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CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/3

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-26-66

Call letters KLKB 6-4-79  
XKDLK-FM

Station location Del Rio, Texas

Name of licensee Queen City Broadcasting Company  
FORUM BROADCASTING, INC. (ALH gr 10/21/76 EFF: 10/27/76)  
WESTERN PLAINS BROADCASTING CO., INC. (ALH 4-30-68 EFF: 5-1-68)

Transmitter location X405 Bedell Avenue, Del Rio, Texas (BPH-11-22-65)  
Jact. U.S. 90 & US 277, 2.7 mi. N. of Del Rio, Texas (PH-12-10-73)

Main studio location xSame as Transmitter  
402 East 4th Street, Del Rio, Texas (BRCH 12-7-72)  
78840

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-4907 HAAT: 68' cont' 1	11-22-65	94.3mc.	ERP: 3kw.	Unl.	1-22-66 7-22-66
		ch. #232	TPO: 980w.		
		CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station			
BPH-4907 (1)	3-17-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4907) to assign call LETTERS K D L K-FM.			
BPH-8849 (2)	6-14-66	Mod. of CP(BPH-4907) for ext. of completion date to 10-1-66			
BLH-3331 HAAT: 68'	9-26-66	94.3mcs	ERP: 3kw	U	9-26 8-1-68
		CH. #232	TPO: 980w		
		Lic to cover CP(BPH-4907 as mod) which au auth a new FM broadcast station specify type trans GATES FMS-1G			
BLH-1062	4-30-68	Vol. ALI			
BRH-1907 (L)	7-22-68	Renewal of License			8-1-71
BRH-1907(S)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			8-1-74
BTC-6808	5-23-72	Vol. TO			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRCH-1,130 (1)	12-7-72	ML to chg. SL & operate by RC			
BPH-8701(L) HAAT: 135'	12-10-73	94.3mhz.	ERP: 2.65kw	U	12-10-74.
		#232	TPO: 1kw		
		CP chg. Trans. loc.; make chgs. in ant. system(inchg. hght)/ chg. TPO & HAAT.			
BRH-1907 BLH-6260(L)	8-26-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Lic.(BPH-8701)-Changes			8-1-77
BALH-2333	10/21/76	Vol ALI EFF: 10/27/76			
BRH-1907(L)	7-14-77	RENEWAL			8-1-80
EBSA	6-11-79	Chg. call			
BRH800331V (S)	7-18-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-83

FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call **KDLK-FM**  
Letters ~~1955-56~~

Name **QUEEN CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY**  
**Del Rio, Texas (P.O. c/o Jack R. Crosby, 405 Bedell Ave., Del Rio, Texas)**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4907 Rec'd Resubm. R & F.	2-5-65 2-8-65 4-9-65 4-15-65	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 94.3mc CH 232 ERP: <del>2.04kw</del> 3.08kw Type transmitter: Gates FM-1C (1kw) TPO: 1kw Type antenna: Gates cycloid FMA4(4 sections) HAAT: <del>458.2</del> ft. 68' Transmitter Loc.: <del>Upper Hwy 277 - 7.25 miles - Texas</del> <del>from Del Rio, Texas</del> 405 Bedell Ave., Del Rio, Texas Studio Loc.: 405 Bedell Ave., Del Rio, Texas (same as AM)  Attys.: Smith & Pepper Engrs.: Kenneth R. Hyman, San Antonio, Texas	<del>RECEIVED</del> <del>ERP-400-414 gh</del> GRANTED cont'l submit 302's for KDLK	2-12-65 11-22-65
Amended R.&F.	6-4-65 6-16-65	Engr. affidavit filed-re current date & verification of ant-trans.&studio loc.		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K.D.L.K-FM

Name QUEEN CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY  
DEL RIO, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-8849 R & F PTA: 10-8-66	5-20-66 5-23-66	Modification of CP(BPH-4907 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 7-22-66 to 10-1-66.  ATTY ----- Smith & Pepper	GRANTED to	6-14-66 10-1-66
BLH-3331 Rec'd Filed	7/12/66 7/19/66 8/2/66	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-4907 as mod.) which auth. a new FM broadcast station, specify type trans. GATES FMS-10.  Atty: Smith & Pepper	GRANTED	9-26-66
BALH-1062 Rec'd RESUB Rec'd & F  JAN 4 1968	10-14-67 10-25-67 12-1-67 12-6-67	Voluntary assignment of license to WESTERN PLAINS BROADCASTING CO., INC.	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>re-wrote form</del> GRANTED EFF:	<del>11-22-67</del>  4-30-68 5-1-68

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

94.3mc

Call  
Letters KDLK-FM

WESTERN PLAINS BROADCASTING CO., INC.

