

KLKC



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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-18-48

Call letters KLKC
 Parsons, Kansas

Name of licensee THE COMMUNITY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location 0.2 mile North of U.S. Highway 160, Approx. 1.7 miles E. of center of business district of Parsons, Kansas (MP 10-1-48) (Lic. 11-18-48)

109½ South Central Avenue, Parson, Kansas

x 0.2 mile North of US Hwy. 160, Approx. 1.7 miles E. of center of business district of Parsons, Kansas (itr. dtd. 5-4-54)

x 109½ South Central Avenue (BRC-406, 5-12-54)

Main studio location 1904 Broadway, Parsons, Kansas (MP 10-1-48) Lic. 11-18-48

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BP-6533	8-19-48 Ltr. 8-25-48.	1540	250w	Daytime	CP for a new station granted subj. filing MP for approval T site and antenna. (COND. CLAUSE)
BP-6533 BMP-4170	10-1-48 Mod. CP (6533) to	1540	250w	Daytime	change type of T, for approval of antenna and T site and specify studio site. (COND. CLAUSE)
BL-3418	11-18-48 Lic. to cover	1540	250w	Daytime	CP (6533 as mod) for a new station. (COND. CLAUSE)
BTC-896 EFF: 4-14-50	3-28-50 shares of	Vol. TO	of lic.	corp. thru sale of 251	common stock - 51%.
BR-2155	4-12-51	1540	250 w	Daytime	5-1-51 to 5-1-54
BTC-1648 EFF: 3-11-54 COMBS.	1-20-54 3-11-54	Voluntary transfer of control from THE SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY to MRS. CAROL B. COMBS.			
BR-2155	4-7-54	Renewal of license			5-1 6-1-56
BRC-406 (1)	5-21-54 remote control from 1094 Parsons, Kansas	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by remote control from 1094 South Central Avenue, Parsons, Kansas			
TELEGRAM TELEGRAM	3-29-56 5-31-56	SIGN-OFF 6:30 PM April thru August 1956 Action on renewal deferred 5-29-56 and continued operation authorized until final determination on renewal applica.			
BR-2155	6-6-56	1540	250w	Daytime	6-6 6-1-59
BR-2155	5-20-59	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-62
BR-2155	5-31-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1 6-1-65
BR-2155	5-4-65	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-68
BR-2155 (S)	5-28-68	RENEWAL			6-1-71
BR-2155 (S)	5-27-71	Renewal			6-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CARD NO. 2

Date first licensed

Call letters KLKC

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
BR-2155(L)	7-31-74	RENEWAL			6-1-77
BR-2155	5-27-77	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-80
BS-2155 (1)	6-7-78	Ltr. to correct coordinates			
BZ-780928AJ(L)	11-27-78	Direct Measurement			6-1-80
BR800201YV(S)	5-22-80	Renewal of License			6-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call
Letters NewName THE COMMUNITY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
(PO 1418 Grand Street, Parsons, Kansas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6533	12-22-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1540kc Power: 250w Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined- In or near Parsons, Kansas Studio location: To be determined- Parsons, Kansas Maurice M. Jansky, Atty.	GRANTED	8-19-48
Rec'd	12-31-47		subj. filing MP for approval of site and antenna and subj. to cond. that the permittee accept such interference, if any, that might be received in event of a grant of the pending application of McPherson B/Cing Co., Inc., McPherson Kansas, (File BP-5744)	
Filed	12-31-47		Ltr. 8-25-48	
			Issued with MP 4170	

Transmitter-RCA BTA-250-L

A. Earl Cullum, Jr., Engr.
Dallas, Texas

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(Unassigned)Name THE COMMUNITY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-4170	8-30-48	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6533, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change type of transmitter (Collins 300-G), for approval of antenna and transmitter location at approx. 1.7 miles east of center of business district and 0.2 mile north of U.S. Highway 160, Parsons, Kansas and to specify studio location as 1904 Broadway, Parsons, Kansas. (Filed by Maurice M. Jansky, Atty.; J. G. Rountree, Engr.)	GRANTED	10-1-48
Rec'd	9-7-48		Subj. cond. that permit-	
Filed	9-7-48		tee accept interference, if any, that might be re- ceived in event of a grant of the pending application of the McPherson B/Cing Co., Inc., (BP5744)	

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Parsons, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3418 Rec'd Filed	10-22-48 10-25-48 10-26-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6533, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED subj. to cond. that lic. accept such interference if any that might be received from KNEX (File No. BP-5744)	11-18-48
BSSA-230 Rec'd Filed	10-24-49 10-26-49 10-26-49	Special Service Authorization to operate from local sunset to 12:00 midnight, CST on 1540kc with power of 100w for a period not to exceed 6 months.	Denied ORDER ISSUED	1-4-50

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-896 Rec'd Filed	12-23-49 2-10-50 2-10-50	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from The Community Broadcasting Company, Inc. to The Sun Publishing Company. (251 shares common stock - 51%). Maurice M. Jansky, Atty.	GRANTED EFF: 4-14-50	3-26-50
BR-2155 Rec'd.	2-12-51 2-27-51	Renewal of license, filed by Maurice M. Jansky, Attn'y.	GRANTED	4-12-51
BTC-1645 Rec'd Filed	12-15-53 12-17-53 12-17-53	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from The Sun Publishing Company to Mrs. Carol B. Combs. Verne R. Young, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	1-20-54 3-11-54
BR-2155 Rec'd Filed	1-19-54 1-21-54 1-21-54	Renewal of License	Granted	4-7-54

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Parsons, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-406 Rec'd Filed	5-12-54 5-14-54 5-14-54	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 109 1/2 South Central Ave., Parsons, Kansas	GRANTED	5-21-54
BR-2155 Rec'd Filed	3-3-56 3-5-56 3-5-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	6-6-56
BR-2155 Rec'd Filed	2-27-59 3-2-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-20-59
BR-2155 R & F	3-2-62 3-5-62	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	5-31-62
BR-2155 R & F	3/2/65 3/4/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-4-65
BR-2155 R & F MAR 22 1968	3-2-68 3-5-68	Renewal of license. AMENDED 5-13-68 re: foreign language programming	GRANTED	5-28-68

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Name THE COMMUNITY BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
PARSONS, KANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2155 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 29 1971	3-1-71 3-3-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 4-5-71 re: equal opportunity program AMENDED 4-26-71 re: community survey	GRANTED	5-27-71
BR-2155 R & F PN PRESS 14 MAR 1974	3-2-74 3-4-74 3-4-74 14 MAR 1974	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-24-74 re: ascert. of comm. needs; programming	GRANTED	7-31-74
BR-2155 Recd. PN Recd. FILED PRESS FEB 24 1977	1-31-77 2-2-77 " 2-3-77 FEB 24 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-9-77 re: programming	GRANTED	5-27-77

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters K L K C

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Parsons, Kansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-780928AJ R & F DM PRESS	9-28-78 11-6-78 NOV 22 1978	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	11-27-78
BR 800201 PRESS APR	YV 24 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-22-80

K L K C - RECORD OF DENIAL OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

Tele. 11-2-48 advising applicant that request for special temporary authority for 11-2-48 cannot be considered, in accordance Sec. 1.324 of the Rules.

Ltr. 3-19-50. To operate until 6:15 pm, 11-4-50 to broadcast football game.

Telegram 3-12-52 To, oper. until 8:30 pm, 3-13-52 to broadcast Kansas High School Basketball Tournament

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. 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 – 3" by 5" filing cards – 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). 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. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

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.

