

WAVE



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Call WAVE(11-11-3)

Letters x WFIW

RADIO 970, INC. (AL 8-14-81, EFF:

LOCATION: LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

x ORION BROADCASTING, INC. (EML 8-11-69)

XV.A.V.E., INC. (pr articles)

W A V E, INCORPORATED (Mod.Lic.2-9-34)

x WFIW, Incorporated (7-18-30)

Name of

x The Acme Mills, Inc.

Licensee:

On Hamburg Pike, 2 mi. N. of Jeffersonville, Ind. (C.P. Gr.6-25-40)(Lic. 11-28-40

xx Brown Hotel,

(Lic. 1-26-34)

xx/N.E.Cor. Fourth & Broadway, Louisville, Ky/ Stay Order lifted Min.11-10-33.

Louisville, Ky. (Exact location to be determined) C.P.6-16-33 Grant suspended

Nashville Pike, Hopkinsville, Ky. (Lic. 1-12-32)

(STAY ORDER)

Transmitter

x Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Location:

725 South Floyd Street, Louisville 3, Kentucky(Ltr. 7-20-59)

x334 East Broadway, Louisville, Kentucky (Ltr. 10-7-41, Eff. 10-9-41)

xBrown Hotel, N.E. Cor. Fourth & Broadway, Louisville, Ky. (Lic.1-26-34)

Stay Order lifted Min. 11-10-33.

Louisville, Ky. (Exact site to be selected) C.P.6-16-33 (STAY ORDER) 7-10-33

8th and Main Sts. Hopkinsville, Ky. (Lic. 1-12-32)

Main Studio

x Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Location:

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
S-B-308T.P.	4-23-27	1380	1 KW	Revoked	not stated	
"	T.P. 5-6-27	830	1 KW	-	"	"
" (Canc)	6-1-27	1220	500	Unlimited	6-1	7-31-27
Effec. date of previous lic. deferred by G.O. 13					6-15	8-15-27
S-B-308	6-15-27	1070	500-LKW	6 am-6 pm	8-15	8-15-27
R-B-308	8-8-27	Letter of extension			8-15	10-15-27
Extended by G.O. 18					10-15	11-1-27
R-B-308	10-24-27	Letter of extension			11-1	1-1-28
M-B	11-16-27	1150	750-LKW	6 am- 6 pm	12-1	1-1-28
Extended by G.O. 21					1-1	2-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	2-1	3-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	3-1	4-1-28
M-B	3-31-28	1150	1 KW	Unlimited	4-1	5-1-28
Extended by G.O. 27					5-1	6-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	6-1	8-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	8-1	9-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	9-1	10-1-28
"	"	"	"	"	10-1	11-11-28
R-B-308	10-31-28	940	1 KW	Unlimited	11-11	1-31-29
Relocation					11-11-28	
R-B-308	1-10-29	940	1 KW	Unlimited	1-31	4-30-29
R-B-308	4-1-29	940	1 KW	Unlimited	4-30	7-31-29
R-B-308	License extended by G.O. #69				7-31	10-31-29
R-B-308	10-12-29	940	1 KW	Unlimited	10-31	1-31-30
R-B-308	1-17-30	940	1 KW	Unlimited	1-31	4-30-30
R-B-308	4-5-30	940	1 KW	Unlimited	4-30	7-31-30
A-B-233	7-18-30	Vol. Assign. of Lic. to W.I.W., Inc.				
R-B-308	7-22-30	940	1 KW	Unltd.	7-31	10-31-30
R-B-308	10-6-30	940	1 KW	Unltd.	10-31	1-31-31
G.O. 108	1-20-31	Extension of License			1-31	4-30-31
R-B-308	4-21-31	940	1KW	Unltd	4-30	10-1-31
P-B-2513	8-12-31	Rebuild station destroyed by fire			9-1	12-1-31
MP-B-257	10-20-31	Chg. equip, move tr. locally			9-1	12-1-31
L-B-754	1-12-32	940	1 KW	Unltd. (T)	1-12	4-1-32
B-308	2-22-32	940	1KW	Unltd.	4-1	10-1-32
R-B-308	9-21-32	940	1KW	Unltd. (H)	10-1	4-1-33
R-B-308	3-21-33	940	1kw	U (H)	4-1	10-1-33
B-308	6-16-33	940	1kw	U	6-16	10-1-33
-2681-	6-16-33	move station to Louisville			7-17	10-17-33
308	6-23-33	Reduce hrs. to 5hrs. daily			6-23	10-1-33

2-S-B-308

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First
Licensed.....