Name ROUEN CITY BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Del Rio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1907 R & F #425627 \$180 PRESS: MAY 22 1968 Amend	4-26-68 5-1-68 5-1-68 JUN 11 1968	Renewal of License AMENDED 5-30-68 to show name of applicant as Western Plains Broadcasting Co., Inc.	GRANTED	7-22-68
BRH-1907 R & F PN Press MAY 27 1971	4-28-71 5-4-71 5-4-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 6-14-71 re: engineering data AMENDED 6-25-71 re: equal employment policy	GRANTED	7-29-71
BTC -6808 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 CODE 049 (ALSO SEE AM) MAR 13 1972	1-24-72 2-16-72 #042166	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Gerald R. Mazur to Rodney Robertson  (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED	5-23-72 Req. grant fee \$2,300.00 Includes AM Eff: 6-15-72. Grant Fee Paid: 063, 6-20-72, W 084340

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Name Western Plains Broadcasting Co., Inc.  
Del Rio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-1,130 Rec'd Filed #132275 \$50 Code 068 Press DEC 6 1972	11-8-72 11-13-72 11-29-72 11-29-72	Mod. of license to change SL to: 402 East 4th Street, Del Rio, Texas and operate trans. by RC from the proposed studio site.	GRANTED	12-7-72
BPH-8701 R & F #253507 \$50 Code 057 Press DEC 7 1973	11-14-73 11-19-73 11-20-73	CP to chg. TL to: Jct. U.S. 90 & U.S. 277, 4.7 mi. N. of Del Rio, Texas; make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO and HAAT: 135'. (29° 25' 46" - 100° 54' 18")	GRANTED	12-10-73
BRH-1907 R & F PN PRESS MAY 20 1974	4-23-74 5-9-74 5-9-74	Renewal of License AMENDED 7-22-74 re: ascertainment of comm. needs; composition of area; EEO	GRANTED	8-26-75 issued with BLH-6260

FORUM BROADCASTING, INC.

Name ~~X~~ WESTERN PLAINS BROADCASTING CO., INC.  
Del Rio, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-6260 Rec'd W 309395-\$50. Amended & F PTA PRESS JUL 15 1974	4-23-74 5-9-74 5-28-74-057 6-12-74 6-17-74	Lic.(BPH-8701)-Changes. Transmitter; GATES/WILKINSON, FM-1G.  Engr. data	GRANTED	8-26-75
<del>BLH-2333</del> <del>Rec'd &amp; F</del> <del>FEE PD:\$200 #602306</del> <del>CODE 047(SEE AM ALSO)</del> <del>AUG 23 1976</del> PN filed	<del>8-4-76</del> <del>8-6-76</del> 9/8/76	<del>Voluntary assignment of license to</del> <del>FORUM BROADCASTING, INC.</del>  Atty - Bilger & Blair	<del>GRANTED</del> <del>EFF:</del> <del>FEE REQ:</del>	<del>10/21/76</del> <del>10/27/76</del> <del>pd 11/19/76</del> <del>W 637559</del>
BRH-1907 R & F P.N. PRESS APR 26 1977	3-25-77 4-1-77 4-1-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE  Atty. Lee W. Shubert (Bilger & Blair)  AMENDED 5-27-77 re: engineering	GRANTED	7-14-77



## APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K L K E 94.3

Name: FORUM BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: DEL RIO, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH 800331 VY PRESS APR 24 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 10-3-80 re: programming AMENDED 11-10-80 re: programming	GRANTED 7-18-80

## 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 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.

