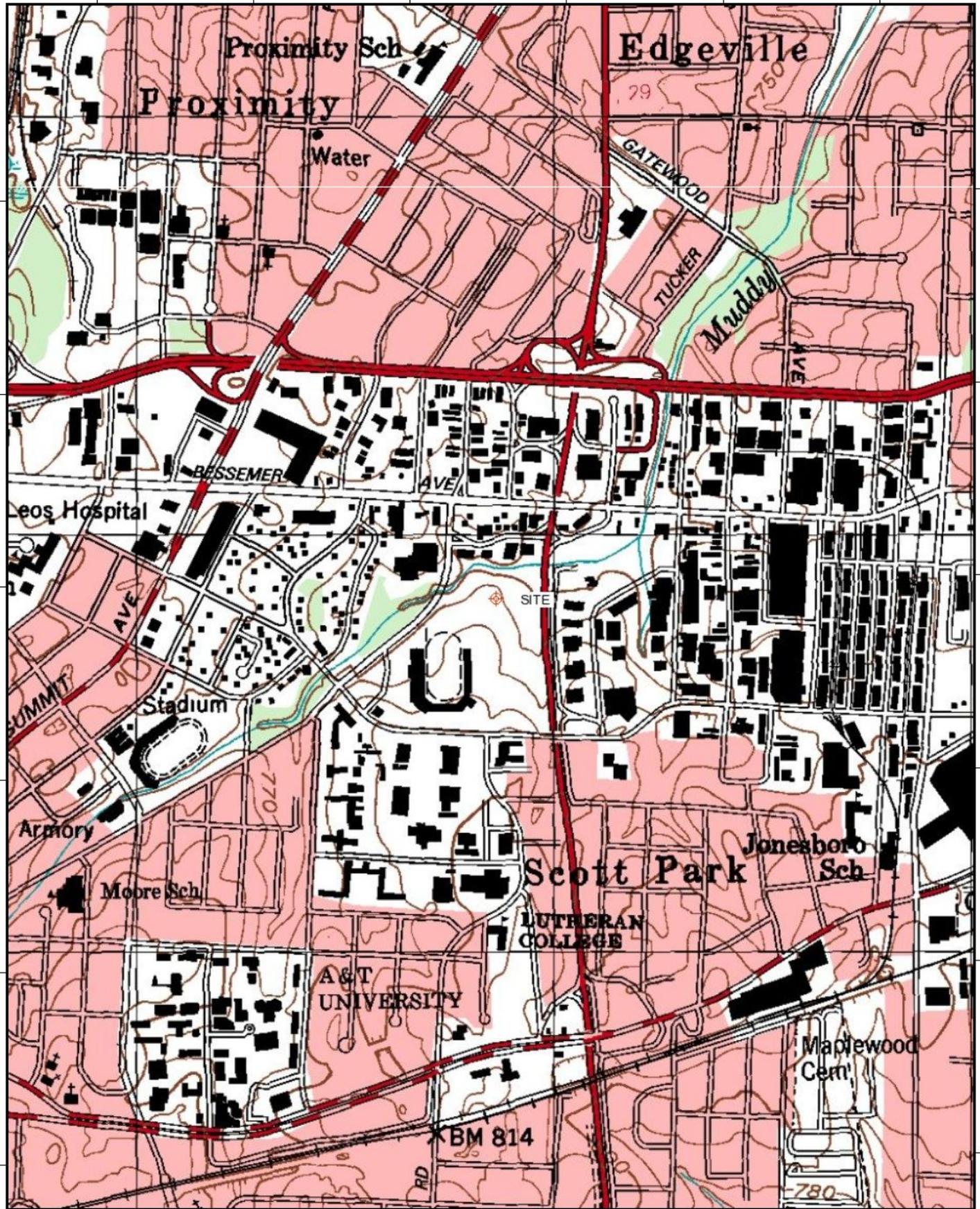
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Beam Tilt	0	
Gain (Max)	1.418	1.517 dB
Gain (Horizon)	1.418	1.517 dB





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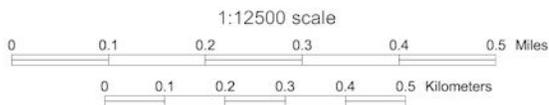


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Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) Projection Zone 17  
North American Datum of 1983



