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Form BC 126 4111

June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 6-21-62.....

W Y N S (Eff: 3-31-61)

Call letters X W L P S.....

Station location Lehighton, Pennsylvania

Name of licensee VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY.....

Transmitter location On Nis Hollow Rd., 0.8 miles SE of Lehighton, Pa. (EP 7-27-60).....

18235
Main studio location On Nis Hollow Rd., 0.8 miles SE of Lehighton, Pennsylvania (EP 7-27-60).....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period		
					From	To	
BP-11651	7-27-60	1150kc	1kw-DA	Day	9-27	3-27-61	
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1).						
BP-11651 (1)	8-30-60	Mod. of CP(BP-11651) to assign Call Letters.					
BMP-9344 (2)	3-28-61	Mod. of CP(BP-11651) for extension of completion date to September 30, 1961.					
BMP-9614 (3)	7-28-61	Mod. of CP(BP-11651 as mod) to cng type transmitter(RCA BTA-1R)					
BMP-9753 (4)	9-26-61	Mod. of CP(BP-11,651, as modified) for extension of completion date to January 31, 1962					
BMP-10,049 (5)	2-6-62	Mod. CP(BP-11651) for extension of completion date to April 30, 1962					
BTC-3967 EFF:	5-8-62 6-26-62	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of permittee corporation by Martin H. Philip thru sale of stock by E. D. McWilliams and Megan H. McWilliams to Valley Broadcasting Company.					
BL-9250	6-21-62	1150kc	1kw-DA	Day	6-21	8-1-63	
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-11,651 as mod) which auth. a new standard B/C station.						
BR-4111	7-31-63	Renewal of license			8-1	8-1-66	
BR-4111	7-29-66	Renewal of License			8-1	8-1-69	
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	63w				
TELEGRAM	11-28-67	PSA CANCELLED PER REQUEST OF LICENSEE					
Ltr 11-30-68,	recd 12-5-68,	notification per Sect. 73.48(a)(5) rules that a CCA-AM-1000-D trans is now installed and in operation.					
BR-4111(L)	7-24-69	Renewal of License			8-1	8-1-72	
BL-12,349(L)	8-11-69	Lic. to use former main trans. RCA BTA-1R for aux. purp. only.				8-1-72	
EBSA	5-25-72						
BR-4111(L)	7-31-72	Renewal of License			8-1	8-1-75	
	(Main & Auxiliary)						

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 6-21-62

Call letters W Y N S

Station location LEHIGHTON, PENNSYLVANIA

Name of licensee SEE CARD ONE

Transmitter location SEE CARD ONE

Main studio location SEE CARD ONE

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BR-4111(S)	3-17-76	RENEWAL	(MAIN & AUX.)		8-1-78
BS-4111(L)	10-26-76	ML replace antenna monitor			8-1-78
BR-4111(S)	7-12-78	Renewal	(Main & Aux.)		8-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

Call Letters W Y N S
NEW X W L P SName VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY
(P.O. - E.D. McWilliams, R.D. #2, Lehighton, Penna.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-11,651 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	9-19-57	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1150kc Power - 1kw DA-D Hours of operation - Daytime Trans. location - 0.6 miles south of city limits, Near Lehighton, Penna. Studio location - Same as transmitter Atty. - Miller & Schroeder Engr. - George C. Davis	RETURNED	10-10-57
	9-20-57		Dated wrong.	
	10-21-57		GRANTED	7-27-60
	10-22-57		Cond'l re: Phase Mon.; Field meas. equip.; DA	
	10-22-57		& non-DA proof.	
AMENDMENT R & F	12-8-58 12-9-58	AMENDED to change antenna-trans. & studio location to On Nis Hollow Road, 0.8 miles SE of Lehighton, Penna. and change type transmitter (GATES BC 1T)	After Hearing Docket No. 12720 Order Issued.	
AMENDMENT Rec'd Filed(order)	4-8-59 4-9-59 4-22-59	AMENDED to make changes in DA system.		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W Y N S (3-31-61)
Letters X H L P SName VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY
Lehighton, Pennsylvania Lehighton, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9344 Rec'd & Filed	2-15-61	Modification of C.P. (BP-11,651 as modified, which authorized a new standard broadcast station(for extension of completion date from 3-27-61 to 9-30-61. Berge, Fox and Arent, Attys.	GRANTED	3-28-61
	2-17-61			to 9-30-61
BMP-9614 R&F	7-8-61	Mod of C.P. (BP-11651 as mod which auth a new standard B/C station) to chg type trans.(RCA BTA-1R). Atty: Arent, Fox, Kinter, Plotkin & Kahn	GRANTED	7-28-61
	7-10-61			
BMP-9753 R&F	8-30-61	Mod of CP (BP-11651 as mod which auth a new standard B C station) for extension of completion date from 9-30-61 to 1-31-62. Atty: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn	GRANTED	9-26-61
	9-1-61			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
LettersW.Y.N.S.....

