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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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K O Y L (1-18-57)

Date first licensed ...12-11-57.....

Call letters X K P B X

LOCATION: Odessa, Texas

STREAM BROADCASTING OF TEXAS, INC. (AL: 4-30-79 EFF:  
\*MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION, (AL 12-24-59; EFF: 1-31-60)

Name of licensee X EDWARD L. ROSKELLEY & LOWELL J. ROSKELLEY, d/b as MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CO

4000 Rasco Street, Odessa, Texas (BZ-9-12-63)

Transmitter location xx Rasco Ave. & 39th St., Odessa, Texas (CP 9-19-56) (BL-12-11-57)

42nd. & Grandview St., Odessa, Texas (Ltr. recd. 11-27-79)

\*Same as transmitter

79760  
Main studio location xx Rasco Ave. & 39th St., Odessa, Texas (CP 9-19-56) (BL-12-11-57)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BP-10450	9-19-56	1310kc	500w	Day	11-19	5-19-57
CP for new standard broadcast station.						
BMP-7611 (1)	4-17-57	Mod. of CP(10450) for extension of completion date to 8-27-57.				
BL-6786 & BZ-3944	12-11-57	1310kc	500w	Day	12-11	8-1-59
License to cover CP(BP-10,450) as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station.						
BR-3539	7-22-59	Renewal of License			8-1	8-1-62
BAL-3709 EFF:	12-24-59 1-31-60	Voluntary assignment of license to Mid-Cities Broadcasting Corporation				
BP-12738	9-14-60	1310kc	1kw	Day	11-14	5-14-61
CP to increase power to 1kw and install a new transmitter (COLLINS 20V). (Cond'1)						
BL-8427	8-3-61	Lic. to cover CP(BP-12,738) which auth. the installation of a new transmitter.				
		1310kc	1kw	Day	8-3	8-1-62
	7-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.				
BR-3539	1-31-63	Renewal of license			1-31	8-1-65
BZ-5044	9-12-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.				
BR-3539	7-16-65	1310kc	1kw	Day	8-1	8-1-68
BZ-5934 (1)	5-6-66	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.				
BZ-6124 (2)	9-16-66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.				
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w	-----		
BR-3539(L)	8-22-68	Renewal of License				8-1-71
BR-3539(S)	8-24-71	Renewal				8-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72					
BR-3539(S)	8-22-74	RENEWAL				8-1-77
BR-3539(L)	7-14-77	RENEWAL				8-1-80
BAL790228HK	4-30-79	VOL.	AL	EFF:		
CONF	11-13-79	Delete marking.				
Ltr.	11-27-79	SL: 42nd & Grandview St.				Odessa, Tx.

# BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

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Station Location .....

SEE CARD # 1

Name .....

Transmitter Location .....

Main studio location .....

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BR800328UF(L)	7-31-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	8-1-83

FORM BC-121

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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EDWARD L. ROSKELLEY &amp; LOWELL J. ROSKELLEY, db/as

Letters ~~NEW~~ X X P. B. X ..... 57)

Name MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CO.

\* (P.O. - 1801 Del Rancho Drive, Irving, Texas - c/o Edward L. Roskelley)

(P.O. - 1602 Doran Drive, Odessa, Texas (Letter 1-19-57))

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-10,450 Rec'd Filed	3-15-56 3-19-56 3-19-56	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1310kc Power - 500w Hours of operation - Daytime Transmitter location - Rasco Ave. & 39th St. Odessa, Texas Studio location - Same as transmitter  Engr. - Guy C. Hutcheson Arlington, Tex.	GRANTED	9-19-56
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	8-23-56 8-27-56 8-27-56	AMENDED to make changes in antenna system (decrease height) and changes in ground system.		
BMP-7611 Rec'd Filed	4-1-57 4-2-57 4-2-57	Modification of construction permit (BP-10,450, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 5-19-57 <u>to</u> 8-27-57.	GRANTED	4-17-57

