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**REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE**

**Cat. No. 4550L**

**Patent No. 1390199**

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....2-8-49.....

Call letters .....W.R.O.V.....  
LOCATION: CARM, ILLINOISName of licensee CARM BROADCASTING COMPANY

(Lic. 2-8-49)

Transmitter location x 1 3/4 mi. SE of Carmi city limits, on gravel rd., running E and W 1/2 mi.  
E. of Louisville & Nashville RR. (CP 8-4-48)  
Carmi, Illinois

62821  
103 North Church Street, Carmi, Illinois (BRC 7-22-69)

X Approx. 1 mile W. of Carmi on U.S. Hwy 460, Near Carmi, Ill. (Ltr. 9-25-54)

x 101 South Walnut Street, Carmi, Ill. (MP 10-19-48) (Lic. 2-8-49)

Main studio location x To be determined, Carmi, Ill

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BP-6494	8-4-48	1460	1kw	Daytime	10-4	4-4-49
	CP for a new station.					
BMP-4161	10-19-48	1460	1kw	Daytime	10-4	4-4-49
	Mod. CP (6494) to make changes in vertical antenna, change to site and specify studio site. (COND. CLAUSE)					
BL-3511	2-8-49	1460	1kw	Daytime	2-8	11-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (6494 as mod) for a new station (COND. CLAUSE)					
BR-2204	10-30-50	1460	1kw	Daytime	11-1	11-1-53
BZ-3260	2-19-51	1460	1kw	Daytime	2-19	11-1-53
	Authority determine operating power by direct method					
BZ-3319	8-29-51	1460	1kw	Day	8-29	11-1-53
	Determine operating power by direct measurement (COND'L)					
XX						
XX						
BR-2204	10-7-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			11-1	12-1-55
BR-2204	11-9-55	1460	1kw	Day	12-1	12-1-58
BR-2204	11-5-58	Renewal of License			12-1	12-1-61
WIRE	7-2-59	Sign-off 6PM CST period ending 8-31-59.				
Wire	4-15-60	Sign off 6PM CST period thru 8-31-60 except for special events.				
	11-29-61	Action on "renewal Deferred.				
BR-2204	12-28-61	Renewal of license			12-28	12-1-64
BZ-5169 (1)	4-14-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power				
BR-2204	11-9-64	1460kc.	1kw	Day	12-1	12-1-67
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w			
BZ-6720 (1)	2-1-68	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.				
BR-2204(4)	11-24-67	Renewal of license			12-1	12-1-70
BRC-3359 (1)	7-22-69	Operate RC.				
BR-2204	11-25-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)				12-1-73
EBSA	6-12-72					

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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-2204(S)	12-12-73	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BTC-7586	11-22-74	Vol. Acc. of pos.		EFF:	12-2-74
BR-2204(L)	1-19-77	Renewal of License			12-1-79

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W R O Y  
Letters NewName CARMI BROADCASTING COMPANY  
(PO 116-118 North Church Street, Carmi, Illinois)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6494 Rec'd Filed	12-9-47 12-11-47 12-11-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1460kc Power: 1kw <del>DA-N</del> Hours of operation: <del>Unlimited</del> daytime Trans. location: On gravel road running east and west, 1 3/4 miles SE of Carmi city limits, Carmi, Illinois Studio location: To be determined- Carmi, Illinois Filed by Neville Miller, Atty. Lynne C. Smeby, Engr.	GRANTED	8-4-48
AMENDED Recd. Filed	3-8-48 3-9-48 3-9-48	AMENDED to change hours of operation from unlimited to daytime, using non-directional antenna.		

