

May 2015
KBBD(FM) Channel 280C1
Spokane, Washington
Auxiliary Antenna Engineering

Coordinate Correction Application

The instant application is being filed in order to correct the coordinates of the licensed KBBD auxiliary transmitter facility. The tower site elevation is also being corrected, which increases the antenna height AMSL and HAAT.

Facilities Proposed

The proposed operation will be on Channel 280C1 (103.9 MHz) with an effective radiated power of 1.4 kilowatts. Operation is proposed with the existing 1-element circularly-polarized omni-directional antenna, which is installed on an existing tower with FCC Antenna Structure Registration Number 1033014.

The tower owner is filing a Form 7460-1 with the Federal Aviation Administration to correct the tower coordinates. Upon receipt of the FAA's determination of no hazard, an update to the FCC Antenna Structure Registration for the tower will be filed on Form 854.

RF Exposure Calculations

The power density calculations shown below were made using the techniques outlined in OET Bulletin No. 65. "Ground level" calculations in this report have been made at a reference height of 2 meters above ground to provide a worst-case estimate of exposure for persons standing on the ground in the vicinity of the tower. The equation shown below was used to calculate the ground level power density figures from each antenna.

$$S(\mu W / cm^2) = \frac{33.40981 \times AdjERP(Watts)}{D^2}$$

Where: *AdjERP(Watts)* is the maximum lobe effective radiated power times the element pattern factor times the array pattern factor.

D is the distance in meters from the center of radiation to the calculation point.

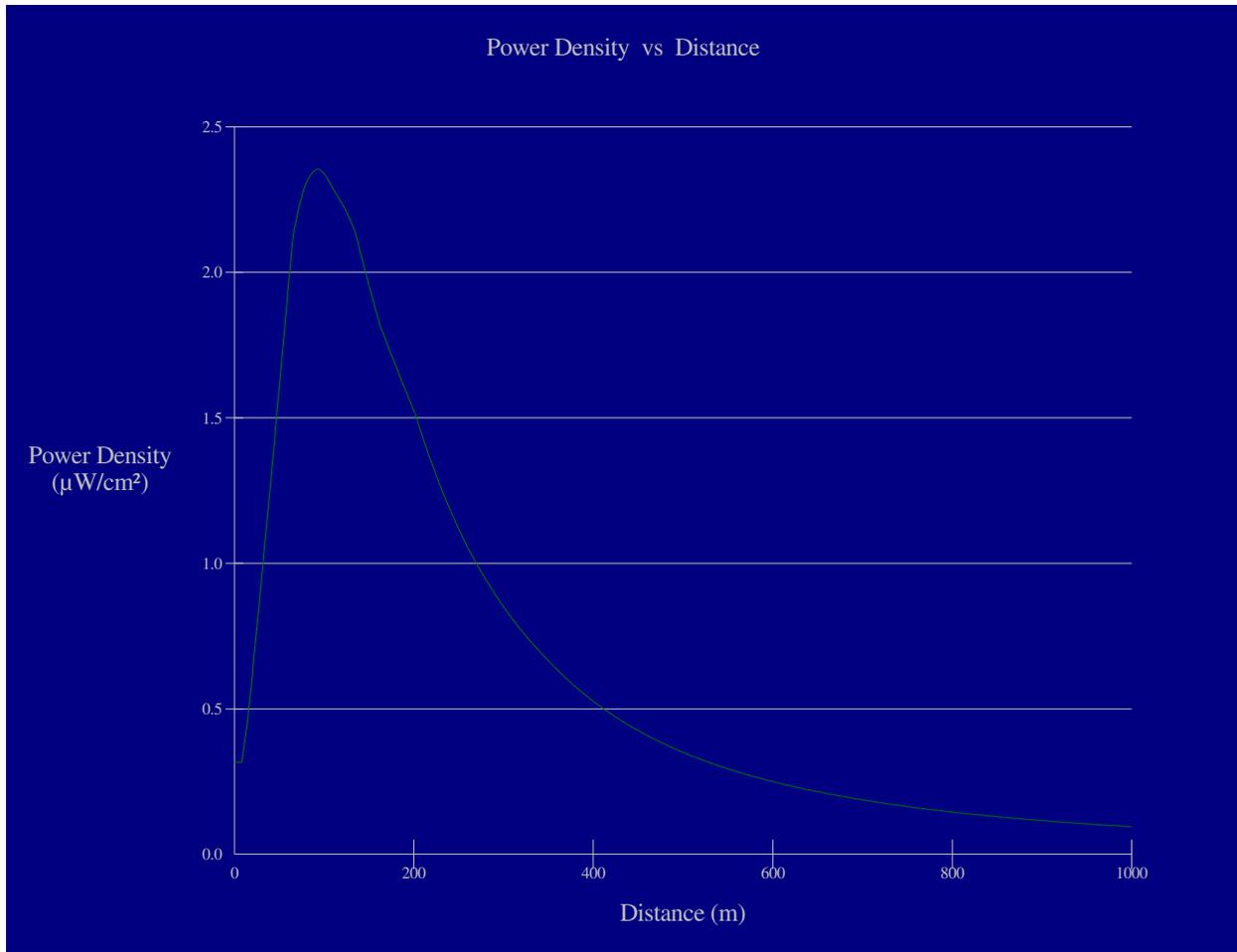
Ground level power densities have been calculated for locations extending from the base of the

tower to a distance of 1000 meters. Values past this point are increasingly negligible.

