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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-25-41

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LOCATION: ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY-A JOINT VENTURE (Blackacre, Ltd. and Midwest Wireless, Inc.

xKVZ, INC. (AL 9-12-78 EFF:9-16-78)

(AL 9-12-78 EFF:9-16-78)

x COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC. (AL 7-19-66 EFF:7-31-66)

x WDBC BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 7-3-62, EFF: 7-16-62)

Name of licensee x DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY

On Ski Hill Road, Near Escanaba, Michigan (Lic. 2-2-50)

x Near Escanaba, Michigan (CP 5-5-49)

X Sand Point, Escanaba, Mich. (CP 4-24-41) Lic. 9-25-41

Transmitter location X To be determined, Escanaba, Mich. (C.P. 11-13-40)

49829

x 604-606 Ludington St., Escanaba, Michigan (Eff. 1-23-54 ltr. dtd. 1-31-54)

x Cor. Ludington & First St., Escanaba, Mich. (CP 4-24-41) Lic. 9-25-41

Main studio location to be determined, Escanaba, Mich. (C.P. 11-13-40)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B2-P-2854	11-13-40	1500 kc	250w	U		
Letter 12-2-40 C.P. for new broadcast station. Granted subject to approval of transmitter and studio sites, antenna and equipment capable of 250w						
B2-P-2854	4-24-41	1490	250w	U	6-24	12-24-41
B2-MP-1143	Mod. C.P. 2854 for approval of T and studio sites antenna and change type of T					
B2-L-1505	9-25-41	1490	250w	U	9-25	12-1-42
B2-Z-1229	Lic. to cover C.P. 2854 as mod. for new station. Determine operating power by direct method.					
B2-S-1135	11-24-42	Extension of license			12-1	1-1-43
and modification in accordance with Order 107						
B2-R-1135	12-16-42	1490	250w	U	12-15	12-1-43
B2-R-1135	11-23-43	1490	250w	U	12-1	12-1-45
B2-S-1135	7-10-45	1490	250w	U	10-1	12-1-45
Mod. Lic. Order 107A.						
B2-S-1135	11-21-45	Extension of license			12-1	2-1-46
B2-S-1135	1-23-46	Extension of license			2-1	4-1-46
B2-S-1135	3-20-46	Extension of license			4-1	6-1-46
B2-R-1135	5-10-46	1490	250w	U	5-10-	8-1-46
B2-TC-499	12-30-46	Transfer of control of licensee corp. from Gordon H. Brozek, Frank J. Russell, Jr. and Leo G. Brott to Frank J. Lindenthal, John P. Norton and William J. Duchaine				
EFF: 1-6-47						
BR-1135	7-6-48	1490	250w	U	8-1	8-1-51
BP-6829	7-14-48	1490	250w	U	9-14	3-14-49
CP to install new transmitter.						
BL-3319	9-7-48	1490	250w	U	9-7	8-1-51
Lic. to cover CP (6829) to install new T.						
BP-6219	5-5-49	680	1kw-DA	U	7-5	1-5-50
CP to change freq., increase power, install new T and DA for night and day use, change T site						
BMF-4912	12-23-49	680	1kw-DA	Un	7-5	4-5-50
Mod. CP (6219) for ext. of completion date.						

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Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BL-3945	2-2-50	680	1kw-DA	Un	2-2 11-1-52
	Lic. to cover CP (6219 as mod) to change freq., increase power, installation of new T and DA for day and night use and change T site.				
BR-1135	10-15-52	680kc	1kw DA-2	Unl.	11-1 10-1-55
BR-1135	9-28-55	Renewal of license			10-1 10-1-58
BTC-2304 EFF:	9-11-56 9-21-56	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Frank J. Lindenthal to George D. Lindenthal.			
Wire	9-30-58	Action on renewal application deferred 9-24-58, pending further consideration. Continued operation authorized.			
BR-1135	10-15-58	Renewal of license			10-15 10-1-61
BRC-1263 (1)	1-21-59	Mod. of license to operate Transmitter by Remote Control from 604 - 606 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan, using Directional Antenna day and night (DA-2).			
BS-1135	6-12-59	680kc	1kw-DA-2	U	6-12 10-1-61
	Mod. of license to include remote control provisions.				
BR-1135	2-28-62	680kc	1kw	Unl DA-2	2-28 10-1-64
BTC-4030 EFF:	7-3-62 7-16-62	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from George Lindenthal, Frank J. Lindenthal and William J. Duchaine to WDBC Broadcasting Company			
BAL4511 EFF:	7-3-62 7-16-62	Voluntary assignment of license to WDBC Broadcasting Company			
BP-12851	7-2-62	680kc	1kw, 10kw DA-2	U	9-2 3-2-63
	CP to increase daytime power to 10kw, install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-10H) and make changes in daytime DA system (4 tower array) (Cond'1). (RC Nighttime only) (CP forfeited, letter 4-10-63)				
Letter	9-21-62	Oper. from authorized RC point without regard to provisions of Sec. 3.6c(c)(4)			

