

**New FM Translator
Kennewick West, Washington Channel 285D
NIER Study
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Facilities Proposed

The proposed operation will be on Channel 285D (104.9 MHz) with a maximum lobe effective radiated power of 11 Watts. The proposed antenna support structure will not exceed 60.96 meters (200 feet) above ground and does not require notification to the Federal Aviation Administration. Therefore, this structure does not require an Antenna Structure Registration Number.

NIER Calculations

Section 1.1307(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules exempts FM translators and boosters operating with an effective radiated power of 100 Watts or less from the requirement to submit an Environmental Assessment to determine compliance with FCC specified guidelines for human exposure to radiofrequency radiation. The applicant proposes operation with a maximum lobe effective radiated power of 11 Watts and therefore no calculations have been submitted. Nonetheless, public access to the site is restricted and all station personnel and contractors are required to follow appropriate safety procedures, including turning off the transmitter if necessary, prior to commencing work on the antenna tower.