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Patent No. 1390199

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

#1

Date first licensed 6-5-41

Call letters W K W K

SEE CARD #2

STATION LOCATION: Wheeling,
West Virginia

xxCAMPTOWN INDUSTRIES, INC. (BML 1-31-73)

x PUBLISHERS BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 12-10-69 EFF: 1-21-70)

x WK, INC. (AL-5-27-65; EFF: 6-15-65)

Name of licensee x COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.

Transmitter location x Glenwood Road, Wheeling, W. Va. (CP 1-14-58)
x Corner Market & 16th Sts., Wheeling, W. Va. CP 4-3-41 Lic. 6-5-41

12th & Main Street, Suite No. 3, Medical Tower, Wheeling, W. Va. (BS)
16th and Market Sts., Wheeling, West Va (BRC-9-30-60) 11-30-7

26003 Main studio location x Corner Market & 16th Sts., Wheeling, W. Va. (CP 4-3-41 Lic. 6-5-41

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From—	To—
LETTER B2-P-2967	11-26-40	1370,	100w,	U.	Granted subj.	
C.P. for new station at Wheeling, W.Va. Letter written.						
B2-P-2967	4-3-41	1400	100w	U	6-3	12-3-41
B2-MP-1229	Mod.C.P. for approval of T and S sites, antenna and specify NARBA frequency					
B2-MP-1283	5-2-41	1400	100w	U.	6-3	12-3-41
Mod of CP (B2-P-2967) as mod. for new transmitter.						
B2-L-1412	6-5-41	1400	100w	U	6-5	12-1-41
B2-Z-922	Lic. to cover C.P.2967 as mod. for new station. Determine operating power by direct method.					
B3-R-1117	11-18-41	1400	100w	U	12-1	8-1-43
B3-ML-1095	1-6-42	1400	250w	U	1-6	8-1-43
Mod. license to increase power						
Letter	2-29-42	Mr. Joe L. Smith, ^{Attorney} -in-fact, for Joe L. Smith, Jr., for period not to exceed 6 mos. after cessation of hostilities or Smith Jr.'s separation from armed service of the U.S., whichever is earlier				
B2-S-1117	11-6-42	1400	250w	U	12-1	8-1-43
Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107						
B2-R-1117	7-27-43	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-45
B2-Z-1685	5-14-45	1400	250w	U	5-14	8-1-45
Determine operating power by direct measurement						
B2-S-1117	7-24-45	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-45
B2-R-1117	8-21-45	1400	250w	U	8-21	8-1-47
B2-S-1117	8-21-45	1400	250w	U	10-1	8-1-47
Mod. Lic. Order 107A						
BR-1117	7-24-47	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-50
BTC-635	7-6-48	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corp. from Joe L. Smith, Jr. to Joe L. Smith, Jr., Incorporated.				
EFF: 8-1-48						
BR-1117	7-21-50	1400	250w	U	8-1	8-1-53

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee COMMUNITY SERVICE BROADCASTING, INC., (BAL gr. 7/18/75 EFF: 9/1/75)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BTC-1160 Eff.	9-12-51 10-8-51	Transfer of control of licensee corp. from Joe L. Smith, Jr., Incorporated to JOHN B. REYNOLDS			
Telegram	7-15-53	Action on renewal deferred 7-8-53 and continued operation auth. until final determination on renewal.			
BR-1117	7-29-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-53 10-1-54
<u>BR-1117</u>	<u>9-22-54</u>	<u>Renewal of license</u>			<u>10-1 10-1-57</u>
BR-1117	9-19-57	Renewal of License			10-1 10-1-60
BP-11533	1-14-58	1400kc	250w	Un	3-14-58 9-14-58
	Construction permit to change antenna-transmitter location; change in antenna description and ground system.				
EL-7170	9-8-58	1400kc	250w	U	9-8 10-1-60
	License to cover CP (BP-11533) which authorized change of antenna-transmitter location, utilizing a combining AM&FM tower (increase in height) and changes in ground system.				
BTC-3123 EFF: Anderson Reynolds	5-15-59 6-4-59 Reynolds, Deceased.	Involuntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from John B. Reynolds, to Corrine Executrix of the Estate of John B.			
BTC-3210 EFF:	9-9-59 9-14-59	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Corinne Anderson Reynolds Executrix of the Estate of John B. Reynolds Deceased to Lewis W. Dickey.			
BRC-1736 (1)	9-30-60	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 16th and Market Streets, Wheeling, West Virginia.			
	9-28-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-1117	5-11-61	1400	250w	U	5-11 10-1-63
BP-15319	2-21-62	1400kc	250w	Unl.	4-21 10-21-62
	CP to install new transmitter (RCA BTA-1R)				

