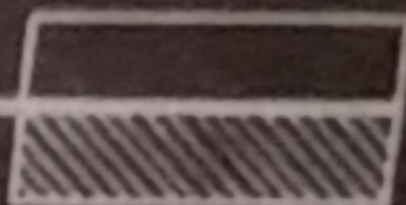


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June 1954

Non Commercial Educational

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

#546

Date first licensed May 9, 1972

Call letters W U T S

Station location Sewanee, Tennessee

Name of licensee The University of the South

{10-8-76}

Bishop's Common, Georgia Avenue, Sewanee, Tennessee (PED- 6-14-74)

Transmitter location St. Luke's Hall, University Avenue, Sewanee, Tennessee (PED-1028-71)

Main studio location Same as transmitter

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPED-1307(L) HAAT: -	10-28-71	88.1	ERP: - TPO: 10w		10-28-72
CP for new FM ED station.					
PED-1307(1)	1-3-72	Call letters assigned.			
BLED-961(L) EBSA	5-9-72 5-15-72	Lic. for New Station			8-1-73
BRED-546	8-31-73	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-76
BPED-1827	6-14-74	CP chg trans-ant and SL 88.1mhz. #201 TPO: 10Watts			6-14-75
BPED-2243 {L}	10-8-76	91.5MHz ch 218 TPO: 10 watts CP chg freq; TL/SL; ant sys; decr hght			10-8-77
BRED-546	5-24-77	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-79
BLED-1671	12-16-77	Lic(BPED-2243) for chgs 90.5MHz #218 TPO: 10 watts			8-1-79
BRED790406UC(S) COMTEL	7-18-79 8-20-80	Renewal of License NO OBJECTION SUSPEND OPERATION DURING SUMMER RECESS THRU 8-28-80.			8-1-82
BPED-791226CX HAAT: 660' (L)	5-12-81	91.3mhz	ERP: .205kW(H) U CP to chg. frequency; incre. ERP; chg. HAAT.		5-12-82

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W U T S  
XNEW-EDUC-FM

Name The University of the South  
Sewanee, Tennessee (PO University Avenue, Sewanee, Tennessee 37375)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPED-1,307 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: 17 SEP 1971 PN REC'd:	8-28-71 8-31-71 9-23-71	CP for New Educ. FM on: 88.1mc. #201 TPO: 10 Watts Trans: Gates-BFE-10C; Ant: Gates-FM-22A, 2 sects. TL: & SL: Luke's Hall, University Avenue, Sewanee, Tennessee. 35° 12' 21" - 85° 55' 8" Atty - Nicholas W. Fels (Covington & Burling) Engr-----	GRANTED	10-28-71
BLED-961 R & F PTA PRESS	3-13-72 3-14-72 3-29-72 APR 21 1972	Lic. (BPED-1307, as mod.) for New FM Educ. Broadcast Station. Transmitter: CCA, FM-10- DT. Atty: Covington & Burling (Nicholas W. Fels)	GRANTED	5-9-72

CONTACT: Dr. William B. Campbell Provost  
The University of the South  
Sewanee, Tennessee 37375  
(615) 598-5720 (RES. 5985731)

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September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters W U T SName THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH  
SEWANEE, TENNESSEE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-546 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-1-73 5-3-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-31-73
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JUN 6 1973				
BPED-1,827 R & F No Fee Required Press	5-9-74 5-13-74 JUN 11 1974	CP to chg. trans.-ant. and studio loc. to: Bishop's Common, Georgia Ave., Sewanee, Tennessee; make chg. ant. system (decr. hght.). (35° 12' 20" - 85° 55' 7")	GRANTED	6-14-74
BPED-2243 Rec'd Filed No Fee Required Press P. N. Rec'd	4-22-76 4-27-76 4-27-76 JUN 9 1976 7-21-76	CP to change frequency to: 91.5mhz #218; chg. trans.-ant. and studio loc. to: Bishop's Common Georgia Ave., Sewanee, Tennessee; make chg. ant. system (decr. hght.). 35° 12' 20" - 85° 55' 7"	GRANTED	10-8-76
341	2-7-77		PTA	2-10-77 (H)

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September 1969  
8-72

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

88.1 mcs

Call  
Letters W U T S

Name THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH  
SEWANEE, TENNESSEE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRED-546 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-19-76 3-23-76 M MAY 28 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-24-77
BLED-1671 R & F PTA PRESS AMENDED AMENDED	2-i-77 2-7-77 2-10-77 JUN 17 1977 3-17-77 4-19-77	Lic. (BPED-2243) for chgs. Trans. CCA FM-10D Ant. Gates FM-22A, 2 sects.  Engr. Data Engr. Data	GRANTED	12-16-77
BRED 790406 UC PRESS	APR 13 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-18-79

## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters:

WUTS

Name: THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH

Station Location: SEWANEE, TENNESSEE

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BPED-791226CX (C) ACCEPTED NOV 4 '80 PN RECD.	CUT OFF DEC 18 '80 1-24-80	CP chg freq 91.3MHz#217; incr ERP: 205 watts; HAAT: 658'	GRANTED: 5-12-81



## 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.

