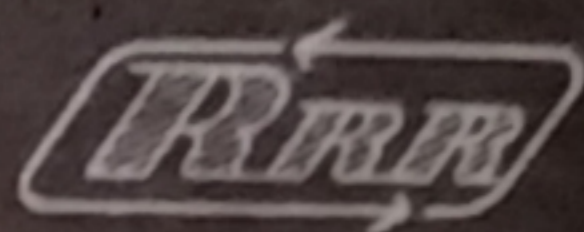


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Form BC 126 Off. No. 454
June 1954

Non-Cml-Ed-FM

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed October 1, 1970

Call letters WRCJ

Station location Reading, Ohio

Name of licensee Reading Community City Schools

Transmitter location ^{EAST} 810 Columbia Avenue, Reading, Ohio (PED-2-24-69)

Main studio location Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPED-956 HAATE---X	2-24-69	89.3mc. ch#207	ERP:--- TPO: 10 watts	Unl.	10-24-69
BPED-956(1)	7-15-69	CP for new Station (RC) Call letters assigned.			
BMPED-670 (2)	1-19-70	MP- chgs. in ant. and trans. line			2-19-70
BLED-746(L)	10-1-70	Lic. (BPED-956, as mod.) for NEW Non-Comm.Ed. Station			10-1-73
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRED-454(S)	9-27-73	RENEWAL			10-1-76
BPED-1,725	5-1-74	89.3mc. ch 207	ERP: 2kw TPO 2.35kw	U	5-1-75
CP to install new trans.; new ant. chg. TPO; ERP: 2kw					
BMPED-1242(1)	4-25-75	MP(BPED-1725) ext time to 11-1-75			
BMPED-1324(2)	11-20-75	MP(BPED-1725, as mod) ext 3-1-76			
BPED-1367(1) 3-9-76 MP(BPED-1725, as mod) ext to 5-1-76					
BMPED-1311(9)	3-3-76	MP(BPED-1725, as mod) chg trans, ant TPO, ERP: 0.33kw & HAAT: 125 feet			
BMPED-1367 (4)	3-9-76	MP(BPED-1725 as mod.) ext. to 5-1-76.			
BLED-1559 BRED-454(L)	9-30-76	RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION (Lic. BPED-1725, as mod.)			10-1-79
BLED-1559 BRED-454(L)	9-30-76	RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION (Lic. BPED-1725, as mod.) Superseding authorization to correct expiration date			10-1-79
BRED790601UK (S)	9-21-79	RENEWAL			10-1-82

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W R C J
Letters NEW EDUC. FM

Name READING COMMUNITY CITY SCHOOLS
READING, OHIO (PO c/o Ronald A. Silvers, Bonnell & Halker Aves., Reading, Ohio 45215)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-956 Received Resub. R & F PRESS: JAN 17 1969 PN REC'D: 1-9-69	12-9-68 12-13-68 12-27-68 1-2-69 JAN 17 1969 1-9-69	CP for new Educ. FM on: 89.3mc #207 TPO:10w Trans.:CCA FM-10D; Ant.:CCA 6602, 2 secs. T-SL: Reading Community High School, 810 Columbia Ave., Reading, Ohio (RC) Atty.: None; Engr.: Applicant	RETURNED - DATED-WRONG. GRANTED	12-18-68 2-24-69
BMPED-670 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: NOV 18 1969	10-28-69 11-3-69 NOV 18 1969	MP(BPED-956) ant(CCA-6812-2 sects); make chgs. in ant. system(incr. hght); and make changes in transmission line. Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED	1-19-70

CONTACT: Ronald A. Hilvers; PHONE: Code 513, 761-0770

ADDRESS: Bonnell and Halker Avenues, Reading, Ohio 45215

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WRCJ

Name READING COMMUNITY CITY SCHOOLS
Reading, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLED-746 Rec'd Amended Amended & F PTA (30 days) 11-13-69 ext. 12-15-69 PTA PRESS MAR 9 1970	8-30-69 9-8-69 10-9-69 2-16-70 9-18-69	Lic.(BPED-956, as mod.) for new FM Educ. Sta. Engineering Updated info re mod. of CP Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	10-1-70
BRED-454 R & F P.N. PRESS JUL 12 1973	6-22-73 6-26-73 6-26-73	Renewal of License	GRANTED	9-27-73

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W R C J

Name Reading Community City Schools
Reading, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,725 R & F No Fee Required Press P. N. Rec'd	11-6-73 11-30-73 JAN 7 - 1974	CP to install new trans. (RCA BTF-3B); install new ant. (RCA BFH-2A, 2 sects.); chg. TPO; ERP: 2KW and HAAT: 125'. Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	5-1-74
BMPED-1242 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED Code 057	4-9-75 4-14-75 APR 18 1975	MP(BPED-1,725) for ext. of time to 9-1-76. (Changes) Atty: Mark E. Fields (Miller & Fields)	GRANTED TO	4-25-75 11-1-75
BMPED-1311 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	8-22-75 8-28-75 OCT 6 - 1975	MP(BPED-1725, as mod.) to chg. trans. (RCA BTF-250A); chg. ant. (SHIVELY 1812, 2 sects.); chg. TPO; chg. ERP: 332.5kw; HAAT: 125 ft. Atty- Mark E. Fields Eng: James A. Eberhart	GRANTED	3-3-76

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W R C JName Reading Community City Schools
Reading, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPED-1324 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	10-15-75 10-17-75 NOV 6 1975	MP(BPED-1725, as mod) ext time to 12-31-75 (For Changes)	GRANTED TO	11-20-75 3-1-76
BMPED-1367 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS	2-20-76 2-24-76 MAR 1 1976	MP(BPED-1725, as mod) ext time to 5-1-76 (For Chgs)	GRANTED TO	3-9-76 6-1-76
BRED-454 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-12-76 5-17-76 JUL 8 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Samuel Miller, Atty.	GRANTED	9-15-76 Issued with BLED-1559
BLED-1559 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PTA PRESS	5-24-76 5-27-76 6-3-76 JUL 30 1976	Lic. (BPED-1725, as mod.) for changes. Atty: Mark Fields (Miller and Fields)	GRANTED	9-30-76

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W R C J 89.3 mhz

Name: READING COMMUNITY CITY SCHOOLS

Station Location: Reading, Ohio

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRED790601UK PRESS JUL 2	1979	Renewal of License Atty. Jerrold Miller	GRANTED 9-21-79

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.

