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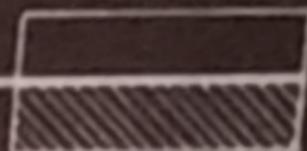
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June 1954

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NON COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W D N X (EFF: 7 16 73)

Date first licensed 3-11-75

Call letters X W Q H T

Station location Olive Hill, Tenn.

Name of licensee RURAL LIFE FOUNDATION, INC.

Transmitter location Herbert Hills Academy Campus, 4.9 mi, south-southwest of city
Lonesome Pine Road, Olive Hill, Tennessee (PED-3-22-73)

Main studio location Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-1564 HAAT: 220'	3-22-73	89.1mhz. #206	ERP: 1.50kw Class E		3-22-74
		CP for New FM ED Station.			
BPED 1564 (1)	4 20 73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	4-23-73				
BMPED-1035 (2)	11-20-73	MP chg.	ant. sys.,	TPO:	HAAT: 250'
BMPED-1098 (3)	4-19-74	MP(BPED-1564,	as mod)	ext.	to 7-22-74
BMPED-1149 (4)	8-13-74	MP(BPED-1564,	as mod)	ext.	to 1-22-75
BLED-1344(L) HAAT: 250'	3-11-75	Lic.(BPED-1564,	as mod.)	New	- 8-1-76
BRED7604(S)	7-14-76	Renewal of License			8-1-79
EBSA	7-16-73				
BRED790326(VD(S)	7-18-79	Renewal of License			8-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W D N X
X W Q H T
X NEW-EDUC-FM

Name Rural Life Foundation
Olive Hill, Tennessee (PO Route #1, Olive Hill, Tennessee 38475)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,564 Rec'd: 1-2-73 Filed: 1-19-73 NO FEE REQUIRED! PRESS: JAN 26 1973 PN REC'd: 2-5-73 P.N. Rec'd: 2-14-73 AMENDED 1-19-73	12-27-72 1-2-73 1-19-73 JAN 26 1973 2-5-73 2-14-73 1-19-73	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.3mhz #202 HAAT: 10218' ERP: 1.5kw Trans: COMPOSITE; Ant: COLLINS-37M-4, 4 sects. T-SL: RFD #1, Olive Hill, Tennessee 35° 12' 30" - 88° 03' 46" Atby--- Engr-- chg. frequency to: 89.1mhz. #206.	GRANTED	3-22-73
BMPED-1,035 R & F No Fee Required Press NOV 7 - 1973	10-3-73 10-9-73 NOV 7 - 1973	MP (BPED-1,564) make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO and HAAT: 248'. as mod.	GRANTED	11-20-73
BMPED-1093 R & F NO Fee Required PRESS: APR 9 1974	3-13-74 3-18-74	MP (BPED-1564) ext. time to _____ (New Station)	GRANTED TO	4-19-74 7-22-74

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RFD #1
Olive Hill, Tennessee 38475
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FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call 89.1mhz.
Letters W D N X

Name Rural Life Foundation
Olive Hill, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPED-1149 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	7-22-74 7-25-74 AUG 2 - 1974	MP(BPED-1564, as mod.) ext. time to 1-22-75. (New Station)	GRANTED TO	8-13-74 1-22-75
BLED-1344 R & F PTA PRESS	12-22-74 12-26-74 1-7-75 AUG 21 1975	Lic.(BPED-1564, as mod.)-New Sta. Transmitter: FEDERAL, 192-A.	GRANTED	3-11-75

Form BC-121 #3
September 1969
8-75

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

ED FM

Call
Letters W D N X

Name RURAL LIFE FOUNDATION
OLIVE HILL, TENN.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-760 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-19-76 3-22-76 " MAY 25 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-14-76
BRED790326VD PRESS JUN 7 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-18-79
BPED-800507AI ACCEPTED PN Recd. JUL 1 '81	6-24-80 MAY 18 '81	Construction permit incr ERP: 100KW HAAT: 226 make chgs in antenna system	H&V GRANTED:	12-15-81

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 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.

