



## Town of Pahrump

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## **Pahrump, NV – Where is my ABC TV Program?**

For the last 20 some years the Town of Pahrump has provided a TV translator system that allows valley residence to view the five major Las Vegas broadcasters such as ABC, CBS, FOX, NBC and PBS. These services are broadcast from the town's own new 180' self supported tower.

On Wednesday (Aug. 24<sup>th</sup>), the original old analog channel 36 translator for ABC, (KTNV- Las Vegas 13), went off the air forever! It was replaced by a brand new digital translator also on broadcast channel 36. However, because this is now a digital TV channel the transmitted ID will be channel 13.1 plus 13.2 plus 13.3. Yes, on digital channels you get more than one program feed.

You will need either a newer TV that receives analog as well as digital and HD or an inexpensive converter for your older analog TV. On most digital TV sets and converters you need to program the new channels by allowing the units scanner to reprogram all of the new channels such as 13.1, 13.2 and 13.3. Then you can enjoy the new cleaner pictures on KTNV Channel 13 out of Los Vegas as well as all of the locally broadcast digital and analog channels.

What is in store for the future? In the next year the remaining four networks will also be converted to the new digital format providing Pahrump with the same quality TV enjoyed by viewers in Las Vegas.