



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

February 5, 2019

Scripps Broadcasting Holdings LLC.
David Giles
312 Walnut Street
28th Floor
Cincinnati, OH 45202

Re: KMCI-TV
0000067032
Lawrence, KS
Facility ID: 42636

Dear Licensee:

This refers to your request dated January 16, 2019, requesting special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that the purpose of this STA is to commence initial operation on reassignment Ch. 25 with an interim antenna in order to accommodate remaining tower work. You mentioned that the proposed interim operation will provide the requisite community of license coverage.

In light of the above, special temporary authority is **GRANTED** pursuant to Sections 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on **August 5, 2019**.

We wish to point out that an extension of this request must include detailed reasons and a description of efforts being taken to operate the station at full power.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kevin R. Harding". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Kevin R. Harding
Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Kenneth C. Howard, Jr.