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Date first licensed October 30, 1939

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SEE CARD 2 X EMPIRE EROADCASTING CORPORATION(AL 2-26-71 EFF: 4-1-71)

xRICHARD D. & BLOISE W. SMILEY(AL 10-28-70 EFF: 11-18-70)

\* XX BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL-7-9-58 EFF: 8-11-58)

KKRBM BROADCASTERS (Vol. Assign. of C.P. 1-16-39)

Name of licenseex ROBERTS-MacNAB COMPANY, (Arthur L. Roberts, R. B. MacNab, A. J. Breitbach, Gen. Mac

SW of Bozeman, S. end of S. 15th Ave., Bozeman, Montana (BP 8-16-73) XApprox. two miles E. of city center on U.S. 10. Bozeman Montana State Highway #10) C.P. & DP 10-11-36 Lic. XNear Bozeman, Montana (12 mi.E & S of business district & 200' S. o Transmitter location

Same as transmitter (BP-8-16-73)

X Approx. two miles E. of city center on U.S. 10. Bozeman Montana
X 12 miles east and south of buminess district and 200 south Montana
State Highway #10, near Bozeman, Mont. (ML 8-21-50)

Main studio location x 103 West Main Street. Bozeman, Montana (C.P. & MP 10-11-38) Lic.10-30-39

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	Power	TIME DIV.	From— To—
Letter	3-30-38	1420	1,00W, 25	W-LS U	Subject to
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C.P.	for new s	tation a	Bozema	n. Montar	in.
B5-P-1542 B5-MP-670		C.P. for	new sta	tion; Mo	12-11 6-11-3 d.C.P. for antenna; ent.
B5-AP-25	1-16-39		gnment of BROADC,	f C.P. t	0
B5-MP-78	5-16-39	Mod . C.P.	1542 to	ext.comp	1.12-11 12-11-3
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B5-M1-90	12-5-39	1420	250w	U	12-5 12-1-40
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B5-Z-361		1420 Lic. for	250w	U.	4-16 8-1-40
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	7 1-23-46		on of lie	ense	2-1 4-1-46
	17 3-20-46	Extensi	n of lie	ense	4-1 6-1-46
	7 5-24-46		on of lie	ense	6-1 8-1-46
BR-1017	1-30-48	1450	250w		-5 2-1-40
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### BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

No. 2

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Name of licensee SERENDIPITY BROADCASTING (AL 4-10-81 EFF: 5-13-81

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Main studio location .....

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### CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From To-
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BR-1017	5-23-51		250w	U	5-23 2-1-54
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		fimal de	termina	ion on re	newal,
BR-1017	2-10-54	Renewal	of lice	nse	2-10 4-1-56
BTC-2139		Vol. tr	ns. of	control to	Z NET
EFF	3-30-56				
BR-1017	3-21-56	Renewal	of Lic	ense	4-1 4-1-59
BAL-3073	7-9-58	Vol. as	signment	of licen	e to
EFF:	8-11-58	XX Bro	adcastiz	g Corpora	ion
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BP-13134	7-16-59	THE RESERVE AND ADDRESS.			rlod end.9/16/59 9-16 3-16-60
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BR-101	7 3-15-65	Renewal	of licen	STREET, SQUARE, SQUARE	-1 4-1-68
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BAL-715	5 30-28-70	VOL. A	L EFF: 1	1-18-70	

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed	Call letters KILL
	Station location
Name of licensee	

