K V O X-FM

Form BC 126 June 1954 #1988

## PREQUENCY HODULATION

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K V O X-FM 11-9-77 K I D A (8-16-71)

Date first licensed 3-21-67

Call letters XK 4 0 X-FM

Station location MOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

FORWARD RADIO, INC. (AL 10-23-78

EVALLEY COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (ALH 4-30-74 EFF: 6-2-74)

Name of licenses CENTRAL MINNESOTA TELEVISION CO.

Transmitter location 4000 South 8th Street, Moorhead, Minnesota (BPH-12-29-65)

Main studio location ... Same as Transmitter

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. Issued Freq. Power Div. From To  BPH-4955 12-29-65 99.9mc. ERP:26.5kw. Uni. 2-28-66 cont'l CP for a new Class C FM broadcast station.  BPH-4955 (1)  BMPH-8955 8-11-66 Mod. of BPH-4955 to assigned call letters KVCK-FM.  BMPH-8955 8-11-66 Mod. of CP(BPH-4955) for ext. of completion date to 10-28-66  (2)  BMPH-9067 10-25-66 Mod. of CP(BPH-4955 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 1-30-67  BLH-3538 3-21-67 99.9mcs ERP:26.5kw U 3-21 4-1-68 CH.#260 RPO: 5kw Lic to cover CP(BPH-4955 asmdd) which autanew FM broadcast station  BRH-1988(5) 3-29-66 Renewal of License 4-1-71  BRH-1988(5) 3-25-71 Renewal of License 4-1-74  EBSA 5-22-72 BRH-1988 3-28-74 (LONG) RENEWAL OF LICENSE 4-1-77  |
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| BFH-4955   12-29-65   99.9mc. ERP:26.5kw. Unl.   2-28-66   8-29-66   CP for a new Class C FM   broadcast station.    BPH-4955   1-21-66   Mod. of BPH-4955   to assigned call   letters   KVOX-FM.    BMFH-8955   8-11-66   Mod. of CP(BPH-4955)   for ext. of completion date to   10-28-66   mod.   for ext.   of completion date to   1-30-67   mod.   of completion date to   1-30 |
| HAAT:170' ch.#260 TPO:5kw. 8-29-66  CP for a new Class C FM broadcast station.  BPH-4955 1-21-66 Mod. of BPH-4955 to assigned call  [1)  |
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| FRSA 5-22-72   |
| EBSA 5-22-72<br>BRH-1988 3-28-74 (LONG) RENEWAL OF LICENSE 4-1-77  |
| BRH-1988 3-28-74 LONG RENEWAL OF LICENSE4-1-77   |
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| DALU 1056 / 20 7/ WOL ALU PER. 6-2-7/  |
| BALH-1956 4-30-74 VOL. ALH EFF: 6-2-74   |
| BPH-10025 12-22-76 99.9MHz ERP: 100kw H&V 12-22-77   |
| HAAT: 390' H&V CP chg TPO, ERP, HAAT, Ant & Trans  |
| BRH-1988(S)3-22-77 RENEWAL 4-1-80  |
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| EBSA 11-9-77 Chg. Call   |
| BMPH-15344 5-16-78 MP (BPH-10025) ext time to 11-1-78  |
| (1)  |
| BMPH- MP (BPH-10025, as mod.)  |
| 78101AG (2) 11-9-78 for ext. time. 5-1-79  |
| APTH-780815EB 10-23-78 Vol. AL   |
| BMPH790418AH 6/20/79 MP (BPH-10025, as mod.)   |
| (3) for ext. of time to: 12/7/79   |
| BMPH791119AR MP (BPH-10,025, as mod.)  |
| BRH 791203 ZB_3=31-80 (L) RENEWAL  |
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| BMPH-800 24AM \$ -17-80 MF 9BFH-10025 as mon:) 3-15-81   |

## **BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD**

First licensed ... 3-21-76

Call Letters KVOX-FM

Station Location MOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

FORWARD RADIO, INC..(AL 10-23-78)