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BNP-10,018 (1)	11-2-62	Mod. of CP(BP-15,319) for completion date to			ext. of 12-31-62
BP-15352	4-23-63	1400kc	250w, 1kw-LS	U	6-23 12-23-63 CP to increase daytime power to 1kw and install new transmitter (RCA BTA-1R1) (Cond'1).
BL-9789	4-25-63	1400kc	250w	U	4-24 10-1-63 Lic to cover CP(BP-15,319 as mod) which auth installing a new transmitter and specify an RCA BTA-1R1 type transmitter.
BL-10,140	8-6-63	1400kc	250-1kw	U	8-6 10-1-63 Lic. to cover CP (BP-15,352) which auth. inc. day power. COND'L
BL-10,141	9-11-63	1400kc	250w	Alt.M-Aux.	9-11 10-1-63 Lic. to use old main trans. (RCA-250K) at pres. loc. of main trans; operated on 1400kc, 250w, with RC from main studio loc. ; aux. trans.-day and alt. main trans.-night.
BR-1117	11-15-63	Renewal of license Main & Alt Main & Aux			11-15 10-1-66
BAL-5383	5-27-65 Eff: 6-15-65	Voluntary assignment of license to WK, INC.			
BZ-5642	9-23-65	1400kc	250w-1kw-LS	U	9-23 10-1-66 Authority to determine operating power (Main) by direct measurement of antenna power
BZ-5643	9-23-65	1400kc	250w	Alt.M-Aux.	9-23 10-1-66 Authority to determine operating power (AUX) by direct measurement of antenna power
BR-1117	1-5-67	Renewal of License (Main & Alt. Main-Aux.) (Short term)			1-5 2-1-68
BZ-6612 (1)	9-29-67 (Main)	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
BZ-6613 (1)	9-29-67 (Aux.)	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
		(Alt. M.)			
BR-1117	1-31-68	1400kc	250w-1kw-LS	U	1-31 10-1-69 250w Alt. M-Aux.
BAL-670	12-10-69	Vol. AL			

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-1117(S)	12-19-69	Renewal of License (Main & Alt.M-Aux.)			12-19 10-1-72
EEF: 1-21-70					
BS-1117 (L)	2-24-70	Mod.Lic. designate as Auxiliary Only.		RCA 250K trans.	
EBSA	5-22-72				
BS-1117(L)	11-30-72	ML to chg. SL & RC. (Main & Aux.)			
BR-1117(S)	11-7-72	Renewal of Main & Aux.			10-1-75
BML-2441(L)	1-31-73	ML to chg. corporate name.			
BAL-8406	7/18/75	Vol AL EEF: 9/1/75			
BR-1117(L)	9-23-75	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			10-1-78
BR-1117(S)	10-6-78	Renewal (Main & Aux.)			10-1-81
BZ801203AC(1)	12-29-80	DIRECT MEASUREMENT			10-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call W K W K
Letters X NEWName COMMUNITY BROADCASTING INC.P.O. 608 Woodlawn Ave., Beckley, W. Va.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-2967 Rec'd	7-10-40 8-30-40	C.P. for a new station to be operated on: Frequency - 1370 kc Class IV. Power - 100 watts Time - unlimited S & T - to be determined, Wheeling, W. Va.	GRANTED Min. # 803, subject to approval of site and antenna. LETTER WRITTEN. Issued with MP-1229	11-26-40
B2-MP-1229 received	3-12-41 3-12-41	Mod of C.P.(B2-P-2967) for approval of antenna, approval of studio and transmitter site at Cor. Market & 16th Sts., Wheeling, W. Va. and re- questing 1400 kc under NARBA.	Granted	4-3-41
B2-MP-1283 received	4-12-41 4-14-41	Mod of C.P.(B2-P-2967) for new type transmitter.	Granted	5-2-41

