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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K Q I N (EFF: 9-24-70)

Date first licensed 1-29-71

Call letters X K J W B

THOMAS W. READ (AL gr 2/11/77 EFF: 3/1/77)
x SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC.

Station location Burien, Washington

x KETO-FM Associates, (A Limited Partnership - Active Broadcasters, Inc. General Partner),
x and Suburban Broadcasters, Inc., dba KETO Company (AL 2-11-78 not consu)
x SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC. (AL 5-31-72; EFF: 7-12-72)

Name of licensee X JOHN W. MOWBRAY tr/as SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS

Transmitter location • 35 miles S.E. of center of Vashon, Washington (BP 5-8-68)

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148B S.W. 153rd (Let. 9-17-70)

Main studio location X To be determined, Burien, Washington (BP 5-8-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BP-15077	5-8-68	800kc	500w-DA	Day	1-8-69
	CP for a	new standard broadcast station (Cond'l			
BP-15077(1)	12-30-68	Call letters assigned.			
MP-12597(2)	1-13-69	MP(BP-15,077)	ext. time		6-8-69
MP-12718(3)	5-21-69	MP(BP-15,077)	ext. time		12-8-69
MP-12854(4)	1-13-70	MP(BP-15,077)	ext. time		5-8-70
MP-12966(5)	5-12-70	MP(BP-15,077)	ext. time		11-8-70
BP-15,077(6)	9-24-70	Call letters changed to K Q I N			
ELEGRAM	12-8-70	PSA	500w		
SL-12,792(4)	1-29-71	Lic.(BP-15,077, as mod.) for new Standard Broadcast Station. 2-1-72			
BR-4838(S)	1-31-72	Renewal of License			2-1-75
BAL-7544	5-31-72	Vol AL	EFF: 7-12-72		
EBSA	6-12-72				
BRC-3610(L)	2-6-73	ML to operate trans. by RC from SL.			
BRC-3610(L)	2-6-73	Superseded to correct Base Current Ratios			2-1-75
BR-4838(S)	6-12-75	RENEWAL			2-1-78
BR-4838(L)	9-2-75	ML to make changes in 6 monitor point			
		2-1-78			
BAL-8540	2/4/76	Vol AL EFF: not consummated ltr 3/18/76			
BAL-8841	2/11/77	Vol AL EFF: 3/1/77			
COMTEL	2-21-78	Obstruction markings in accordance Par. 1,3,11 & 21.			
BR-4838(L)	1-29-79	Renewal of License			2-1-81

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters new **K J W E**

Name: JOHN W. MOWBRAY tr/as
SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS
BURIEN, WASHINGTON (P.O. 890 Rosemont Blvd., Bellevue, Washington) 98004

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,077	8-30-61	Construction Permit for a new standard	GRANTED	5-8-68
Rec'd	8-31-61	broadcast station to be operated on:	Cond'l re: Permittee	
Filed	8-31-61	Frequency - 800kc	shall assume responsibi-	
		Power - 4kw-DA-D 500w	lity for the elimination	
		Hours of operation - Daytime	of interf. due to exter-	
		Type transmitter - RCA-BTA-1MX	nal cross-modulation.	
		Trans. location - .6-miles-S.-W.-of		
		Vashon, Washington		
		Studio location - To be determined		
		Burien, Washington		
		Eng.- J. B. Hatfield, Seattle, Wash.		
Amended				
R&F	9-4-63	Amended to request waiver of Sec. 1.351 of		
		the Rules re 770kc, 820kc, and 830kc		
		Scheiner & Greeley		
		ATTY: Wilner & Bergson (John R. Wilner)		
AMENDMENT	3-23-64	AMENDED to make change in antenna system (add top loading)		
R&F	3-26-64			
Amend	11-12-64	Amended to make chgs in DA system & ground system.		
R & F.	11-18-64			

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FORM BC-121 #2
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~KTW~~ **KJWB**

Name JOHN W. MOWBRAY tr/as SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS
BURIEN, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,077 Amendment R&F	1-3-66	AMENDED to change ant-trans location to .35	GRANTED	5-8-68
	1-5-66	mile southeast of Center of Vashon, Wash.		
AMENDED	5-2-67	AMENDED to dec. power to 500w; make changes		
R & F	5-8-67	in DA system(array) & changes in ground system.		

OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 8-22-67 by John Wilner on behalf of applicant.				

REPLY TO OPPOSITIONS TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 9-12-67 by Ward for KXA, Inc.				

F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name John W. Mowbray tr/as Suburban Broadcasters
Burien, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-12,597 R. & F. #475468 \$30 JAN 7 1969	11-30-68 12-4-68 12-4-68	MP(BP-15,077) for extension of completion date to 6-8-69 (new). atty-Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED to	1-13-69 6-8-69
BMP-12,718 R. & F. #512859 \$30	5-5-69 5-7-69 5-7-69	MP(BP-15,077, as mod) for extension of completion date to 12-8-69 (new). atty-Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED to	5-21-69 12-8-69
BMP-12,854 R&F \$30 #555695 DEC 31 1969	11-7-69 11-10-69 11-10-69	MP (BP-15,077, as mod for new stn) for ext. of completion date to 5-8-70. John Wilner, Atty.	GRANTED to	1-13-70 5-8-70
BMP-12,966 R & F \$30-592051 APR 20 1970 158-10-27-70	4-1-70 4-8-70 4-8-70	MP(BP-15,077, as mod.) for extension of completion date to _____ (new) Atty: John R. Wilner	GRANTED to	5-12-70 11-8-70

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Name SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC.
XJOHN W. MOWERAY tr/as SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS
Burien, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-12,792 R & P #637658 \$50. AC-067 PTA PRESS NOV 20 1970	10-13-70 10-15-70 10-15-70 10-27-70	Lic.(BP-15077, as mod.) for new Standard Broadcast Station. Transmitter: RCA, BTA-1M. Atty: <u>Wilner</u> , Scheiner & Greeley	GRANTED	1-29-71
BR-4838 Recd. FILED PN Recd. PRESS NOV 1 1971	10-29-71 11-3-71 11-5-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE J.R.Wilner, Atty AMENDED 1-4-72 re: financial data AMENDED 1-18-72 re: programming	GRANTED	1-31-72
BAL-7544 R & P FEE PD: \$250 #051341 CODE 063 (Form 316) MAR 23 1972	3-11-72 3-15-72	Voluntary assignment of license to SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC. Atty - John R. Wilner AMENDED 3-23-72 to include STL station AMENDED 5-17-72 - financial data	GRANTED EFF: 7-12-72	5-31-72

Form BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

September 1969

SUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC.

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~~KETO-FM Associates, (A Limited Partnership - Active Broadcasters~~ Letters K Q I N~~Inc. General Partner), and Suburban Broadcasters, Inc., dba KETO Company~~Name xSUBURBAN BROADCASTERS, INC.Burien, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3610	10-4-72	Modification of license to operate trans-		
R & F	10-10-72	mitter by remote control from main studio		
\$50-117540	10-10-72	location, 148 B S.W. 153rd Burien, Wash.DA-D.	GRANTED	2-6-73
AC-067				
BR-4838	9-27-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	6-12-75
R & F	9-30-74	AMENDED 4-29-75 re: comm leaders survey, prog. & EEO		
PN Recd.	"			
PRESS	OCT 22 1974			
BAL-8540	10-18-75	Voluntary assignment of license to	GRANTED	2/4/76
R & F	10-20-75	KETO-FM ASSOCIATES (A Limited Partnership Active	EFF: NOT CONSUMMATED	
FEE PD: \$200 #490388		Broadcasters, Inc.-General Partner), and SUBURBAN	LET 3-18-76	
CODE 047		BROADCASTERS, INC., dba KETO COMPANY		
		Atty - Koteen & Burt	N FEE REQ:	
ALSO SEE FM KETO		Statement re business interests filed 12-23-75		
NOV 11 1975		AMENDED 12-19-75 - revised financial data		
PN filed	1/9/76	AMENDED 1-26-76 - statement re B/C & bus int		

