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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-18-54
 Call letters K T E W (EFF. 6-8-81)
 Station Location: Poteau, Oklahoma
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COLLINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL: 10-24-79 EFF:
 * LEFLORE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL-7-7-77 EFF, 7-10-77
 Name of licensee X LE FLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED OF R. B. BELL
 AND BERNICE BELL

U.S. Highway 59, Poteau, Oklahoma (BS 1-26-62)
 Transmitter location X U.S. Highways 270 & 59, 3 miles SW of center of Poteau, Oklahoma
 (MP 10-14-53)
 (Lic. 2-18-54)

224 Dewey Avenue, Poteau, Oklahoma (BS- 8-28-74)

* Same as transmitter

Main studio location X U.S. Highways 270 & 59, 3 miles SW of center of Poteau, Oklahoma
 (MP 10-14-53)
 (Lic. 2-18-54)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To..
BP-8754 Ltr.	6-17-53 6-22-53	1280kc	1kw	Daytime	CP for new station granted subject filing MP for approval antenna & T site.
BP-8754 BMP-6318	10-14-53	1280	1kw	Day	12-14 6-14-54 MP (BP-8754) for approval of ant., trans. & studio sites & change type trans. (CONDITIONAL)
BL-5173	2-18-54 Lic. cover	1280kc	1kw	Day	2-18-54 6-1-56 CP(8754, as mod.) for new station
BZ-3760 (1)	3-29-56	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BR-2914	5-29-56	1280	1kw	Day	6-1 6-1-59
BR-2914	5-13-59	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-62
BS-2914 (1)	1-26-62	Mod. of license to change transmitter loc.			studio and
BR-2914	5-11-62	1280	1 kw	Day	6-1 6-1-65
BZ-5140 (1)	3-23-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BZ-5522 (1)	6-10-65	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BR-2914	5-20-65	1280kc	1kw	Day	6-1 6-1-68
Wire dated & rec'd 73.48(a)(5) Rules & in oper.	4-14-66	giving notification per Sect. that a RCA BTA-1R1 trans. is now installed			
BZ-5982 (2)	6-22-66	Authority to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
BR-11,537	2-8-67	1280kc	1kw	Aux.	82-8 6-1-68 Lic to use former main trans, COMPOSITE at main trans. loc. as an a.x. trans to be operated on 1280kc, 1kw for auxiliary purposes only.
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BZ-6683 (3)	12-8-67 (Main)	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
BZ-6684 (1)	12-8-67 (Aux.)	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			

Form BC 126

June 1954

Card #2

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Date first licensed

Call letters KLCO

Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BR-2914(L)	6-13-68	RENEWAL	(AUX. & MAIN)		6-1-71
BR-2914(S)	1-17-72	Renewal (Main & Auxiliary)	of License		6-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BRC-3724	8-28-74	ML to chg. studio location and operate transmitter by remote control.			(Main)
BR-2914(S)	8-22-74	RENEWAL			6-1-77
BZ-8683(L)	11-6-74	Direct Measurement (Main & Auxiliary)			6-1-77
BAL-9029	7-7-77	Vol. AL	EFF.	7-10-77	
BAL790813HL	10-24-79	VOL. AL	EFF:		
BR2914(L)	7-16-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-80
BR800201YW(L)	5-22-80	Renewal of License			6-1-83
E B S A	6-8-81	CALL SIGN CHANGE			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Le FLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED OF Letters

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Name R. B. BELL AND BERNICE BELL

(PO c/o R. B. Bell, Mena, Arkansas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-8754	2-2-53	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1280kc Power: 1kw Hrs. of operation: Daytime Trans. Location: To be determined Poteau, Oklahoma Studio Location: To be determined Poteau, Oklahoma Guy C. Hutcheson, Engr.	GRANTED	6-17-53
Rec'd	2-6-53		Subject filing MP for approval site.	
Filed	2-6-53		Ltr. 6-22-53	
			ISSUED WITH MP-6318	

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LE FLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED

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Letters K L C OName OF R. B. BELL AND BERNICE BELL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-6318 Rec'd Filed	9-19-53 9-21-53 9-21-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-8754, which auth. a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio location as U.S. Highways #270 & #59, 3 miles Southwest of center of Poteau, Oklahoma and change type transmitter (Composite). Guy C. Hutcheson, Engr.	GRANTED cont'l re meas. of proposed trans.	10-14-53
BL-5173 Rec'd Filed	11-16-53 11-17-53 11-17-53	License to cover construction permit (BP-8754, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. Guy C. Hutcheson, Engr.	GRANTED	2-18-54
BZ-3760 Rec'd Filed	3-9-56 3-12-56 3-12-56	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	3-29-56