Calculations of the power density produced by the proposed antenna system assume a Type 3 element pattern, which is the element pattern for the ERI LPX-1E antenna proposed for use. The highest calculated ground level power density occurs at a distance of 94 meters from the base of the antenna support structure. At this point the power density is calculated to be $2.4 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$, which is 1.2% of $200 \mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$ (the FCC standard for uncontrolled environments).

These calculations show that the maximum calculated power density produced at two meters above ground level by the proposed operation of the KBBD auxiliary alone is less than 5% of the applicable FCC exposure limit at all locations between 1 and 1000 meters from the base of the antenna support structure. Section 1.1307(b)(3) of the Commission's Rules excludes applications for new facilities or modifications to existing facilities from the requirement of preparing an environmental assessment when the calculated emissions from the applicant's proposed facility are predicted to be less than 5% of the applicable FCC exposure limit. Therefore, the proposed facility is in compliance with Section 1.1301 *et seq* and no further analysis of RF exposure at this site is required in this application.

The permittee/licensee in coordination with other users of the site must reduce power or cease operation as necessary to protect persons having access to the site, tower or antenna from radiofrequency exposure in excess of FCC guidelines.



Ground-Level RF Exposure

OET FMModel

KBBB 280C1 Spokane

Antenna Type: ERI LPX-1E "rototiller"

