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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-21-47

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LOCATION: THOMASVILLE, N. CAROLINA

Radio Thomasville, Inc.(AL 8-25-80 EFF: 9-1-80)

x THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 3-10-48; EFF: 3-30-48

Name of licensee x GEORGE W.LYLES, SR., RUSSELL F. VAN LANDINGHAM AND GEORGE W. LYLES, JR.,

a partnership d/b as THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Salem Street Extension, Thomasville, N. C. (Lic. 11-21-47) xNorthwest of City Limits of Thomasville, N. C. (MP 8-6-27) Transmitter location Corner of National Highway and Fairway Street, Thomasville, N.C. (MP6-16-27)

Salem Street Extension, Thomasville, North Carolina (Lic. 11-21-47)
x State Hwy. 109, 9/10 mi. from center of Thomasville, N.C. (MP 8-6-47)
Main studio location Corner of National Highway and Fairway Street, Thomasville, N.C. (MP 6-16-47)
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Name GEORGE W.LYLES, SR., RUSSELL F. VAN LANDINGHAM and GEORGE W.LYLES, JR., a partnership d/b as THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (PO Thomasville, North Carolina)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
B3-P-5206 Rec'd Filed	8-28-46 9-3-46 9-3-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broad- cast station to be operated on: Frequency: 270kc 790kc Power: 250w lkw Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined-Thomasville, North Carolina Studio location: same John Barron, Engr.	for approand anter Letter 3	o filing MP eval of T site and 7-47
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Transmitter-W.E. 451-A-1

Russell F. Van Landingham, Atty. Thomasville, N.C.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name George W. Lyles, Sr., Russell F. Van Landingham and George U. Lyles, Jr., d/b as

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
BMP-2727 Rec'd Filed	5-3-47 5-6-47 5-6-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-r-5206, which authorized a new standard broade at station) to change type of transmitter (Gates BC-1E), for approval of antenna and transmitter site at Northwest of city limits of Thomasville, North Carolina, and specify studio location as Corner of National Highway and Fairway Stre Thomasville, North Carolina.	GRANTED	6-16-47

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name George W. Lyles, Sr., Russell F. Van Landingham and George W. Lyles, Jr., d/b as THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature Nature	<u>tion</u> Date
BMP-2975 Rec'd Filed	7-8-47 7-9-47 7-9-47	Mod. of C.P. (B3-P-5206, as mod., which auth-orized a new standard broadcast station) to change studio location from Corner of National Highway and Fairway Street, Thomasville, North Carolina TO State Hwy. 109, 9/10 mi. from center of Thomasville, N.C.	ANTED	8-6-47
BL-2714 Rec'i Filed	9-21-47 9-22-47 9-22-47	License to cover C.P. (B3-F-5206, as mod.,) CRA which authorized a new standard broadcast station and change studio location from: State Hwy. 109 9/10 mi. from center of Thomasville, N.C. to: Salem Street Extension, Thomasville, N.C. and	NTED	11-21-47
BZ-2550 Rec'd Filed	9-21-47 9-22-47 9-22-47	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.		

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THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 3-10-48; EFF: 3-30-48 Letters ... N. T. N. C.

Name George M. Lyles. SR. Russell F. Van Landingham and George

W. LYLES, JR., A Partnership d/b as THOMASVILLE HRCADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	
BAL-692 Rec'd Filed	12-23-47 1-13-48 1-13-48	Voluntary Assignment of License from George W. Lyles, Sr., Russell F. Van Landingham and George W. Lyles, Jr., A Partnership d/b as Thomasville Broadcasting Company to Thomasvil Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED EFF:	3-10-48 3-30-48
BR-1653 Rec'd	2-22-49 3-2-49	Renew 1 of license	GRANTED	4-6-49
BR-1653 Rec'd Filed	1-28-52 1-31-52 1-31-52	Renewal of license	GRANTED	4-23-52
BR-1653 Rec'd Filed	8-10-54 8-13-54 8-13-54	Renewal of License	GRANTED	11-24-54

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THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	ion Date
BTC-2558 Rec. filed	7-22-57 7-24-57 7-24-57	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from George W. Lyles, Sr. to R. F. Van Landingham and George W. Lyles, Jr Co-Executors of the Estate of George W. Lyle Deceased	1 1	8-2-57 8-15-57
BR-1653 R & F	8-28-57 9-5-57	Renewal of License	Granted	T-27-57
BP- 13546 Rec Resb. R & F	10-7-59 10-8-59 10-16-59 10-14-59	Construction Permit to install a new transmitter (Gates BC-IT)	Returned 16 Section_lepsigned_& no	tarized.
BL-7763 -	12-1-59 12-2-59	Lic. to cover cp(BP-13546) which suthorized		1-2-59 5-12-60
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Name THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

THOMASVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BTC-3394 Rec'd Filed	3-10-60 3-14-60 3-14-60	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from R. F. Van Landingham and George W. Lyles, Jr. Co-Executors of the Estate of George W. Lyles, Deceased to Evelyn Lyles Van Landingham.	GRANTED EFF:	4-20-60 6-3-60
BL=7858 Rec'd Filed	2-18-60 2-19-60 2-19-60	License to use old main transmitter (GATES EC-1-E) as an auxiliary transmitter at present location of main transmitter to be operated on 790kc, lkw for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	5-12-60
BR-1653 Rec'd Filed	8-23-60 8-26-60 8-26-60	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	11-16-61
BR-1653 R & F	8-28-63 9-3-63	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	11-14-63
BR-1653 R & F	8-29-66 8-31-66	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED	11-18-66
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THOMASVILLE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name

Thomasville, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	lon Date
BR-1653 R & F #537387 \$105 P.N. filed PRESS	8-29-69 9-2-69 9-2-69 9-2-69 DCT 8	Renewal of license (Main and Aux.)	GRANTED	11-26-69
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BIC-7574 Re&'R FILED CODE 047(F)	10-4-74 10-7-74	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic corp by Evelyn L. Van Landingham thru transfer of stock to Carol V. Anthony and T.R. Van Landingham		12-74

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RADIO THOMASVILLE, INC.

Name Thomas ville Broadcasting Company
Thomas ville, North Carolina

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BR-1653 R & F PN R ^e cd.		notified licensee to pay forfeiture of \$1000 S. Code and Sec. 73.122, 73.292 and 73.656 of RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	for vio	lation of Sec. 5
BR-780828UG R & F PRESS	7-25-78 7-28-78 AUG 7 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-18-78
BAL800417GM FORM 314 (AI -FM) PRESS MAY PN FILED	so see winc 1980 5-5-80	Vol. AL to RADIO THOMASVILLE, INC. Atty	RANTED EFF:	8-25-80 9-1-80
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BAL800417GM AMENDED 6-30-80 re: Programming data.
AMENDED 8-19-80 re: Engineering information

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.

