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BC-126  
February 1974

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 798

Date first licensed ..... 6-17-75 .....

Call letters ..... K.W.H.S. ....

Station location ..... West Sacramento, Cal. ....

Name of licensee ..... Washington Unified School District .....

James Marshall High School, 1100 Clarendon Street, W. Sacramento, Ca. (BPED 11-6-78)  
 Transmitter location X Washington High Sch, 1100 Carrie St., Broderick, Calif. (PED 12-10-74) .....

Main studio location ..... same as transmitter .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BPED-1914 HAAT: _____	12-10-74	91.7mhz #219 CP for	ERP: _____ Class-D NEW EDUC	U TPO: 10Watt FM Station	12-10-75
BPED-1914(L)	2-18-75	Call letters assigned			
EBSA	2-18-75				
BLED-1396(L)	6-17-75	Lic.(BPED-1914, as mod.)			New-12-1-77
BRED-798	11-16-77	(S) REN. OF LICENSE			12-1-80
BPED-2623 HAAT: 100' (H) (L)	11-6-78	91.7mhz CP to chg. TL/SL chg. type ant & mke chgs in ant. syst	ERP: 30 watts	U	11-6-79
BLED-7905(L)	10-19-79	Lic.(BPED-2623) FOR CHGS.			12-1-80



APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

91.7mhz.

Call Letters KWHS  
NEW-EDUC-FM

Name Washington Unified School District  
West Sacramento, California (PO 930 West Acres Rd., West Sacramento, Calif. 95691)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,914 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: PN REC'd:	10-7-74 10-11-74 <b>OCT 29 1974</b> 11-11-74	CP for New Educ. FM on: 91.7mhz. #219 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: SPARTA-680/1; Ant: SCALA-CA-5-150, 1 section T-SL: Washington High School, 1100 Carrie Street, Broderick, California 38° 36' 03" - 121° 31' 44"  Atty--- Engr--	GRANTED COND'L	12-10-74
BLBD-1396 R & F PTA PRESS	3-20-75 3-24-75 5-14-75 <b>MAY 22 1975</b>	Lic.(BPED-1914, as mod.)-New Sta.	GRANTED	6-17-75
BRED-798 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	6-29-77 7-22-77 <b>AUG 1 1977</b>	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-16-77



PN mailed: 10-24-74.



APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

91.7mhz

Call Letters KWHS

Name Washington Unified School District  
West Sacramento, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-2623 Rec'd Filed PRESS: JUN 8 1978 PN REC'D	----- 1-12-78 <del>1-12-78</del> 2-7-78	Construction permit to chg. TL&SL: James Marshall High School, 1100 Clarendon Street, West Sacramento, California; chg. type ant(PHELPS- Dodge EHFM-4,4 sections (H&V)) and make chgs. in ant system(incr hght) 38° 34' 20" 121° 32' 08" ATTY:----- ENGR: Mel Freedman(Hughson,California)	GRANTED	11-6-78
AMENDED	6-5-78	engineering(info on trans line efficiency)		
BLED-79051 PTA: PRESS:	11AC 5-18-79	License to cover(BPED-2623) for CHANGES  ATTY:---	GRANTED	10-19-79



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## APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

91.7MHz.

Call Letters: K W H S

Name: WASHINGTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Station Location: WEST SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED790628AG PRESS (0)	JUL 27 1979	CP to make changes in Antenna System; chg. type Ant. (PHELPS-DODGE ECFM-6, 6 sects. H&V) & chg. TPO.  38° 34' 20" 121° 32' 08"	
790716AE ACCEPTED (C)		Construction permit to incr ERP: .133 KW and HAAT: 100'	<u>RETURNED 12-10-80</u> <u>FAILED TO RESPOND</u>
BRED 800801 H6 PRESS AMENDED	OCT 31 1980-27-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  To correct frequency.	GRANTED 1-30-81



## 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.

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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