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Letters KQIN

Name THOMAS W. HEAD
x Suburban Broadcasters, Inc.
Eurien, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-8841 R & F FEE PD: \$200 #626893 CODE 047(10-20-76) NOV 26 1976	10-6-76 10-18-76	Voluntary assignment of license to THOMAS W. HEAD	GRANTED EFF:	2/11/77 3/1/77
PN filed BR-4838 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1/25/77 9-16-77 9-19-77 " OCT 3 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Michael H. Bader, Atty.	GRANTED	1-29-79
rec'd field RESUBMITTED PRESS	12-27-77 12-30-77	Construction permit to chg freq to 810KHz; incr power to 5kw non DA, chg type trans CETEC SPARTA and make chgs in ant sys ATTY: Michael Bader PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FI ED 12-11-78 F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D.C.	RETURNED TO FILE VIOLATION OF SECT 1.369(b)(2)(1) OF FED. RULES RETURNED 6-28-79 Violation of Sect 1.369(b)(2)(1)	

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PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

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5-12-80 PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION FILED (these are additional copies sent as originals

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KQIN

Name: THOMAS W. READ

Station Location: BURIEN, WASHINGTON

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
800509AB RESUBMITTED		Petition for Reconsideration filed ATTY: Michael Bader	RETURNED 7-298-80 VIOLATION OF XX NARBA
BR-801001ZP PRESS OCT 31 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Lee W. Shubert	GRANTED 1-26-81
BA1310223HY Form 314 PRESS MAR 20 1981 PN Filed	3-18-81	Vol AL to All Pro Broadcasters of Washington Incorporated Atty for assignor Lee W. Shubert Atty for assignee Harry Warner Public Notice	TO 5-78

BAL/HY

Amended 4-27-81 re: Sec. II Page 2, Page 4, Exh D-1
thru H-3, Stock Pledge Agreement

AMENDED 3-30-81 re: Cert. of Art. of Inc. & BY-Laws;
Fin. Plan; Balance sheet;

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KQIN

Name: THOMAS.W. READ

Station Location: BURLEN, WASHINGTON

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BP-810401AA (C)		Construction permit to chg hrs of operation to unlimited, by adding nighttime service with 10kw; increase day power to 50kw; install DA-2; chg frequency to 820khz; chg city of license from Burien to Burien-Seattle, Washington; Chg TL: S. 398 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 31 Twp 23N R3E WM, near Vashon, Washington; SL&RC: To be determined, Seattle, Washington, and make chgs in antenna system. 47° 26' 29" 22° 28' 21"	
AMENDED	4-20-81	MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION UNDER SECTION 1.1305 ATTY: Harry P. Warner RE: Ltr 4-20-81 contingent on (BAL810223HY)	
	4-23-81	Public Notice	
		(OVER)	

6-22-81 MOTION FOR EXPEDITED PROCESSING OF APPLICATION TO COMPORT WITH MINORITY
OWNERSHIP POLICIES FILED BY HARRY P. WARNER ON BEHALF OF ALL PRO
BROADCASTERS OF WASHINGTON, INC.

6-16-81 Engineering Data

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KQIN

Name: THOMAS W. READ dba READ BROADCASTING

Station Location: Burien, Washington

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL810223HY		PETITION FOR ISSUANCE OF TAX CERTIFICATE FILED kby Lee W. Shubert on behalf of applicant.	6 26 81

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KQDS

Name: THE GREAT DULUTH BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Station Location: Duluth, Minnesota

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL810316EI Form 314 PRESS APR 0 9 1981 PN FILED 4-20-81		Vol AL to Northern Lights Broadcasting Company, Inc. Atty- OVER	

BAL810316EI AMENDED 3-23-81 re: Sec. III, Pg. 2;

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.

