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June 1954 #4587

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 1-16-67

Call letters KPMO 4-23-79
XKMFH

Station location Mendocino, Calif.

Name of licensee STEPHEN M. RYAN (APL gr 9/17/76 EFF: 11/1/76)
MATHEW V. HUBER AND MARIA J. HUBER, JOINT TENANTS

Transmitter location 2 mi. S. of Graveyard Rd., 2.2 mi. from State Hwy. #1, Mendocino, Calif.

Main studio location Same as trans. BL 1-16-67
To be determined, Mendocino, California (BP 2-4-66)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From: To:
BP-16676	2-4-66 CP for a	1520kc	1kw	Day	4-4 10-4-66 new standard broadcast station(Cond'1)
BP-16676 (1)	5-10-66	Mod. of CP(BP-16676) to assign Call Letters.			
BMP-11,875 (2)	9-27-66	Mod. of CP(BP-16,676) for ext. of completion date to			4-4-67
BL-11,516 cond1	1-16-67	1520kc	1kw	Day	1-16 12-1-68 Lic to cover CP(BP-16,676 as mod)which auth a new standard broadcast station specify type trans GATES BC-1G specify studio loc. same as trans (Delete RC)
BZ-6489 (1)	7-31-67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w (KOMA Protected station)		
BP-17856	5-13-68 CP to chg. freq.	1300kc	1kw	Day	1-13-69 to 1300kc. (Cond'1).
BL-12,103 (2)	10-2-68	Lic. (BP-17,856) Freq. 1300kc			
PSA	9-4-68	500w			
BR-4587(L)	11-26-68	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-71
BR-4587(L)	11-26-68	This authorization supersedes authorization as of the same date. (Antenna current & resistance)			
BR-4587(S)	11-26-71	RENEWAL			12-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-4587(S)	12-13-74	RENEWAL			12-1-77
BZ-8752(1)	2-24-75	Direct Measurement			
BP-19,806	12-4-75 CP to inc. daytime power, chg. type trans.	1300khz.	5kw	Daytime	12-4-76
BAPL-481	9/17/76	Vol APL EFF:11/1/76			
BL-14,183(L)	3-25-76	Lic. to cover BP-19806 for changes 1300khz, 5kw Daytime			12-1-77
Comtel	10-6-76	Aux: Gates BC-1G			

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Station location

Name of licensee SEE CARD ONE

Transmitter location SEE CARD ONE

Main studio location SEE CARD ONE

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BR-4587(L)	11-16-77	RENEWAL	(MAIN &	AUX.)	12-1-80
EBSA	4-23-79	chg. call			
BR800729UN(S)	11-17-80	RENEWAL	OF LICENSE		12-1-83

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters RMW..K.M.F.B.....Name Mathew V. Huber and Maria J. Huber, Joint Tenants
Mendocino, California (P.O.-c/o Mathew V. Huber, Box 988, Ft. Bragg, Calif.) 95437

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-16,676 R. & F.	3-24-65 4-2-65	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1520kc Power: 1kw Hours of operation: Daytime Type transmitter: Bauer 707 Trans. location: .2 mi. S of Graveyard ^{Rd.} 2.2 mi. from State Hwy #1 ^{nr} , Mendocino, California Studio location: To be determined, Mendocino, California Remote control point: To be determined, Mendocino, California Atty: Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth & Lester W. Spillane Engr: A. E. Towne Assoc., Inc.	GRANTED Cond'l re: Pre-sunrise operation.	2-4-66