SEE CARD # 1

SEE CARD #1

Main studio location

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#### Authorization Record

|         | Aumorization Record  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Granted | Facilities   | Expires  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-16-81 | CONDUCT EXPERIMENTAL T   | EST OF   |  |  |  |  |
| 5-12-81 | 99.9mHz ERP: 100kW(H&<br>License to cover (BPH-<br>10025, as mod.) for<br>changes. | 4-1-83   |  |  |  |  |
| 0-23-61 | SUA ON 67 KHZ.   |  |  |  |  |  |
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|         |  | OONDUCT EXPERIMENTAL TVISUAL TYPE SCA SYSTEM EXPIRES 4-3-81.  5-12-81 99.9mHz ERP: 100kW(H& License to cover (BPH 10025, as mod.) for changes. |  |  |  |  |

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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters NEW

Name CENTRAL MINNESOTA TELEVISION CO.

| File No.                  | Dated                   | NNESOTA (PO 720 Hawthorne, Alexandria, Minneso<br>Application for  | Nature   Date                                 |  |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--|---|--|
| BPH-4955<br>Recd<br>Filed | 4-29-65 5-18-65 6-21-65 | Construction permit for a new FM b/c station to be operated on:  Frequency: 98-7me-CH-254 99.9mc CH 260  ERP: 26.3kw  TPO: 5kw  HAAT: 171.4 ft.  Trans.:COLLINS 830E-1A ( 5kw)  Antenna: COLLINS 37M-6, 6 sections  Trans.Loc: 4000 So. 8th Street  Moorhead, Minnesota  Studio Loc: Same as transmitter | GRANTED 12-29-65 cont'l submit 302's for KVOK |  |
| Amended<br>R & F.         | 6-18-65 6-21-65         | Atty-Krieger & Jorgensen  Amended to chg. freq. to 99.9mc CH 260   |   |  |
|                           |                         | F.C.C WASHINGTON, D.C.   |   |  |

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

K V O X-FM

Name CENTRAL MINNESOTA TELEVISION CO.
HOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

| File No. BMPH-8955 R & F | 7-26-66<br>7-28-66 | Application for  Modification of CP(BPH-4955 which authorize a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 8-29-66 to 10-28-66.  | Nature  | Date<br>8-11-66<br>10-28-66 |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--|---------|-----------------------------|
| BMPH-9067<br>R & F       | 10-12-66           | Attys - Krieger & Jorgensen  Modification of CP(BPH-4955 as mod., which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 10-28-66 to 1-30-67.  Attys - Krieger & Jorgensen | GRANTED | 10-25-66 1-30-67            |
| BLH_3538<br>R & F        | 12/16/66 12/20/66  | Lic. to cover CP (BPH_4955 as mod.) which  | GRANTED | 3-21-67                     |

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### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

VALLEY COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

Name

| MOORHEAD, MINNESCTA                    |  |  |            |                              |
|--|--|--|------------|------------------------------|
| File No.                               | Dated  | Application for  | Nature Act | 10n<br>Date                  |
| BRH-1988<br>k & F                      | 12-22-67   | Renewal of license.  Atty: Krieger & Jorgensen  AMENDED 8-21-68 re: Programming              | GRANTED    | 3-29-68                      |
| JAN 2018 BRH-1988 R & F                | 12-26-70   | Renewal of License   | GRANTED    | 3-25-71                      |
| P.N. PRESS FEB 9 1971                  | 12-30-70   | Atty: Norman E. Jorgensen (Krieger & Jorgens   | sen)       |                              |
| BRH-1988<br>R & F<br>PN Recd.<br>PRESS | 12-20-73<br>1-2-74<br>5 JAN 1974                           | RENEWAL OF LICENSE GI  | RANTED 3   | -28-74                       |
|  | 1-15-74<br>1-25-74<br>#273063<br>0 SEE AM KV<br>Pub. notic | COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION  Atty for assigner - R. Marmet  OX) for assignee - N.E. Jorgensen | : 6-2-74   | 9,500.00<br>udes AM)<br>6542 |

