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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 6-30-49Call letters KJCK
LOCATION: JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS

JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING CO., INC. (BAL 9-29-61 EFF: 10-16-61)

X RALPH L. WEIR, JR., tr/ps JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 9-19-51)

Name of licensee XRALPH L. WEIR, JR. and RICHARD P. WEEZ d/b as JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY (LI. 10-1-51)

W. Ash St. at U.S. Hwy. 77, Junction City, Kans. (CP 8-19-76)

Transmitter location XOn U. S. Highway 77, Approx. 3 miles S. of center of Junction City, Kansas (MP 4-8-49) (Lic. 6-30-49)

West Ash St. at U.S. Hwy. 77, Junction City, Kans (CP 8-19-76)

X West Sixth Street At Garfield, Junction City, Kansas (ERC-7-29-66)

Main studio location XX 724 1/2 North Washington, Junction City, Kansas (MP 4-8-49) (Lic. 6-30-49)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-6913	12-9-48	1570	1kw	Daytime	
	Ltr. 12-14-48. CP for a new station granted subj. filing MP for approval T site and antenna.				
BP-6913 BMP-4474	4-8-49	1570	1kw	Daytime	6-8 12-8-49
	Mod. CP (6913) for approval of antenna and T site change type of T and specify studio site. (COND. CLAUSE)				
EL-3676	6-30-49	1570	1kw	Daytime	6-30 5-1-51
	Lic. to cover CP (6913 as mod) for a new station				
EP-7461	3-28-50	1420	1kw	Daytime	3-28 11-28-50
	CP to change frequency.				
EL-4035	5-17-50	1420	1kw	Day	5-17 11-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (7461) to change frequency.				
BR-2291	10-18-50	1420	1kw	Day	11-1 11-1-53
BAL-1234 aff.	9-19-51 10-1-51	Vol. Assignment of license to RALPH L. SMITH, JR., tr/as		JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY	
BR-2291	10-21-53	1420	1kw	Daytime	11-1-53 6-1-56
BEC-456 (1)	7-22-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 724 1/2 North Washington Street, Junction City, Kansas			
BR-2291	5-3-56	1420	1kw	Day	6-1-56 6-1-59
BP-11929	4-18-58	1420kc	1kw	Day	6-18 12-18-58
	Construction Permit to install new transmitter.				
BP-12675	1-9-59	1420kc	1kw	Day	3-9 9-9-59
	CP to replace expired CP (BP-11,929) which authorized installation of a new transmitter.				
	5-27-59	Construction deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-2291	7-29-59	Renewal of license		7-29-	6-1-62

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Station location _____

Name of licensee _____

Transmitter location _____

Main studio location _____

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BL-7511	8-14-68	lic. to cover CP (78-17,478) which with the authorization of NABU Supervisor.			
BZ-4303	7-19-60	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna tower.			
BAL-4341	9-29-61	Voluntary assignment of license to Junction City Broadcasting Co., Inc.			
EFT: 10-16-61	10-16-61				
	5-29-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-2291	6-19-62	1420kc	1kw	Day	6-19 6-1-65
BR-2291	5-6-65	Renewal of license			6-1 6-1-68
BRC-2931 (1)	7-29-66	Not. of lic. to chg. studio location & Remote Control Point to West 16th Street at Warfield, Junction City, Kansas			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BR-2291 (I)	5-28-68	Renewal of License			6-1-71
BR-2291 (S)	5-27-71	RENEWAL			6-1-74
EBSA	5-22-72				
BR-2291	5-31-74	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-77
CP-20491	8-19-76	CP chg. TL, SL, delete RC 1420kc 1kw Day			8-19-77
BL-14,264 (L)	2-3-77	Lic. to cover CP-20,491 for changes			6-1-77
BR-2291 (S)	5-10-77	RENEWAL			6-1-80
BZ-781101AC (L)	12-4-78	Direct Measurement			6-1-80
BR800128VF (S)	5-22-80	RENEWAL			6-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters X J C X
NewName RALPH L. WEIR, JR. and RICHARD P. MEEK, d/b as JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY
~~(PO c/o Ralph L. Weir, Jr., 945 - 16th Street, Olathe, Mo.)~~
724 1/2 N. Washington St., Junction City, Kansas (Ltr. 1-27-49)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6913	8-26-48	Construction Permit for a new standard broad-	GRANTED	12-9-48
Rec'd	8-30-48	cast station to be operated on:	subj. filing MP for	
Filed	8-30-48	Frequency: 1570kc	approval T site and	
		Power: 1kw	antenna.	
		Hours of operation: Daytime only	Ltr. 12-14-48	
		Trans. location: To be determined-		
		Junction City, Kansas		
		Studio location: To be determined-		
		Junction City, Kansas		
		(Earl W. Chamberlin, Engr.;	Issued with MP 4474	
		Commercial Radio Equipment Co.)		