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BP-15992	11-20-63	680kc	1kw, 10kw	U DA-2	1-20 7-20-64
		CP to replace expired CP(BP-12851) (Issued as a new CP)			
EFF	2-5-64				
BMP-11,301 (1)	8-24-64	Mod. of CP(BP-15,992 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 10-1-64.			
BP-11366 (2)	12-1-64	Mod. of CP(BP-15,992 as reinstated) for extension of completion date to 2-1-65.			
BR-1135	1-12-65	Renewal of license			1-12 10-1-67
BP-16595	3-30-65	680kc	1kw-DA-D	Aux. Day	3-30 10-1-67
		CP to install previously licensed trans (PCA-BTA-1L) to be operated on 680kc, 1kw DA-D for Auxiliary purposes only. (Trans. & Antenna)			
BL-10,840	4-22-65	680kc	1kw, 10kw	U DA-2	4-22 10-1-67
		Lic to cover CP(BP-15992 as mod & reinstated) which auth increase day power, makes chgs in DA-D & install new trans; specify type trans as Gates BC-10F Day 2 main transmitter.			
BL-11,225	3-25-66	680kc	1kw-DA-D	Aux Day	3-25 10-1-67
		Lic to cover CP(BP-16,593) which auth install new aux trans & ant to be operated on 680kc 1kw DA-D for aux purposes only. (dgtine only)			
Ltr.	1-28-66	Auth. oper. with facilities in BP-16595 common pt. current 5.2 amps for 1kw DA-D pattern oper. between 4am to local sunrise pending decision Docket 14419 or told to.			
EFF:	7-31-66	Voluntary abandonment of license to [unclear] [unclear], Inc.			

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BRC-2824	7-12-66	680kc	1kw, 10kw	DA-2 U	7-12 10-1-67
		Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 604-606 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan (Daytime Only).			
BS-1135	4-18-67	680kc	1kw-10kw	DA-2 U	4-18 10-1-67
		Mod. of lic. to make chgs. in theoretical parameters (Memo)			
BP-17661	5-4-67	680kc	1kw-10kw	DA-2 U	7-4 1-4-68
		CP to make changes in daytime DA pattern (Cond'l (Main))			
BP-17661	5-4-67	Superseding auth. to show the correct DESCRIPTION OF DIRECTIONAL ANTENNA SYSTEM (Memo).			
BR-1135	9-11-67	Renewal of License (Main)			10-1 10-1-70
		Renewal of NDEA			
BR-1135	9-11-67	680kc	1kw	DA-D Aux.	10-1 10-1-70
BMP-12282 (1)	2-13-68	Mod. of CP(BP-17,661) to change daytime pattern (MEOV).			
BP-18259	3-27-68	680kc	1kw	Aux.	4-27-69
		CP to chg. aux. trans. and antenna to non-DA.			
BL-11,965 (L)	6-25-68	Lic. (BP-17,661) Chg. in DA pattern (daytime) (MAIN)			10-1-70
BL-12,250(L)	1-31-69	Lic. (BP-18,259) for chgs. (AUX. TRANS. & ANT.) (non-DA)			10-1-70
BS-1135(1)	4-27-69	Memo chg. to Eastern Standard Time Chg. SR & SS hrs.			
BR-1135	11-13-70	Renewal of (L)Main & (L) Aux.			10-1-73
		Renewal of NDEA			
BP-19,049	7-30-71	680kc	1kw 10kw	DA-2 U	7-30-72
		CP to make changes in daytime radiation pattern.			
EBSA	5-25-72				
Ltr.	10-4-72	Gaton Vanguard I Aux. now installed.			
BL-13,303(L) BL-13,338	11-21-72	Lic(BP-19,049)for changed and Lic to use Main day trans. as an aux. Night trans			10-1-73
		680khz	1kw, 10kw	LS DA-2 RC	
		1kw	DA-N	(Aux)	

