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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

VCF (ltr. 12-22-65)

X WXIV (10-5-61)

Date first licensed .....May 21, 1962.....

Call letters X W Y N Z

Station location ~~XX Windermere, Florida~~

Ocoee, Florida ML

ORANGE BROADCASTING, INC. (AL gr 3-12-79 EFF: 4-26-79)

X AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC. (AL gr 11/18/75 EFF: 12/11/75)

6-2-77

xx AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC. (BAL 11-26-63; EFF: 12-12-63)

y LOUIS E. LATHAM tr/as ORANGE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AP 8-4-61 EFF: 9-5-61)

Name of licensee X LOUIS E. LATHAM AND JACK L. GIBSON d/b as WINDERMERE RADIO COMPANY

0.2 miles South of Ocoee on State Route 526, Ocoee, Florida (BP 9-4-74)

(BP 1-25-61)

Transmitter location x On Main St. Extended, 1.1 mi. N. of city limits of Windermere, Fla.

Same as transmitter (DL)

Main studio location To be determined, Windermere, Florida (BP 1-25-61)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period		
					From	To	
BP-13417	1-25-61	1480	1kw	Day	3-25	9-25-61	
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1						
BP-13417 (1)	3-21-61	Mod. of CP(BP-12417) to assign Call Letters.					
BAP-541	8-4-61	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Louis E. Latham tr/as					
EFF:	9-5-61	Orange County Broadcasting					
P-15107	10-3-61	1480kc	1kw	Day	12-3	6-3-62	
	CP to replace expired CP(BP-13417).						
BL-8998	5-21-62	1480kc	1kw	Day	5-21	2-1-64	
	License to cover CP(BP-15107 as reinstated) which auth. a new standard broadcast station; with studio loc. same as trans. (delete remote control.						
BAL-4903	11-26-63	Voluntary assignment of license to					
EFF:	12-12-63	AMERICAN HOME STATIONS, INC.					
BR-4108	1-17-64	1480kc	1kw	Day	2-1	2-1-67	
BR-4108	2-13-67	Renewal of License			2-13	2-1-70	
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w				
BR-4108(L)	6-15-71	RENEWAL				2-1-73	
EBSA	6-12-72						
BR-4108(S)	1-31-73	Renewal				2-1-76	
BP-19,763	9-4-74	1480khz,	1kw	Day	9-4-75		
	CP to move the ant. TL & SL.						
COMTEL	5-16-75	PSA	500w				
BL-13,827(L)	6-17-75	Lic. to cover BP-19,763 for changes				2-1-76	
BAL-8547	11/18/75	Vol AL EFF: 12/11/75					
BR-4108(L)	1-28-76	RENEWAL				2-1-79	
EBSA	11-18-75						
BP-19,690	11-6-77	ML to chg. station location					
BAL-790105	3-12-79	Vol AL EFF: 4-26-79					



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# BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed .....

Call Letters W V C F .....

Station Location Ocoee, Florida .....

Name ORLANDO BROADCASTING, INC. .....

Transmitter Location .....

Main studio location .....



Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BR780928UV(L)	1-23-79	Renewal of License	2-1-82



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name LOUIS E. LATHAM AND JACK L. GIBSON d/b as

WINDERMERE RADIO COMPANY

(P.O. c/o L. E. Latham, Box 77, Atlanta, Ga.)

Call  
LettersWXIV  
NEW X W Y N Z

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-13,417 Rec'd Filed	8-11-59	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 14 <sup>8</sup> 7kc Power - 1kw Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - On Main St. Extended; 1.1 Miles north of city limits of Windermere, Florida Studio location - To be determined Windermere, Florida STATION LOCATION - WINDERMERE, FLORIDA	GRANTED Cond'l re: Permittee shall accept any interf.	1-25-61
	8-17-59			
	8-17-59			
AMENDMENT R & F	10-3-60	Engr.- E. Harold Munn, Jr., Coldwater, Mich. AMENDED to specify remote control operation of transmitter - "To be determined. Windermere, Florida"		
	10-3-60			