Transmitter - Gates NC-1E

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Letters KJCKName RALPH L. VEIR, JR. and RICHARD P. KECK, d/b as JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EP-4474 Rec'd Filed	2-19-49 2-21-49 2-21-49	Mod. of C.P. (EP-5913, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna and transmitter location at approximately 3 miles south of center of Junction City on U.S. Highway 77, Junction City, Kansas, specify studio location as 724 1/2 North Washington St., Junction City, Kansas and change type of transmitter (Collins 20-C-2, Mod.).	GRANTED submitting measurements to prove I meet requirements of Good Eng. Practice	4-8-49 subj. I meet requirements of Good Eng. Sec. 12
EL-3576 Rec'd Filed	5-7-49 5-9-49 5-9-49	License to cover C. P. (EP-5913, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	6-30-49
EP-7461 Rec'd Resubmitted & Rec'd Filed	12-3-49 12-5-49 12-19-49 12-19-49	Construction permit to change frequency from 1570kc to 1420kc. Commercial Radio, Engre. (Contingent on KWES relinquishing 1420kc)	Returned before date of application GRANTED	12-18-49 3-28-50

K.J.G.R. - HISTORY OF DENIAL OF INTERNAL AFFILIATIONS

Tele. 9-1-49 denying request to opr. 6:30 am to 6:30 pm
Oct. through Feb. since 1570 kc is exclusive
clear channel - U.S. opr. limited to daytime
by treaty agreement.

Ltr. 10-10-50 To operate additional time 11-4-50 to trans-
mit Univ. of Oregon football game.

Ltr. 10-23-52 Operate night of 11-4-52 election denied
Wire 11-5-56 Request to operate Election night 11-4-56
for returns.

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(AL 9-19-51, Eff. 10-1-51) Call

RALPH L. WEIR, JR., tr/as JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY/ Letters L.I.C.K.Name RALPH L. WEIR, JR. and RICHARD P. NECK JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4035 Rec'd Filed	4-20-50 4-24-50 4-24-50	License to cover construction permit (NP-7461) which authorized a change in frequency. Robert F. Volfskill, Engr. (Commercial Radio Equip. Co.)	GRANTED	5-17-50
BR-2291 Rec'd	8-26-50 8-30-50	Renewal of license	GRANTED	10-18-50
BAL-1234 Rec'd Filed	8-4-51 8-6-51 8-6-51	Voluntary assignment of license from Ralph L. Weir, Jr., and Richard P. Neck, d/b as Junction City Broadcasting Company to Ralph L. Weir, Jr., tr/as Junction City Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED Eff.	9-19-51 10-1-51
BR-2291 Rec'd Filed	9-1-53 9-3-53 9-3-53	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-21-53

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RALPH L. WEIR, JR., tr/nc JUNCTION CITY

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Letters KJCHName BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- 9012 Rec'd Filed	9-11-53 9-15-53 9-15-53	Construction permit to change frequency from 1430ks to 630ks, decrease power from 1 kw to 500w, change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, install directional antenna day and night (DA-2) and change transmitter location from On U.S. Hwy. 77, Approx. 3 mis. S. of center of Junction City, Kansas to On U.S. #77 at Republican River, 3.0 miles N.W. of Junction City, Kansas and change studio location from 724 1/2 North Washington St., Junction City, Kansas to On U.S. #77 at Republican River, 3.0 miles N.W. of Junction City, Kansas. William B. Kearney, Atty. (Harry J. Daly) John B. Heffelfinger, Engr.	AMENDED request of atty.	4-14-55
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	6-12-54 6-14-54 6-14-54	AMENDED to make changes in the nighttime directional antenna system.		

