BC-126 June 1975

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed NOVEMBER 13, 1980

Call letters KANZ

Station location Garden City, Kansas

Name of licensee KANZA SOCIETY INCORPORATED

Transmitter location approx. 12.6 mi. S of Garden city on US Hwy. 83, Garden City, Kansas (PED-9-28-78)

Main studio location Pierceville Grade School, Pierceville, Kansas (PED-9-28-78)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPED-2637 HAAT: (L) 646.3*	9-28-78 CP for I	91.1mhz EW ED FN			
BPED-2637 (1)	12-18-78			SIGNED &	
EMPED7909134	H 11/8/79	MP (BPEI	-2637)	or ext.	of 5/2/80
BECA800204A0	4-14-80	SCA			6-1-80
PED800401BB (3)	6-10-80	Construc expired	tion Per permit	mit to re BPED-2637	place 9-1-80 , as mod.)
BLED-80072L HAAT:650'() (L) COMTEL	A RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF THE	License 2637, as DEADLIN TELEGRA DUE TO MUST FI	to cover mod.): E FOR IN M DATED RECEIVIN LE ALL A	or a new FORMATION 10-9-80 E G TELEGRA	REQUESTED IN T. TEN DAYS ON 10-15-80. BY 11-3-80.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K A N Z NEW EDUC FM

Name Kanza Society Incorporated
Garden City, Kansas (PO 412) N Main, Garden City, Kansas 67846)

			Action		
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date	
BPED-2637 R&F PRESS: PN REC'D	1-23-78 2-1-78 MAY 1 5 1978	Construction permit for new Educ FM on: Frequency: 91.1MHz #216 ERP: 100KW HAAT: 646.3' trans HARRIS FM-20K Ant: HARRIS FML-14C, 14 sections TL: approx 12.6 miles south of Garden City or US Highway 83, Garden City, Kansas SL&RC: Pierceville Grade School, Pierceville, Kansas 37° 46' 40" 100° 52' 08" ATTY: ENGR: Quentin Hope(Garden City, Kansas)	GRANTED	9-28-78	
AMENDED	5-8-78	engineering(vertical and horizontal sketch plan of proposed antenna system) also ExhP-5 of Section IV-A submitted			
AMENDED	7-7-78	financial(budget) eeo(job applic, and program for jobs)			
		F.C.C WASHINSTON, D. C.			

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING 91.1MHz.

Call Letters: KANZ

Name: KANZA SOCIETY INCORPORATED

Station Location: GARDEN CITY, KANSAS						
File No. Date		Description	Action and Date			
BMPED790913AH PRESS (0)0	CT 1 1 1979	MP (BPED-2637) for Extension of Time to: 2-29-80 (NEW STATION)	GRANTED 11/8/79			
BSCA-800204A0 PRESS: (0)	APR 1 8 198	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authority on a subcarrier frequency of 67 kHz.	Granted 4-14-80			
BPED800401BB PRESS (0)	UN 12 1980		GRANTED 6-10-80 TO 9-1-80			
BLED-800721A0 PTA PRESS	P 1 2 1980	Attra none	GRANTED 11-13-80			
341 7/21/80			Form BC-121 March 1979			

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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 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). Prior to that move, 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.

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.