Transmitter location

Main studio location

### CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No. BAL-7205	Date Issued 2-26-71 3-25-71	Freq.	the second and the second second and	to provide a self-collège consumerance	Period From To-
BR-1017(L)	Company of the last	KENI	EWAL & N	DEA	4-1-/4
EBSA	5-25-72				
BP-19475	8-16-73 CP to ch	The second secon	z.250w-1 trans. &	kw/5 U studio ]	8-16-74 loc.
BL-13,654 BR-1017(L)	3-9-77	RENEWAL (Sh	& MODIFI ort Term	CATION )	12-1-77
BR-1017(S)	11-29-77	Renewa!	of Lic	ense	4-1-80
BTC-7649	11/29/77		EFF: 1/1	2/78	
BR791203XS(	s) 3-31-80	RENE	AL OF L	CENSE	4-1-83
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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ratio of 10	TION
			NATURE	DATE
B5-P-1542	11-28-36	C.P. for new station to be operated on: Frequency - 1420 kc. Power - 100w; 250w-LS Time - unlimited Studio & Transmitter - 105 Main Street. Bozeman, Montana.	Effective Subject to	4-8-38, selection of transmitted
Amended	12-14-36	To change name from Roberts-MacNab Hotel Co. to Roberts-MacNab CoAMENDMENT- RETURNED-12-30-36 durat	Letter write	
Amendment Resubmitted	12-31-36			

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
B5-MP-670	6-6-38	Modification of construction permit (B5-P-1542) for a new station, requesting changes in authorized transmitting equipment, approval of vertical antenna and approval of transmitter site at 200 feet South of State Highway #10 and 12 miles East and South of Bozeman, Montana business district.	Granted	10-11-38
B5-AP-25 Resubmitte	8-30-38 9-13-38	Voluntary assignment of construction permit (B5-P-1542) as modified, from Roberts-MacNab Co. Arthur L.Roberts, R.B.MacNab, A.J.Breitbach, General Manager, to KRBM Broadcasters.		9-9-38- 9-0f-part-I. 1-16-39
B5-MP-754	1-17-39	Mod. of C.P.(B5-P-1542) as modified, for move of trans. from 1 mi.E & S of business district, & 200 ft S of state highway #10, near Boseman, Mont. to 103.W.Main St., Bozeman, Mont. extend c and c dates 30 and 180 days resptecively.	request	5-1-39 applicant

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	NATURE	DATE	
B5-MP-781	4-25-39	Modification of C.P.(B5-P-1542) as modified to extend completion date from 6-11-39 to 12-11-39.	Granted	5-16-39	
B5-L-1005	9-29-39	License to cover C.P. (B5-P-1542) as modified for new station.	Granted	10-30-39	
B5-ML-900	11-3-39	Modification of license to increase power from 100w;250w-Lo to 250 watte day & night.	Granted	12-5-39	
B5-Z-361 Resubmitted Resubmitted	2-26-40 3-13-40 4-6-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	Returned Net-signed Returned juret-incom GRANTED	antenna.	

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR-	ACTION
			NATURE DATE
B5-R-1017 Resub. Resub.	5-6-40 5/2/40 7-20-40	Renewal of license. (Sec3b)-17(a) (Sec3b)-17(a)	Returned - 6/12/40 Returned - 7/10/40 Granted 3-24-41 1450kc, 250w, U
B5-R-1017 Resub.	9-25-41	Renewal of license and Form 335	Ret'd. 8-15-41.Section 7,14;15(a)4(b),16,17(a 80(a);80(c):12(1). 4 8ddreepy- GRANTED 11-25-41
B5-R-1017 Rec'd Resub.rec'd	7-28-43 7-31-43 8-19-43	Renewal of license (Secr-11d-2-13b)	Ret*d8=8=43 Granted 9-21-43

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FILE No. DATED	APPLICATION FOR—		ACTION		
			NATURE		
B5-R-1017 Rec'd  Resubmitted Recd. Resub. Rec'd	7-16-45 7-19-45 8-16-45 8-20-45 8-27-45 9-4-45	Renewal of license -(LtrPara:-6-(a)-and-(g)-Para:-17-(b) and-6-(f)-Form-202-A-		7-21-45 8-22-45-5(g) 6-5-46	
BR-1017 Rec'd	11-25-47	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-30-48	
ML-1440 Rec'd Filed	7-26-50 7-31-50 7-31-50	Modification of license to change main studio location from 103 West Main Street, Bozeman, Montana to 12 mile east and south of business district and 200 feet south of Highway #10 near Bozeman, Montana.	GRANTED Waiver 3	8-21-50 30(a)	

