

K R E W - F M

Form BC 126
June 1954

#2940

FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-8-74

Call letters K R E W-FM

Station location Sunnyside, Wash.

Name of licensee BENNETT BROADCASTING CO.

Transmitter location 300 Block Grandview Avenue, Sunnyside, Washington (PH-9-24-73)

Main studio location 638 Decatur, Sunnyside, Washington (PH-9-24-73)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-7860 HAAT: 28'	9-24-73	96.7mhz. #244	ERP: 3kw (RC)		9-24-74
		CP for New FM Station			
BPH-7860(1)	12-3-73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	12-3-73				
BMPH-14,160 (2)	7-10-74	MP(BPH-7860) reduce ht. of tower, chg. trans, and ant. chg. TPO: 740 Watts chg. HAAT: minus 1 foot.			
BLH-6308(L) HAAT: minus 1'	8-8-74	Lic.(BPH-7860, as mod.)-New sta. 2-1-75 96.7mhz., ERP: 3kw			
BRH-2940(S)	2-28-75	RENEWAL			2-1-78
BRH-2940(S)	1-19-78	Renewal			2-1-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K R E W-FM
X NEW-FM

Name Bennett Broadcasting Co.

~~Grandview, Washington~~ (PO 638 Decatur, Sunnyside, Washington 98944)

Sunnyside

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7860 R & F #051343 \$100 CODE: 013 PRESS: APR 11 1972 PN REC'd: 5-8-72	3-10-72 3-15-72 3-15-72	CP for New FM on: 96.7mc. #244 HAAT: 28' ERP: 3kw. Trans: RCA-BTF-1D; Ant: Collins-37M-4, sects. TL: 300 Block West Grandview Ave., Sunnyside, Washington. SL & RC: 638 Decatur, Sunnyside, Washington. 46° 19' 10" - 120° 01' 28"	Designated for Hearing 11 DEC 1972 14656 Min.	
AMENDED AMENDED #115374 \$100 PRESS: OCT 24 1972 PN REC'd:	5-8-72 9-22-72 10-3-72	Atty - Frederick H. Walton, Jr. Engr - George M. Grese (East Wenatchee, Wash.) Sect. III and FAA Form chg. Station Location to: Sunnyside, Washington & Section IV-A.	GRANTED 9-24-73 req. grant fee; \$900 pd 014 10-25-73 245392	
AMENDED:	10-10-72	Supplement w/respect to: Section IV-A.		

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Sunnyside, Washington
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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters ...KREW-EM.....Name Bennett Broadcasting Co.
Sunnyside, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14,160 R & F #321880 \$50 Code 057 Press	7-1-74 7-3-74 7-3-74 JUL 8 - 1974	MP (BPH-7860) to reduce height of tower and change type trans. (Gates FM-1H2); change antenna (Jampro JA-4B) and HAAT: minus one foot. Atty: Frederick H. Walton, Jr. (Dempsey and Koplovitz)	GRANTED	7-10-74
BLH-6308 R & F W 316533-\$50. PTA PRESS	6-12-74 6-17-74- 6-17-74-057 7-12-74 JUL 31 1974	Lic. (BPH-7860, as mod.) - New Sta. -Atty: Dempsey and Koplovitz (F. H. Walton, Jr.)	GRANTED	8-8-74
BRH-2940 Recd. PNREcd. FILED PRESS	9-23-74 10-1-74 " OCT 30 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE F.H. Walton, Jr. Atty. (Dempsey & Koplovitz) AMENDED 2-11-75 re: programming & EEO	GRANTED	2-28-75

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96.7mhz

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters KREW-FMName BENNETT BROADCASTING CO.
Sunnyside, Washington

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2940 R & F P.N. PRESS	9-16-77 10-3-77 10-3-77 NOV 10 1977	Renewal of License Atty.: Frederick H. Walton, Jr.	GRANTED	1-19-78
BRH801001VM PRESS	OCT 31 1980	Renewal of License Atty.: Frederick H. Walton, Jr. AMENDED 12-22-80 re programming	GRANTED	1-26-81

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.

