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CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/8

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 4-28-75

Call letters WRRG

Station location River Grove, Illinois

Name of licensee Triton College

Transmitter location Triton College, 2000-5th Ave., River Grove, Ill. (PED-3-7-74)

Main studio location Learning Resource Center, Triton College, 2000-5th Ave., River Grove, Ill. (PED-3-7-74)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Appl.	Date			Time	Period
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters * NEW-EDUC-FM

Name Triton College River Grove, Illinois (PO 2000 Fifth Avenue, River Grove, Illinois 60171)

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date		
BPED-1,682 R & F NO FEE REQUIF	0 12 72	CP for New Educ. FM on: -88.3mh2#202 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: McMartin-B-910T; Ant.: GATES-FM-22A,	GRANTEL	3-7-74		
PRESS: PN REC'd:	10-9-73	2 sects. T-SL & RC: 2000 Fifth Ave. (Learning Resource Center) River Grove, Illinois.				
		41° 54' 56" - 87° 50' 36"				
		Atty Engr				
AMENDED	10-29-73	Change frequency to: 88.9mhz #205.				
PRESS: AMENDED	3-4-74-74	Reply to ltr. 8832.				
BMPED-1,157 R & F	8-16-74 8-16-74	MP (BPED-1,682) chg. ant. (Shively 6602, 1 sect.) and chg. transmission line.	GRANTED 9-	6-74		
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PN mailed: 9-12-73. & Section VI.

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Name	TRITON CO	LLEGE		************
File No. BLED-1369 R & F	2-10-75	Application for Lic.(BPED-1682, as mod.), New Sta.	Nature GRANTED	Date 4-28-75
PTA PRESS PRED- Rec'd.	2-19-75 7-17-76 7-19-76	Renewal of license	RETURNED signed by	
BRED-777 R & F P.N. Press	7-17-76 7-19-76 7-19-76 SEP 29 1 976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	11-15-76
BPED- R & F PRESS DEC	11-16-77 11-21-77 7 1977	CP install new Antenna (PHELPS-DODGE, ECFM-4, 3 sections); mke chgs in Antenna system (increase height) Atty Engr. John W. Core	RET 12 12 RESPONSE	79 NO. TO COMM. LTR

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Name RIVER GROVE, ILLINOIS Action Nature Application for Date File No. Dated CP to make changes in Antenna System; incre. GRANTED 6/29/79 BPED790509AK JUL 2 1979 ERP: 16.77 watts; chg. type Ant. (PHELPS-PRESS (0)DODGE ECFM-4, 4 sects. Circular Polarized) & Chg. TPO. RENEWAL OF LICENSE BRED 790723 UB GRANTED 11-30-79 AUG 2 4 1979 PRESS CP incr ERP: 100 watts HAAT: 127' 791227AX 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.

