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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 2445

Date first licensed 1-30-70

Call letters KRAZ

Station location Farmington, N. M.

Name of licensee E. Boyd Whitney

Transmitter location State Hwy. 371, 2.5 mi. S. of intersection with U.S. Hwy. 550, Near Formington, N. M(PH-3-13-69

Main studio location 2088 West Main Street. Farmington. N. M. (PH-3-13-69)

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Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From To
BPH-6550	3-13-69	96.9mc.	ERP: 29	Skw(h&v)	U 11-13-69
HAAT:300'(h		ch#245 T	0:5kw		
PH-6550(1)				tone (RC)	
PH-6550(1)	6-12-69	Call le	tters as	signed.	
BMPH-10-793	70-70-69	MP/RPUL	5550) ah	FRP/he) to 30kws.
(2)	10-10-07	14 (14))))() GII	R. Tur (110c)) to jukws.
BLH-4527(I	0 1-30-70	Lic. fo	r new s	ation	10-1-71
BRH-2445(S) 4-19-72	RENEV			
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EBSA	5-22-72				
Comtel	2-1-74	Trans:	Composit	e consists	of Collins
	(ITA)	FM-5000-	BS with	GEL FME-10	A-SCX-B
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BRH-2445(L)	11-29-74	RENEW	AL		10-1-77
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call KRAZ Letters MEW-FM

Name E. BOYD WHITNEY FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO (PO Box 1529, Farmington, New Mex. 87401)

File No.	Dated	Application for	<u>Act</u> Nature	Date
BPH-6550 R & F #477216 \$75 PRESS: PN REC'D:	12-6-68 12-9-68 12-9-68 2 3 1988	CP for new FM on: 96.9mc #245 ERP:29.6kw(H&V HAAT:301' TPO:5kw Trans.: CCA FM-5000D Ant.: CCA FMA-6811-12, 12 secs. TL: Nr. State Hwy. #371, approx. 2.5 mi. S. o. US Hwy. #550, nr. Farmington, New Mex. SL: 208B W. Main St., Farmington, New Mex. (Ringle Activation of the Company) Engr.: Thomas J. English (Commercial Radio Equipment Company)	f GRANTE	3-13-69
BMPH-10,793 & F #548343 \$30 PRESS:	10-10-69 10-10-69 10-10-69	P(BPH-6550)make changes in transmission line; ERP(horiz. & vert); 30kws. Atty - Harold E. Mott(Albuquerque, N.M.)	RANTED	10-10-69

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION MAILED 12-18-68.

AMENDED 1-21-69 in resp. to Comm. ltr. 1-8-69 re Sect. IV-A and Engineering.

AMENDED 2-28-69 Te Sects. III & IV-A.

AMENDED 3-6-69 re Sect. IV-A.

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Name

E. BOYD WHITNEY

Farmington, New Mexico

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
BLH-4527 R & F #545354 \$30. PT Not Auth. PTA ext. to 1-16-70. PTA	10-8-69 10-10-69 1-10-70 (12-	Lic.(BPH-6550, as mod.) for new FM B/C Sta. Specify type trans: CCLLINS ITA 5000B. Atty: Harold E. Mott(Albuquerque) CV 1 9 1969 PTA ext. to 12-18-69. 18-69)	GRANTED	1-30-70
BRH-2445 R & F P.N. PRESS AUG 1 1 197	/-0-/1	Renewal of License AMEND. 10-8-71 re Sec. IV-A & VI. (See KRZE(AMENDED 4-3-72 re: community survey; letters of commendation	GRANTED,	4-19-72
BRH-2445 R & F PN Recd.	6-28-74 7-5-74 "	commercial policy	GRANTED	11-29-74
		F.C.C WASHINSTON, D. C.		

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Name E. BOYD WHITNEY
FARMINGTON, NEW MEXICO

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BPH810330AN PRESS (0)	28 1881 4: #3 CI (I	P to make chgs. in Ant. Sys.l chg. TL to: .5 Miles South of Farmington, Near Hwy. 371, Near Farmington, New Mexico; chg. ype Trans.; chg. type Ant. (PHILLIP-DODGE FM-LP-12, 12 sects. H&V); incre. ERP: 100kw H&V); incre. HAAT: 497' (H&V) & chg. TPO. 60 39' 49" 1080 12' 55"		
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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.

