

BC-126 June 1975

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

OFFICIAL NO. 965 Date first licensed

1-25-78

Call letters \_\_\_\_\_^\_^

Station location Millersville, Pa.

Name of licensee .... MILLERSVILLE STATE COLLEGE

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# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No. BPED-2224	Date Issued 10-5-7		19 (1	ss-D	From To To 10-5-77
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FORM BC-121 Aug. 1955

### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W I X Q Letters X .NEW = EDUC = EM.....

File No.	Dated	Millersivlle, Pa. 17551) Application for	Nature Nature	Date
& F Fee Require	3-16-76 3-18-76	CP for New Educ. FM on: 91.7mhz #219  TPO: 10 Watts  Trans: LPB Electronics FM-10; Ant: Phelps- Dodge ECFM-2, 2 sects.	COND'L	10-5-76
AMENDED	6-8-76	Atty: Engr: Edward F. Perry (Duxbury, Ma.) Engr. Data.		

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#### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W.I.X.Q

Name Millersville, Pennsylvania

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Dated 9-23-77 9-28-77 8 1977	Application for MP(BPED-2224) extension of time to 12-1-7 (NEW STATION)	Nature	Date 11-25-77 12-1-77
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#### APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

91.7MHz

Call Letters:

WIXQ

Name:

MILLERSVILLE STATE COLLEGE

Station Location:

MILLERSVILLE, PA.

Station Location:	MILLERS	TLUE, FA.	
File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED- 791221AM (C)		CP incr ERP: 129 watts HAAT: plus 69'	GRANTED 11-14-80 COND'L
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BLED-810731AE PTA PRESS	16 12 1981	License to cover (BPED-791221AM) for a new station. Atty:	GRANTED 3-12-82 Issued with Renewal
	1		Form BC-121 March 1979

#### **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.