Card No. 2

Call ³³⁾ WAVE (71-11-
Letters WFIW

Name of WAVE, INCORPORATED (Mod. Lic. 2-9-34)
Licensee: WFIW, INCORPORATED

Transmitter
Location: _____

Main Studio
Location: _____
FRC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

ZONE 2.

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
2-R-B-308	9-19-33	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-34	
2-S-B-308	9-19-33	reduce hrs.	to 5 hrs.	daily	10-1	11-1-33	
S-B-308	10-27-33	Remain silent pending removal of station to Louisville, for period not to exceed 1-1-34					
P-B-2681	11-10-33	Mod. C.P.	to move station to Louisville		12-10	3-10-34	
MP-B-488	11-17-33	Mod. C.P.	approval exact Tr. loc.		12-10	3-10-34	
MP-B-488	11-17-33	Corrected copy issued					
S-B-308	12-20-33	Postpone painting of towers for six mos.					
L-B-1024	1-26-34	940	1KW	U	1-26	4-1-34	
		Lic. covers C.P. move to Louisville, Ky.					
R-B-308	3-6-34	940	1 kw	U	4-1	10-1-34	
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION							
B2-R-308	9-11-34	940	1 kw	U	10-1	4-1-35	
B2-R-308	3-12-35	940	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-35	
B2-R-308	9-10-35	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-36	
B2-R-308	3-17-36	940	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-36	
B2-S-308	5-21-36	Oper. 50w test trans.				5-21	6-19-36
B2-P-1225	7-17-36	Installation new equipment				9-17	3-17-37
B2-L-376	9-22-36	940	1kw	U	9-22	10-1-36	
		Lic. to cover C.P. for new trans.					
B2-R-308	9-22-36	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-37	
B2-R-308	9-22-36	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-37	
		Supersedes renewal issued 9-22-36					
B2-R-308	3-26-37	940	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-37	
B2-R-308	9-7-37	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-38	
B2-R-308	3-16-38	940	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-38	
B2-R-308	9-13-38	940	1kw	U	10-1	4-1-39	
B2-R-308	3-6-39	940	1kw	U	4-1	10-1-39	
B2-R-308	9-6-39	940	1kw	U	10-1	6-1-40	
B2-R-308	5-7-40	940	1kw	U	6-1-	8-1-40	
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License				8/1	10/1/40
B2-P-2531	6-25-40	940	6kw*	U.	8-25	8-25-41	
		C.P. incr power, new equip, & D.A. move trans.					
		*Directional antenna day and night use.					
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license				10-1	3-29-41

