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FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K B R D (EFF: 12-22-75)

* KTAC-FM(Ltr. 5-4-64) (EFF: 5-10-64)

Date first licensed

6-26-55

Call letters

KBTWR

ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (ALH 4-19-73 EFF: 6-1-73)

Station location Tacoma, Washington

x RADIO 850 CORPORATION (ALH 3-25-66 EFF: 3-29-66)

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* TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC. (BALH-4-10-64 EFF: 5-20-64)

* THOMAS WILMOT READ

Name of licensee

NW Peak of the Three Sisters Mountain, approx. 7.5 miles SE of Enumclaw, Washington
x 0.125 mi. S of intersection of Water Works Rd. & Pierce-King county line,

2000 Tacoma Mall, Tacoma, Washington (PH-7-23-70)

Transmitter location x 1712 Sixth Ave., Tacoma, Washington

(MPH-11-3-71)

2000 Tacoma Mall, Tacoma, Washington

(Same as transmitter)

x 2921 River Lane, Tacoma, Wash. (AM Trans.site) Ltr. 1-24-69

773 Broadway, Winthrop Hotel, Tacoma, Washington (BRCH 5-20-64)

ZIP 98402

Main studio location 1712 6th Ave., Tacoma, Wash.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-2282	1-3-58	103.9 Ch 280 CP for new FM b/c station	850 w HAAT 240	U	3-3 9-3-58
BLH-1245	6-26-58	103.9 License to cover construction permit BPH-2282 which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station.	850 HAAT 240	U	6-26-58/2-1-60
WIRE	12-5-58	REMAIN SILENT TO(EXTENSION) 2-1-59.			
BPH-2590	1-29-59	103.9mcs. Ch. 280 Construction permit to install a new ITA, FT-250A trans.	850w. TPO: 250 watts.	Unl.	3-29-59 9-29-59
WIRE	2-25-59	Authority to remain silent thru 3/31/59			
BPH-5453	5-1-59	Mod. of c.p.(BPH-2590) to (1) change ERP from 850w to 830w.			
WIRE	5-1-59	Ext. remain silent to 5-28-59			
WIRE	5-26-59	Ext. remain silent to 6-30-59			
BLH-1414	10-22-59	103.9 HAAT: 240'	ERP: 830w TPO: 250w	U	10-22-59 2-1-60
		Lic. to cover CP (BPH-2590 as mod.) to install a new transmitter and change ERP.			
BRH-864	1-27-60	Renewal of license			2-1- 2-1-63
BRH-864	1-27-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1 2-1-66
BPH-3583	10-29-63	103.9mcs Ch.280 CP to install new trans. (Collins 830D-1A); make chgs. in ant. sys. (incr. hght.); & make chgs. in TPO, ERP & HAAT.	ERP: 2.7kw TPO: 900w	Unl.	12-29 6-29-64
BALH-6618	4-10-64	Voluntary assignment of license and constr. permit to Tacoma Broadcasters, Inc			
BAPH-330	5-20-64	Mod. of license to change studio location to 773 Broadway, Winthrop Hotel, Tacoma, Washington and operate transmitter by remote control from State Hwy. #5, River Lane Rd., Tacoma, Washington (KTAC transmitter site).			
BRCH-507	5-20-64	103.9 TPO: 250w	ERP: 830kw	U	5-20 2-1-64

