

K R S W-FM

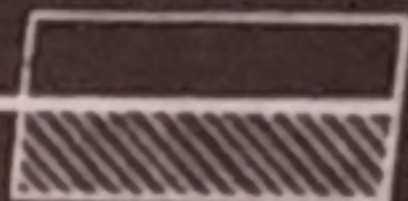
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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed5-31-74.....

Call letters K R S W-FM

Station location ~~Pipestone, Minn.~~
Worthington-Marshall, Minn.

MINNESOTA PUBLIC RADIO, INC. (MLED 2-27-75)

Name of licensee ~~MINNESOTA EDUCATIONAL RADIO, INC.~~

Transmitter location 3/4 mi. due east of a point on State Highway 91 which is 3 miles
due south from Chandler, and 19 miles. southeast of Pipestone, Minn.
(PED-3-1-73)

Classrm Bldg-Worthington Comm. Coll, Worthington, MN and Southwest State Univ., Marshall,
Minnesota (PED-9-2-77)

Main studio location X Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BPED-1366 HAAT: 800' (H&V)	3-1-73	91.7mhz.	ERP: 99kw (H&V) #219 Class E CP for New FM ED Station.		3-1-74
BPED 1366(1)	6-4-73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	6-6-73				
BPED-1,043 (2)	12-10-73	MP (BPED-1,366) operate by RC.			
BSCA-1313	1-30-74	Request for SCA on 67 khz.			
BLED-1189(L)	5-31-74	Lic. (BPED-1366, as mod.) New 4-1-77			
BMLED-90(1)	2-27-75	ML to chg licensee name			
BMSCA-398(1)	2-27-75	Mod of SCA chg licensee name			
COMTEL	4-14-75	Authority to remain silent thru 6-15-75			
BRED-701 {L}	3-15-77	Renewal of License 4-1-80			
BRSCA-1813	3-15-77	Renewal of SCA			
BPED-2294 HAAT: 800' (h&v) (L)	9-2-77	91.7mhz	ERP: 99kw (h&v) #219 (RC) CP chg station loc. chg SL		9-2-78
BPED781030AN (1)	2-14-79	CP to replace expired permit (BPED-2294).			3-1-79
BLED-78101AB	6-27-79	Lic. (BPED-2294 as rein.) 4-1-80			
BRED79121UF BRSCA"	4-30-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA			4-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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X NEW-EDUC-FM

Name Minnesota Educational Radio, Inc.
Pipestone, Minnesota (PO c/o William H. Kling, Collegeville, Minnesota 56321)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,366 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: FEB 11 1972 PN REC'd: 2-4-72	1-14-72 1-19-72	CP for New Educ. FM on: 91.7mc. #219 HAAT: 733' - ERP: 98.8kw Trans: CCA-Electronics-FM-25000DS; Ant: Collins- 37CP-9, 9 sections. T-SL: 5 mi. SE of Pipestone, Minnesota -- 43°-57'-14" - 96°-14'-15"----- Atty----- Engr-----	GRANTED	3 1 73
AMENDED AMENDED	3-13-72 8-10-72 SEP 14 1972	FAA chg. TL and SL to: 19 mi. S.E. of Pipestone, Minnesota and HAAT: 796' (43° 53' 1" - 95° 55' 44")		
BMPED-1,043 R & F No Fee Required Press	11-1-73 11-5-73 NOV 20 1973	MP (BPED-1,366) to operate transmitter by remote control from KLOH Studio Site: Hwy. 47, 0.4 mile E. of city limit of Pipestone, Minnesota.	GRANTED	12-10-73

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Name **MINNESOTA EDUCATIONAL RADIO, INC.**
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Pipestone, Minnesota

File No	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLED-1189 R & F PTA PRESS	12-3-73 12-6-73 12-11-73 JAN 22 1974	Lic.(BPED-1366, as mod.)-New Sta. Transmitter: AEL, FM-25KD Antenna: RCA, BFC-9B, 9 sects.	GRANTED	5-31-74
BSCA-1,313 R & F No Fee Required Press	12-24-73 12-28-73 JAN 17 1974	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilohertz.	GRANTED	1-30-74
BMLD-90 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	1-8-75 1-13-75 JAN 28 1975	Mod of license to change name of licensee to: MINNESOTA PUBLIC RADIO, INC.	GRANTED	2-27-75
BMSCA-398 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	1-8-75 1-13-75 JAN 28 1975	Mod of SCA to change name of licensee to: MINNESOTA PUBLIC RADIO, INC.	GRANTED	2-27-75

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

91.7mhz

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Call
Letters KRSW-FM

Name MINNESOTA PUBLIC RADIO, INC.

~~Pipestone~~, Minnesota

Worthington-Marshall

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED= 2294 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: PN REC'D	6-1-76 6-8-76 SEP 16 1976 8-12-77	Construction permit to change location of station to Worthington-Marshall, Minnesota and chg. main studio location : Classroom Building, Worthington Community College, Worthington, Minnesota and Communications Building, Southwest State University Marshall, Minnesota Atty: ----- Engr: -----	GRANTED	9-2-77
BRED-701 R & F PN Recd. PRESS BRSCA-1313	11-30-76 11-19-76 " FEB 25 1977 11-19-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-15-77

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

91.7MHz.

Call
Letters K R S W-FMName MINNESOTA PUBLIC RADIO, INC.
WORTHINGTON/MARSHALL, MINNESOTA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED781030AN PRESS	NOV 17 1978	Construction Permit to Replace Expired Permit (BPED-2294).	GRANTED TO	2-14-79 3-1-79
BLED-781101AB PTA: PRESS:	3-8-79 APR 27 1979	License to cover (BPED-2294, as rein.) FOR CHANGES Atty: ----	Gr.	6-27-79
BRED 791211 BRSCA " PRESS JAN	UF 3 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA	GRANTED	4-30-80

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.

