

EXHIBIT 1a
REQUEST FOR “WHITE-AREA” WAIVER

I. Introduction.

K219DA hereby requests a “White-area” waiver for its proposed facilities on channel 216. The applicant proposes the use of a Scala HDCA-5V (antenna ID# 16180) antenna, with the major love direction at 270 degrees true, and with a maximum power of 0.2 kW, when the rules would otherwise permit only 0.01 kW.

The purpose of this Exhibit is to outline three items requested by the Commission in support of the waiver request for the new proposed transmitter location:

- a) Map documenting no overlap with existing NCE-FM stations,
- b) Statement regarding availability of alternate sites to serve the proposed coverage area, and
- c) Statement that the site is unique in its ability to provide coverage to the proposed area.

II. Additional Documentation.

a) Map Documenting No Overlap

The attached Supplemental Exhibit 1b demonstrates that the proposed 60 dBu service contour does not overlap with the closest NCE-FM 60 dBu service contour, in this case that of KPRE-FM, in Vail, CO. Exhibit 1b also demonstrates the coverage at the requested 200 watts, and at the maximum allowable 10 watts.

b) Availability of Alternate Sites.

The applicant hereby certifies that all existing electronic sites in the area of the proposed service contour have been investigated, including the one currently used by the applicant. No alternate sites could be found that was available and that would adequately serve the proposed area.

c) Uniqueness of Proposed Site.

The applicant hereby certifies that all existing electronic sites in the area of the proposed service contour have been investigated, including the one currently used by the applicant. No other site could be found that provides the signal coverage without interference to Steamboat Springs, CO and over the entire Steamboat Springs valley.

III. Conclusion.

In summary, the applicant has attempted to demonstrate that the proposed FM translator complies fully with the Commission rules regarding “White-Area” waivers, and that the public interest would be served by granting the waiver and granting the proposed FM translator service.

Exhibit 1b

**Proposed K219DA on
channel 216 at both
200 watts, and 10 watts**

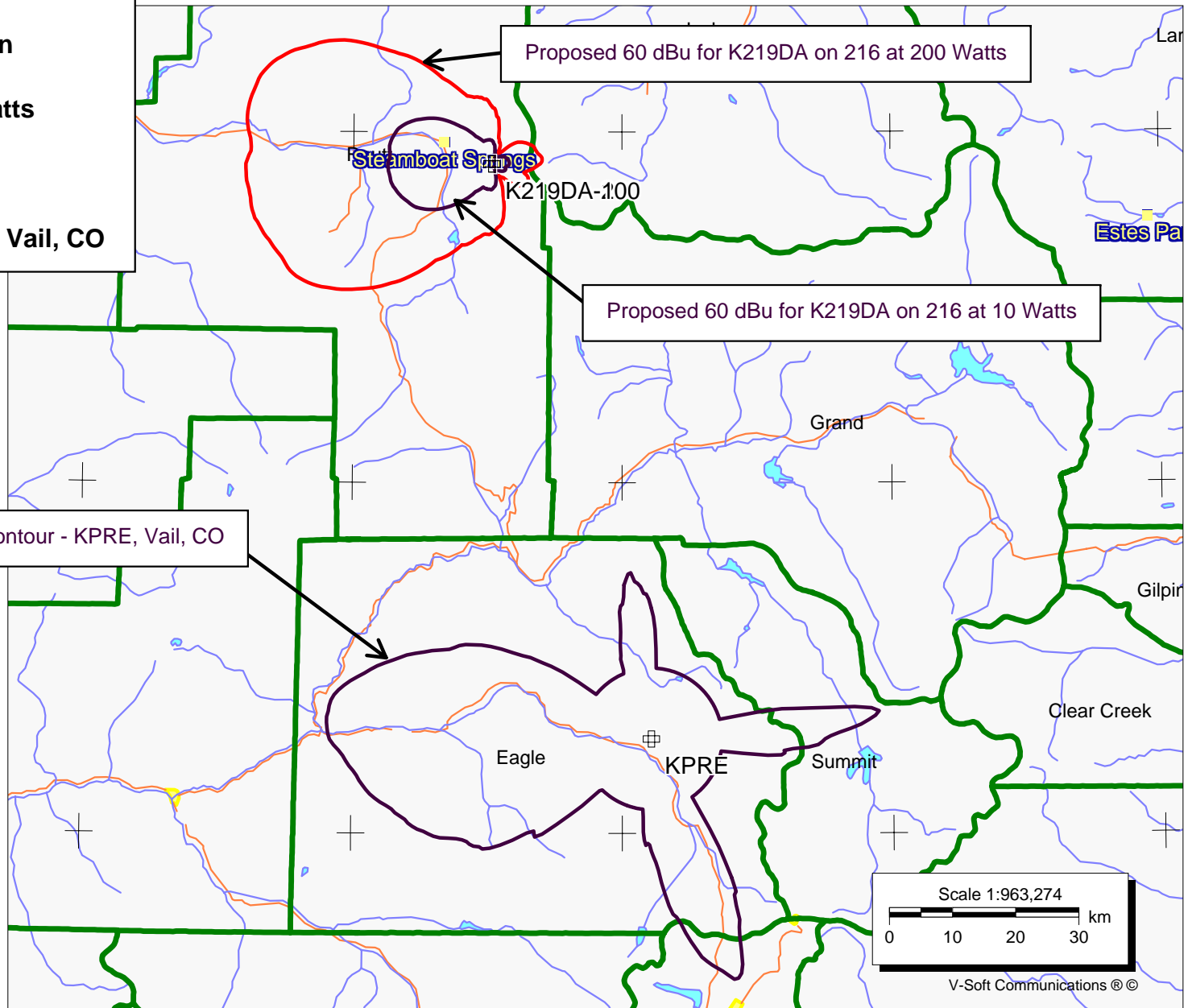
ALSO,

Nearest NCE, KPRE, Vail, CO

Proposed 60 dBu for K219DA on 216 at 200 Watts

Proposed 60 dBu for K219DA on 216 at 10 Watts

Nearest NCE FM 60 dBu contour - KPRE, Vail, CO



Scale 1:963,274

0 10 20 30 km

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