RCA 250-K.
DCC
Max 250w

Pierson- attorney.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-L-1412 rec'd	4-16-41 5-1-41	License to cover Construction Permit (B2-P-2967) for a new station on 1400 kc, 100w, unlimited.	Granted	6-5-41
B2-Z-922 rec'd	4-16-41 5-1-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna input in compliance with Section 3.54.	Granted	6-5-41
B2-ML-1095 rec'd filed	9-22-41 9-23-41 9-23-41	Mod. of license to increase power from 100w to 250watts. Form 335 filed.-T.Pierson,Atty.	Granted	1-6-42
B2-R-1117	10-1-41	Renewal of license and Form 335	Granted	11-18-41

RCA 250K

DCC

Max 250w

Pierson, attorney

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-R-1117 Rec'd	6-2-43 6-3-43	Renewal of license Filed by W. Theodore Pierson atty.	Granted	7-27-43
B2-Z-1685 Rec'd Filed	4-17-45 4-23-45 4-23-45	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Filed by H. T. Slaughter, Atty.)	Granted	5-14-45
B2-R-1117 Rec'd	6-14-45 6-21-45	Renewal of license Filed by Harrison Slaughter atty.	Granted	8-21-45
BR-1117 Rec'd	5-24-47 6-2-47	Renewal of license Filed by Robert Hodson atty.	Granted	7-24-47

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-635 Rec'd Filed	4-15-48 4-16-48 4-16-48	Voluntary Transfer of Control of licensee corporation from Joe L. Smith, Jr. to Joe L. Smith, Jr., Incorporated. 125½ shares of common stock-50.2%.	GRANTED EFF:	7-6-48 8-1-48
BR-1117 Rec'd	5-28-50 6-1-50	Renewal of license. (Robert E. Hodson, Atty.)	GRANTED	7-21-50
BTC-1160 Rec'd Filed	7-19-51 7-24-51 7-24-51	Voluntary acquisition of control of licensee corporation by John B. Reynolds thru retirement to the treasury of 127½ shares of stock by Joe L. Smith, Jr., Incorporated (51%). Ralph Walker, Atty.	Granted Eff.	9-12-51 10-8-51

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Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1117 Rec'd Filed	5-26-53 5-28-53 5-28-53	Renewal of License Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	7-29-53
BR-1117 Rec'd Filed	7-19-54 7-30-54 7-30-54	Renewal of License Filed by Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-22-54
BR-1117 Rec'd Filed	8-1-57 8-5-57 8-5-57	Renewal of license. Robert Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-19-57
BP-11,533 Rec'd Filed	8-24-57 8-27-57 8-27-57	Construction permit to change antenna-trans., loc., from Corner Market & 16th Sts., Wheeling, W.Va., to Glenwood Road, Wheeling, W. Va. (FM antenna-trans., loc., ^(increase in height) redescrbed) utilizing a Combined AM and FM tower and make changes in ground system. Atty's: Pierson, Ball & Dowd. <small>F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D. C.</small>	GRANTED	1-14-58

When and if license is filed and granted, issue modified license on FM to show change.osp

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Letters W.K.W.K.Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7170 Recd Filed	7-9-58 7-11-58 7-11-58	License to cover C.P. (BP-11533) which authorized change of antenna-transmitter location, utilizing a combined AM and FM tower (Increase in height) and changes in ground system. Pierson, Ball and Dowd, Attorneys	GRANTED	9-8-58
BTC-3123 Rec'd. Filed	5-8-59 5-8-59 5-8-59	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from John B. Reynolds to Corrine Anderson Reynolds, Executrix of the Estate of John B. Reynolds, Deceased. Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED EFF;	5-15-59 6-12-59

