

KBVR

Form BC 126

June 1954

OFFICIAL No. 301

NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed FEBRUARY 23, 1966

Call letters K B V R

Station location CORVALLIS, OREGON

Name of licensee STATE OF OREGON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE
STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Snell Hall, OSU, Corvallis, Oregon (PED-5-11-77)

Transmitter location X Shepard Hall, OSU Campus, Corvallis, Oreg. (PED 4-28-65)

Same as Transmitter (PED-5-11-77)

Main studio location X Shepard Hall, OSU Campus, Corvallis, Oreg. (PED 4-28-65)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-642 HAAT:--	4-28-65	90.1mcs Ch.#211	ERP:-- TPO:10w	Unl.	6-28-65 12-28-65
CP for a new Class D Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station.					
BLED-487 HAAT:---	2-23-66	90.1mc. CH# 211	ERP:--- TPO: 10w	Unl.	2-23-66 2-1-69
Lic. to cover CP(BPED-642) which authorized a new non-commercial educational FM broadcast station.					
BRED-301(S)	1-30-69	Renewal of License		2-1	2-1-72
BRED-301(S)	1-27-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-75
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRED-301(S)	1-30-75	Renewal of License			2-1-78
BPED-2486 (L)	5-11-77	90.1mhz #211	TPO: 10 W	U	5-11-78
CP chg TL/SL; install new ant; mke chg ant sys (incr hght)					
BMPED-1490 (1)	7-11-77	MP(BPED-2486 to operate by RC			
BPED-2698 HAAT:- (L)	7-20-78	90.1mhz #211	ERP:-TPO: 10 W (RC)	U	7-20-79
CP chg TL; redes SL/RC; mke chg ant sys (decr hght)					
BRED-301(L)	4-16-79	Renewal of License			2-1-81
BLED-1712	4-24-78	Lic. (BPED-2486) for changes			
BPED791210AC HAAT: -80.6' (L)	11-26-80	88.9mhz	ERP: .34kW(h&v)		11-26-81
CP to chg. freq. & mke chgs in Ant. Sys					

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name STATE OF OREGON ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION
Corvallis, Oregon (c/o H. A. Bork, Box 5175, Eugene, Oregon)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-642 Rec'd Filed	11-23-64 11-27-64 11-27-64	Construction permit for a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 90.1mc CH 211 Type transmitter: BFE-10C TPO: 10 watts Type antenna: Jampro JA-1-BE (1 section) Transmitter Loc.: Shepard Hall on OSU Campus, Corvallis, Oregon Studio Loc.: Same as transmitter Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	4-28-65
RLED-487 R&F	6-24-65 6-29-65	License to cover CP (BPED-642) which authorized a new non-commercial educational FM broadcast station. Atty: Charles V. Wayland	GRANTED	2-23-66

FORM BC-121 #2
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Corvallis, Oregon

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-301 R & F #No Fee Requ. PRESS DEC 13 1968	9-12-68 10-8-68	Renewal of license Atty. Charles V. Wayland	GRANTED	1-30-69
BRED-301 R & F PN Recd. PRESS NOV 5 1971	10-8-71 10-27-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 11-29-71 re: Section VI & exhibits submitted; employment programming	GRANTED	equal 1-27-72
BRED-301 R & F PN Recd. PRESS 10-7-74 JAN 3 1975	9-17-74 9-23-74 10-7-74 JAN 3 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John W. Kendall, Atty.	GRANTED	1-30-75

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...the...State...Board...of...Higher...Education.....
Corvallis, Oregon

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-2486 R & F PRESS	3-11-77 3-15-77 MAY 5 1977	CP chg TL/SL to: Snell Hall, Oregon State University Campus, Corvallis, Oregon; install new Antenna: PHELPS-DODGE, ECFM-4, 4 sects; mke chgs in Ant sys: incr hght 44° 33' 52.4" - 123° 16' 28.3" Atty John W. Kendall Engr Howard R. Paine	GRANTED	5-11-77
BMPED-1490 R & F Press	4-29-77 5-5-77 MAY 27 1977	MP(BPED-2486) to operate by RC from studio site at: Snell Hall, Oregon State Univ., Corvallis, Oregon	GRANTED	7-11-77
BRED-301 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-23-77 10-3-77 10-3-77 NOV 3 1977	Renewal of License	GRANTED (Issued with BLED-1712)	4-16-79

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State Board of Higher Education
Corvallis, Oregon

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLED-1712 R & F PTA PRESS DEC 9 B	8-29-77 8-31-77 9-21-77 1977	Lic. (BPED-2486, as mod) for changes Atty--- Engr. Howard R. Paine	GRANTED (Issued with renewal)	4-24-78
BPED-2698 R & F PRESS: JUL 3	2-22-78 2-27-78 1978	CP to chg. TL to: Administrative Services Bldg., Jefferson St., Corvallis, Oregon; redescribe SL/RC as: Snell Hall, Rm. 211, Jefferson St., Corvallis, Oregon; mke. chg. ant. sys. (decr. hght.) 44° 33' 52.4" 123° 16' 24.7" Atty:---- Engr:----	ACCEPTED & GRANTED	7-20-78

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

90.1MHz

Call Letters: KBVR

Name: STATE OF OREGON ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Station Location: CORVALLIS, OREGON

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED-791210AC (C) ACCEPTED PN RECD AUG 22 80 Amended	5-30-80 OCT 3 80 8-4-80	CP chg freq to 88.7MHz#204; ERP: 335 watts H&V; HAAT: minus 80.6' and make chgs in ant sys Engineering Information	GRANTED 11-26-80
BRED-800929UY PRESS	OCT 3 1 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE public notice filed 1-2-80	GRANTED 1-30-81
BLED-810209AS PTA PRESS	FEB 27 1981	License to cover (BPED-791210AC) for changes. Atty:—	

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.