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FORM BC-121

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Letters KLCOName LE FLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED OF
R. B. BELL AND BERNICE BELLPOTEAU, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2914 Rec'd Filed	4-9-56 4-12-56 4-12-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-29-56
BR-2914 Rec'd & Filed	2-24-59 2-23-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-13-59
BR-2914 Rec'd & Filed	2-17-62 2-19-62	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-11-62
BZ-5140 R&F	12-11-63 12-16-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power	GRANTED	3-23-64
BZ-5522 Red'd RESUB. 4-5 R & F	NOT DATED 10-29-64 4-6-65	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	RETURNED NOT-DATED GRANTED	4-2-65 -- 5-10-65
BR-2914 Rec'd Filed	2-15-65 2-25-65 2-25-65	Renewal of license Atty: Robert W. Coll (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	5-20-65

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Name LE FLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED OF R. B. BELL AND BERNICE BELL
Poteau, Oklahoma 74953

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-5982 R & F	5/2/66 5/5/66	Authority to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.	GRANTED	6-22-66
Recd	10-15-66 10-20-66	CP to install an aux. trans (COMPOSITE, former main) at main trans loc. to be operated on 1280kc power of 1kw for Auxiliary Purposes only.	Returned: Unnecessary	10-31-66
BL-11,537 R & F	11/11/66 11/17/66	Lic. to use former main trans. COMPOSITE at main trans. loc. as an aux. trans. to be operated on 1280kc 1kw for auxiliary purposes only. Engr: G. C. Hutcheson, Arlington, Texas	GRANTED	2-8-67
BZ-6683 R & F DM-11/17/67	11/6/67 11/8/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. (Main) Engr: G. C. Hutchinson, Arl., Texas	GRANTED	12-8-67
BZ-6684 R & F DM-11/17/67 DEC 11 1967	11/6/67 11/8/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. (Aux.) Engr: G. C. Hutchinson, Arl., Texas F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	12-8-67

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Letters K L C OName LE..FLORE..BROADCASTING..COMPANY..A..PARTNERSHIP..COMPOSED..OF..R..B..BELL..AND..BERNICE..BELL
POTEAU, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2914 R & F MAR 15 1968	2-20-68 2-29-68	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Atty - Robert W. Coll (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	6-13-68
BR-2914 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 31 1971	2-27-71 3-3-71 3-3-71	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: James R. Cooke (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	1-17-72
The Commission by letter of 12-15-71 notified station KLCO of apparent liability for \$2,500.				
BR-2914 R & F P.N. PRESS 19 MAR 1974	2-19-74 3-4-74 3-4-74	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty.: Jonathan Schochor AMENDED 5-31-74 re: composition of area; ascert. of comm. needs; programming; commercial policy	GRANTED	8-22-74

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Name LEFLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY, A PARTNERSHIP COMPOSED OF R.B. BELL AND BERNICE BELL
Poteau, Oklahoma

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3724 R & F \$50-336252 AC-056	8-5-74 f 8-15-74 8-15-74	Modification of license to change main studio location to: 224 Dewey Avenue, Poteau, Oklahoma, and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location. Atty: Steven A. Lerman(McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner	GRANTED	8-28-74
BZ-8683 R & F DM PRESS 4 NOV 1974	8-21-74 8-27-74 10-17-74	Direct Measurement(Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	11-6-74
BR-2914 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 8 1977	1-7-77 2-1-77 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) R.W. Coll, Atty. AMENDED 2-14-77 re: EEO AMENDED 4-28-77 re: engineering	GRANTED	7-16-79

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1280kHz

Form BC-121

May 1976

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LettersK.L.C.O.....

COLLINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION

x LEFLORE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Name X.R.B. BELL AND BERNICE BELL dba LeFLORE BROADCASTING COMPANY
POTEAU, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-9029 R & F Also see KLCO-FM FORM 316	6/10/77 6/14/77 JUL 1 1977	Voluntary assignment of license to LEFLORE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. Atty - McKenna, Wilkinson, etc (Steve Lerman) Over	GRANTED EFF.	7-7-77 7-10-77
BAL 790813HL (ALSO SEE FM) FORM 314 PRESS: SEP 14 1979 PN filed	9-10-79	Vol AL to COLLINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty for assignor - R.M. Senkowski (McKenna, Wilkinson etc) for assignee - Arent, Fox etc (E. Bernthal) (over)	GRANTED EFF:	10-24-79 12-20-79

BAL-9029 - Note: 100% of stock is to be held by R.B. Bell and Bernice Bell as Joint Tenants

BAL/HL Exhs Ariticles of Inc. & By Laws returned
9-13-79 dated after application

AMENDED 9-25-79 re: Cert. Arts. of Inc. and Cert. By-laws of Collins Broadcasting Corporation

AMENDED 10-3-79 re: Promissory note

AMENDED 10-9-79 re: Sec. VI (EEOP)

AMENDED 10-12-79 re: financial qual. of Collins B/cing Corp. & Buyers' rights & obligations of sales agreement; pro forma bal. sheet & bank ltr.

AMENDED 10-18-79 re: bank letter; stock pledge agreement

APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

KTEW 1280

Call Letters: XK L C O

Name: COLLINS BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: POTEAU, OKLAHOMA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR 800201 YW PRESS APR 24 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) Daniel F. van Horn, Atty.	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.