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location TACOMA, WASHINGTON

Name of licensee *TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-4519 HAAT: 320'	8-10-64	103.9mc Ch. #280	ERP: 2.7kw TPO: 900w	Unl.	10-10-64 4-10-65
CP to replace expired CP (BPH-3583) which auth. chgs. to ERP, HAAT & ant. sys.; and install new trans.					
BMPH-8232 (1)	4-20-65	Mod. of CP (BPH-4519) for extension of completion date to			7-31-65
BLH-2927 HAAT: 320'	10-12-65	103.9mc CH#280	ERP: 2.7kw TPO: 850w	U	10-12 2-1-66
Lic to cover CP (BPH-4519 as reinstated & mod) which auth chgs ant sys install new trans and chgs ERP & HAAT.					
BTC-4958 Eff:	1-20-66 2-9-66	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Jerry P. Geehan, Richard R. Hodge, et al to Radio 850 Corporation			
BRH-864	1-10-66	Renewal of license			2-1 2-1-69
BALH-877 EFF: Tr.	3-25-66 3-29-66 1-24-69	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO 850 CORPORATION Studios & RC at AM trans. site: 2521 River Lane, Tacoma, Wash.			
BPH-364 (L) Comtel	1-31-69 7-10-70	Renewal of License Auth. suspend operation reinstated and extended re site change			2-1 2-1-72 thru 10-1-70
BPH-7068 HAAT: 225' <i>C. J. Hines</i>	7-23-70	103.9mc Ch# 280	ERI: 3kw TPO: 930watts		9-23- 7-23-71
CP chg. trans & studio loc. make chg. in ant system, TPO, ERI and HAAT.					
Comtel	10-2-70	Auth. suspend oper. ext. thru 1-1-71			
Comtel	12-21-70	Auth. suspend oper. ext. thru 2-20-71			
BMPH-13, 109 <i>C. J. Hines</i> (1)	1-5-71	MP (BPH-7068); chg. ant. make chgs in ant system, and TPO: 780watts.			
Comtel	2-26-71	Auth. remain silent ext. thru 4-20-71			
Comtel	6-14-71	Auth. suspend oper. thru 9-10-71			
Telegram	9-15-71	Auth. suspend operations thru 10-10-71			
BMPH-13, 229 (L) HAAT: 490' (H&V)	11-3-71	103.9	ERP: 950w (H&V) TPO: 800w (RC)		11-3-72
ISSUED AS NEW CP MP (BPH-7068 as mod) chg. T. ant. TPO, ERP, HAAT					

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Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
Comlet	12-23-71	Auth. remain silent ext.			to 3-15-72
Comlet	3-31-72	Auth. remain silent ext.			to 5-1-72.
Comtel	5-5-72	Temp. auth. oper. BMPH-13229			to 6-1-72.
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-864(S)	6-15-72	RENEWAL			2-1-75
BLH-5475(L)	6-26-72	Lic. (BMPH-13,229) for changes			2-1-75
HAAT: 490' (H&V)		103.7mc	ERP: 250w (H&V)		TEQ: 800w
BALH-1792	4-19-73	VOL ALH	EFF:	6-1-73	
BSH-864(L)	11-1-73	Modified License-Chg Ant. Hght.& Obstruction marking.			2-1-75
BRH-864(S)	8-19-75	Renewal of License			2-1-78
DKT#21231	10-30-78	103.7mhz	ERP: 100kW (H&V)	RC	10-30-79
HAAT: 1670' H&V		CLASS: C	ch. # 279 adopted		11-2-77
(L)	& released	11-7-77	Chg. freq, TL, trans, ant.		
BPH780724AD	10-30-78	103.7mhz	ERP: 100kW (H&V)	RC	10-30-79
HAAT: 1670' (H&V)		CP to install new aux. trans.			
(L)		FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY			
BRH-864(S)	2-26-79	Renewal			2-1-81
BSH-864(L)	5-22-79	Lic. former site as aux.			
		103.7	1.2kw	490' H&V	RC 2-1-81
BPH790824AC	9/14/79	103.7mhz	ERP: 52kw (H&V)	RC	9/14/80
HAAT: 1600' (H&V)		CP to install emergency Aux. ant.			
(L)		(FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY.)			
BLH-781106AQ	1-10-80	103.7mhz, ERP: (main) 84kW., ERP: 2-1-81.			
HAAT: 1670 ft.		(AUX) 40kW., License to cover			
		(Docket #21231) for changes.			
BLH-791207AG	3-28-80	103.7mhz	ERP: 52KW (H&V)		2-1-81
(L)		HAAT: 1600' (H&V) LIC: (BPH-790824AC) for changes.			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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NEW

