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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 4-8-64W E N O (1-14-80)  
Call letters X W S B PStation location Chattahoochee, Fla.

ERWIN O'CONNOR TR/AS SOUNDWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL gr 11/11/75 EFF: 12/10/75)

XROSCOE FLEETWOOD TR/AS RADIO STATION WSBP (AL 4-10-73 EFF: 3-20-74)

XCHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL-5-18-64 EFF: 6-6-64)

xEMORY L. POPE, RALPH D. WAITS, JR., GRADY E. POPE, EDGAR W. SCARBOROUGH

Name of licensee AND W. F. JOHNSON d/b as CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANYTransmitter location On Hwy. 269, 1/2 mi. S. of city limits of Chattahoochee, Fla. (BP 7-24-63)

32324

Main studio location Same as transmitter.



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BP-15339	7-24-63	1580kc	1kw	Day	9-24 3-24-64
	CP for a new standard broadcast station.				
BP-15339 (1)	8-30-63	Mod. of CP(BP-15339) to assign Call Letters.			
BL-10378	4-8-64	1580kc	1kw	Day	4-8 2-1-67
	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,339) which auth. a new standard broadcast station, delete remote control.				
BAL-5074	5-18-64	Voluntary assignment of license to			
EFF:	6-6-64	Chattahoochee Broadcasting Company			
BTC-4746	2-5-65	Voluntary acquisition of negative			
EFF:	7-1-65	control of lic.corp.by Emory L.Pope thru purchase of stock from Ralph D.Waits,Jr			
BR-4318	2-13-67	1580kc	1kw	Day	2-13 2-1-70
	Voluntary transfer of control.				
BTC-5893	3-5-70	VOL. TC EFF: 3-12-70			
BR-4318(S)	6-25-70	Renewal of License & NDEA			2-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				
BAL-7820	4-10-73	VOL AL EFF: 3-20-74			
BR-4318(S)	1-31-73	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX.			2-1-76
BAL-8504	11/11/75	V61 AL EFF: 12/10/75			
BR-4318(L)	1-6-77	Renewal of license			2-1-79
BP-20526	8-24-78	1580khz	5kw	Day	8-24-79
	CP inc. power & chg. trans.				
BL 781019AN	1-22-79	LIC.(BP-20526) for chgs.			
BR 781002 WF	3-13-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-82
EBSA	1-14-80	CHANGE CALL			



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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

GRADY E. POPE

Call Letters new WSBP

EMORY L. POPE, RALPH D. WAITS, JR., / EDGAR W. SCARBOROUGH AND W. F. JOHNSON d/b as

Name CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
CHATTAHOOCHEE, FLORIDA (P.O. Emory L. Pope, Box 582, Moultrie, Ga.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,339 Rec'd Filed	1-20-62	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1580kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Type transmitter - Gates BC-4T BC-1G Trans. location - On Hwy. 269; 1/2 mile south of city limits of Chattahoochee, Fla. Studio location - <del>To-be-determined</del> Same as transmitter Chattahoochee, Florida Remote Control - <del>Same as studio</del> Same as transmitter  Eng. Emerson W. Browne, Tallahassee, Fla.	GRANTED	7-24-63
	1-22-62			
	1-22-62			
Amend R&F	4-22-63	AMENDED to change applicant name to: Emory L. Pope, Ralph D. Waits, Jr., Grady E. Pope Edgar W. Scarborough and W. F. Johnson d/b as Chattahoochee Broadcasting Company, specify studio and R C location and change type transmitter		
	4-24-63			



FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955 #2

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WSBP  
Letters Scarborough

Name Emory L. Pope, Ralph D. Waits, Jr., Grady E. Pope, Edgar W. Johnson and W. F. Johnson d/b as CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Chattahoochee, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-10,378 R. & F. PROG. TEST 10-31-63	10-17-63 10-21-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,339) which auth a new standard broadcast station, and delete remote control.	GRANTED	4-8-64
BAL-5074 R & F	3-21-64 3-24-64	Voluntary assignment of license to CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY	GRANTED EFF:	5-18-64 6-6-64
BTC-4746 R & F	1-13-65 1-18-65	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corp. by Emory L. Pope thru purchase of stock from Ralph D. Waits, Jr.	GRANTED EFF:	2-5-65 7-1-65
BTC- Rec'd (Form 316)	11-17-65 12-23-65	Voluntary transfer of stock of lic. corp. from William D. Graham to James R. Bolden	RET'D 1-6-66 not nec.	(to be filed on 323)