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XWYNZName X LOUIS E. LATHAM AND JACK L. GIBSON d/b as WINDERMERE RADIO COMPANY  
WINDERMERE, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAP-541 Rec'd Filed	6-29-61 7-7-61 7-7-61	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Louis E. Latham tr/as Orange County Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED EFF:	8-4-61 9-5-61
<del>BP-15107 R&amp;F</del>	<del>8-26-61 8-27-61</del>	<del>CP to replace antenna of (BP-15107 which auth a new standard broadcast station).</del>	GRANTED	10-3-61
BMP-10,009 R&F	12-9-61 12-11-61	<del>Mod of CP (BP-15107 which auth a new standard broadcast station) to specify main studio loc as one mile north of city limits on Main Street extended, Windermere, Fla. (same as ant-trans loc) and make chgs in ant system (incr height) delete request for remote control.</del>	DISMISSED	at req. of applicant per letter 8-3-64
SEE AMENDMENT BELOW CARD # 3				
BL-8998 R. & F.	10-11-61 10-13-61	Lic to cover CP (BP-15,107 as reinstated) which auth. a new standard broadcast station: specify studio loc, same as trans. (delete remote control)	GRANTED	5-21-62
BMP-10009 Amend Rec'd	CON'T 6-1-63 6-5-63	Amended to chg. site & studio loc. to S. side of Sunshine State Expressway, 3 miles east of Windermere, install DA system (DA-D)	RET'D REQUEST OF APPLICANT	1-9-64



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Letters WXIV

AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC.

Name LOUIS E. LATHAM tr/as ORANGE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Windermere, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-4570 Rec'd Filed	7-7-62 7-9-62 7-9-62	Voluntary assignment of license to Thomas H. Moffit.  Benedict P. Cottone, Atty.	DISMISSED Req. of Assignor	1-8-63
BAL-4903 R&F	9-10-63 9-11-63	Voluntary assignment of license to American Homes Stations, Inc. Request waiver of Section 1.365 Atty. Colby - Assignor Atty. Pogue & Neal - Assignee	GRANTED	11-26-63 Eff: 12-12-63
BR-4108 Rec'd Filed	11-18-63 11-20-63 11-20-63	Renewal of license  Atty. <del>REXXXXXXXX</del> Lauren A. Colby	GRANTED	1-17-64
BMP-10,009 Amend R&F	CON'T 1-31-64 2-28-64	AMENDED to change applicant name to American Homes Stations, Inc. to reflect BAL-4903 gr. 11-26-63  attys-Pogue & Neal	DISMISSED at req. of applicant per letter 8-3-64	



FORM BC-121  
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters

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Name AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC.  
Windermere, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-16,643 Rec'd Filed	10-13-64 10-16-64 3-10-64	CP to increase power from 1kw to 5kw, install DA-D, change ant-trans. & Studio location from On Main St. Extended, 1.1 mi. N of city limits of Windermere, Fla. to South Side of Sunshine State Expressway, 3 mi. east of Windermere, Florida, install new transmitter (Gates BC-5P2). Atty: Pogue & Neal	<del>DENIED</del> Docket	5-15-67 No. 16922.
AMENDED R&F	4-15-65 4-19-65	AMENDED re stockholders, stockholdings and directors.		
BR-4108 R & F	10-28-66 10-31-66	Renewal of license.  Atty - Pogue & Neal	GRANTED	2-13-67



FORM BC-121 #5  
AUG. 1955

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Name AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC.  
WINDERMERE, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4108 R & F #553268 \$75 P. N.	10-14-69 10-31-69 10-31-69 10-31-69	Renewal of License AMENDED 11-24-69 re: Balance Sheet (WVCF & TV 1959 AMENDED 4-25-70 re: financial & programming data WWQS(fm))	GRANTED  (over)	6-15-71
BAL-6830 Rec'd Filed Fee: \$ 75 #566040 (Form 314) PR ALSO SEE: WQSF(fm) Ltr.	12-13-69 12-29-69 12-29-69 JAN 28 1970 2-25-70	Voluntary assignment of license <u>to</u> UNICOM Stations, Inc. Atty for assignee - Arthur Stambler (per ltr 1-29-70) (SEE OVER FOR AMENDMENTS) Arthur Stambler now Atty.	DISMISSED Failure to prosecute	11-13-70



RE: BAL-6830 - Addendum to Sales Agreement *5-15-70*

BR-4108 AMENDED 5-20-71 re: balance sheet; additional  
financial data



APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters W V C F

AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC.

