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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-6-67

Call letters KLEX

Station location Wellington, Kansas

Name of licensee EDWIN D. HUNDLEY AND ZORA B. HUNDLEY d/b as SUMNER BROADCASTING COMPANY

KLEY Drive, 0.65 mi. S. of City limits of Wellington, Kansas (BS 6-19-72 Transmitter location On Hwy, 81, 0.65 mi. S. of city limits of Wellington, Eansas (BP 6-7-66)

Main studio location Same as transmitter (BP 6-7-66) KLEY Drive, 0.65 mi. S. of City limits of Wellington, Kansas (BS 6-19-72)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From- To-
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BP-16812	6-7-66	1130kc	250w DA.	D Day	8-7 2-7-67
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BP-16812	8-17-66	Mod. of	CP(BP-	6812) to	assign Call
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BL-11,515	2-6-67	1130kc	250w-DA	D Day	2-6 6-1-68
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BR-4591 (\$) 5-28-68	RENE	WAL		6-1-71
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WIRE	1-7-74	PSA	250w (p	otected s	tation KWKH)
BR-4591	9-20-74	(LONG)	RENEWAL	OF LIC.	6-1-77
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM BC-121 Aug. 1955

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Name Edwin D. Hundley and Zora B. Hundley, Joint-Temants d/b as Sumner Broadcasting Company Wellington, Kansas (1512 N. 11th St., Nebraska City, Neb.68410)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Nature	Date
BP-16,812 R. & F.	6-28-65 6-30-65	CP for a new standard b/c station to be operated on: Fre wency: 1130kc Power: 250w DA-D Hours of operation: Daytime Type transmitter: Gates BC 250GY Trans. location: On Hwy 81, 0.65 mi. South of City Limits Wellington, Studio location: Same as transmitter Atty: Robert M. Booth	re-sunrise	6-7-66 Phase Mon., equip., DA & of. operation
WITH BP-	6719.	Engr: Ralph J. Bitzer ion indicates this proposal is MUTUAILY EXCLUS		
AMENDMENT R&F	1-11-66	AMENDED to change applicant's name to Edwin Hundley and Zora B. Hundley, d/b as Sumner Broadcasting Company.		
		F. G. C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM BC-121 #2 Aug. 1955

Call Letters KLEY

Name EDWIN D. HUNDLEY AND ZORA B. HUNGLEY, A/b as SUMNER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Wellington, Kan			Ag	Action	
File No.	Dated	Application for	Mature	Date	
BL_11,515 R & F	11/4/66 11/27/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-16,812) which auth. a new standard b/c station. Atty: J. F. Hennessey Engr: R. J. Bitzer, St. Louis, Mo.	GRANTEE	2-6-67	
BR-4591 R & F MAR 2 2 196	2-15-68 3-4-68	Renewal of License Atty: John N. Papajohn AMENDED 3-28-68 re: Programming	GRANTED	5-28-68	
		AMENDED 4-1-68 re: Engineering AMENDED 5-6-68 re: foreign language programm	ing		
BR-4591 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 1 9 197	2-8-71 3-3-71 3-3-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 3-18-71 re: survey of area needs	GRANTED	6-15-71	
R-4591 R & F RESS	2-19-74 3-4-74 1 9 MAR 1974	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-23-74 re: ascert. of comm. needs; Atty: Booth & Freret programming AMENDED 6-4-74 re: EEO	GRANTED	9-20-74	

BR-4591 called atty. 3-15-74 re: Section VI

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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EDWIN D. HUNDLEY and ZORA B. HUNDLEY

Name d/b as SUMNER BROADCASTING COMPANY

WELLINGTON, KANSAS

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	l Date
BR-4591	1-21-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE		
R& F PN Recd. PRESS	1-24-77 MAR 1 0 197	AMENDED 5-13-77 re: programming & commercial matter		7-21-77 th BZ-9466
BZ-9466 R &F	3-7-77 3-11-77	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	2 30 77
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BR 800125 UA PRESS MAR	1 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE L.A.Roberts, Atty. AMENDED 4-28-80 re: programming	GRANTED	5-22-80
BZ-8-1	8-20 A	F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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 h andwritten 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.