CANCELLED

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed

Call letters **W A V E**

Name of licensee **W A V E, INCORPORATED**

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From--	To--
B2-L-1279	11-28-40	940	5kw	U	11-28	3-29-41
B2-Z-576	*Employing directional antenna day and night Lic. for inc. in power, new equip. & D.A. & move trans. Also direct measurement					
NARBA REALLOCATION						
B2-R-308	3-24-41	970	5kw*	U	3-29	6-1-42
			*DA day and night			
B2-R-308	5-5-42	970	5kw*	U	6-1	8-1-44
			*DA day and night			
B2-S-308	11-6-42	970	5kw*	*DA U	12-1	8-1-44
	Mod. in accordance with Order #107					
B2-R-308	7-18-44	970	5kw*	U	8-1	5-1-47
			*DA day and night			
B2-S-308	7-10-45	970	5kw*	U	10-1	5-1-47
			*DA			
	Mod. Lic. Order 107-A					
BR-308	4-10-47	970	5kw*	U	5-1	5-1-50
			*DA			
BR-308	4-21-50	970	5kw-DA	U	5-1	5-1-53
<u>BR-308</u>	<u>4-8-53</u>	<u>Renewal of License</u>			<u>5-1</u>	<u>8-1-55</u>
BP-9691	2-25-55	970kc	5kw, DA	Un	4-25-55	10-25-55
	CP to install new transmitter					
BL-5717	5-23-55	Id. cover CP (BP-9691) install new				
(1)	transmitter.					
BR-308	7-20-55	970	5kw-*	U	8-1	8-1-58
			*DA			
BP-10,161	11-2-55	970	1kw-*	AUX.	1-2-56	7-2-56
			*DA			
	CP to install new transmitter as an auxiliary transmitter. (COND'L CLAUSE)					
BL-5953	1-6-56	970kc	1kw-DA	# <i>conf</i>	1-6	8-1-58
Aux.	Lic to cover CP(BP-10161) to install new trans. as Aux Trans. Aux. purposes only.					

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location

Name of licensee W.A.V.E., INCORPORATED.....

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BRC-1274 (Conditional) (1)	8-8-58				Mod. of license to operate Main Trans. by remote control from 334 East Broadway, Louisville, Kentucky, using Directional Antenna day and night (DA-1).
BR-308	7-2-58				Renewal of license MAIN & AUXILIARY 8-1 8-1-61
BRC-1474 (2)	7-1-59				Mod. of license to change Main Studio and Remote Control Point for Main Trans. to 725 South Floyd Street, Louisville, Kentucky, using Directional Antenna (DA-1).
BZ-4255	11-14-60	970kc	5kw DA-1 U		11-14 8-1-61 Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power (MAIN TRANS)
BZ-4366	11-14-60	970kc	1kw DA-1 U		11-14 8-1-61 Authority to xxx determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Aux Trans)
BR-308	7-6-61				Renewal of License (MAIN & AUXILIARY) 8-1 8-1-64
BP-14723	6-20-62	970kc	5kw-DA-2 U		6-20 2-20-63 CP to change directional antenna pattern and change to DA-2 (Cond'l).
BRC-2146 (1) ***	3-6-63				Mod. of CP(BP-14,723) to operate MAIN transmitter by remote control from 725 South Floyd Street, Louisville, Ky.(DA-2)
BL-9792	4-26-63				Lic to cover CP(bP-14, 723 as mod) which auth changing DA-pattern from DA-1 to DA-2 and operate by remote control. 970kc 5kw-DA-2 Un 4-26 8-1-64
BTC-4521 EFF	3-26-64 3-30-64				Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from George W. Norton, Jr. to Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the Estate of George W. Norton, Jr., Deceased
BR-308	7-15-64				Renewal of license Main and Aux 8-1 8-1-67

Form BC 126 #5

June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location

Name of licensee W.A.V.E., INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BTC-4720 EFF:	1-19-65 1-22-65	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the Estate of George W. Norton, Jr., Deceased to Jane Morton Norton, as Voting Trustee			
BTC-4971 Eff: 1-3-66	12-6-65	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. Corp. from Jane Morton Norton as Voting Trustee to Jane Morton Norton			
BR-308	7-18-67	Renewal of License Main & Auxiliary Renewal of NDEA			8-1 8-1-70
TELEGRAM	12-29-67	PSA	4700w		
BML-2293	8-11-69	ML chg. licensee to Orion Broadcasting, Inc. (Main-1 & Aux.-1)			
BR-308	7-30-70	RENEWAL MAIN(L) AUX.(S) & NDEA			8-1-73
BL-12,625(L)	8-5-70	Mod. lic. to make changes in Auxiliary transmitter(BML-2293)			8-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-308(L)	7-31-73	RENEWAL - MAIN & AUX.			8-1-76
BS-308(1)	1-6-74	Chg. to CST			
BZ-8721(L)	1-31-75	Direct Measurement(Main & Aux.)			8-1-76
BR-308(L)	7-12-76	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			8-1-79
BS-308(L)	11-2-76	ML to add condition re: Section 73.114 (A) 187			
BR790402HB (S)	7-18-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-82
BAL810430ES	8-14-81		VOL AL	EFF:	

No. 1.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Present Assignment: 830 Kc. 1 KW

Requested: 830 Kc. 1 KW

FILE NO. 2-S-B-308 DATED: 3-26-27

1) T.P. issued 4-23-27 for 1380 Kc. 1 KW. Revoked by TP of 5-6-27.

