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CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/5

Date First **11-8-26** #1
 Licensed.....

Call
 Letters **WOMT**
 LOCATION: MANITOWOC, WISC.

SEEHAFFER BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 8-15-78 EFF:
 xSEEHAFFER AND JOHNSON BROADCASTING CORP (AL-12-29-69, Eff: Midnight 12-31-69)
 Name of xMANITOWOC RADIO, INC. (AL 5-13-66; 5-19-66)
 Licensee: x **Francis M. Kadow**

3730 Mangin St., Manitowoc, Wisc. (redescription 12-28-79)
 x36th and Easy St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin (BP 3-28-58)
 Transmitter x 36th and Hamilton, Manitowoc, Wisconsin (Lic. 6-24-49)
 Location: x 1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin
 Same as transmitter (ltr. 12-28-79)
 54220 x410 N. 10th St., Manitowoc, Wisc. (Ltr. 6-19-68)
 X1118 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin (BRC 6-19-53 BP 3-28-58)
 x 1116 Washington Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin (Lic. 6-24-49)
 x 1118-1124-A Washington Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin (Letter 9-27-39)
 x1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin (Renewal 10-3-32)
 Main Studio
 Location: x 1116 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin,
 FRC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
4-L-B-653	7-14-31	1210	100	Unltd.	7-14	12-1-31
4-R-B-613	11-17-31	1210	100	Unltd. (105)	12-1	6-1-32
4-R-B-613	12-4-31	1210	100	Unltd.	12-4	6-1-32
4-R-B-613	5-20-32	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-32
4-R-B-613	11-9-32	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-33
4-R-B-613	5-26-33	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-33
4-R-B-613	11-10-33	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-34
4-R-B-613	5-15-34	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-34
B4-R-613	11-13-34	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-35
B4-R-613	5-21-35	1210	100	U	6-1	12-1-35
B4-R-613	11-12-35	1210	100	U	12-1	6-1-36
B4-R-613	5-5-36	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-36
B4-R-613	11-17-36	1210	100w	U	12-1	6-1-37
B4-R-613	5-25-37	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-37
B4-R-613	C.A. 11-22-37	1210	100w	U	12-1	6-1-38
B4-R-613	5-11-38	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-38
B4-R-613	11-28-38	1210	100w	U	12-1	6-1-39
B4-R-613	5-8-39	1210	100w	U	6-1	12-1-39
B4-R-613	11-20-39	1210	100w	U	12-1	10/1/40
B4-S-613	2/20/40	1210	100w	U	3/1	8/1/40
B4-S-613	7-24-40	Extension of license			6-1	10-1-40
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-41
NARBA REALLOCATION						
B4-R-613	3-24-41	1240	100w	U	3-29	10-1-41
B4-Z-951	6-12-41	1240	100w	U	6-12	10-1-41
	Determine operating power by direct measurement.					
B4-S-613	9-30-41	Extension of license			10-1	11-1-41
B4-R-613	10-14-41	1240	100w	U	10-14	10-1-42
B4-S-613	9-1-42	Extension of license			10-1	11-1-42
B4-R-613	10-6-42	1240	100w	U	10-6	4-1-43
B4-S-613	11-6-42	1240	100w	U	12-1	4-1-43
	Mod. Lic. accordance Order 107					
B4-R-613	3-23-43	1240	100w	U	4-1	4-1-45

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Letter B4-P-3718	1-16-45	1240	250w	U	Subj. compliance of Commission's policy of 1-26-44
	For incr. in power and changes in equipment				
B4-P-3718	2-3-45	1240	250w	U	4-3 10-3-45 CP incr. power and make changes in equipment
B4-S-613	3-29-45	Extension of license			4-1 5-1-45
B4-R-613	4-9-45	1240	100w	U	4-9 8-1-46
B4-L-1864	7-9-45	1240	250w	U	7-9 8-1-46 Lic. cover CP 3718 for increase in power and changes in transmitting equipment
B4-S-613	7-10-45	1240	250w.	U	10-1 8-1-46 Mod. Lic. Order 107-A
B4-S-613	7-25-46	Extension of license			8-1 10-1-46
B4-R-613	8-1-46	1240	250w	U	8-1 8-1-49
BP-6778	11-19-48	1240	250w	U	1-19 7-19-49 CP to make changes in vertical antenna and change transmitter location.
BL-3704	6-24-49	1240	250w	U	6-24 8-1-49 Lic. to cover CP (6778) for changes in vertical antenna and change T site.
BR-613	7-13-49	1240	250w	U	8-1-49 8-1-52
BR-613	7-2-52	1240	250w	U	8-1 12-1-52
BR-613	11-26-52	1240kc	250w	Unl.	12-1 12-1-55
BRC-93 (1)	6-19-53	Mod. of lic. to operate Trans. by R.C. from 1118 Washington Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin			
BR-613	11-9-55	1240kc	250w	U	12-1 12-1-58
BP-11,892	7-28-58	CP to install a new transmitter (Collins 300J)			5-28 11-28-58
BL-7114 (1)	7-15-58	License to cover CP(BP-11,892) which authorized installation of a new transmitter (COLLINS 300J).			
BR-613	11-25-58	Renewal of license			12-1 12-1-61
BR-613	11-25-58	Renewal of license			12-1 12-1-61
	Superseding authorization (Issued on wrong form)				
BR-613	11-22-61	1240kc	250w	U	12-1 to 12-1-64

