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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed January 31, 1973....

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Station location ... Plainview. New York

Name of licensee CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #4

Transmitter location John F. Kennedy High School, Kennedy Drive, Plainylew, New York (PED-10-26-71)

Main studio location ___ Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name Central School District #4.
Plainview, New York(PO Jamacia Avenue, Plainview, N. Y. 11803)

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BPED-1,276 Rec'd: Filed: NO FEE REQUIR PRESS: 25 PN REC'd: AMENDED AMENDED	2-4-71 2-22-71 6-17-71 ED: JUN 1971 5-17-71 4-22-71 8-23-71	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.5mc. #203 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: Marti-Type No. M-10FME; Ant:Marti Type No. EA-2, 2 sections. T-SL: Kennedy Drive, Plainview, New York. 40° 46' 53" - 73° 27' 36" Atty Engr Section VI. Section II, & VG's.		1 Cease oper.
R & F	10-24-72 10-26-72	MP (BPED-1,276) ext. time to (New Station)	GRANTED	11-10-72
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Contact: Dr.Louis Brown Flainview High School Flainview, H.Y. 11803 516-938-5400

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #4
Plainview, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BLED-1052 R & F PLA PRESS	12-21-72 12-29-72 1-9-73 AN 23 1973	Lic.(BPED-1276, as mod.) for New FM Broadcas Station.	1	1-31-73
BRED-596 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-31-75 2-5-75 " MAR 1 2 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-28-75
BSCA-1496 R & F NO FEE REQU PRESS	7-23-75 7-31-75 IRED AUG 6- 1975	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67khz.	GRANTED	8-8-75
BRED-596 R & F PRESS	1-31-78 2-3-78 B 17 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 5	-22-78
BRSCA-149 R & F	6 2-16-78 3-14-78	RENEWAL OF SCA		

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Name CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT #4

Plainview, New York

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	Date	
BMSCA-529 R & F PRESS:	2-16-78 3-14-78 2 3 1978	Modification of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to make changes in programming. Atty:			
PN Recd.		School, Woodbury Rd & Jerico Turnpike Plainvi New Oxbrk make chgs in ant sys ERP: 330 watte HAAT: 171' 40 48 56 73 28 04	ew		
BREDS10306UA RSCAS10306UA PRESSMAR 26	1981	Renewal of License	RANTED	6-20-81	
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.			

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.