Transmitter-Collins 20-T

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Letters W R O YName CARMI BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-4161 Rec'd Filed	8-31-48 9-1-48 9-1-48	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6494, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to make changes in the vertical antenna, change transmitter location from On gravel road running east and west, 1 3/4 miles SE of Carmi city limits, Carmi, Illinois to U.S. Highway 460, approx. 1 mile West of Carmi, Illinois and to specify studio location as 101 South Walnut Street, Carmi, Illinois  (Filed by Neville Miller, Atty.; Lynne C. Smeby, Engr.)	GRANTED re blanketing clause	10-19-48
BL-3511 Rec'd Filed	12-9-48 12-13-48 12-13-48	License to cover C. P. (BP-6494, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. (Neville Miller, Atty.)	GRANTED re blanketing clause	2-8-49



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2204 Rec'd	8-17-50 8-31-50	Renewal of license Filed by Neville Miller atty.	GRANTED	10-30-50
BZ-3260 Rec'd. Filed	1-16-51 1-25-51 1-25-51	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED re blanketing	2-19-51
BZ-3319 Rec'd Filed	8-1-51 8-10-51 8-10-51	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing	8-29-51
<del>License submitted by applicant for license of power to be x submitted to 33052 post office of 33052</del>				

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CARMI, ILLINOIS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2204 Rec'd Filed	7-17-53 7-30-53 7-30-53	Renewal of License Filed by Neville Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	10-7-53
BR-2204 Rec'd Filed	8-26-55 8-31-55 8-31-55	Renewal of license John B. Kenkel, Atty.	GRANTED	11-9-55
BR-2204 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Resub. Rec'd & Filed	8-15-58 8-18-58 8-15-58 9-11-58 8-15-58 9-22-58	Renewal of license	<del>RETURNED ltr 8-29-58</del> <del>re: application not</del> <del>filed in triplicate;</del> <del>RETURNED 9-11-58 Re:</del> <del>Sec. IV, Par. 4(a) &amp; (b)</del> <del>not answered in duplicate</del> <del>&amp; Triplicate</del> GRANTED 11-5-58	
BR-2204 R. & F.	8-31-61 9-5-61	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	12-28-61

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-5169 R. & F.	1-16-64 1-20-64	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	4-14-64
BR-2204 R&F	8-31-64 9-3-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	<del>11-9-64</del>
BR-2204 R. & F.	8-23-67 8-25-67	Renewal of license. atty-	GRANTED	11-24-67
SEP 14 1967				
BZ-6720 R & F DM-1/4/68	12/8/67 12/20/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of ant. power. Engr: Theodore A. Giles, St. Louis, Mo.	GRANTED	1-31-68
FEB 1 1968				
BR-2204 R & F PN Press	8-31-73 9-5-73 9-5-73 9-27-73	Renewal of license AMENDED 11-16-73 re: EEO; programming	GRANTED	12-12-73

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Carmi, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-3359 R & F #528595 \$30.	7-9-69 7-11-69 7-11-69	Mod. of license to change studio location to 103 North Church Street, Carmi, Illinois and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED	7-22-69
BR-2204 R & F P.N. PRESS:	8-15-70 8-18-70 8-18-70  SEP 2 1970	Renewal of License AMENDED 10-12-70 re: programming	GRANTED	11-25-70
Annual filing fee \$62.40 paid 11-19-70 #644281. Combined with FM Rates.				
BR-2204 R & F P.N. PRESS	8-31-73 9-5-73 9-5-73 27 SEP 1973	Renewal of License	GRANTED	12-12-73
BTC-7586 R & F FEE ED: \$250 # 361511 CODE Q131F SEP 31 1974 ALSO SEE FM WRUL	10-25-74 11-5-74 # 361511 SEP 31 1974	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic corp by C.F. Rebstock thru purchase of stock from Samuel A. Hassan NOV 15 1974 tty - Cohen & Benfield	GRANTED EFF:	11-22-74 12-2-74

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2204	7-19-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	1-19-77
R & F	7-26-76			
PN Recd. PRESS	" OCT 1 1976	AMENDED 12-15-76 re: prog., commercial matter & EEO		
BR 790723 UL PRESS	AUG 29 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	<i>SL</i>	11-30 ISSUED

## 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 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.