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### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters <u>KIDA</u>

Name Valley Communications Corporation

Moorhead, Minnesota

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|--|--|--|--------------------------------|------------------|
| File No. BPH-10,025 Rec'd Filed  | Dated<br>6-25-76<br>6-29-76<br>6-29-76   | Application for  CP to install new trans. (AEL FM-25KE); install new ant. (RCA BFC-9, 9 sects. (H&V make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg.  | CONDIL                         | Date<br>12-22-76 |
| #586249 \$400<br>Code 001<br>Press<br>P. N. Rec'd  | 6-30-76<br>UG 1 0 1976<br>8-11-76  | TPO; ERP: 100KW(H&V) and HAAT: 393' (H&V).   |                                | <b>7</b> C1 /UU  |
| AMENDED BRH-1988 R & F PN Recd. PRESS  | 8-11-76<br>11-30-76<br>12-1-76<br>"FEB 1 1977  | RENEWAL OF LICENSE   | GRANTED 3                      | -22-77           |
|  |  | F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.  |                                |                  |

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#### APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K V O X-FM Letters XK I D A

Forward Radio, Inc. (AL 10-23-78 Name X. Valley Communications Corporation

| Moorhead, Minnesota                       |                                |   |                       |                     |  |
|---|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------|--|
| File No.                                  | Dated                          | Application for   | Nature                | tion<br>Date        |  |
|   | 11-21-77<br>11-23-77<br>8 1977 | MP (BPH-10025) for extension of completion date to: 12-22-78. (FOR CHANGES)  Atty: Carl W. Northrop (Jorgensen, Johnson,                    | GRANTED<br>TO<br>etc) | 5-16-78<br>11-1-78  |  |
| BAPIH780815E R & F FORM 314 (ALS SEP 1 97 | 8-15-78                        | Vol AL to FORWARD RADIO, INC.  (INCLUDE BPH10025, as mod chge ERP etc)  Atty for assignor - N.E. Jorgensen for assignee - Thomas N. Frobock | GRANTED<br>EFF:       | 10-23-78<br>12-6-78 |  |
| BMPH781017AG<br>PRESS                     | 1978                           | MP (BPH-10025, as Mod.) for extension of time to: 11-1-79 (FOR CHANGES)   | GRANTED               | 11-9-78 5-1-79      |  |
|   |                                | F. C. C WASHINGTON. D. C.   |                       |                     |  |

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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K V O X-FM

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| TED          | 3-13-80                        |
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#### APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING 99.9MHz.

Call Letters: K V O X-FM

Name: FORWARD RADIO, INC.

Station Location: MOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

| File No.                            | Date       | Description  | Action and Date                     |
|-------------------------------------|------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| BMPH800724AM<br>PRESS (0)           | SEP 10 198 | MP (BPH-10,025, as Mod.) For Extension of Time to: 3-21-81 (FOR CHANGES)  Atty. Thomas N. Frohock (McKenna, Wilkinson & K: | GRANTED: 9-17-80 TO: 3-15-81 ttner) |
| BLH-810302AF<br>PTA<br>PRESS<br>MAR | 1 2 1981   | License to cover (BPH-10025, as mod.) for changes. Atty: Thomas N. Frohock   | GRANTED 5-12-81                     |
| BSCA810601AQ<br>PRESS (0)           | N 23 1981  |  | RANTED 6-23-81                      |
|                                     |            |  | Form BC-121<br>March 1979           |

#### APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING 99.9MHz.

Coll Letters: K V O X-FM

Name: FORWARD RADIO, INC.

Station Location: MOORHEAD, MINNESOTA

| File No.              | Date     | Description   | Action and Date           |
|-----------------------|----------|---|---------------------------|
| BPH810323AP PRESS (0) | N 26 198 | CP to decre. HAAT: 379' (H&V); chg. type Trans. chg. type Ant. (RCA BFC-12B, 12 sects. H&V) & chg. TPO. | ; DISMISSED               |
|                       |          |   | Form BC-121<br>March 1979 |

#### **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.