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BR-1135(L)	9-27-73	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX ANT.			10-1-76
BRC-3689(1)	2-12-74	ML to operate trans. by DA-D.	RC from SL (Main)		

BS-1135(L)	7-22-75	ML chg antenna monitor and page 2			
BTC-8457	10-20-77	Invol. TC	EFF:		
BTC-8743	9-12-78	VOL. TC	EFF:	9-16-78	
BAL-9391	9-12-78	VOL. AL	EFF:	9-16-78	
BAL-9393	9-12-78	VOL. AL	EFF:	9-16-78	
COMTEL	2-28-80	AUTHORITY AND TERMS extended thru		COMTEL 10-16-79	5-15-80
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COMTEL	10-7-80	EFFECTIVE 10-6-80 TEMP. AU. GR. OPERATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH STEP#2 OF PROCEDURE LETTER DATED 9-18-79 ALSO, AU. & TERMS COMTEL 10-16-79 REINSTATED AS OF 10-6-80 and EXT. THESE AU. EXPIRE 12-31-80			

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Name DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY

P.O. % Gordon H. Brozek,
 Marquette, Mich.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-2854	4-16-40	C.P. for a new station to be operated on: Frequency: 1500 kc (1490 kc when No. American Regional Agreement becomes effective) Power: 100 watts Hours: Unlimited time. Studio: Site to be determined, Escanaba, Mich. Trans.: Site to be determined, in or near Escanaba, Mich. Requests Class IV Station	Returned (Old Files)	4-17-40
Resubmitted	5-1-40		Granted subject to transmitter site and antenna being determined. GRANTED for 250 WATTS so necessary to submit equipment capable of that power. Letter written 12-2-40 Issued with MP-1143	11-13-40

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Newspaper affiliations - two incorporators

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-MP-1143 Rec'd.	12-27-40 12-31-40	Modification of construction permit (B2-P-2854) for approval of vertical antenna, approval of studio site at Corner Ludington & First Street, Escanaba, Michigan and transmitter site at Sand Point, east of Corner of Ludington & First Street, Escanaba, Mich. and install a new transmitter.	Granted	4-24-41
Amended Rec'd.	2-19-41 2-24-41	RE: To move transmitter 0.3 mile further east on Sand Point (same site).		
B2-L-1505 rec'd	8-28-41 8-30-41	License to cover c.p. (B2-P-2854, as modif.) for a new station, & Form 335 filed	Granted	9-25-41
B2-Z-1229 rec'd	8-23-41 8-30-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement.	Granted	9-25-41

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-1135	9-29-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335	Granted	12-15-42
B2-R-1135	9-28-43	Renewal of license (Sec. 11d)	Rev'd	10-4-43
Rec'd	10-2-43		Granted	11-23-43
Resub. rec'd	10-11-43			
B2-R-1135	9-29-45	Renewal of license		
Rec'd	10-4-45	Contracts filed 11-7-45	Granted	5-10-46
		" " 11-15-45		
B2-TC-499	6-6-46	Transfer of control of licensee corporation		
Rec'd	6-24-46	from Gordon H. Brozek, Frank J. Russell and		
Filed	6-24-46	Leo G. Brott to Frank J. Lindenthal, John P.		
		Norton and William J. Duchaine 134 shares		
		common stock (100%).		
				Docket No. 7969
				Granted without hearing
				Order issued 12-30-46
				EFF: 1-6-47

