



Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

September 16, 2019

**Gray Television Licensee, LLC**  
WTAP-TV  
One Television Plaza  
Parkersburg, WV 26101

In Re: Special Temporary Authority  
For Station WTAP-TV  
Parkersburg, West Virginia  
Application File No. 0000081284  
Fac Id: 4685

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to your September 12, 2019 request seeking special temporary authority (STA) to operate TV station WTAP-TV, Parkersburg, WV, on its pre-auction channel using an interim antenna with reduced parameters while the station's main facility is completed and made operational.

After a thorough review of your technical specifications, we are persuaded that no interference is likely to occur from the proposed operation. We therefore conclude that the public interest would be served by the grant of this request. If problems do arise, we expect them to be solved expeditiously and the Bureau reserves the right to require the termination of the operation.

With respect to radio frequency radiation (RFR), we expect compliance with Section 1.1307(b) of the Commission's Rules to be achieved.

In light of the above, special temporary authority **IS GRANTED** pursuant to Section 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on **March 13, 2020**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kevin R. Harding". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Kevin R. Harding  
Associate Chief  
Video Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Joan Stewart