Gates BC 500-GY

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Letters K O Y LName EDWARD L. ROSKELLEY & LOWELL J. ROSKELLEY  
D/B AS MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-7823 Rec'd Filed	8-22-57	Modification of Construction permit (BP-10,450 as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-27-57 to 9-22-57.	DISMISSED Unnecessary. Forms 302 on file.	9-12-57
	8-23-57			
	8-23-57			
BL-6786 Rec'd Filed	8-15-57	License to cover Construction permit BP-10,450 as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	12-11-57
	8-22-57			
	8-22-57			
BZ-3944 Rec'd Filed	11-13-57	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  Guy C. Hutcheson, Engr.	GRANTED	12-11-57
	11-19-57			
	11-19-57			



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955

EDWARD L. ROSKELLEY &amp; LOWELL J. ROSKELLEY

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Letters K O Y LName d/b as MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-12,738 Rec'd Filed	12-31-58 1-2-59 1-2-59	Construction permit to increase power from 500w <u>to</u> 1kw and install new trans. ( <del>GATES DO-11</del> ) Engr. - Guy C. Hutcheson, Arlington, Texas	GRANTED Cond'l prog. tests are auth. permittee shall submit sufficient field, etc.	9-14-60 re: before
SEE BELOW FOR AMENDMENT				
BR-3539 Rec'd & Filed	6-25-59 6-26-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-22-59
BAL-3709 Rec'd Filed	11-23-59 11-24-59 11-24-59	Voluntary assignment of license to Mid-Cities Broadcasting Corporation.	GRANTED EFF:	12-24-59 1-31-60
BP-12,738 (cont'd) AMENDMENT R & F	8-17-60 8-18-60	AMENDED to change applicant name to MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION as auth by BAL-3709 gr 12-24-59; change type trans (COLLINS 20V)	GRANTED	9-14-60
BL-8427 R. & F.	3-31-61 4-3-61	License to cover C.P. (BP-12,738) which auth. increase power and the installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED	8-3-61

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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION  
ODESSA, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3539 Rec'd Filed	4-20-62 4-24-62 4-24-62	Renewal of license	<del>GRANTED</del> GRANTED	<del>1-31-63</del> 1-31-63
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BZ-5044 R. & F.	7-30-63 8-12-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	9-12-63
BR-3539 R & F	5/26/65 6/4/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-16-65
BZ-5934 R & F	3/22/66 3/24/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.	GRANTED	5-6-66
BZ-6124 R & F	7/26/66 8/12/66	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.	GRANTED	9-16-66

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters .....Name MID-CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION  
Odessa, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3539 R & F #425684 \$25 Press MAY 27 1968	4-30-68 5-1-68	Renewal of license AMENDED 7-29-68 re: programming AMENDED 8-9-68 re: Programming	GRANTED	8-22-68
BR-3539 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUN 15 1971	4-28-71 5-3-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	8-24-71
BR-3539 R & F PN PRESS MAY 3 1974	4-25-74 4-29-74 4-29-74	Renewal of License AMENDED 6-14-74 re: ascrt. of comm. needs & interests AMENDED 6-21-74 re: engineering data	GRANTED	8-22-74
BR-3539 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 7 1977	3-31-77 4-1-77 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-14-77

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STREAM BROADCASTING OF TEXAS, INC.  
xMID-CITIES BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name       Odessa, Texas      

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL 790228HK PRESS Form 314 Also see KOYL-FM PN FILED	MAR 12 1979 4-2-79	Vol AL to Stream Broadcasting of Texas, Inc.  Atty - Leo I. George (for assignee) Atty for assignor - Smith & Pepper  (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	4-30-79
BR800328U PRESS	APR 24 1980	Renewal of License AMENDED 7-11-80 re: ascert. of comm. needs & problems AMENDED 10-6-80 re: programming	GRANTED	7-31-80

RE: BAL/HK: AMENDED 4-19-79 <sup>to reflect</sup> re pending renewal; & re pro

## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

