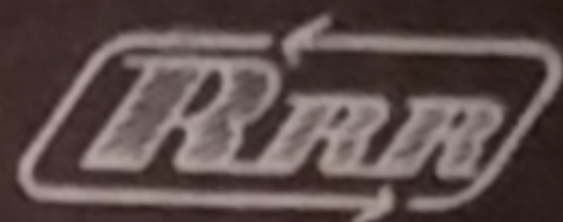


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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 831  
Date first licensed ..... 3-5-76 .....

Call letters ..... W O N Y .....

Station location ..... Oneonta, New York .....

Name of licensee ..... State University of New York .....

Transmitter location Power House Bldg. #10, State Univ. of N.Y., Oneonta, N.Y. (PED 10-23-74)

Alumni Hall, University campus, Oneonta, NY (ltr. 1-18-79)  
Main studio location X Morriss Hall, State Univ. of N.Y., Oneonta, N.Y. (PED 10-23-74)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPED-1834 HAAT: --- TPO: 10watts	10-23-74	90.9mhz #215 CP for NEW EDUC	ERP: --- Class-D	U (RC)	10-23-75
BPED-1834(1) EBSA	8-21-75 8-21-75	Call letters assigned			
BLED-1465(L)	3-5-76	Lic.(BPED-1834, as mod.)			New - 6-1-78
BRED-831 1r.	5-22-78 1-18-79	(S) REN. OF LIC. RC & SL changed.			6-1-81
PED791226CH HAAT: -72ft	2-19-81 (H) (L)	90.9mhz	ERP: .18kw	(H)	2-19-82
					CP to increase ERP.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

90.9mhz.

Call W O N Y  
Letters  NEW-EDUC-FM

Name State University of New York  
Oneonta, New York (PO 99 Washington Avenue, Albany, New York 12210)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,834 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: JUL 5 1974 PN REC'd: 7-26-74	5-15-74 6-3-74	CP for New Educ. FM on: 90.9mhz. # 215 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: WILKINSON-FM-10E; Ant: CCA-6602, 2 sects. TL: Power House, Bldg. 310, Oneonta, N. Y. SL & RC: Morris Hall, Oneonta, New York 42° 28' 02" - 75° 03' 40"  Atty--- Engr---	GRANTED	10-23-74
BLED-1465 R & F PTA PRESS	10-21-75 10-31-75 11-11-75  DEC 1 1975	Lic.(BPED-1834, as mod.)-New Sta. Transmitter: GATES, BFE-10C. Antenna: GATES, FM-11B-2 sects.	GRANTED	3-5-76
BRED-831 R & F PRESS	1-11-78 1-23-78  MAR 13 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-22-78

PN mailed: 7-2-74.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING  
90.9MHz

Call Letters: WONY

Name: STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Station Location: ONEONTA, NEW YORK

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED-791226CH (C)		CP incr ERP: 177 watts HAAT: minus 72'	GRANTED 2-19-81 Con'd
PN RECD ACCEPTED	2-11-80 CUT OFF		
NOV 4 '80	DEC 18 '80		
BRED810128UF PRESS MAR 12 1981		Renewal of License	GRANTED 5-29-81

## 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 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.