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6219 Rec'd Filed	7-18-47 7-21-47 7-21-47	Construction Permit to change frequency from 1490kc to 680kc, increase power from 250w to 1kw, install new transmitter (RCA BTA-1L) and directional antenna for night use , and change transmitter location from Sand Point, Escanaba, Michigan <u>TO</u> Near Escanaba, Michigan. (Joseph A. Zias, Atty.; James C. McNary, Engr.)	Docket # 8883 Granted 5-5-49 after being removed from hearing docket. ORDER ISSUED	
AMENDED Recd. Filed	10-27-47 10-29-47 10-29-47	AMENDED to make change in DA pattern and change transmitter location (geog.coords.only)		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	1-16-48 1-19-48 1-19-48	AMENDED to change DA from night use only to day and night (DA-2) and change transmitter location to geog.coords only		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1135 Rec'd	5-14-48 6-1-48	Renewal of license Filed by Joseph F. Zias, Attorney	GRANTED	7-6-48
EP-6829 Rec'd Filed	6-17-48 6-21-48 6-21-48	Construction Permit to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-250-L). Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	7-14-48
HL-3319 Rec'd Filed	8-9-48 8-13-48 8-13-48	License to cover C. P. (EP-6829) which authorized installation of new transmitter.	GRANTED	9-7-48
HMP-4912 Rec'd Filed	12-5-49 12-7-49 12-7-49	Modification of construction permit (EP-6219, which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for day and night use and change transmitter location) for extension of completion date from 1-5-50 to 4-5-50. Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	12-23-49

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3945 Rec'd Filed	1-10-50 1-17-50 1-17-50	License to cover C.P. (BP-6219, as mod.) which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and DA for day and night use and change transmitter location.	GRANTED	2-2-50
BR-1135 Rec'd Filed	7-28-52 7-30-52 7-30-52	Renewal of license Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	10-15-52
BR-1135 Rec'd Filed	6-25-55 7-1-55 7-1-55	Renewal of license Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-55

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Escanaba, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-2304 Rec'd Filed	8-13-56 8-15-56 8-15-56	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Frank J. Lindenthal to George D. Lindenthal Joseph F. Zias, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	9-11-56 9-21-56
BRC-1263 Rec'd Filed	1-16-58 3-26-58 3-26-58	Modification of license to operate Transmitter by Remote Control from 604 - 606 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan, using Directional Antenna day and night (DA-2) Loucks, Zias, Young & Jansky, Attys.	GRANTED	1-21-59
BR-1135 Rec'd Filed	6-12-58 6-25-58 6-25-58	Renewal of license Joseph F. Zias, Attorney	GRANTED	10-15-58

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-12,851 Rec'd Filed	1-20-59 2-19-59 2-19-59	Construction Permit to increase daytime power from 1kw to 10kw, install a new transmitter (RCA-BTA-10H) and make changes in daytime DA system (4 tower array) Atty.- Loucks, Zias & Jansky Engr.- James C. McNary (Forfeited)	GRANTED Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof.. Subseq. to adjustment of the daytime array and before prog. tests are authorized.	7-2-62
BR-1135 Rec'd & Filed	6-26-61 6-28-61	Renewal of License	GRANTED	2-28-62
BTC-4030 Rec'd Filed	4-10-62 4-12-62 4-12-62	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from George Lindenthal, Frank J. Lindenthal and William J. Duchaine to WDBC Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED EFF	7-3-62 7-16-62

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-4511 Rec'd Filed	4-10-62 4-12-62 4-12-62	Voluntary assignment of license to WDBC Broadcasting Company. (CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BTC-4030)	GRANTED EFF	7-3-62 7-16-62
BP Rec'd	3-29-63 4-1-63	Construction permit to replace expired permit (BP-12851, which auth. increase in day power to 10 kw; install new RCA BTA-10H transmitter and make changes in daytime DA (4 towers).	RETURNED	4-10-63 Construction permit not assigned to current licensee.
BP-15992 Rec'd Filed	5-27-63 6-4-63 11-20-63	Construction permit to replace expired permit (BP-12851, which auth. increase in day power to 10kw; install new RCA BTA-10H transmitter and make changes in daytime DA (4 towers).	GRANTED	11-20-63 Issued as a new CP (same conditions)
BAP-250 Rec'd Filed	5-27-63 6-4-63 11-20-63	Voluntary assignment of construction permit (BP-15992 as reinstated) to WDBC BROADCASTING COMPANY Req. waiver of Sec. 1.365 of Rules, if applic.	GRANTED EFF	1-22-64 2-5-64

Atty. - Arthur Stambler
W. C. & C. Stambler, Inc., Washington, D. C.

