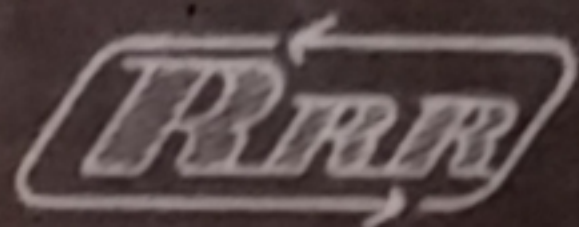


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NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL-FM

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 5-28-69

Call letters W H O T

Murfreesboro, Tennessee

Station location

Name of licensee Middle Tennessee State University

Learning Resources Center, Middle Tenn. State University, Murfreesboro, Tenn.

(SED-9-29-75)

*Redes: Tenn. Blvd and East Main St.

Transmitter location Dramatic Arts Bldg., Middle Tennessee State University N. Tennessee

Blvd. & E. Main, Murfrees-

boro, Tennessee

(PED-10-29-68)

37130

Main studio location Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To	
BPED-925 HAAT: 93'	10-29-68	89.5mc.	ERP: 185watts ch#208 TPO: 250watts	U	6-29-69	
CP for new Station.						
BPED-925(1)	1-15-69	Call letters assigned.				
BMPED-601 HAAT: 93' (H&V)	2-25-69	89.5mc.	ERP: 780watts (h&v) ch#208 TPO: 1kw	U	6-29-69	
MP(BPED-925) chg. type trans(CCA-FM-1000D); install circular pol. ant(CCA-FMA-6811/CCA-2, dual 2 sects); chg. TPO, ERP operate with vert. ERP;						
BRCED-72(1)	4-4-69	Operate RC.				
BLED-715(1)	5-28-69	Lic.(BPED-925 as mod.) for new FM non-com. ed. sta.				8-1-70
BRED-414(S)	7-30-70	Renewal				8-1-73
BPED-1148(1)	5-18-71	89.5mc	TPO: 8.6kw ERP: 50kw(H&V)		5-18-72	
HAAT: 210' (H&V) CP chg. trans, ant. sys. TOP, ERP, HAAT.						
BMPED-841(1)	12-7-71	MP(BPED-1148) chg. trans., ant. TPO				
BLED-936(L)	2-10-72	89.5mc.	ERP: 50kw(H&V)	RC	8-1-73	
HAAT: 210' (H&V) Lic.(BPED-1148 as mod.) for changes.						
EBSA	5-15-72					
BSCA-1159	6-20-72	SCA 67kc				
BPED-1131	7-6-72	89.5mc	6kw H&V	210' H&V	Aux. 7-6-73	
FORFEITED CP install aux. trans.						
BRED-414(S)	7-31-73	RENEWAL OF LIC.				8-1-76
BRSCA-1169	"	" SCA				"
BPED-1857	7-31-74	89.5mhz	ERP: 6kw(H&V)		7-31-75	
HAAT: 210 ft(H&V) CP install new aux. trans at main tran loc.						
BLED-1315(L)	11-7-74	Lic.(BPED-1857) aux. trans.				8-1-76
ERP: 6kw(H&V)						
BSED-414(1)	9-19-75	ML to chg. SL & RC (Main)				
BRED-414(1)	7-14-76	Renewal of License				8-1-79
BRSCA-1169	"	Renewal of SCA				"
BRED790322	7-18-79	(s)renewal of license				8-1-82
BRSCA790322	" "	renewal of sca				8-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call
 Letters NEW EDUC, FM

Name MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE (PO c/o Lane Boutwell, N. Tennessee Blvd. & E. Main,

Murfreesboro, Tenn. 37130)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-925 R & F PRESS: SEP 13 1968 PN REC'D:	8-5-68	CP for new Educ. FM on: 89.5mc #208 ERP: .184kw HAAT:93' TPO: .25kw Trans.:Gates FM-250H; Ant.:Gates FMA-1, 1 sect. T-SL: Dramatic Arts Bldg., N. Tennessee Blvd. & E. Main, Murfreesboro, Tenn. Atty.: None; Engr.: Raymond A. Shirley (Knoxville) (Ltr 8-8-68 signed by Pres.auth.Lane Boutwell & Raymond A.Shirley to sign for University.)	GRANTED	10-29-68
	8-8-68			
	9-23-68			
BPFED-601 R & F PN REC'D:	12-20-68 12-23-68 1-13-69	MP(BPED-925) chg. type trans(CCA-FM-1000D); install circular polarized ant(CCA-FMA-6811/ CCA-2, dual 2 sects); chg. TPO 1.0kw; chg. ERP 0.780kw; operate with vert. ERP 0.780kw.	GRANTED	2-25-69

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W.M.Q.T.

