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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed ___June 7, 1973

WJLJ (EFF 2-14-72 Call letters XWTLE

J.A. BAXTER, JR., GORDON L. BOSTIC and RAYMOND F. AKIN, Station location Tupelo, Mississippi

* ALL AMERICA BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL: 5-30-79 EFF: 7/1/79

* NORTH EAST RADIO, INC. (AL 2-15-78 EFF: 2-24-78

*TOWN AND COUNTRY BROADCASTING COMPANY OF TUPELO, INC. (AL 9-26-74 EFF:

Name of licensee x JAMES L. JUMPER, tr/as TOWN 'N COUNTRY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Redes: 1 mi. S. of Elizabeth St., at Frisco RR. Tupelo, Miss. BRC-6-10-Transmitter location x Eason Blvd. & Frisco RR Tupelo, Mississippi (BP 9-1-71)

ZIP: 38801

113 Industrial Road, Tupelo, Mississippi (LETTER - 6-18-81)

X First Floor, Professional Bldg., 420 West Main St., Tupelo, Miss.

Main studio location To be determined

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name James L. Jumper, tr/as Town 'N Country Broadcasting Company Tupelo, Mississippi (Hwy 15, South, Ripley, Miss. 38663)

			ACTION ACTION	
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
Rec'd	11-27-67 11-29-67 11-29-67	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1060kc Power: 250w , DA-D	GRANTED	9-1-71
		Hours: Daytime Trans: RCA BTA-1R1 Trans loc: Eason Elvd & Frisco RR, Tupelo, Mississippi Studio loc: To be determined, Tupelo, Miss. Remote control: To be determined, Tupelo, Miss. atty-none		
		engr-Ralph J. Bitzer St.Louis, Mo. Y filed by Ehrinsky behalf James W. Eatherton (TIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION. By Eugene T. Smi TON TO DENY filed by Eugene Smith.	WACR Colu	imbus. Miss.
Amended 11-7- Amended 2-2-7 Amended 2-27- Amended 2-27	re: Engine		2- 5-1	

CONTACT: JAMES L. JUMPER
PHONE: CODE 601; 837-7586
ADDRESS: HIGHWAY 15, COUTH
RIPLEY, MISS.

Amended 2-22-71 re: Programming

JOINT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT RELATING TO DISMISSAL OF APPLICATION OF FRANK E. HOLLADAY AND JOSEPH W. CARSON, PARTNERS filed 4-16-71 by Leonard Joyce and Eugene Smith on behalf of applicants.

Amended 5-21-71 re: Sect. III (Financial Information)
Amended 8-3-71 re: Statistical Data

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Action

Name JAMES L. JUMPER, tr/as TOWN "N COUNTRY BROADCASTING COMPANY Tupelo, Mississippi

F	ile No.	Dated	Application for		e Date
R & 1	096662	7-24-72 8-1-72 8-1-72 2 8 1972	MP(BP-17,986) for extension of completion date to 12-1-72 (new) Atty: Eugene T. Smith	GRANTE to	0 12-1-72
R & W 10 *LTD	PTA nded ext. SS	8-9-72 8-14-72 8-14-72-067 8-17-72 9-19-72 9-12-72 DEC 21 1977	Lic.(BP-17,986, as mod.) for New MM Broadcas Station. Transmitter: CCA, AM, 250-D. T-SL redes as: 1 mi. S. of Elizabeth St., at Frisco RR. *pend. rec. engr. exhibits Section VI Atty: Eugene T. Smith	ORANTED	6-7-73
R & DM PRES	F	2-13-74 2-13-74 7-31-74 1974			8-5-74 application.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY BROADCASTING COMPANY OF TUPELO, INC.

Name x JAMES L. JUMPER tr/as TOWN "N" COUNTRY ERCADCASTING COMPANY

Tupelo, Mississippi					
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Nature	10n Date	
BAL-8221 R & F FEE FD: \$25 CODE 04707	8-7-74 8-14-74 0 #336233 rm 316)	Voluntary assignment of license to TOWN AND COUNTRY BROADCAS THE COMPANY OF TUPELO, INC. Atty - E.T. Smith	CRANTED EFF: 10-2	9-26-74 -74	
BP19,910 Rec'd Filed \$200-398759 AC-017 PN filed JUN 3 197	3-6-75 3-6-75 3-6-75 4-22- 7 5	operation to cit. Install trans. Gates BC-IH n	Action Se	c. 1.1305"	
AC-056	4-3-75 4-10-75 67 4-10-75	Modification of license to change main studio location to First Floor, Professional GRA Bldg., 420 West Main Street, Tupelo, Miss. Atty: Eugene T. Smith. operate transmitter by remote control from students. C.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.		6-10-75	

BP-19,910 Amended 6-24-75 re: Eng. statement, supplementary data.

PETITION TO DENY filed 7-25-75 by Leonard S. Joyce on behalf of West Alabama Broadcasting Company

PETUTION TO DENY OR DISMISS filed 7-28-75 by Robert Coll on behalf of Lee Broadcasting Company

MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME filed 8-7 75 by Eugene T Smith on behalf of Town and Country Broadcasting on of Tupelo, Inc WJLJ

MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME filed 8-11-75 by Eugene T. S_{mith} on behalf of WJLJ

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENYfiled 11-3-75 by Charles W. Russell General Manager on behalf of Town and Country Broadcasting company of Tupelo, Inc.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 12-4-75 by Charles Russeel -Sec.-Treas of Station Town & Country B/C Co. on behalf of station WJLJ

RE: BAL-9226 - Exh 2A not filed with appl. (current bal sheet for assignor)

AMENDED 2-10-78 re:Balance sheet Exh. 2-A

RE: BAL/EG - NOTED: Assignor is proposed assignee for WELO(AM,FM)

Amended 1-23-79 re: Plan of Financing

Amended 1-24-79 re:line of credit from Peoples Bank & Trust for plan of financing

AMENDED 5-15-79 re: Cert. By-laws; other B/c int. of James E. Poole, Jr.; plan of financing; EEO and promiss-ory notes.

BAL801124FP AMENDED 1-15-81 re: Sect. IV-A; program logs;

AMENDED 1-27-81 re: Financial Plan

AMENDED 1-27-81 re: Balance sheet, Request for

exception of 3 yr Rule.

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 a few sets of microfiche 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.