No. of Elements: 1

Element Spacing: 1.0 wavelength

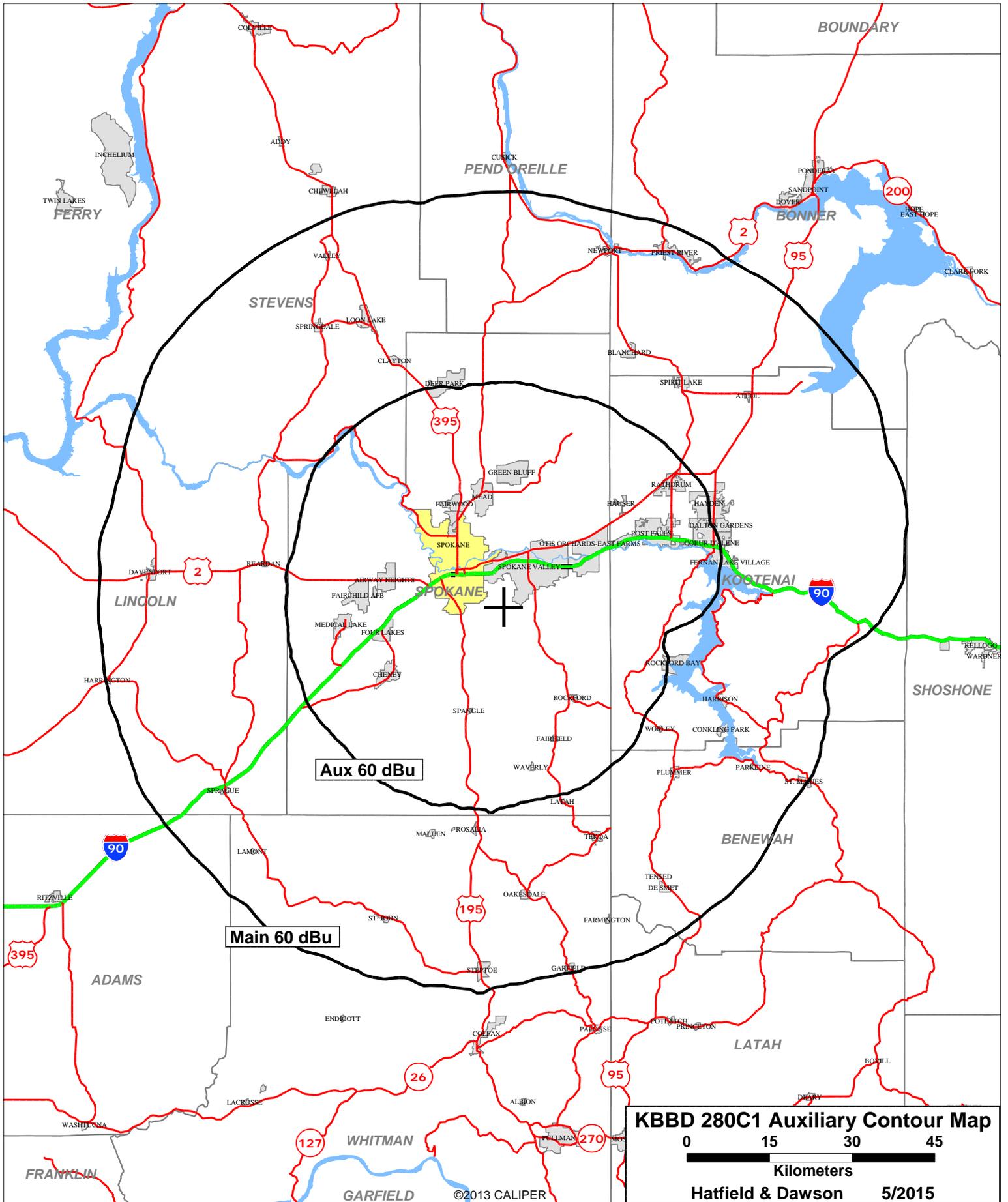
Distance: 1000 meters

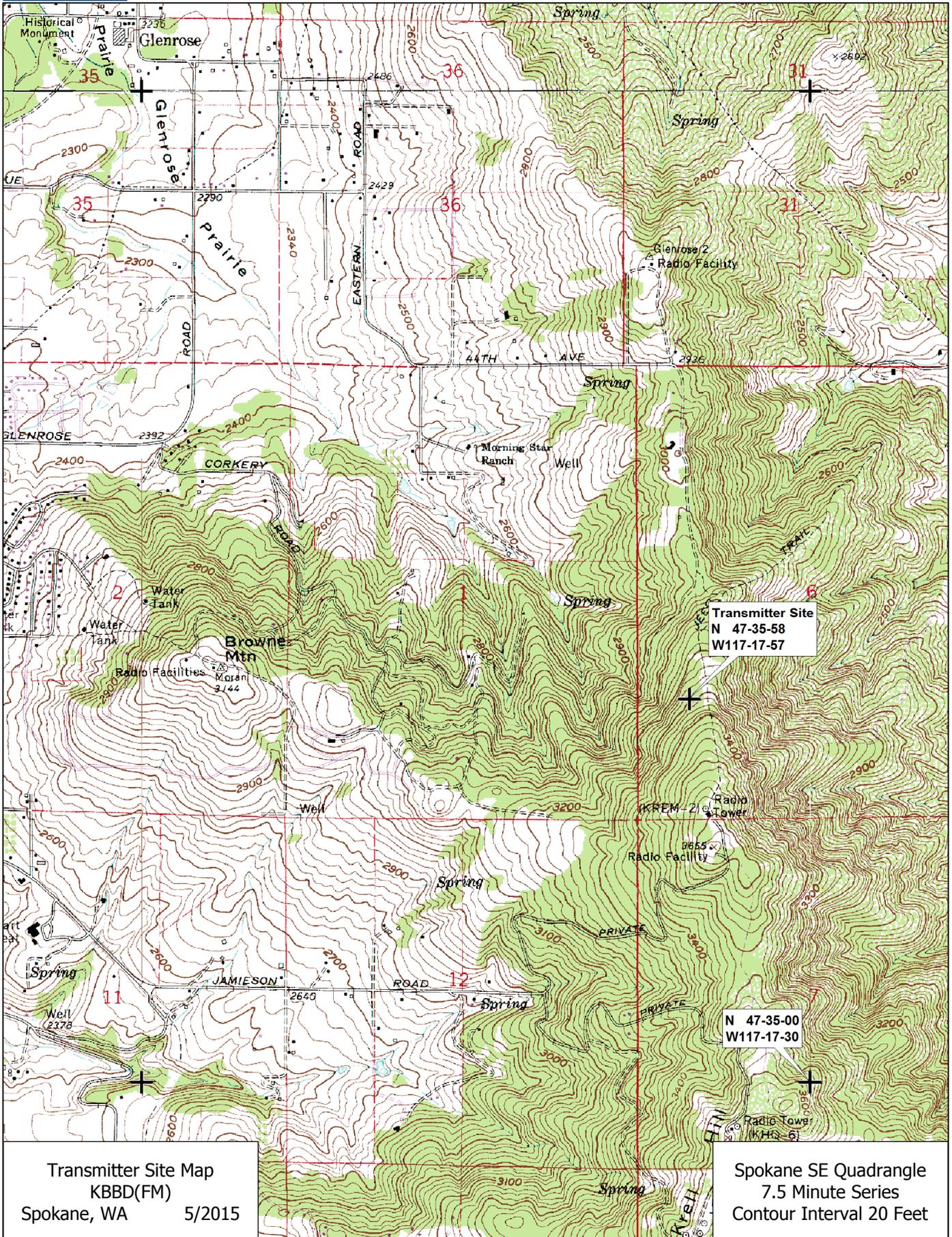
Horizontal ERP: 1.4 kW

Vertical ERP: 1.4 kW

Antenna Height: 96 meters AGL

Maximum Calculated Power Density is 2.4 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$ at 94 meters from the antenna structure.





Transmitter Site Map
 KBBD(FM)
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Spokane SE Quadrangle
 7.5 Minute Series
 Contour Interval 20 Feet