Name THOMAS WILMOT READ

PO: Peck Bldg., 1712 Sixth Avenue, Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2282 Rec'd Filed	9-13-57 9-20-57 9-20-57	CP for new FM b/c station: Freq: 103.9mc Ch 280 ERP: 0.322 kw U HAAT: 239.5' T-L: Peck Bldg. 1712 6th Ave. Tacoma, Wash. S-L: Same as xmtr	GRANTED	1-3-58
Amended Rec'd Filed	10-24-57 10-28-57 10-28-57	Amended to increase height of tower and change ERP from 0.322kw to 0.851kw.		
BLH-1245 Rec'd Filed	5-6-58 5-8-58 5-8-58	License to cover construction permit BPH-2282 which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	6-26-58
BPH-2590 Rec'd Filed	1-6-59 1-8-59 1-8-59	Construction permit to install a new trans- mitter (ITA FM-250A).	GRANTED	1-29-59

Raytheon, RF-250

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Letters K T W RName THOMAS WILMOT READTacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-5463 Rec'd Filed	3-26-59 3-30-59 3-30-59	Modification of c.p. (BPH-2590 which authorized installation of a new transmitter) to change ERP from 850w to .82547w.	GRANTED ERP: 830w.	5-1-59
BLH-1414 R & F	7-1-59 7-6-59	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2590 as modified) to install a new transmitter & chg. ERP.	GRANTED	10-22-59
BPH-564 Rec'd Filed	10-30-59 11-4-59 11-4-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	1-27-60
BPH-3583 Rec'd Filed AMENDMENT R & F	10-30-61 11-1-61 11-1-61 9-6-62 9-11-62	CP to change freq. from 103.9mc CH 280 to 103.7mc CH 279 ; increase ERP from 830w to 3.40kw; install new transmitter (ITA FM 1000C) AMENDED to delete request for chge in frequency; Application now requests change ERP to 3kw; change type trans (COLLINS 830 DLA); increase HAAT from 240 ft to 300 ft; make changes in antenna system (incr. hght).	GRANTED	10-29-63

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call **K T A C-FM**
Letters **XK T W R**

TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC.

Name **X THOMAS WILMOT READ**
Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-864 R & F	10-31-62 11-5-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-29-63
BALH-661 R & F BAPH-330 R & F	2-5-64 2-12-64 2-19-64 2-26-64	Voluntary assignment of license to TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC. AMENDED to include construction permit (EPH-3583) Atty. - Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED Eff:	4-10-64 5-20-64 10:00am, PDT.
BRCH-507 Rec'd Filed	4-24-64 4-28-64 4-28-64	Modification of license to change studio location to 773 Broadway, Winthrop Hotel, Tacoma, Washington and operate transmitter by remote control from State Hwy. #5, River Lane Road, Tacoma, Washington (KTAC trans- mitter site). Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	5-20-64

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters TAC-FM

Name TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC.
TACOMA, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4519 R&F	7-17-64 7-20-64	Construction permit to replace expired CP (BPH-3583) which auth chgs to ERP, HAAT & ant-sys; and install new trans. Atty: Andrew G. Haley	GRANTED	8-10-64
BMPH-8232 R&F	3-23-65 3-29-65	Modification of CP (BPH-4519 as reinstated which authorized install new trans, change ant-sys, and increase ERP and HAAT) for extension of completion date from 4-10-65 to 7-31-65. Atty: Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED to	4-20-65 7-31-65
BLH-2927 R&F	7-8-65 7-14-65	License to cover CP (BPH-4519 as reinstated and modified) which authorized changes ant system, install new trans, and changes ERP and HAAT. Atty: Haley, Bader, & Potts	GRANTED	10-12-65
Ltr. dated 2-7-65 from Haley Inc. request from licensee re waiver 73.242 B/C 9-9-65				