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location MANITOWOC, WISCONSIN

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BP-14,989	5-29-62	1240kc	250w-1kw-LS, Un		7-29 1-29-63
			CP to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1kw and install new transmitter (Collins 20-7)		
BL-9557 (1) COND'L	11-20-62	Lic. to cover CP (BP-14,989) which auth. incr. day. power and instl. new trans.			
BR-613 condl	11-16-64	1240kc	250w, 1kw LS Un		12-1-67 12-1-
BAL-5728 EFF:	5-13-66 5-19-66	Voluntary assignment of license to MANITOWOC RADIO, INC.			
BR-613	11-24-67	1240kc	250w, 1kw LS-Un		12-1 12-1-70
		renewal of NDEA			
Ltr. rec'd 6-19-68, SL & RC pt. now 410 N. 10th St.					
BAL-6743	12-29-69	Vol. AL			
BR-613 EBSA	11-25-70 5-25-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & NDEA (L)			12-1-73
BR-613(S)	11-28-73	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BR-613(L)	1-31-77	RENEWAL			12-1-79
BAL780728EH	8-15-78	VOL. AL			
ltr.	12-28-79	Redescribe TL & chg. SL			
BR790725UB(L)	11-30-79	Renewal			12-1-82
BZ-800102BF	(1) 3-6-80	DIRECT MEASUREMENT			12-1-82

#1.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: FRANCIS M. KADOW

CALL LETTERS: WMT

ADDRESS: 1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin

FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 7/22/29

Present

Assignment: 1210 Kc., 100 W., unlimited

ACTION: Lic. 4/25/29, 1210 Kc.,
100 W., unlimited, period 4/25/29
to 7/31/29Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: FRANCIS M. KADOW

CALL LETTERS: WOMT

ADDRESS: 1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wis.

FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 6/1/29

Present

Assignment: 1210 kc. 100 w. Unlimited

ACTION: G.O. 69 - 7/31/29 to
10/31/29Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: FRANCIS M. KADOW

CALL LETTERS: WOMT

ADDRESS: 1110 Washington St. Manitowoc, Wisconsin

FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 10/2/29

Present

Assignment: 1210 kc. 100 w. Unlimited

ACTION: Lic. 10-15-29
1210 kc. 100 w. Unlimited
Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30Requested: Renewal

#2.

STATION APPLICATION RECORDAPPLICANT: SAME CALL LETTERS: WOMTADDRESS: SAME FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 12-19-29Present
Assignment: 1210 kc. 100 w. Unlimited
ACTION: Renewal license 1-18-30.
Period 1-31 to 4-30-30.Requested: RenewalAPPLICANT: same CALL LETTERS: WOMTADDRESS: same FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 3/26/39Present
Assignment: 1210 Kc. 100 W. Unlimited.
ACTION: Renewal Lic.
Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30Requested: Renewal.APPLICANT: FRANCIS M. KADOW CALL LETTERS: WOMTADDRESS: 1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin FILE NO: 4-P-B-1323 DATED: 4/14/30Present
Assignment: 1210 kc. 100 W. Unlimited
ACTION: C.P. granted Min. 5-12-30, issued
5-12-30 for installation ofRequested: Authority to make changes in equipment.
ACTION: specified apparatus.
Completion date 8-27-30.

No. 3.

