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Form BC 126 #482
June 1954

NON COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed January 29, 1971

Call letters K W C W

Station location Walla Walla, Washington

Name of licensee ASWC Radio Committee

Transmitter location Student Center, Whitman College Walla Walla, Washington (FED-9-11-70)

99362

Main studio location SAME AS TRANSMITTER

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-1,102 HAAT: --'	9-11-70	90.5mc Ch#213	ERP:-- TPO: 10watts		11-11 9-11-71
	CP For New EDUC Station.				
BPED-1,102 (1)	11-9-70	Call letters Assigned.			
BLED-853(L)	1-29-71	Lic.(BPED-1102, as mod.) for NEW Non-Comm.Ed FM B/C station			2-1-72
BRED-482	1-27-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (SHORT)			2-1-75
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRED-482(S)	1-30-75	Renewal of License			2-1-78
BPED-2358 {L}	8-11-76	90.5MHz TPO: 10 watts CP install new Antenna			8-11-77
BRED-482(L)	3-31-78	Renewal			2-1-81
BPED780828AM (1)	11-9-78	CP replace exp. pmt.(BPED- 2358) for changes.			5-3-79

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call **K W C W**
Letters **NEW EDUC FM**

Name **ASWC Radio Committee**
Walla Walla, Washington (PO Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington 99362)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,102 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: PN REC'd:	5-8-70 5-12-70 22 MAY 1970 5-27-70 6-8-70	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.9mc. #205 TPO: 10 watts. Trans: Gates-BFE-10G: Ant: Gates-FM-11, 1 sect. T-SL: Student Center, Whitman College, Walla Walla, Washington. 46° 04' 10" - 118° 19' 54"	GRANTED	9-11-70
AMENDED PRESS:	6-19-70 JUN 24 1970	Atty---- Engr---- chg. frequency to 90.5mc. #213.		
BLED-853 R & F PTA PRESS JAN 21 1971	12-23-70 12-29-70 1-7-71	Lic.(BPED-1,102, as mod.) for new FM Educ. B/c Sta. Transmitter: GATES, BFE-10G3.	GRANTED	1-29-71

publication notice mailed 5-20-70

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K.W.C.W.Name ASWC RADIO COMMITTEE
Walla Walla, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-482 R & F P.N. DEC 1 1971	10-29-71 11-1-71 11-1-71	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-27-72
BRED-482 R & F PN REcd. PRESS	9-25-74 9-30-74 " NOV 14 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 11-25-74 re: equal employ. prog.	GRANTED	1-30-75
BPED-2358 Rec'd NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS Resubmitted R & F PRESS:	4-23-76 5-20-76 6-14-76 JUL 28 1976	CP to install a new antenna (Gates FM-22A, 2 sects.); make changes in antenna system (incr. hght.)	RETURNED - 4-30-76 Section 1, Pg. 2 With ref. to Signature and Date GRANTED	8-11-76

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

90.5mhz.

Call
Letters K W C W

Name ASWC RADIO COMMITTEE
Walla Walla, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-482 Rec'd Resub. Filed PRESS	9-30-77 10-6-77 11-14-77 11-21-77 NOV 23 1977	Renewal of License	Returned Applicant signed by General Manager	11-7-77
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BPED-780828AM PRESS: SEP 1 1978		CP replace expired permit (BPED-2358) (FOR CHANGES) REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 1.534(b) OF COMMISSION'S RULES. Atty: ----	GRANTED TO CANCELLED	11-9-78 5-3-79 11-29-82.

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
90.5MHz

Call Letters: KWCW

Name: ASWC RADIO COMMITTEE

Station Location: WALLA WALLA, WASHINGTON

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED- 791227AC (C)		CP incr ERP: 160 watts HAAT: 1062'	GRANTED: 12-15-81
PN Recd. Amended	4-23-81	Chg. ERP: .162 kW; HAAT: minus 52'	
BRED 801124 AA PRESS		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 3-13-81
11-25-80	DEC 5 1980		

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.