W284BN Figure 4

Magnetic declination of 7W at center of map  
on March 17, 2011

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Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) Projection Zone 17  
North American Datum of 1983

1:5000 scale

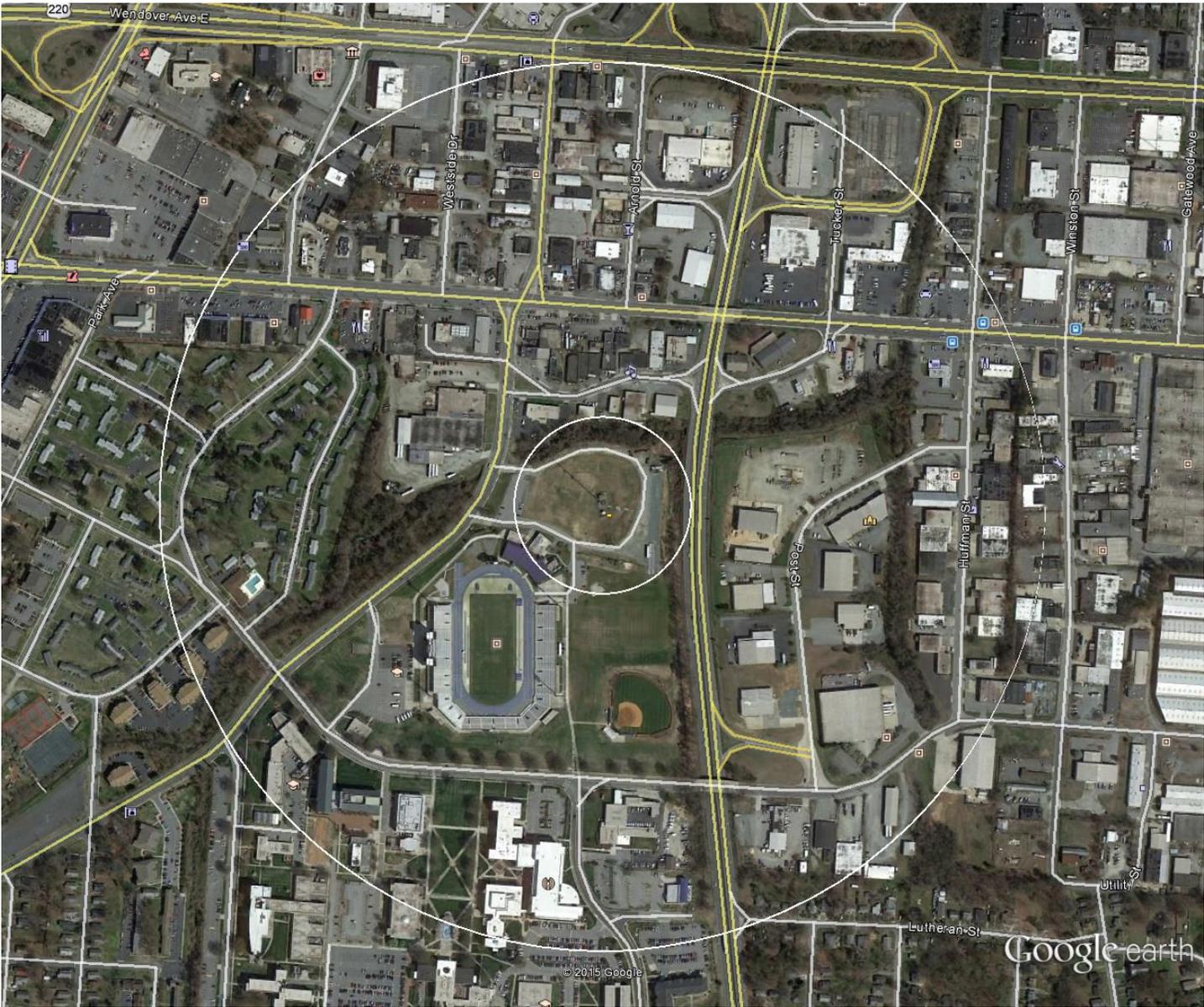
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0 50 100 150 Meters



W284BN Figure 5

Magnetic declination of 7W at center of map  
on March 17, 2011



Google earth



W284BN  
Interference Contour Circles  
105 Meter Radius  
525 Meter Radius  
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Figure 6