

KW XI



## BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed . . . JUNE 25, 1980 . . . . .

Call Letters . . . K W X I (1-21-80)  
X K Q A C . . . . .

Station Location . . . GLENWOOD, ARKANSAS . . . . .

Name . . . JOE EDD HAWKINS, TOM NICHOLS AND POLLYANN NICHOLS DBA  
CADDO BROADCASTING COMPANY . . . . .

Transmitter Location . . . On West edge of Glenwood, Ark. 0.25 mi. N of US Hwy. 70, Glenwood, Ark. . . . .

Main studio location . . . Same as TL . . . . .



# Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BP-780828AG CP FOR A NEW STATION.	5-24-79	1470KHz. 2.5kW Daytime	5-24-80
BP-780828AG	7/30/79	CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED	& EBSA ISS
ERSA	1-21-80	CALL SIGN CHANGE	
BL-800514AB(L)	6-25-80	Lic. to cover BP-780828AG for NEW AM STATION 1470khz 2.5kw Daytime	6-1-82



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DUPLICATE  
**APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING**

AM  
K W X I  
\* Q A C  
NEW

Call  
Letters .....

Name Joe Edd Hawkins, Tom Nichols and Pollyann Nichols dba  
Caddo Broadcasting Company  
Glenwood, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-780828AG		CP FOR A NEW STATION 1470KHz. 2.5kW Daytime TL & SL: On West edge of Glenwood, Ark. 0.25 miles N. of US Highway 70, Glenwood, Ark. Atty: Jason Shrinsky	GRANTED	5-24-79
BL-800514AB R & F PRESS MAY 29 1980	5-14-80	Lic. to cover BP-780828AG for NEW AM STATION	GRANTED	6-25-80



## 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 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.

