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June 1954

Offical No. 4787

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed May 13, 1970

Call letters W P E D

Station location Crozet, Virginia

McClenahan Broadcasting Corporation (AL. 11-22-74; EFF: 12-23-74)

Name of licensee ☒ GEORGE C. CORY

Transmitter location 0.4 mi. ESE of Crozet, Virginia (BP 10-3-68)

Main studio location Same as transmitter (BP-10-3-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BP-17959 (Cond'l)	10-3-68 CP for	810lc a new standard broadcast	250w	Day	6-3-69 station.
BMP-12582 (1)	12-19-68	MP(BP-17,959) to make changes in antenna-tower system (increase hgt.)			
BP-17959 (2)	12-26-68	Call letters assigned.			
BMP-12698 (3)	4-28-69	MP(BP-17,959) ext. time			10-1-69
BMP-12790(4)	9-22-69	MP(BP-17959) ext. time			1-1-70
BMP-12,856 (5)	1-30-70	MP(BP-17,959) ext. time			7-1-70
PSA	2-24-70	250w	Protect WGY		
BL-12,610(L)	5-13-70	810kc lic. cover (BP-17959 as mod) for new stn.	250w	Day	10-1-72
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-4787(S)	1-29-73	Renewal			10-1-75
BAL-8245	11-22-74	Vol AL.	EFF:	12-23-74	
BR-4787(L)	9-23-75	RENEWAL			10-1-78
BP-19,921	12-12-75	810khz. CP to inc. daytime power.	500w	Day	12-12-76
BL-14,093(L)	3-5-76	Lic. to cover BP-19,921 for changes			10-1-78
COMTEL	3-17-76	PSA	500 watts protect WGY		
BR-4787	9-29-78	Renewal of License			10-1-78

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **NEW- W P E D**

Name **George G. Cory**
Crozet, Virginia (Route 4, Box 263, Charlottesville, Va. 22901)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EP-17,959 Rec'd Filed MAR 12 1968	11-8-67	CP for a new standard broadcast station to be	RECEIVED	11-17-67
	11-13-67	operated on	RECEIVED	11-17-67
	11-13-67	Frequency: 810kc Power: 250w Hours: Daytime Trans: RCA BTA-1R2 Trans loc: 0.4 mi. ESE Crozet, Virginia Studio loc: Same as transmitter atty-Maurice Barnes enr-Edward W. Deeters	GRANTED	10-3-68
			Cond'l re: Pre-sunrise Permittee shall accept such overlap as may be imposed in the event of a subsequent grant of BP-5970.	
AMENDMENT R&F	3-19-68	AMENDED re engineering.		
AMENDMENT R&F	9-16-68	AMENDED Sections III and IV.		

CONTACT: GEORGE G. CORY
PHONE: CODE 703; 973-6778
ADDRESS: ROUTE 4, BOX 263
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

 Call **W P E D**
 Letters unassigned

 Name George G. Cory
Crozet, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-12,582 R. & F. #159042 \$30 DEC 12 1968	10-29-68 10-29-68 10-29-68	MP(BP-17,959) to make changes in antenna-transmitter system (increase height). enr-Edward W. Deeters (Ltr filed by Robb, Porter, Kistler & Parkinson (Wm A. Porter) 11-15-68 re Natl Radio Astronomy Observatory, Green Bank, W.V. nor US Naval Research Lab, Sugar Grove, W.Va. have any obj. to applic.)	GRANTED	12-19-68
BMP-12,698 R&F \$30-503932 PRESS: APR 18 1969	4-4-79 4-7-69 4-7-69	MP(BP-17,959 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 10-1-69. (New station)	GRANTED to	4-28-69 10-1-69
BMP-12,790 R&F \$30-536581 PRESS: SEP 12 1969	8-17-69 8-19-69	MP(BP-17,959, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 1-1-70. NEW.	GRANTED to	9-22-69 1-1-70

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call
Letters W P E D

Name GEORGE G. CORY
CROZET, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-12,856	11-24-69	MP(BP-17,959, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 4-1-70. NEW	GRANTED to	1-30-70 7-1-70
R&F	11-25-69			
\$30-559333	11-25-69			
PRESS: JAN 26 1970				
BL-12.610	2-14-70	Lic.(BP-17,959, as mod.)for new Standard B/c Sta. T-SL redes. as: End of Hilltop Street. Transmitter: GATES, BC-I-G.	GRANTED	5-13-70
R & F	2-16-70			
#578113 \$30.	2-16-70			
PTA	2-24-70			
PRESS MAY 7 1970				
BR-4787	6-28-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	1-29-73
R & F	6-29-72	AMENDED 9-12-72 re: comm. problems, prog., commercial matters,		
PN Recd.	"	employment practices		
PRESS		AMENDED 11-15-72 re: programming; commercial policy; employment policy		
		AMENDED 12-27-72 re: equal employment program		

McCIENAHAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name XGEORGE G. CORY
Grozet, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL- 8245 Rec'd Filed Fee: \$1,000 047 Press: SEP 27 PN rec'd:	9-6-74 9-6-74 9-6-74 342465 1974	Voluntary assignment of license to McClennahan <u>McClennahan</u> Broadcasting Corporation B. Jay Baraff, Atty. AMENDED 11-18-74 financial statement; stock sub. agreement AMENDED 11-18-74 - statement re termination of employment with WCHV/WCCV (fm) Exhibits to agreement filed 11-21-74	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ. \$5,500.00 FEE PD. 12-11-74, 048, W 372530	11-22-74 12-23-74
BP- 19,921 Rec'd Filed \$100-404407 PN filed PRESS: SEP 13 Amended 3-20-75 Amended 7-28-75 Amended re: 8-8-75	3-18-75 3-20-75 3-20-75 3-20-75 4-10-75 1975	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 500w. Transmitter-and-studio End-of-Hill-Top-Str.;-Grozet;-Va. atty:-- 38° 04' 00" 78° 41' 42" Eng. D. Lee Garlock, Jr.	GRANTED Req. Gr. fee \$ 675.00 paid 1-16-76 #518607	12-12-76

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **W P E D**

Name **McCLENAHAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION**
CROZET, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4787 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-19-75 5-21-75 " MAY 30 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-23-75
BL-14,093 & F \$100#512830 PTA PRESS JAN 21 1976	12-26-75 12-29-75 12-30-75 1-5-76	Lic. to cover BP-19,921 for changes. SL & TL End of Hilltop Street, Crozet, Va. Att:	GRANTED	3-5-76
BR-4787 R & F PRESS	5-4-78 5-8-78 MAY 16 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-29-78

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W P E D

Name: McCLENAHAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: CROZET, VIRGINIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR-810423UA PRESS	JUL 8 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 10-22-81

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 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.