Name Valley Broadcasting Company.....
Leighton, Penna.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-10,049 R&F	12-28-61 12-29-61	Mod of CP (BP-11651 as mod which auth a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 1-31-62 to 4-30-62. Atty: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn	GRANTED	2-6-62 to 4-30-62
BTC-3967 Rec'd Filed	1-23-62 1-29-62 1-29-62	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of permittee corporation by Martin H. Philip thru sale of stock by E. D. McWilliams and Megan H. McWilliams to Valley Broadcasting Company. Gene A. Bechtel, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	5-8-62 6-26-62

FORM BC-121

AUG. 1955 #2

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WYNSName VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY
Lehighton, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-9250 R & F PROG. TEST 4-6-62	3-27-62 3-28-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-11,651 as mod) which with a new standard broadcast station. ATTY* FOX, KINTNER, PLOTKIN & KAHN	GRANTED	6-21-62
BR-4111 R & F	4-29-63 5-2-63	Renewal of license Atty. Thomal Schattenfield	GRANTED	7-31-63
BTC-4374 R & F	9-12-63	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Martin H. Philip to Martin H. Philip and Frances J. Philip Atty. Thomas Schattenfield	DISMISSED	10-31-63 Request of Applicant
BR-4111 R & F	5-2-66 5-3-66	Renewal of license. Atty: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn	GRANTED	7-29-66

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1150kc

Call
LettersWYNS.....

Name Valley Broadcasting Company
Lehighton, Pa.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- Rec'd Resub.	10-25-66 10-27-66 9-29-67	CP to increase power from 1kw to 5kw, install new trans. (Collins 21E), make changes in antenna system (add two twers). Atty: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn Engr: George C. Davis.	Returned By Comm action Returned by Comm action	8-30-67 11-22-67
BP- Rec'd #498752 \$30	3-11-69 3-13-69 3-13-69	CP to install former main transmitter (RCA BTA-1R) at main transmitter location, to be oper on 1150kc, 1kw, Day, DA for aux. purposes only. enr-Julion Cohen	Returned "rong forms (301)	3-25-69
PL-12,349 R & F #498752 \$30 PT	3/31/69 4/3/69 3/13/69 4/15/69	Lic. to use former main trans. RCA BTA-1R for aux. purposes only. (1150kc 1kw DA)	GRANTED	8-11-69
FR-1111 #510888 \$75 JUN 10 1969	4-30-69 5-1-69 5-1-69	Renewal of license. atty-Seymour M. Chase	GRANTED	7-24-69

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W.Y.N.S.Name VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY
Lehighton, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4111 R & F P.N. PRESS MAY 30 1972	4-25-72 5-2-72 5-2-72	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Sheldon C. Hofferan AMENDED 7-13-72 re: commercial policy; employment policy	GRANTED	7-31-72
BR-4111 R & F P. N. Rec'd Press APR 15 1975	3-17-75 3-25-75 3-25-75	Renewal of License. (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Nathanie F. Emmons (Mullin, Connor and Rhyne) AMENDED 8-4-75 re: programming	GRANTED	3-17-76
BR-4111 R & F PRESS APR 27 1978	3-28-78 3-30-78	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Howard M. Weiss, Atty.	GRANTED	7-12-78

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

1150 KHz

Call Letters: W Y N S

Name: VALLEY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: Lehigh, PA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR810401ZR PRESS MAY 29 1981		Renewal of License Atty.: B. Shelby Baetz	GRANTED 7-17-81

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.