2) T.P. issued 5-6-27 for 830 Kc. 1 KW.

3) Lic. 6-1-27 for 1220 Kc. 500 w. Unlimited, Per. 6-1-27 to 7-31-27 (Cancelled)

CALL LETTERS:

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Present Assignment:

Requested:

FILE NO: NO APPLICATIONED:

4) Lic. 6-15-27 for 1070 Kc. 500 w. & 1 KW between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. Local Time.

ACTION: Unlimited

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Present Assignment: 1070 Kc. 500 watts 1 KW 6 a.m.-6 p.m. Local Time

Requested: Renewal

FILE NO 2-R-B-308 DATED: 7-29-27

Letter of 8-8-27 - extending License. Period 8-15-27 to 10-15-27.

ACTION:

No. 2.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO: 2-R-B-308 DATED: 10-6-27
10-24-27 letter of extension.
Period 11-1-27 to 1-1-28.

Present 500 watts
Assignment: 1070 Kc. 1 KW 6 A.M.-6P.M.- Local Time Unlimited
(Modif. 11-16-27 for 1150 Kc. 750 after

ACTION:

Requested: Renewal (6 P.M.- 1 KW 6 to 6. Eff. 12-1-27.

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO. 2-R-B-308 DATED 1-12-28
Lic. 10-31-28 for 940 Kc. 1 KW.
Unlimited. Period 11-11-28 to
1-31-29.

Present 750 after 6 P.M.
Assignment: 1150 Kc. 1 KW 6 to 6 Unlimited

ACTION:

Requested: Renewal (Modif. 3-31-28, 1150 Kc. 1 KW-4-1-28)

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO. 2-R-B-308 DATED: 12-12-28
Lic. 1-10-29 for 940 Kc. 1KW,
unlimited, Period 1-31-29 to
4-30-29.

Present
Assignment: 940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: **The Acme Mills, Inc.**CALL LETTERS: **WFIW**ADDRESS: **Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.**FILE NO: **2-R-B-308** DATED: **3-15-29**
Lic. **4-1-29** for **940 Kc. 1Kw.**
Unlimited. Period **4-30-29** to
ACTION: **7-31-29.**Present
Assignment: **940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited**Requested: **Renewal**APPLICANT: **The Acme Mills, Inc.**CALL LETTERS: **WFIW**ADDRESS: **Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.**FILE NO: **2-R-B-308** DATED: **6-14-29**
G.O. #**69**, Period **7-31-29** to
10-31-29.Present
Assignment: **940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited**Requested: **Renewal**APPLICANT: **The Acme Mills, Inc.**CALL LETTERS: **WFIW**ADDRESS: **Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.**FILE NO: **2-R-B-308** DATED: **10-7-29**
Lic. **10-12-29** for **940 Kc. 1 KW**
Unlimited. Period **10-31-29** to
ACTION: **1-31-30.**Present
Assignment: **940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited**Requested: **Renewal**

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

No. 4.

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO: 2-R-B-308 DATED: 12-28-30
Lic. 1-17-30 for 940 Kc. 1 KW,
Unlimited. Period 1-31-30 to
ACTION: 4-30-30.Present
Assignment: 940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO: 2-R-B-308 DATED: 3-26-30
Lic. 4-5-30 for 940 Kc. 1 KW.
Unlimited. Period 4-30-30 to
ACTION: 7-31-30.Present
Assignment: 940 Kc. 1 KW - Unlimited

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Inc.

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell & 17th Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky.