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Francis M. Kadow

CALL LETTERS: WQMT

ADDRESS: 1110 Washington St., Manitowoc, Wisconsin

FILE NO: 4-R-B-613 DATED: 6-19-30

Present Assignment: 1210 Kc. 100 watts, 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:

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: CALL LETTERS:

ADDRESS: FILE NO: DATED:

Present
Assignment: ACTION:

Requested:

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 WOLMTName FRANCIS M. KADOW

File No.	Dated Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
4-L-B-383	8/7/30	License to cover 4-P-B-1323 issued 5/12/30 to make changes in equipment.	Granted	8-26-30
4-R-B-613	9/27/30	Renewal of License	Granted	10-21-30
4-R-B-613	12-29-30	Renewal of license	G.O. 103 Granted	1-20-31 4-24-31
4-P-B-1991	2/2/31	Cons. Permit to make changes in equipment	Granted	2-17-31
4-L-B-653	6-26-31	License to cover 4-P-B-1991.	Granted	7-14-31
4-R-B-613	9-29-31	Renewal of license (G.O. 105) Reconsidered &	Granted Granted	11-17-31 12-4-31
4-R-B-613	3-17-32	Renewal of license	Granted	5-20-32
4-R-B-613	10-3-32	Renewal of license	Granted	11-9-32

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Call
Letters W O M TName Francis. M. Kadow

File No.	Date d Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
4-R-B-613 Resubmitted	5-5-33 "	Renewal of license (1,5,19,16c&g)-	Returned Granted	5-11-33 5-28-33
4-R-B-613	10-17-33	Renewal of License	Granted	11-10-33
4-R-B-613 Resubmitted	4-4-34 4-24-34	Renewal of License (5)- "	Returned Granted	4-20-34 5-15-34
B4-R-613	10-4-34	FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION RECORDS: Renewal of license	Granted	11-13-34
B4-R-613	4-1-35	Renewal of license	Granted	5-21-35
B-4-R-613	10-12-35	Renewal of License	Granted	11-12-35
B4-R-613	3-28-36	Renewal of license	Granted	5-5-36
B4-R-613	10-12-36	Renewal of license	Granted	11-17-36
B4-R-613	4-15-37	Renewal of license	Granted	5-25-37

APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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Call letters W O M TName Francis M. Kadow

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B3-R-613 Resubmitted	10-11-37 "	Renewal of license (Jurat)	-Returned- Granted CA	10-22-37 11-22-37
B3-R-613	4-9-38	Renewal of license	Granted	5-11-38
B3-R-613 Resubmitted	10-7-38 "	Renewal of license (Sec.-18e)	Returned- Granted	10-19-38- 11-28-38
B3-R-613 Resubmitted	3-30-39 4-18-39	Renewal of license (Sec.-13b & 22)	Returned- Granted	4-13-39- 5-8-39
B4-R-613	9-27-39	Renewal of license	Granted	11-20-39
B4-R-613	6-25-40	Renewal of license	Granted 1240kc,	3-24-41 100w, U

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Call

Letters W O Y TName FRANCIS M. KADOW

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-R-613	8-13-40	Renewal of license (Unnec.)	Returned	11-2-40
B4-Z-951 Rec'd Resubmitted Rec'd	5-15-41 5-17-41 5-26-41 5-28-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement.	Ret'd 5-20-41 freq. & Ser. 7 not alike, on both copies. Granted	6-12-41
B4-R-613 Resub.	7-23-41 9-8-41	Renewal of license and Form 335	Ret'd 9-3-41 for add. copy; Defect, Ser. 2(e). Granted	10-14-41
B4-R-613	8-5-42	Renewal of license and Form 335	Granted	10-6-42
B4-R-613	2-11-43	Renewal of license	Granted	3-23-43
B4-P-3718 Rec'd Filed	9-30-44 10-5-44 10-5-44	Construction Permit to increase power from 100w to 250w and make changes in transmitting equipment.	Granted compliance procedural requirements of Commis- sion's policy of 1-26-44 Letter Written Grant accepted per let- ter 1-29-45 issued	1-16-45 2-3-45

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Call

Letters W O M TName FRANCIS M. KADOW

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B4-R-613 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd	2-5-45 2-12-45 2-16-45	Renewal of license (Filed on obsolete form) Letter req. photos 2-17-45 Photos rec'd 2-23-45	Ret'd Granted	2-10-45 4-9-45
B4-L-1864 Rec'd Filed	2-15-45 2-19-45 2-19-45	License to cover C.P. (B4-P-3718) which authorized increase in power and changes in transmitting equipment. (335s filed)	Granted	7-9-45
B4-R-613 Rec'd Resub.	5-20-46 5-23-46 6-6-46	Renewal of license Letter dated 5-28-46 requesting Par. 17(b), Photos, and Par. 1-	Ret'd Granted	5-28-46 8-1-46

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W O M TName FRANCIS M. KADOW

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6778 Rec'd Filed	5-11-48 5-20-48 5-20-48	Construction Permit to make changes in vertical antenna and change transmitter location from 1110 Washington Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin <u>TO</u> Calumet Road - Route 4, Manitowoc, Wisconsin. (Filed by George E. Strong, Atty.)	GRANTED	11-19-48
BL-3704 Rec'd Filed	5-27-49 5-31-49 5-31-49	License to cover C. P. (BP-6778) which authorized changes in the vertical antenna and change transmitter location.	GRANTED	6-24-49
BR-613 Rec'd	6-2-49 6-6-49	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-13-49