Name MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCD-72 R & F APR 4 1969	3-24-69 3-26-69	MP(BPED-925) to operate transmitter by remote control from Dramatic Arts Bldg., Middle Tenn. State University, N. Tenn. Blvd. & E. Main, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.	GRANTED	4-4-69
BLED-715 R & F PT MAY 19 1969	3/17/69 3/19/69 4/1/69	License (BPED-925 as mod.) for new FM non-commercial educational b/c station.	GRANTED	5-28-69
BRED-414 R & F PN PRESS APR 20 1970	4-21-70 4-24-70 4-24-70	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-30-70

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89.5mc. (EDUC)

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W M O TName Middle Tennessee State University
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,148 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: <u>OCT 1 1970</u> PN REC d:	9-14-70 9-16-70 9-24-70	CP install new trans(CCA-FM-10000DS); New Ant (CCA-FMA-6811/CCA-12, 12 dual sections);make chgs. in ant. system(incr. hght); chg. TPO: 8.57kw; chg. horiz. & vert. ERP: 50kw; chg. horiz. & vert. HAAT: 237.5 ft. Atty----- Engr----- (William O. Barry (Lebanon, Tennessee)) Topographic Map. Move Ant. & Chg. Ant. Height.	GRANTED	5-18-71
AMENDED AMENDED	12-15-70 5-3-71			
BMPED-841 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: <u>8 DEC 1971</u>	11-23-71 11-26-71	MP(BPED-1148) chg. type trans(GATES-FM-10H3); chg. Ant(GATES-FMC-12, 12 sects); chg. TPO: Atty---	GRANTED	12 7 71

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

89.5mc

Call
Letters W M O T

Name MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLED-936 Rec'd Amended & Filed PTA PRESS	12-8-71 12-9-71 12-14-71 12-15-71	Lic.(BPED-1148, as mod.) for changes. T-SL redes: Tennessee Blvd. and East Main Street. Sect. I date.	GRANTED	2-10-72
BSCA-1,169 R & F No Fee Required PRESS: MAY 4 1972	4-17-72 4-27-72	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles.	GRANTED	6-20-72
BPED-1,431 Rec'd No Fee Required Press Resubmitted Filed: PRESS:	5-11-72 5-15-72 MAY 18 1972 6-2-72 6-2-72 JUN 28 1972	CP to install a new Auxiliary Trans. (CCA FM-1000D); at Main Trans. Loc., to be operated on 89.5mc, CH#208; TPO: .981KW; ERP: 6KW (H&V); HAAT: 210', for Auxiliary Purposes Only.	Returned Filed on Wrong Form GRANTED <i>copy</i> 7-1-73 FORFEITED ltr.	5-17-72 7-6-72 4-26-74

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W M O TName MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
MURFREESBORO, TENNESSEE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-414 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUN 21 1973	4-30-73 5-1-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-23-73 re: employment report	GRANTED	7-31-73
BRSCA-1169 R & F	6-26-73 7-2-73	Renewal of SCA		
BPED- Rec'd Press JUN 21 1974	5-1-74 5-7-74	CP to replace expired permit (BPED-1,431).	RETURNED Necessary file 340,	6-19-74
BPED-1,857 R & F No Fee Required Press JUL 26 1974	7-1-74 7-11-74	CP to install a new Auxiliary Trans. (CCA FM-1000D); at Main Trans. Loc., to be operated on 89.5mhz, #208; TPO: .981KW; ERP: 6KW(H&V); HAAT: 210', for Auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	7-31-74
BLED-1315 R & F PTA PRESS NOV 4 1974	9-26-74 9-30-74 10-8-74	Lic.(BPED-1857)-new aux. (CCA, FM-1000-D.- ERP: 6kw(H&V) - TPO: 980w. at main trans. loc.	GRANTED	11-7-74

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

89.5mc

FM-ED

Call
Letters W M O T

Name MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-414	3-30-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED	7-14-76
BRSCA-1169	3-30-76	RENEWAL OF SCA		
R. & F	3-31-76			
P.N.	3-31-76			
Press	MAY 26 1976			
BRED790322UD	JUN 12 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-18-79
BRSCA790322UD		RENEWAL OF SCA		
PRESS				

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.