FILE NO: 2-A-B-233 DATED: 5/21/30
Vol. Assign. of Lic. granted Min.
7-18-30 to WFIW, Inc. Issued
ACTION: 7-18-30Present
Assignment: 940 Kc. 1 KW. Unlimited.Requested: Voluntary
Assignment to "WFIW" INCORPORATED

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

no. 5

APPLICANT: The Acme Mills, Incorporated

CALL LETTERS: WFIW

ADDRESS: Campbell at 17th St., Hopkinsville, KY.

FILE NO: 3-R-B-308 DATED: 6-28-39

Present

Assignment: 940 kc. 1 KW Unlimited

Renewal License 7-7-30

ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

Requested: Renewal.

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO: DATED:

Present

Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

APPLICANT:

CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS:

FILE NO: DATED:

Present

Assignment:

ACTION:

Requested:

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters

WFIW

Name WFIW Incorporated

File No.	Dated Received-	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-R-B-308	9-25-30	Renewal of lic.	Granted	10-21-30
2-P-B-1782	11-5-30	C.P. to move trans. and studio <u>from</u> Hopkinsville, Ky. (Campbell & 17th St.) <u>TO</u> Louisville, Ky. (Use of portable requested to determine exact location.)	Dismissed	3-6-31
2-R-B-308	12-24-30	Renewal of license	G.O. 103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
2-R-B-308	7-23-31	Renewal of license	Order dismissing from Hearing Docket 3-15-32	
2-P-B-2313	8-11-31	Rebuild station which was destroyed by fire. New studio location 8th & Main Sts., Hopkinsville, Ky. Transmitter, ^{location} same as before.	Granted	C.A. 8-12-31
2-ML-B-877 Resubmitted	8-12-31 9-16-31	Increase power from 1 KW to 5 KW (out of order)	Returned to applicant 9-4-31 Denied 8-12-32	

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Letters WFIWName WFIW, INCORPORATED.

File No.	Dated Resubmitted	Application for	Action		
			Nature	Date	
2-P-B-2316	8-12-31	Install new equipment and increase power from 1 KW to 5 KW.	Returned to applicant	40 and 102 9-9-31	
Resubmitted	9-16-31		Denied	8-12-32	
2-MP-B-257	9-9-31	Modify 2-P-B-2313 to move transmitter locally and make changes in authorized equipment.	Granted (Temp. Clause, awaiting decision on 2-P-B-2077)	10-20-31	
2-L-B-754	12-5-31	License to cover 2-P-B-2313 and 2-MP-B-257.	Granted (Temp. Clause, awaiting decision on 2-P-B-2077)	1-12-32	
2-R-B-308	1-29-32	Renewal of license (Unnecessary)	Granted	3-25-32	
2-R-B-308	7-16-32	Renewal of license (requested)	(H)	Granted	9-21-32
			(H)	Granted	3-21-33
			Statement of Facts-	Granted	6-16-33

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Call WAVE (11-11-33)
 Letters x WFIW

Name WAVE, INCORPORATED (2-9-34)
x WFIW, Incorporated

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
2-P-B-2681	8-24-31	Move trans. & main studio to Louisville, Ky., exact location to be determined <i>(app. modify also filed but returned - not necessary)</i>	Statement of Facts Granted	6-16-33 33
		Stay Order Lifted & Mod. C.P. issued		7-10-33 11-10-33
2-R-B-308	7-29-33	Renewal of License (5, 14c)	Returned	8-29-33
Resubmitted	9-2-33		Granted	9-19-33
2-MP-B-488	11-6-33	Modification of construction permit, P-B-2681, for approval of exact studio and transmitter location at N.E. Cor 4th & Broadway, Brown Hotel, Louisville, Ky., & extension of C & C dates to 30 days after grant & 120 days after grant respectively.	Granted	11-17-33
			For approval exact site only. (Tr. & Studio	
2-L-B-1024	12-27-33	License to cover 2-P-B-2681 as modified,	Granted	1-26-34
Amended	12-29-33	Section 1, & Section 5 (b), (d), (e), (f), (h) & (k).		
2-ML-B-1280	1-2-34	Modification of License to change name from WFIW, Incorporated to WAVE, Incorporated.	Granted	2-9-34