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W O M T

Name FRANCIS M. KADOW

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-613 Rec'd Filed	5-27-52 6-2-52 6-2-52	Renewal of License Filed by Dwight D. Doty, atty.	GRANTED	7-2-52
BR-613 Rec'd Filed	10-13-52 10-15-52 10-15-52	Renewal of license, Informal request	GRANTED	11-26-52
BRC-93 Rec'd Filed	6-11-53 6-15-53 6-15-53	Modification of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from 1118 Washington Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin.	GRANTED	6-19-53
BR-613 Rec'd Filed	8-11-55 8-15-55 8-15-55	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-9-55
BP-11,892 Rec'd Filed	3-13-58 3-17-58 3-17-58	Construction permit to install a new trans- mitter (Collins 300J)	GRANTED	3-28-58

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W O K TName FRANCIS M. KADOW
MANITOWOC, WISC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7114 Rec'd Filed	5-13-58 5-15-58 5-15-58	License to cover construction permit BP-11,892 which authorized installation of a new transmitter (COLLINS 300J).	GRANTED	7-15-58
BR-613 Rec'd Filed	8-22-58 8-27-58 8-27-58	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	11-25-58
BP-14,989 Rec'd Filed	7-12-61 7-14-61 7-14-61	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter COLLINS 20V). Engr: E. W. Jacker, Lombard, Illinois	GRANTED	5-29-62
BR-613 R & F	8-10-61 8-14-61	Renewal of License	GRANTED	11-22-61
BL-9557 R. & F.	7-30-62 8-2-62	Lic. to cov. CP (BP-14,989) which auth. incr. in daytime power and install new transmitter.	GRANTED re: accept interference Cl IV inc. power & Re BP-14238(WEMP)	11-20-62

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SEEHAFFER AND JOHNSON BROADCASTING CORP.

x MANITOWOC RADIO, INC.

Call
Letters W O M TName X. FRANCIS M. KADOW
Manitowoc, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-613 Rec'd Filed	6-17-64 6-22-64 6-22-64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-16-64 cond re Class IV inc. power.
BAL-5728 R & F	3-24-66 3-29-66	Voluntary assignment of license to MANITOWOC RADIO, INC. Atty - Jason Shrinsky	GRANTED	5-13-66 EFF: 5-19-66
BR-613 R & F SEP 20 1967	8-19-67 8-29-67	Renewal of License Atty: Jason L. Shrinsky	GRANTED	11-24-67
BAL-6743 R & F FEE PD: \$105 -#536590 (remotes included)	8-15-69 8-19-69	Voluntary assignment of license to SEEHAFFER AND JOHNSON BROADCASTING CORP (SEE OVER) Atty for assignee - J Samuel Miller	GRANTED	12-29-69 Eff: Midnight 12-31-69)
Pub. notice filed 9-2-69 and 9-5-69 AMENDED 9-18-69 -re Agreement -Ltr re rezoning of trans. site Amended 12-9-69. Ascertainment of Community Needs data. Amended 12-17-69. Bank financing letter.				

RE: BAL-6743 - assignee is licensee of KRBI(AM,FM)

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters ...W O M T.....Name SEEHAFFER AND JOHNSON BROADCASTING CORP
Manitowoc, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-613 R & F P.N. PRESS	8-25-70 9-1-70 9-4-70	Renewal of License AMENDED 10-19-70 re: balance sheet Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	11-25-70
SEP 24 1970				
BR-613 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-30-73 8-3-73 " 22 AUG 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 11-16-73 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	11-28-73
BR-613 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-16-76 7-17-76 " SEP 29 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 12-21-76 re: commercial matter AMENDED 1-13-77 re: programming	GRANTED	1-31-77

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W O M TSEEHAFFER BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Name ~~x~~ SEEHAFFER and JOHNSON BROADCASTING CORP.
Manitowoc, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL780728EH Form 316 (ALSO SEE WXCO, and WGEZ)	6-30-78	Voluntary assignment of license to SEEHAFFER BROADCASTING CORPORATION	GRANTED EFF:	8-15-78
Rec'd Filed	7-5-78 7-28-78	MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GR. OF KRBI (BAL780728EF and KRBI-FM (BALH780728EG		
BR 790725 UB PRESS AUG 29 1979	AUG 4 1978	Amend. Arts. re: name chge filed 7-28-78 RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-30-79
BZ-800102BF R & F PRESS FEB 29 1980	1-2-80	DIRECT MEASUREMENT	GRANTED	3-6-80

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.