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#### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.  BR-1017  Rec'd	Dated 11-24-50 12-4-50	Application for Renewal of license	Nature	5-23-51
RR-1017 Rec'd Filed	10-22-53 10-26-53 10-26-53	Renewal of License	Granted	2-10-54
BR-1017 Rec'd Filed	12-27-55 1-3-55 1-3-55	Renewal of License	GRANTED	3-21-56
BTC-2139 Rec'd Filed	1- 4-56 1-18-56 1-18-56	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from E. B. Craney, R. B. MacNab, Jr Virginia S. Seegar and Ernie Neath to Z Net (100%).  Robert Seaks, A.ty.	GRANTED EFF:	2-23-56 3-30-56

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#### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Ac. Nature	Date
Rec'd. Filed	6-9-58 6-16-58 6-16-58	Voluntary assignment of license to: XX Broadcasting Corporation.	GRANTED EFF:	7-9-58 8-11-58
BP-12,622 Rec'd Filed	11-28-58 12-1-58 12-1-58	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to lkw and install new transmitter (GATES BC 1T)  Engr George M. Frese, Wenatchee, Wash.	GRANTED	3-9-60
		P.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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XX BROADCASTING CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BR-1017 Rec'd Filed	12-31-5 <b>9</b> 1-2-59 1-2-59	Renewal of License	GRANTED	3-11-59
Rec'd  RESUBMITTED  Rec'd & Filed	6-8-59 6-19-59 6-22-59	Construction permit to change type trans mitter.(COLLINS 20V)& renew ground system.	Applicati Applicati Botaria GRANTED	on-was-not
M-7672 Rec'd Filed	9-22-59 9-23-59 9-23-59	License to cover construction permit (EP-13134) which authorized change type of transmitter and renew ground system.	GRANTED	12-31-59
Rec'd	5-25-60 5-27-60	Voluntary transfer of 1 share of stock from Thomas A. Sandenaw, Jr. to Richard D. Smiley and Eloise W. Smiley.	RETURNED To be fi	6-1-60 ed on 323
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name XX BROADCASTING CORPORATION

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Fil	e No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
	L-8023 R & F .	6-24-60 6=27-60	License to cover C.P. (BP-12,622) which authorized increase in daytime power and installation of new transmitter (Collins 20V	GRANTED	8-25-60
Rec	STATE OF THE PARTY	8-11-60 8-16-60 8-16-60	Modification of construction permit 12,622, (which auth increase daytime power and install ation of new transmitter) to change type trans (Collins 20V-2).	GRANTED	8-25-60
BR-1 Rec'	d	12-31-61 1-2-62 1-2-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-30-62
R	R-1017 ec'd iled	12-15-64 12-17-64 12-17-64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-15-65
1	BR-1017 R & F	12-30-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-29-68
	FEB 12	1968	F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1450kc

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EMPIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name XXX BRUADCASTING CORPORATION

Boze	man, Montani			
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BRC-3339 R & F #509214 \$30 PRESS	4-18-69 4-23-69 4-23-69	Modification of license to operate trans- mitter by remote control from approx. two mi. E. of city center on U.S. 10, Bozeman, Montana. (MAIN STUDIO LOCATION).	GRANTED	5-1-69
BAL-7155 R & F FEE FD: \$250 . CODE 053(Form	10-12-70 #635675	Voluntary assignment of license to RICHARD D. & ELOISE W. SMILEY (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	10-28-70 11-18-70
BR-1017 R & F Fee Paid \$217. PN Recd. PRESS	12-14-70 12-17-70 50 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-25-71
BAL -7205 R & F FEE FD: \$10 CODE 047	12-18-70 12-30-70 00 #653275	Voluntary assignment of license to EMPIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty - Semuel Miller Pub. notice file  770 Fee paid 4-6-71 #678231	Led 1-25-7	-26-71 fee \$5,000.00