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W A V EName W A V E, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
3-R-B-308	1-29-34	Renewal of License	Granted	3-6-34
B2-R-308	7-25-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS: Renewal of license	Granted	9-11-34
B2-R-308	1-26-35	Renewal of license	Granted	3-12-35
B2-R-308	7-18-35	Renewal of license 6666	Granted	9-10-35
B2-P-836	10-21-35	C.P. install new equip. increase power from 1 kw to 5kw move trans. from Brown Hotel, N.E. corner Fourth & Broadway, Louisville, Ky. to site to be determined, near Louisville, Ky.	RETIRED TO CLOSED FILES 9-20-39	REQUEST ATTORNEY
B2-R-308	1-16-36	Renewal of License	Granted	3-17-36

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Letters W A V EName W A V E, INCORPORATED

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-1225	6-26-36	C.P. to install new transmitter.	Granted	7-17-36
B2-R-308	7-22-36	Renewal of license	Granted	9-22-36
B2-L-376	8-18-36	License to cover C.P.(B2-P-1225) for new trans.	Granted	9-22-36
B2-R-308	1-18-37	Renewal of license	Granted	3-26-37
B2-R-308	7-19-37	Renewal of license	Granted	9-7-37
B2-R-308	1-22-38	Renewal of license	Granted	3-16-38
B2-R-308	7-22-38	Renewal of license	Granted	9-13-38
B2-R-308	1-14-39	Renewal of license	Granted	3-6-39

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-308 Resubmitted	7-22-39 "	Renewal of license (jurat)	Returned Granted	8-8-39 9-6-39
B2-P-2531 Amended	8-24-39 11-20-39	C.P. to increase power from 1kw, to 5kw, install new transmitter, and directional antenna for/night time use. day & RE: antenna changes and move transmitter to On Hamburg Pike, 2 mi. N. of Jeffersonville, Ind.	Granted	6-25-40

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-308 Resubmitted	3-15-40 "	Renewal of license (Sec. 3b and 7d)	Returned Granted	3/22/40 5-7-40
B2-R-308	5-18-40	Renewal of license 970 kc, 5kw, U, DA	Granted	3-24-41
B2-L-1279 Rec'd.	10-30-40 11-4-40	License to cover construction permit (B2-P-2531) for increase in power, new transmitter, directional antenna for day and night use and move of transmitter.	GRANTED	11-28-40
B2-2-596 Rec'd.	10-30-40 11-4-40	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	11-28-40
B2-R-308	3-18-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335 Filed by George S. Smith atty. <i>Forms 335 returned 3-27-42 as per [unclear]</i>	Granted	5-5-42

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B2-R-308 Rec'd	5-16-44 5-19-44	Renewal of license George S. Smith atty.	Granted	7-18-44
B-R-308 Rec'd	2-17-47 2-25-47	Renewal of license Filed by George Smith atty.	GRANTED	4-10-47
BR-308 Rec'd	2-17-50 2-27-50	Renewal of license Filed by David E. Tolman atty.	GRANTED	4-21-50
BR-308 Rec'd Filed	1-10-53 1-16-53 1-16-53	Renewal of License Filed by David E. Tolman, Atty.	GRANTED	4-8-53

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FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- 9691 Rec'd Filed	2-15-55 2-17-55 2-17-55	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-5H). Segal, Smith & Hennessey, Attys.	GRANTED	2-25-55
BL-5717 Rec'd Filed	4-19-55 5-2-55 5-2-55	License to cover construction permit (BP-9691) which authorized installation of a new transmitter Seymour M. Chase, Atty.	GRANTED	5-23-55
BR-308 Rec'd Filed	4-28-55 5-2-55 5-2-55	Renewal of license. Seymour M. Chase, Atty.	GRANTED	7-20-55