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Escanaba, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1135 Rec'd Filed	6-24-64 6-26-64 7-6-64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-12-65
BMP-11,301 R.&F.	7-11-64 7-14-64	Mod. of CP(BP-15,992 as reinstated, which auth. incr. day power, chgs in Day DA & install new trans.) for ext. of comple date from 7-20-64 to _____. Atty: Arthur Stambler	GRANTED to	8/24/64 10-1-64

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-11,366 R.&F.	9-21-64	Mod. of C.P. (BP-15,992 as reinstated, which auth. increase day power, chgs. in Day DA & install new trans.) for extension of compl. date from 10-1-64 to 11-16-64. Atty: Arthur Stambler	GRANTED to	12-2-64
	9-24-64			7-1-65
BP-16,595 Rec. Filed	2-10-65	C.P. to use previously licensed trans. (RCA BTA-1L) as daytime auxiliary trans. to be opr. on 680kc 1kw, DA-D for auxiliary purposes only. (Trans. & Antenna) Atty: Theodore Baron	RETURNED unnecessary GRANTED Conditional	3-9-65 as
	2-16-65			Ret. in error
	2-16-65			3-30-65
EL-10,810 R. & F.	11-23-64 11-24-64	License to cover construction permit (BP-15992 as modified and reinstated) which authorized increase day power, make chgs in DA-D, & install new trans; specify type trans. as Gates BC-107 (Day) Atty- Scharfeld, Pechhoefer, Baron and Stambler (2 Main Trans.) P. O. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	4-22-65

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COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC.

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Escanaba, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BRC-2824 Rec'd Filed	1-31-66 2-3-66 2-3-66	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 604-606 Ludington Street, Escanaba, Michigan (Daytime Only).	GRANTED	7-12-66
BL-11,225 Rec'd Filed	11/2/65 11/4/65 1/24/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-16,595) which auth. install new aux. trans. & ant. to be operated on 680kc 1kw-DA-D, for aux. purposes only. (daytime only)	GRANTED	3-25-66
BAL-5820 R & F (Form 316)	6-27-66 6-29-66	Voluntary assignment of license to COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC.	GRANTED	7-19-66
BP-17,661 R & F	3-30-67 4-4-67	CP to make changes in DA ^{daytime} pattern (main) Engr. Robert A. Jones, La Grange, Ill. (req. waiver of 73.37 of Rules, if nec.)	GRANTED	EFF: 7-31-66 5-4-67
				Cond'l res: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., A partial proof of performance.

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680kc

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Name COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC.
Escanaba, Michigan

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BR-1135 Rec'd Filed	6-27-67 6-28-67 7-18-67	Renewal of license (Main Transmitters)	GRANTED	9-11-67
BR-1135 R & F AUG 15 1957	8-3-67 8-7-67	Renewal of license (Auxiliary)	GRANTED	9-11-67
BL-11,965 Rec'd Filed #377903 \$30 Amended JUN 11 1968	8/24/67 8/28/67 12/28/67 9/7/67 12/28/68 4/15/68	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,661) which auth. chng. daytime DA pattern. (Main) Engr: Robt. A. Jones, LaGrange, Ill. re engr. data	GRANTED	6-25-68
BMP-12,282 Rec'd Filed FEB 5 1968	11-7-67 11-9-67 11-28-67	Mod. of CP (BP-17,661) which auth. changes in daytime DA pattern) to change daytime pattern (MEOV) Engr: Robt. A. Jones, LaGrange, Ill.	GRANTED	2-13-68

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Letters W D B CName Communications Properties, Inc.
Escanaba, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EP-18,259 R. & F. #446385 \$30 AUG 23 1958	7-22-68 7-24-68 7-24-68	CP to change auxiliary transmitter and antenna from DA-D to non-directional antenna. (RCA BTA-1L). enr-Robert A. Jones (La Grange, Ill)	GRANTED	8-27-68
BL-12,250 R & F #480445 \$30 PT JAN 31 1969	12/23/68 12/30/68 12/30/68 1/9/69	License (EP-18,259) for changs. (Aux. trans. & ant.)(non-DA)	GRANTED	1-31-69
BR-1135 R & F \$105 #612619 PN Recd. PRESS 9-30-70 Annual fee \$48.00	6-16-70 6-30-70 " AUG 11 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) F.H. Walton, Jr. Atty. (Dempsey & Koplovitz) AMENDED 9-2-70 re: commercial policy AMENDED 9-24-70 re: Engineering AMENDED 10-28-70 re: engineering (skel proof) deducted from \$165.00 Renewal filing fee. \$117.00 credited to 1971.	GRANTED	11-13-70

