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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-4-73

Call letters W L F C

Station location Findlay, Ohio

Name of licensee FINDLAY COLLEGE

Transmitter location 1000 North Cory St., Findlay, Ohio (correction) L 12-4-73
x1000 North Main Street, Findlay, Ohio (PED-11-3-72)

Main studio location 1000 North Cory Street, Findlay, Ohio (PED-11-3-72) L 12-4-73

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BPED-1438 HAAT: --	11-3-72	88.3mc #202	ERP: --	Unl. TPO: 10w	11-3-73
CP for New FM ED Station.					
BPED-1438 (1)	1-8-73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	2-28-73				
BLED-1171	12-4-73	Lic. (BPED-1438, as mod.)			New Sta.-10-1-76
+ BRED-653	(S) 10-18-76	Renewal		of License	10-1-79
BPED-2392 HAAT: -- (L)	3-11-77	88.3mhz #202	ERP: ---	U TPO: 10kw	9-11-77
CP to install new Ant.; mke chg Ant sys. (incr hght)					
BLED-1690	9-26-77	Lic (BPED-2392) chgs			10-1-79
BRED790516YB(S)	10-24-79	Renewal		of License	10-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W L F C
Letters ...NEW EDUC FM...

Name Findlay College
Findlay, Ohio (PO 1000 N. Main St., Findlay, Ohio 45840)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,438 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: PN REC'd: AMENDED	6-9-72 6-14-72 JUL 20 1972 8-21-72 9-18-72 10-16-72	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.3mc. #202 HAAT:----- ERP:----- Trans: GATES-BFE-10C; Ant: GATES-FM-11, 1sect. TL: 1000 North Main St., Findlay, Ohio SL: 1000 N. Cory St., Findlay, Ohio 41° 3' 11" - 83° 39' 13" Atty--- Engr-- Statement of Policy Pertaining to Religious Programming & Articles of Incorporation.	GRANTED	11-3-72
BLED-1171 R & F PTA PRESS	10-5-73 10-8-73 10-19-73 NOV 1 1973	Lic.(BPED-1438, as mod.)-New Station.	GRANTED	12-4-73

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#2

88.3mhz.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W L F CName Findlay College
Findlay, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED- Rec'd: PRESS JUN	6-9-76 6-14-76 " 6 1976	Construction Permit to make changes in existing height and type antenna.	Returned not filed.	Section VB
BRED-553 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-11-76 5-13-76 " 23 1976 JUL	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	10-18-76
BPED-2392 R & F PRESS	6-9-76 1-14-77 FEB 17 1977	CP install new Antenna: (RCA, BFI-2H, 1 section); mke chgs in Ant sys: incr hght Atty--- Engr---	GRANTED	3-11-77

Name Findlay College
Findlay, Ohio

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			Nature	Date
BLED-1690 R & F PTA PRESS	7-5-77 7-7-77 7-19-77 AUG 1 1977	Lic. {BPED-2392} for chgs TPO: .00106kw ERP: .015618kw HAAT: 80 feet ohag: 80 feet Atty-- Engr. David C. Dennis	GRANTED	9-26-77
BPED790516YB PRESS	12 1979	Renewal of License	GRANTED	10-24-79
BPED800201AJ (C) PN Rec'd '81	2-22-80 AUG 19 '81	Construction permit to incr ERP: .15618KW	GRANTED:	11-25-81

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.