FORM BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-10,161 Rec'd Filed	10-14-55 10-21-55 10-21-55	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA type 1G (with 250w Exciter) as an auxiliary transmitter at On Hamburg Pike, 2 mi. N. of Jefferson, Indiana (present location of the main transmitter) to be operated on 970kc with power of 1kw, employing DA, for auxiliary purposes only. Segal, Smith & Hennessey, Attys.	GRANTED cond'l re permittee sub. required data re Sect. 3.48 Rules for type acceptance of proposed trans.	11-2-55
BL-5953 Rec'd Filed	10-14-55 10-21-55 10-21-55	License to cover construction permit (BP-10,161) which authorized the installation of a new transmitter (RCA type 1G (with 250w Exciter) as an auxiliary transmitter at On Hamburg Pike, 2 mi. N. of Jefferson, Indiana (present location of the main transmitter) to be operated on 970kc with power of 1kw, employing DA, for Auxiliary purposes only. Seymour Chase, Atty.	GRANTED	1-6-56

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Louisville, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC 1274 Rec'd Filed	3-7-58 4-8-58 4-3-58	Modification of license to operate Main Transmitter by Remote Control from 334 East Broadway, Louisville, Kentucky, using Directional Antenna day and night (DA-1). Robert A. Marnet, Atty.	GRANTED Condi'l. re Remote & Phase indication readings Field measuring equip.	8-8-58
<u>C</u> BR-308 Rec'd. Filed	3-27-58 4-7-58 4-7-58	Renewal of license. (MAIN AND AUXILIARY TRANSMITTERS)	GRANTED	7-2-58
BRC-1474 Rec'd Filed	6-3-59 6-4-59 6-4-59	Modification of license to change Main Studio and Remote Control Point for Main Transmitter from 334 East Broadway to 725 Floyd Street, Louisville, Kentucky. (Using Directional Antenna, DA-1). Robert A. Marnet, Atty.	GRANTED	7-1-59

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-4255 R & F	12-28-59 12-30-59	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Main Transmitter only. Robert Marmet, Atty.	GRANTED GRANTED	11-14-60
BZ-4366 R & F	3-12-60 3-14-60	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Aux. trans. Atty: Robt. A. Marmet	GRANTED	11-14-60
BP-14,723 Rec'd Filed	2-28-61 3-2-61 3-2-61	CP to change directional antenna pattern and change from DA-1 to DA-2 Atty.- Segal & Marmet Eng.- A. D. Ring & Assoc.	GRANTED	6-20-62 Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof.
BR-308 Rec'd&Filed	3-27-61 3-12-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main & Aux.) Robert A. Marmet, atty.	GRANTED	7-6-61

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Name W. A. V. E. INCORPORATED
Louisville, Ky.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-2146 Rec'd Filed	10-29-62 11-2-62 11-2-62	Mod. of CP(BP-14,723) to operate/transmitter by remote control from 725 South Floyd Street, Louisville, Kentucky. (DA-2) Robert A. Marmet, Atty. as mod.	GRANTED	3-6-63
BL-9792 R. & F.	10-29-62 11-2-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,723) which auth changing DA-pattern from DA-1 to DA-2. and operate by remote control. Atty- Maret & schneider Engr-A.D. Ring & Associates	GRANTED condl re precluded.	4-26-63 presunrise
BTC-4521 R & F	3-9-64 3-10-64	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corp. from George W. Norton, Jr. to Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Company, Executor of the Estate of George W. Norton, Jr., Deceased Atty. - Robert Marmet	GRANTED EFF	3-26-64 3-30-64

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CARD #19

W.A.V.E., INC. (correct name per articles)

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LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-308 R & F	4-14-64 5-4-64	Renewal of License (Main and Auxiliary) Robert A. Marmet, Atty.	GRANTED	7-25-64
STATION NOW REPRESENTED	BY Ernest W. Jenness, Esq. Covington & Burling.		Ltr. 8-3-64	
BTC-4720 Rec'd Filed	12-8-64 12-10-64 12-10-64	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from CITIZENS FIDELITY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE W. NORTON, JR., DECEASED TO JANE MORTON NORTON AS VOTING TRUSTEE Ernest W. Jenness, Atty.	GRANTED	1-19-65 EFF: 1-22-65

Licensee: W.A.V.E, INC.
(Per Articles)