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Junction City, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRO-456 Rec'd Filed	7-15-54 7-16-54 7-16-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 724 1/2 North Washington Street, Junction City, Kansas.	GRANTED	7-23-54
BR-2291 Rec'd Filed	3-5-56 3-8-56 3-8-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-3-56
BP-11,929 Rec'd Filed	1-5-58 4-7-58 4-7-58	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T)/	GRANTED	4-18-58
BP-12,675 Rec'd Filed	12-19-58 12-22-58 12-22-58	Construction permit to replace expired c.p. (BP-11,929) which authorized installation of a new transmitter (GATES BC-1T).	GRANTED	1-9-59
BR-2291 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	3-2-59 3-6-59 3-27-59 3-30-59 3-30-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED GRANTED GRANTED	3-26-59 3-26-59 7-29-59

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Letters KJCKName RALPH L. WKIR, JR., tr/as JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EL-7511 R & F	5-9-59 5-11-59	License to cover C.P. (EP-12,675) which authorized the installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED	5-14-59
BZ-4303 R & F	6-17-60 6-20-60	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	7-19-60
BAL-4341 Rec'd Filed	9-23-61 9-26-61 9-26-61	Voluntary assignment of license to Junction City Broadcasting Co., Inc. Grover Cooper, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-29-61 10-16-61
BR-2291 Rec'd/Filed	2-26-62 2-28-62	Renewal of License	GRANTED	6-19-62
BR-2291 R & F	3/4/65 3/8/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-6-65

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Junction City, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-2931 Rec'd Filed	7-21-66 7-25-66 7-25-66	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to West Sixth Street at Garfield, Junction City, Kansas. Atty.: Grover C. Cooper	GRANTED	7-29-66
BR-2291 R & F MAR 22 1968	2-14-68 2-15-68	Renewal of License AMENDED 4-17-68 re: programming	GRANTED	5-28-68
BR-2291 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 22 1971	2-26-71 3-2-71 3-2-71	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-27-71
BR-2291 R & F P.N. PRESS 15 MAR 1974	2-22-74 3-4-74 3-4-74 15 MAR 1974	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-13-74 re: ascertainment of community needs; composition of area	GRANTED	5-31-74

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JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-20,491 Rec'd Filed \$100-555227 AC:001 PRESS: JUL 1 1976	4-1-76 4-13-76 4-13-76 4-13-76	Construction permit to chg. ant/trans. and SL location to West Ash St. at U.S. Hwy 77, Junction City, Kansas N. Lat. 39° 00' 45" W Long. 96° 51' 47" Atty: Robert Gehman, Jr. Engr: Ed. Lorents & Assoc.	GRANTED	8-19-76
BL-14,864 R & F \$100 PTA PRESS DEC 3 1976	12-5-76 12-9-76 12-17-76	Lic. to cover BP-20,491 for changes DELETE Remote Control	GRANTED	2-3-77
BR-2291 R & F PN Recd. PRESS B2-11-1-77	1-24-77 1-26-77 FEB 28 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-25-77 re: programming	GRANTED	5-10-77

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Name JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Junction City, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-781101AC R & F DM PRESS	11-1-78 11-2-78 NOV 28 1978	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	12-4-78

Name: JUNCTION CITY BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Station Location: JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR 800128 VF PRESS MAR 21 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-27-80 re: programming	GRANTED 5-22-80

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3” by 5” filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