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AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1580kc

Call  
Letters W S B P

Name CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Chattahoochee, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4318 Rec'd RESUBMITTED Filed & Rec'd	10-19-66 10-27-66 12-7-66 12-12-66	Renewal of license	GRANTED <del>Ret'd</del> by General Manager	2-13-67 <del>12-1-66</del>
<del>BTC-5389</del> <del>Rec'd</del> <del>Filed</del>	<del>6-10-67</del> <del>6-21-67</del> <del>7-20-67</del>	<del>Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic. corp. by Emory L. Pope thru sale of stock to Roscoe Fleetwood</del>	<del>GRANTED</del> <del>EFF</del>	<del>8-8-67</del> <del>8-29-67</del>
<del>TC-5893</del> <del>R&amp;F</del> <del>FEE PD: \$75 - #499442</del> <del>(SEE OVER)</del> <del>MAR 27 1969</del>	<del>3-7-69</del> <del>3-17-69</del>	<del>Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic. corp. by Roscoe Fleetwood thru purchase of stock from Emory L. Pope</del>	<del>GRANTED</del> <del>EFF: 3-12-70</del>	<del>3-5-70</del>
BR-4318 R&F \$75-557973 PN filed Press	10-27-69 11-4-69 11-4-69 11-4-69	Renewal of license. AMENDED 1-23-70 re: Programming AMENDED 2-18-70 re: Financial & programming data	GRANTED	6-25-70



RE: BTC-5893 - Sec.IV-A mailed 3-26-69 for past & prop.  
programming. Filed 4-14-69.

AMENDED 9-18-69; Re: Section II, Financing and Community  
Needs.

AMENDED 10-27-69 re agreement(reply to ltr 10-22-69)  
Statement re stock (unauthorized TC) filed 1-14-70



September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1580kc.

Erwin O'Connor tr/as SOUNDWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Call  
Letters W S B P

X ROSCOE FLEETWOOD TR/AS RADIO STATION WSBP

X CHATTAHOOCHEE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name  
Chattahoochee, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4318 R & F P. N. PRESS NOV 9 1972	10-30-72 10-31-72 10-31-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 11-17-72 re: employment policy	GRANTED	1-31-73
BAL-7820 Re&E FEE PD: \$250 #151886 CODE 053 (Form 316) RESUBMIT R & F FEB 28 1973	1-24-73 2-7-73 2-19-73 2-21-73	Voluntary assignment of license to ROSCOE FLEETWOOD tr/as RADIO STATION WSBP	<del>RETURNED 2-15-73</del> <del>NOT SIGNED</del> GRANTED EFF: 3-20-74 (per Form 323)	4-10-73
BAL-8504 R & F FEE PD: \$200 #472144 CODE 047 OCT 1 1975	8-30-75 9-3-75	Voluntary assignment of license to ERWIN O'CONNOR tr/as SOUNDWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY AMENDED 10-31-75 re community survey & needs	GRANTED EFF: Fee Req Fee Pd	11/11/75 12/10/75 12/23/75 W 511244



(BR-4318) Sect. VI mailed 11-7-72



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Call  
Letters W S B P

ERWIN O'CONNOR tr/as SOUNDWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name  ROSCOE FLEETWOOD tr/as RADIO STATION WSBP

CHATTAHOOCHEE, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4318 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-25-75 10-2-75 <b>NOV 6 1975</b>	RENEWAL OF LICENSE PETITION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND filed 1-15-76 by Soundway B/Casting Company AMENDED 11-9-76 re: Petition for leave	GRANTED	1-6-77
RF- 20,526 Recd & filed 586606 \$100 MAY 1 1978	6-28-76 6-30-76 7-1-76 MAY 1 1978	CP Increase power to 5kw and change trans. to GATES BC-5P Atty: none Engr: Palmer Greer	GRANTED	6-28-76
	8-15-78	PETITION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND FILED BY SOUNDWAY B/CING CO. (WSBP)		
BR781002WF PRESS	<b>NOV 3 1978</b>	Renewal of License PETITION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND RENEWAL APPLICATION filed 2-9-79 by Soundway Broadcasting Company	GRANTED	3-13-79



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1580khz

Call W E N O  
Letters X W S B P

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Name ERWIN O'CONNOR tr/as SOUNDWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Chattahoochee, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-781019AN R & F PTA PRESS	10-19-78 10-31-78 NOV 9 1978	Lic. to cover BP-20526 for changes	GRANTED	1-22-79



## 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.