Name<sup>X</sup> AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC.  
WINDERMERE, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4108 R & F P.N. PRESS:	10-23-72 11-3-72 11-3-72 12-22-72	Renewal of license  Atty.: James Koerner	GRANTED	1-31-73
BP-19,690 Rec'd Filed \$100-30888 AC-017 PRESS: AUG 8 PN filed	5-15-74 5-24-74 5-24-74 5-24-74 1974 6-21-74	Construction permit to change station location to OCOEE, FLORIDA and change main studio and transmitter location to 0.2 miles south of Ocoee on State Route 526, Ocoee, Florida. 28° 33' 27" 81° 32' 29"  Atty. Stambler & Shrinsky (James A. Koerner) Eng. E. Harold Munn, Jr.	GRANTED ISSUED AS MOD. LICENSE  Change in TL & SL granted in BP-19,763	6-2-77
BP-19,763 R&F \$50-330675 AC-056 PRESS:	7-29-74 7-31-74 7-31-74	Construction permit to move the antenna-trans. & main studio location to 0.2 miles South of Ocoee on State Route 526, Ocoee, Florida. Request waiver of Section 73.188(b)(1) Request expedited action.  28 33' 27" 81 32' 29"  Atty. James A. Koerner	GRANTED	9-4-74



BP-19,690

PETITION TO DENY filed 10-2-74 by Miller on behalf of  
W T L N.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 10-16-74 by James  
Koerner on behalf of American Homes Stations, Inc.

SUPPLEMENT TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 10-23-  
74 by Koerner on behalf of American Homes Stations, Inc.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 10-23-74  
by Miller on behalf W T L N.

Amended 2-17-76 re: chg. name to AMERICAN HOMES STATION  
OF FLORIDA, INC.

BP-19763

APPLICATION FOR REVIEW filed 10-2-74 by Miller on behalf  
of W T L N.

SUPPLEMENT TO OPPOSITION TO APPLICATION FOR REVIEW filed  
10-23-74 by Koerner on behalf of American Homes Stations  
Inc.

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO APPLICATION FOR REVIEW filed 10-23-  
74 by Miller on behalf of W T L N.

12-17-74. By Direction Memorandum Opinion and Order,  
Item 4, Aural Agenda, DENIED application for  
Review and AFFIRMED grant of 9-4-74



APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W V C F

AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC.

Name x AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS, INC.  
Windermere, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-13,827 R & F \$100#417892 PTA PRESS MAY 21 1975	4-18-75 4-25-75 4-28-75 5-12-75	Lic. to cover BP-19,763 for changes Transmitter: McMarin BA-1K Atty: James A. Koerner (Stambler & Shrinsky, P.C.)	GRANTED	6-17-75
BR-4108 R & F PN Rec'd Press	8/29/75 10/1/75 " 11/6/75	Renewal of License Jas. A. Koerner, Atty.	GRANTED	1-28-76
BAL-8547 Rec'd Filed Fee Pd \$50 Add'l \$50 Code 047 (FORM 316) NOV 14 1975	10/16/75 10/22/75 11/4/75 W 490526 W 494105	Voluntary assignment of license to AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC. Atty - Stambler & Shrinsky (James A. Koerner)	GRANTED EFF: NO FEE	11/18/75 12/11/75



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W V C F

Name x ORLANDO BROADCASTING, INC.  
AMERICAN HOMES STATIONS OF FLORIDA, INC.  
Ocoee, FL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR780928UV PRESS DEC 4 1978	1978	Renewal of License James A. Koerner, Atty.	GRANTED	1-23-79
BAL790105ED PRESS Form 314 PN FILED	1-24-79	Vol AL to James-Sr-Beattie- Atty for assignor-James A. Koerner Atty for assignee-Samuel Miller *AMENDED 3-5-79 to chge. assignee to ORLANDO BROADCASTING, INC.	GRANTED EFF:	3-12-79 4-26-79



## 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.