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#### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name EMPIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION
BOZEMAN, MONTANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	Date
BP-19,475 Rec'd Filed \$50-211482 AC-056 PRESS: AUG	6-13-73 7-6-73 7-6-73 7-6-73	Construction permit to change the antenna- transmitter site and main studio location to SW of Bozeman, South end of S.15th Ave. Bozeman, Montana. 45° 39' 33" 111° 03' 22" Atty. Miller and Fields	GRANTED	8-16-73
Amended	7-20-73	financial data.		
R & F PRESS PN	12-31-73 1-4-74	Renewal of License  AMENDED 1-30-74 re: community survey  AMENDED 3-25-74 re: programming	APR 9 E	for Hearing
BL-13654 R & F 50#288321 PTA	3-4-74 3-7-74 3-8-74 3-25-74	Lic. to cover BP-19475 for changes SL & TL: 1450 W. Kagy Blvd., Bozeman, Montan	APR 2	75 20425
PRESS BAUG AMEND Filed	974 5-12-75 - I	ssued 5-19-76 - financial data	GRANTED 3	

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Name EMPIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Bozeman, Montana

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File No. Dated Application for Nature Da	ate
R & F 12-13-74 Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from period to R.L. Culver, Eldon Mengel, E.L. Russell, et APF/2 1375 FEE PD: \$1000 # 375266 al to Gary Petersen, et al	60/426
(ALSO SEE KFLN & KWYS)  CODE OL7 JAN 1 4 1975  Atty - Miller & Fields  GR PET TO 3-5-	77 REMOVE
PUB. FILED: 1-13-75 AMENDED 2-7-75 - chges in stockholders & GRANTED 11/2 stockholdings FEB 13 1975	9/77 2/78
PUB. FILED: 1-16-75  AMENDED (ORDER) 5-19-75 - deleteLarry Heinrich as/stockholder, officer & director; chges in	
stockholdings (revised Table I); financial data	R FUHTHER
BR-1017 11-24-77 RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRANTED 11-29-	.77
PN Recd. " SHORT TERM)  8-1-77 AMENDED 8-1-77 to update pending renewal	
PRESS AUG 8 1977 Samuel Miller, Atty.	

RE: BTC-7649 - AMENDED 8-9-77 - complete Form 315 filed to update application.(reflect current proposed stockhold & stockholdings etc)
AMENDED 10-7-77 - correction re Table I (percentages)
RE: Amended 11-7-77 EEOP Data

#### APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING 1450KHz.

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SERENDIPITY BROADCASTING

Name EMPIRE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: BOZEMAN, MONTANA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR791203XS PRESS JAN 3	1 1986	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty. Jerrold Miller (Miller & Fields)	RANTED 3-31-80
BAL810113FT Form 314 FEB 2 PRESS Also see KWYS(am PN FILED 3-2-81		Vol AL to Serendipity Broadcasting Atty-Jerrold Miller	GRANTED 4-10-81 EFF: 5-13-81
	1		Form BC-121 March 1979

### RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION I T F L

X OIL CAPITAL SALES CORPORATION (Let.9-5-39 changing spelling) K O M E (8-34-38)

X OIL CAPITAL SALES CORPORATION (Vol. Assign. Lic. 7-26-39) K C N W

Licensee X HARRY SCHWARTZ

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
BP-5853	1-29-47	New	Louis P. Myers & Gertra Jo Myers, d/b as Howdy Folks Broadcasters, Tulsa, Oklahoma		
BP-5871	2-6-47	New	Donald W. Reynolds Okmulgee, Oklahoma	CP for a new station 1340kc, 250w U	Amended to
BP-5918	2-5-47	Hew	Procter & Marsh, A Partnership consisting of George B. Procter & Hugh M. Marsh, d/b as Muskogee Broadway Broadcasting Co. Muskogee, Oklahoma	CP for a new station 1340 kc, 250w,U	

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File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
HP-6693 Rec'd Filed	4-2-48 4-6-48 4-6-48	New	Kenyon Brown Tulsa, Oklahoma	C.P.for a new standard broadcast station. 1340kc, 250w, U	Demied 6-7-51
Rec'd Filed	5-5-48 5-5-48	New	George E. Cameron, Jr. Tulsa, Cklahoma	. C.P.for a new standard broad-cast station. 1340ks, 250w, U.	Demied 6-7-51

#### **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 h andwritten 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.

