

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT  
KBCR-FM STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, CO  
BLIZZARD BROADCASTING, LLC  
FCC FORM 301  
APRIL 2018

The applicant proposes mounting an existing antenna on a 27.4 meter tower, this site does not have an FCC registration number since it is less the 60 meters in overall height. The proposed Center of Radiation will be 26 meters Above Ground Level. A 2 bay, circular polarized, Nicom model BKG77/2M, antenna is proposed, with 0.85 wavelength spacing between the bays. Calculations were made using FM Model for Windows, version 2.10. The proposed antenna Center of Radiation, above ground, was reduced by 2 meters to allow for the average height of a human on the ground. FM Model predicts a peak exposure of  $155.45 \mu\text{w}/\text{cm}^2$  at a distance of 4 meters from the base of the tower. This represents 77.7 % of the allowable Maximum Permissible Exposure ("MPE") of  $200 \mu\text{w}/\text{cm}^2$  for uncontrolled environments at any point on the ground.

The applicant will ensure that the public access to the tower is restricted by fencing, anti-climb devices or other appropriate measures. The site will be posted with RF warning signs. If climbing of the tower by authorized personnel becomes necessary, transmitter power will be reduced to safe operating levels, or transmission even terminated, as necessary as not to exceed the RF exposure limits to tower workers. The licensee will cooperate with other users at the site with the scheduling of such tower or antenna maintenance.

The National Programmatic Agreement under Section 106 will be complied with in regards to this existing tower. The applicant believes that it is in full compliance with

the Agreement. The applicant also has review the commission rules under CFR 47 section 1.1307 with reference the rules requiring a environmental assessment study. The applicant believes that it is in compliance with these requirements, and no further environmental study will be required.