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W.K.W.K.Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.Wheeling, West Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-3210 Rec'd. Filed	8-18-59 8-19-59 8-19-59	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Corinne Anderson Reynolds, Executrix of the Estate of John B. Reynolds, Deceased to Lewis W. Dickey. Ralph L. Walker, Atty.	GRANTED EFF: (Dickey disposed of all stock in Storer)	9-9-59 9-14-59
BR-1117 Rec'd Filed	7-11-60 7-11-60 7-11-60	Renewal of license Atty: Ralph L. Walker	GRANTED	5-11-61
BRC-1736 R.&F.	9-14-60 9-16-60	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by remote control from 16th and Market Sts., Wheeling, W. Va. Robert E. Hodson, Atty.	GRANTED	9-30-60
BP-15319 R.&F.	1-29-62 1-30-62	Construction Permit to install new trans. (RCA BTA-1R). Attys: Pierson, Ball & Dowd.	GRANTED	2-21-62

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WKWK

Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.
WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,352 Rec'd Filed	1-29-62 1-30-62 1-30-62	CP to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (RCA-BTA-1R) Atty. Pierson, Ball & Dowd <u>Eng. Silliman, Moffet & Rohrer</u>	GRANTED Cond'l re: 250w Class IV stations. Permittee shall submit with the applic. for lic antenna-resistance meas.	4-23-63
BMP-10,618 R. & F.	10-15-62 10-16-62	Mod. of CP (BP-15,319 which auth. install new trans.(RCA BTA-1R) for extension of completion date from 10-21-62 to 11-4-62. Attys: Pierson, Ball & Dowd	GRANTED	11-2-62 to 12-31-62
BL-9789 R. & F.	10-25-62 10-29-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,319 as mod) which auth installing a new transmitter, and specify an RCA bta-1RI type transmitter. Atty- Pierson, Ball & Dowd	GRANTED	4-25-63

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WKWK

Name ^{WK, INC.}
~~X~~ COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.
Wheeling, West Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-10,140 R. & F.	5-28-63 5-29-63	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,352) which auth incr. daytime power. Atty-Pierson, Ball & Dowd	GRANTED re: accept interf. re Class IV sta.	8-6-63
BL-10,141 R. & F.	5-28-63 5-29-63	Lic to use old main trans(RCA 250K) at present loc of main trans; to be operated on 1400kc, 250w, with Remote Control from main studio loc, for AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY-DAYTIME;ALT.MAIN-NIGHT. Atty- Pierson, Ball & Dowd	GRANTED	9-11-63
BR-1117 Rec'd Filed	6-28-63 7-3-63 7-3-63	Renewal of license--(Main & Alt-Aux). Atty. Quayle B. Smith	GRANTED	11-15-63
BA <u>5383</u> R & F	3-10-65 3-12-65	Voluntary assignment of license to WK, INC. Atty for assignor - Pierson, Ball & Dowd for assignee - Molnar & Gammon	GRANTED Eff:	5-27-65 6-15-65

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WK, INC.

Name COMMUNITY BROADCASTING, INC.
Wheeling, West Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-5642 Rec'd Filed Amend. R & F	6/3/65 6/4/65 6/8/65 6/17/65 6/18/65	Auth. to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Main) (Amend to chg. name to WK, INC.) re AL-gr. 5-27-65 Atty: Pierston, Bell & Dowd Lorie Molnar	GRANTED	9-23-65
BZ-5643 R & F Amended R & F	6/3/65 6/8/65 6/17/65 6/18/65	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. (Alt-main; Aux.) Amend to chg. name to WK, INC. (re AL-gr. 5-27-65) Atty: Pierston, Bell & Dowd Lorie Molnar	GRANTED	9-23-65
BR-1117 R & F	6-3-66 6-30-66	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary) Attys Molnar & Gammon	GRANTED (Short term)	1-5-67

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1400kc

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Name WK, INC.
Wheeling, West Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-6612 R & F DM-8/24/67	8/15/67 8/16/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. (Main) Atty: James A. Gammon -Engr: P. L. Wimmer, DC	GRANTED	9-29-67
BZ-6613 R & F DM-8/24/67	8/15/67 8/16/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. (Alt.-M-Aux.) Engr: P. L. Wimmer, Wash.DC-Atty: J. A. Gammon	GRANTED	9-29-67
BR-1117 R & F NOV 24 1967	10-23-67 10-31-67	Renewal of license (Main & Aux-Alt.Main) (SHORT TERM) Atty- James A. Gammon	GRANTED	1-31-68
BAL-6700 R & F FEE PD: \$75 -#524963 (ALSO SEE: WKWK-FM)	6-23-69 6-26-69	Vol. assignment of lic. to PUBLISHERS BROADCASTING CORPORATION REQ. WAIVER RE DOCKET 18110 Atty for assignor - <u>Molnar</u> & Gammon for assignee - <u>Vincent A. Pepper</u> (See over form amendments)	GRANTED Cond'l: EFF:	12-10-69 Re: Docket No. 18110 1-21-70

Amended 10-15-69 re Balance sheet and resolutions.