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Name ***TACOMA BROADCASTERS, INC.**
Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-864 R & F	10-21-65	Renewal of license Atty- Haley, Eader & Potts	GRANTED	1-10-66
	10-27-65			
BTC-4958 R & F	10-26-65	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Jerry P. Geehan, Richard R. Hodge et al to Radio 850 Corporation. Atty. Andrew G. Haley	GRANTED Eff:	1-20-66 2-9-66
	10-29-65			
EALH-877 R & F (Form 316)	3-19-66	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO 850 CORPORATION Atty - Andrew G. Haley	GRANTED EFF:	3-25-66 3-29-66
	3-21-66			

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K.T.A.G-FM

Name RADIO 850 CORPORATION
Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-864 R & F #469989 \$75.00 PRESS NOV	10-26-68 11-4-68 11-4-68 15 1968	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-31-69
BPH-7068 R & F #588097\$30. PRESS:	3-23-70 3-26-70 3-26-70 APR 8 1970	CP chg. Transmitter and studio location: 2000 Tacoma Mall, Tacoma, Washington. Make changes in antenna system (Decrease Height); chg. TPO: .926w.; ERP: 3.0kw; HAAT: 226.37 feet. 47° 13' 03" 122° 28' 09" Atty: Kenneth W. Gross Engr- Kenneth Williams (Tacoma, Washington)	GRANTED	7-23-70
AMENDED	5-1-70	Section V-G correct antenna height.		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

103.9mc.

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Letters **KTAC-FM**

Name **Radio 850 Corporation**

Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-13,109 R & F #649493 \$50. CODE 061 PRESS: DEC 31 1970	12-10-70 12-14-70 12-14-70	MP(BPH-7068); chg. Ant(CCA-6602-4, 4 sects); chg. TPO: 0.7784kw. Atty-Kenneth W. Gross(Haley, Bader & Potts) Engr-Kenneth Williams, Jr.	GRANTED	1-5-71
BMPH-13,229 R & F #002262 \$50. CODE 061 PRESS: 28 JUN 1971	4-19-71 4-23-71 4-23-71	MP(BPH-7068 as mod) chg. transmitter loc. to: .125 miles south of intersection of Water Works Road & Pierce-King county line, Tacoma, Washington. Operate by remote control from (studio site). chg. Ant(CCA-6811, 3 horiz. & vert. sects). Make chgs in ant system.(incr. hght). chg. TPO: .837kw, ERP: tkw(h&v) and HAAT: 473-feet(h&v). 47° 18' 15" 122° 23' 44" Request waiver of section 73.315(a) Atty-Kenneth W. Gross(Haley, Bader & Potts). Engr-Kenneth Williams, Jr. chg. HAAT:493' (h&v). c. - WASHINGTON, D. C. & chg. ERP:	GRANTED ISSUED AS NEW CP	11-3-71
AMENDED	7-30-71	chg. HAAT:493' (h&v). c. - WASHINGTON, D. C. & chg. ERP:	950Watts(h&v)	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

103.9 mc

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Letters **KTAC-FM**

ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
Name **X RADIO 850 CORPORATION**
TACOMA, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-864 R & F PN Recd. PRESS NOV 9 1971	10-14-71 10-20-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE R.A. Murphy, Atty. AMENDED (1-22-71 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	6-15-72
BLH-5475 Rec'd W 066484-\$50. Amended Amended & F PTA PRESS JUN 10 1972	4-21-72 4-24-72 4-24-72 5-4-72 5-5-72 5-9-72	Lic.(BMPH-13,229) for changes. Antenna: AC-068 re antenna type to incorporate data subm re ant. type Atty: Haley, <u>Bader</u> & Potts	GRANTED	6-26-72
BALH-1792 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #138506 CODE 049 (ALSO SEE AM) JAN 16 1973	12-21-72 12-22-72	Voluntary assignment of license to ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS ETC) Atty for assignor - M. Bader for assignee - <u>Cohn & Marks</u>	063 PD 6-8-73 GRANTED Req. Grant Fee EFF: \$ 30,000.00 6-1-73 (INCLUDE AM)	W 195492 4-19-73

PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

BACH 1792

138504

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103.9 mc.
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Letters * KTAC-FM

Name ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
TACOMA, WASHINGTON

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-864 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-30-74 10-1-74 OCT 31 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 2-14-75 re: engineering	GRANTED	8-19-75 cond'l re court proceedings
BRH-864 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-29-77 10-3-77 " OCT 14 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Richard A. Helmick, Atty.	GRANTED	2-26-79
DOCKET NO. 21231 R&F PRESS:	6-28-78 6-30-78	Data filed 6-30-78 in accordance with Commission's First Report and Order adopted 11-2-77 and Released 11-7-77 to chg freq 103.7MHz #279; TL: Approx 7.5 miles SE of Enumclaw, NW Peak of the Three Sisters Mountain, Enumclaw, Wash., chg trans(WILKINSON FM20000E) ant(JAMPRO JSCP 9,9 sections (H&V) make chg ant sys(decr hght); ERP: 100KW(H&V) and HAAT: 1670'(H&V) Atty: Stanley Neustadt P.O. BOX 47007 WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	10-30-78

PLEASE RETURN ACTION

For 200.00 fee
Paid for call sign Chg.

TRANS.

CODE

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DATE

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K B R D

Name ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BSCA-780710AF R & F PRESS:	7-6-78 7-10-78 AUG 1 1978	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a subcarrier frequency of 67 kilohertz. Atty: ----	GRANTED NOT ISSUED No longer necessary for telemetry.	8-4-78
BPH-780724AO R & F PRESS:	7-21-78 7-24-78 AUG 8 1978	CP to install new Aux. Trans. (ITA FM-10000D mod. w/ WILKINSON FME-10 exciter) at Aux. TL: NW peak of the Three Sisters Mtn., approx. 7.5 mi. SE of Enumclaw, Washington; to be operated on 103.7mhz. #279, ERP: 47.3 kw (H&V) HAAT: 1670' (H&V). FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY 47° 07' 02" 121° 53' 30" Atty: Stanley S. Neustadt (Cohn & Marks) Engr: Bernard R. Segel	GRANTED	10-30-78

F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters **K B R D**Name **Entertainment Communications, Inc.**
Tacoma, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
LTR? DATED PRESS:	5-8-78	Filed by Stanley S. Neustadt, Esq., Request for Dual City Identification from: TACOMA-SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.	GRANTED	4-3-79
SEP 27 1978				
BLH-781106AQ PTA: PRESS:	1-24-79	License to cover (DKT. #21231) FOR CHANGES & aux.. & BPH780724AO	GRANTED	1-10-80
JUN 25 1979		Atty: Richard A. Helmick		
BPH790824AC PRESS (O)	SEP 18 1979	CP to install Emergency Auxiliary Ant. (JAMPRO JSCP-4, 4 sects. H&V) to be operated on: ERP: 52kw (H&V); HAAT: 1600' (H&V) & chg. TPO. (FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES ONLY). Atty. Stanley S. Neustadt (Cohn & Marks) 47° 07' 02" 121° 53' 30"	GRANTED	9/14/79
SEP 27 1979				

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K B R D

Name: ENTERTAINMENT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Station Location: TACOMA, WASHINGTON

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BLH-791207AG PTA PRESS	MAR 19 1980	License to cover (BPH-790824AC) for changes. Atty: None	GRANTED 3-28-80
BRH 801002 UO PRESS	OCT 17 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) Richard A. Helmick, Atty. AMENDED 12-8-80 re: EEO AMENDED 2-6-81 re: EEO	gr 1-26-81

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March 1979

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.