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Letters WAVEName W.A.V.E., INC.
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-4971 R & F	11-8-65 11-12-65	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Jane Morton Norton as Voting Trustee to Jane Morton Norton. Atty. Covington & Burling.	GRANTED Eff:	12-6-65 1-3-66
BR-308 R & F	5/1/67 5/3/67	Renewal of license (Main & Aux.) Atty: E. F. Czarra, Jr.	GRANTED	7-18-67
BPL-2293 R&F \$30 4533953 AUG 11 1969	7-31-69 8-6-69 8-6-69	MI chg. name licensee to Orion Broadcasting, Inc. E. Czarra, Atty.	GRANTED	8-11-69

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Letters WAVE

Name ORION BROADCASTING, INC.
Louisville, Kentucky 40201

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-308 R & F #598563 \$105. PN PRESS	4-29-70 5-4-70 5-4-70 5-4-70	Renewal of license (Main and Auxiliary) Atty: Jonathan D. Blake (Covington & Burling) 7-22-70 statement on painting of tower	GRANTED	7-30-70
BL-12,625 R & F \$594246 \$10. PTA \$597698 \$20. PRESS	4-16-70 4-20-70 4-20-70 4-30-70 5-22-70	License to modify Auxiliary Transmitter. Atty: Jonathan D. Blake (Covington & Burling)	GRANTED	8-5-70
MAY 26 1970				
BR-308 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	4-25-73 5-3-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) E.F.Czarra, Jr. Atty. AMENDED 6-25-73 re: employment program AMENDED 7-2-73 re: employment program	GRANTED	7-31-73 8-1-76
JUN 1 1973				

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Letters W.A.V.E.....

Name ORION BROADCASTING, INC.
Louisville, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-8721 R & F DM PRESS JAN 7	7-30-74 8-7-74 12-13-74 1975	Direct Measurement (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	1-31-75
BR-308 R & F PN REC'd PRESS:	3-25-76 4-1-76 4-1-76 MAY 25 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE {MAIN AND AUXILIARY} Atty: Joseph Volpe AMENDED 5-19-76 re: business interests, & commercial matter AMENDED 7-2-76 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	7-12-76
BR-790402H3 PRESS MAY 16 1979		Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Trans.) Atty.: Michael D. Berg	GRANTED	7-18-79

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

RADIO 970, INC.

Call Letters: W A V E

Name: XORION BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: Louisville, KY

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL810430ES Form 314 PRESS PN FILED 5-14-81	MUN 0 3 1981	Vol AL to Radio 970, Inc. Atty. for assignor Ray R. Paul Atty for assignee Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.	GRANTED 8-14-81 EFF:

BAL810430ES

MOTION TO DESIGNATE EARLIER EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
COMMISSION ACTIONS Filed 4-30-81 by Edgar F. Czarra, Jr.
for Orion Broadcasting Inc.

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION WFIW

WAVE (11-11-33)

WAVE, INCORPORATED(2-9-34)

Licensee WFIW, Incorporated

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
✓ 2-P-B-2077- Amended	2-24-31 6-27-31	New	Rice, Massie, T.E. Sanders, & J.C. Taylor, c/o as VOICE OF THE BLUE GRASS, Owensboro, Ky.	Re: 940 kc., 1 KW. + WFIW	Dismissed 2-26-32.
✓ 2-P-B-2304	7-22-31	New	"	Re: 940 kc., 1 KW. Unlimited Fac. of WFIW if WFIW does not rebuild	Ret. to appl. 8-22-31
2-P-B-2619	5-11-32	WLAP	American Brdcastg. Corp of Ky., Louisville, Ky.	Re: install new tr. 1KW, 940 kc., Unltd. (Fac. of WFIW)	Denied 6-16-33

Renewal Requested	Date Received	Designated for Hearing	Reason	Remarks
Memo 9-8-31	7-27-31	1-15-32	2-P-B-2077	Dismissed from docket 3-15-32
7-9-32	7-27-32	8-2-32	WLAP- 2-P-B-2619	Granted June 16, 1933.

Renewal

Requested

Date

Received

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for Hearing

Reason

Remarks

Commerce
54-A-145
Box 58

F.R.C.
54-A-145
Box 73

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.

