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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

OFFICIAL NUMBER: 2632
Date first licensed 8-2-71

EFAN 9-20-79
Call letters XKNAF-FM

Station location Fredericksburg, Texas

Name of licensee GILLESPIE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location 6.6 mi. N-NW of Court House at city, Fredericksburg, Texas (FH-7-22-70)

Main studio location 203 West Main Street Fredericksburg, Texas (PH-7-22-70)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BRH-7120 HAAT: 650' (h&v)	7-22-70	101.1mc	ERP: 10kw (h&v) Ch#266 TPO: 18kw (RC)		9-22-	7-22-71
----- CL For New FM Station -----						
BRH-7120(L)	8-24-70	Call Letters Assigned				
BLH-5050(L) HAAT: 650' (H&V)	8-2-71	101.1	ERP: 100kw (H&V) TPO: 18kw		8-1-	74
Lic. to cover (BRH-7120) for new stn.						
EBSA	5-22-72					
COMTEL	9-13-73	Trans: GATES-FM-20B mod. with COLLINS-A-830-2 Exciter				
BRH-2632	7-31-74	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE				8-1-77
Letter	12-20-74	Trans. Collins 831C-1 now installed				
BLH-6613(L) aux. HAAT: 650'	5-16-75	Lic. to use former main transmitter for auxiliary purp. only. ERP: 93kw (H&V) trans: GATES, FM-20-B.				8-1-77
BRH-2632	10-20-77	(S) REN. OF LIC. MAIN & AUX. TRANS.				8-1-80
EBSA	9-10-79	chg. call				
BRH20037(L)	7-31-80	Renewal of License				8-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

KHAF-FM

Call
Letters NEW-FM

Name Gillespie Broadcasting Company
Fredericksburg, Texas (PO 201 W. Main Street, Fredericksburg, Texas 78624)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7120 R & F #600709 \$75 PRESS: PN REC'd:	4-27-70	CP for New FM on: 101.1mc. #266 ERP:100kws(h&v)	GRANTED	7-22-70
	5-11-70	HAAT: 652' (h) 647' (v) TPO: 17.95kws.		
	5-11-70	Trans: Gates-20B; Ant: Gates-FMA-12/Electric Research-300/12, 12 horiz. & 12 vert. sections.		
	6-15-70	TL: 6.6 mi. N. NW of Court House, Fredericksburg, Texas. 30° 22' 00" - 98° 54' 50" SL: 203 West Main Street, Fredericksburg, Texas(RC)		
AMENDED	7-2-70	Atty - Aloysius B. McCabe Engr- Merl Saxon, Lufkin, Texas Section IV-A. & HAAT: 648' (horiz.) 643' (vert.)		
BLH-5050 Rec'd #658237 \$50 AC-068 n ended & P PTA PRESS FEB 24 1971	1-15-71	Lic. (BPH-7120, as mod.) for <u>new</u> FM B/c Sta.	GRANTED	8-2-71
	1-19-71	Atty: A. B. McCabe (Kirkland, Ellis, etc.)		
	1-19-71			
	2-8-71	Engr. data (Sect. II-B) & Proof of Perf.		
	2-16-71	Statement re Sect. VI rec'd 3-19-71		

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AREA CODE 202-833-8400

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

101.1 mhz

Call
Letters

K P A N
XKNAP-FM

Name GILLESPIE BROADCASTING COMPANY
Fredericksburg, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2632 R & F P.N. PRESS	4-24-74 4-29-74 4-29-74 MAY 10 1974	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-31-74
BLH-6613 R & F PTA PRESS	2-2-75 2-6-75 3-25-75 APR 15 1975	Lic. to use former main trans. (GATES, FM-20-BD) for auxiliary purposes only. ERP: 93kw - TPO: 17kw.	GRANTED	5-16-75
BRH-2632 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-28-77 3-30-77 " APR 7 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) AMENDED 8-5-77 re: programming	GRANTED	10-20-77

(BRH-2632) Sect. VI mailed 5-8-74

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K F A N

101.1mhz

Name: GILLESPIE BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: FREDERICKSBURG, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRHS00327VF PRESS	APR 24 1980	Renewal of License (Main & Aux. Trans.)	GRANTED 7-31-80

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.