BAL-6700.

AMENDED 9-30-69. Re: Corporate structure and authority
to do business in West Virginia.

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PUBLISHERS BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name x WK, INC.
WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1117 R & F #525920 \$105 P.N. filed PRESS JUL 1 1959	6-25-69 6-30--69 6-30-69 6-30-69 JUL 1 1959	Renewal of License (Main and Auxiliary) Atty-Molnar and Gammon	GRANTED	12-19-69
301 filed 5-11-70 (B) er 3-24-71 Annual filing fee \$148.00 paid 9-24-70. #631994. Combined rate card with WKWK-FM.				
BR-1117 R & F P.N. PRESS JUL 1 9 1972	7-3-72 7-3-72 7-3-72 7-27-72 8-9-72	Renewal of License Atty.: Robert J. Buenzle AMENDED 9-27-72 re: community survey & equal employment program Renewal of Auxiliary AMENDED 10-25-72 re: employment policy	GRANTED	11-7-72
BR-1117 R & F				

7-17-72

(BR-1117) Atty. was called/re: Aux.

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September 1969 Card #13

COMMUNITY SERVICE BROADCASTING, INC.

x Camptown Industries, Inc.Call
Letters W K W KName x PUBLISHERS BROADCASTING CORPORATION
WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BML-2441	12-20-72	Modification of license to change the Corporate name to CAMPTOWN INDUSTRIES, INC. Atty. Smith and Pepper	GRANTED	1-31-73
R & F	12-29-72			
\$50-140055	12-29-72			
AC-060				
PRESS: JAN 10 1973				
EAL-8406	5-15-75	Voluntary assignment of license to COMMUNITY SERVICE BROADCASTING, INC. (SEE OVER) Atty for assignor - Smith & Pepper for assignee - E.T. Smith	GRANTED	7/18/75
R & F	5-19-75			
FEE PD \$200 # 42951				
CODE 047 (ALSO SEE FM)				
JUN 5 1975				
PN REC'd	6-16-75			
BR-1117	5-28-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 9-9-75 re: change name of applicant to "Community Service Broadcasting, Inc." R.J. Buenzle, Atty. (Smith & Pepper)	GRANTED	9-23-75
R & F	6-2-75			
PN Recd.	"			
PRESS				
BR-1117	6-26-75			
R & F	7-2-75	Renewal of License (Auxiliary)		

7-11-25

RE: BAL-8406 Sec II ~~not filed~~ - assignee is licensee of
WMCL, McLeansboro, ILL; and WDXI, Jackson, Tenn.

NOTED: Cert of auth db in W.Va. ~~not filed~~ (ILT, CORP)

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

DATE

BY

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1400khz

Form BC-121

May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W K W KName COMMUNITY SERVICE BROADCASTING, INC.
WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1117 R & F PRESS	5-15-78 5-31-78 JUN 16 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(Main & Aux.) Eugene T. Smith, Atty.	GRANTED	10-6-78
BZ-801203AC R & F PRESS	12-03-80 DEC 11 1980	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: --	GRANTED	12-29-80
EZ-810420AL R & F DM PRESS	4-20-81 MAY 04 1981	DIRECT MEASUREMENT Atty: ---	ISSUED	

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

1400kc

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Call Letters: W K W K

Name: COMMUNITY SERVICE BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: WHEELING, WEST VIRGINIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR810529VN PRESS	JUL 31 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRNTED 10-22-81
BAL810804EC Form 314 PRESS Also see WKWK (fm)	AUG 2 1981	Vol A1 to Wheeling Broadcasting Company Atty. for assignor Eugene T. Smith Atty. for assignee Robert Dillof	

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.