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Letters K.M.F.B.Name MATHEW V. HUBER AND MARIA J. HUBER, JOINT TENANTS
MENDOCINO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-11,875 R & F	8-25-66 8-29-66	Modification of CP(BP-16,676 which authorized a new AM b/c Station) for extension of completion date from 10-4-66 to 4-4-67. <i>1520kc</i> Atty - Lester W. Spillane	GRANTED to	9-27-66 4-4-67
BL-11,516 R & F	11/1/66 11/4/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-16,676 as mod.) which auth. a new standard broadcast station, specify type trans. GATES BC-1G, specify studio loc. same as trans. (delete RC). Atty: L.W. Spillane, San Fran., Calif.	GRANTED Cond	1-16-67 re presunrise
BZ-6489 R & F DM-6/16/67	6/7/67 6/8/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. Atty: L. W. Spillane, San Fran., Calif.	GRANTED	7-31-67
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BP-17,856 Rec'd Filed	8-2-67 8-9-67 8-9-67	CP to change frequency from 1520kc to 1300kc. atty-Lester W. Spillane, San Francisco, Calif. enfr-A. E. Towne, San Carls., Calif.	GRANTED Cond'l operation.	5-13-68 re: pre-sunrise

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CONTACT: A. E. TOWNE, ASSOCIATES
PHONE: NOT LISTED
ADDRESS: 420 TAYLOR STREET
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

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Letters K M F BName MATHEW V. HUBER AND MARIA J. HUBER, JOINT TENANTS
Mendocino, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-12,103 R & F #453474 \$30 PT	8/19/68 8/22/68 8/22/68 8/30/68	License (BP-17,856) Chng. freq. Atty: Lester, Spillane, San Francisco, Calif. Engr: Alfred E. Towne	GRANTED	10-2-68
BR-4587 R & F #455193 \$75 SEP 30 1968	8-21-68 8-29-68 8-29-68	Renewal of License Atty - Lester W. Spillane	GRANTED	11-26-68
BR-4587 R & F PN Recd. PRESS AUG 26 1971	8-17-71 8-19-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-26-71
BR-4587 R & F PN PRESS JUL 29 1974	7-16-74 7-22-74 7-22-74	Renewal of License Atty: Lester Spillane (San Fran., Calif.) AMENDED 11-15-74 re: employ. policy AMENDED 11-26-74 re: equal employ. prog.	GRANTED	12-13-74

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1300khz

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MENDOCINO, CALIFORNIA (c/o P. O. Box 988, Ft. Bragg, Calif. 95437)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-19,806 Rec'd. Filed: \$200 352917 AC 017 PN Filed: PRESS: <i>SEP 13 1975</i>	9-30-74 10-7-74 10-7-74	Construction permit to increase power to 5kw, and ch. trans, to RCA-BTA-5H on 1300khz, Daytime only. Atty: Lester W. Spillane, San Francisco Amended 5-19-75 re: revised & new eng. data.	GRANTED Gr. fee req. \$2,700.00 1-12-76 #519124	12-4-75
BZ-8752 R & F DM PRESS FEB 13 1975	11-15-74 11-25-74 12-9-74 1975	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	2-24-75
BL-14,183 R & F \$100#585101 PTA PRESS <i>JUL 8 1976</i>	6-15-76 6-25-76 6-28-76 6-30-76 1976	Lic. to cover BP-19,806 for changes Transmitter: SPARTA 705C Atty: Robert J. Rawson, (Farrand, Mlti, etc)	GRANTED	8-25-76

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Letters **X K M F B**

STEPHEN M. RYAN

Name ~~xx~~ Mathew V. Huber and Maria J. Huber, Joint Tenants
Mendocino, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAPL -481 R & F FEE PD: \$400 #596005 CODE 047 (INCLUDES FM) 12 AUG 1976 PN filed 8/17/76	7-9-76 7-21-76	Voluntary assignment of license and CP(BP-19806 which auth an incr. in power; new trans) to STEPHEN M. RYAN Atty - Lester W. Spillane, San Francisco, Cal.	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	9/17/76 11/1/76 pd 11/12/76 W 635604
BR-4587 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-26-77 7-29-77 " AUG 8 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.)	GRANTED	11-16-77
BR800729UN PRESS SEP 3 1980	1980	Renewal of License Atty.: Lester W. Spillane	GRANTED	11-17-80

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.