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Escanaba, Michigan

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BP-19,049 R & F #674682 \$50 ACC. 060 Press JUL 28 1971	3-26-71 3-29-71 3-29-71	Construction permit to make changes in daytime radiation pattern.	GRANTED	7-30-71
BL-13,303 Rec'd W 095690-\$50 Filed PTA Amended PTA reinstated PRESS OCT 4 1972	7-5-72 7-17-72 7-28-72-AC-067 7-28-72 8-8-72 9-26-72 9-26-72	Lic.(BP-19,049) for changes.(Nighttime Transmitter: GATES-VANGUARD I-)(Main Transmitters) Ltd thru 9-8-72 engr. exhibit	GRANTED	11-21-72
BL-13,338 Rec'd W 12127-\$50 AC-067 Filed PTA PRESS	10-11-72 10-16-72 11-2-72 11-2-72 11-9-72	Lic. to use former Main Day transmitter (GATES, BC-10-P) as an Auxiliary Night trans. lkw-DA-2.	granted	11-21-72

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BR-1135 R & F PN PRESS	6-25-73 7-2-73 7-2-73 8-20-73	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Frederick H. Walton, Jr.	GRANTED	9-27-73
BRC-3689 R & F \$50-254278 AC-056	11-12-73 11-20-73 11-20-73 1-9-74	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 606 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich. DA-Day Atty: Frederick H. Walton, Jr.	GRANTED	2-12-74
BR-1135 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-25-76 6-1-76 " " AUG 9 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.) Jas. R. Cooke, Atty. (McKenna & Kittner) (OVER)	GRANTED	ISSUED
BTC-8457 Rec'd Filed FORM 316 Also see KHAK (AM), etc SEP 29 1977	8/30/77 9/1/77 9/21/77	Involuntary transfer of control of lic corp from Hart Nunez Cardozo, Jr. to Harold M. Gellman and Diane K. Cardozo, Personal Repre- sentatives of the Estate of Hart Nunez Cardozo, Jr., deceased Atty - Dempsey & Koplovitz	GRANTED EFF:	10-20-77

(ER790601UD) SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION filed 6-1-79 as
an amendment to pending renewal application. PRESS:

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DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY-A JOINT VENTURE (Blackacre, Ltd. Call Letters W D B C)
 and MIDWEST WIRELESS, Inc.)
 xKVZ, INC.

Name x COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC.
 Escanaba, Mich.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC -8743 R & F FORM 315 (SEE KATE ETC)	6-5-78 6-7-78	Vol. transfer of control of lic corp from Harold M. Gellman and Diane K. Cardozo, Personal Representatives of the Estate of Hart Nunez Cardozo, Jr., Deceased; to KVZ, INC. Atty - Dempsey & Koplovitz	GRANTED EFF:	9-12-78 9-16-78
BAL -9391 R & F FORM 316 (SEE ABOVE)	5-19-78 6-7-78	Voluntary assignment of license to KVZ, INC. Atty - Dempsey & Koplovitz	GRANTED EFF:	9-12-78 9-16-78
BAL -9393 R & F FORM 314 (ALSO SEE FM) JUL 5 1978 PN FILED	6-5-78 6-7-78 7-17-78	Voluntary assignment of license to DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY - A JOINT VENTURE (Blackacre, Ltd. and Midwest Wireless, Inc.) Contingent on gr of BAL-9391 & BTC-8743 Atty for assignor - Dempsey & Koplovitz for assignee - McKenna, Wilkinson & Kuttner	GRANTED EFF:	9-12-78 9-16-78

BAL-9393 Amended 7-26-78 re: appl. filed 6-23-78 for
CATV system by Blackacre, Ltd. & WCOR B/C Corporation

AMENDED 8-25-78 re: plan of financing; 1st yr. source
of funds; bank ltr.; pledge agree.; & amend. to Asset
Purchase agree.

AMENDED 8-18-78 re: bal. sheet; & balance sheets.

AMENDED 9-7-78 re: affirmation to make chgs. in ant sys.

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DELTA BROADCASTING COMPANY-AJOINT VENTURE OF
MIDWEST WIRELESS, INC. & BLACKACRE, LTD.

Name: COMMUNICATIONS PROPERTIES, INC.

Station Location: ESCANABA, MICHIGAN

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BZ-9849 R & F Amended	12-20-77 6-15-81	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: James R. Cooke (McKenna, Wilkinson & (302) Requesting STA Kittner)	ISSUED
PTA PRESS AUG 25 1981	7-9-81		

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.

