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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed May 18, 1970

Call letters K W F M

Station location Tucson, Arizona

Name of licensee Alvin L. Korngold

2550 North Los Altos Ave., Tucson, Ariz. (CP 6-16-71)

Transmitter location x400 N. Shawnee, Tucson, Arizona (PH-8-6-69)

199 North Stone Ave., Suite 708, Tucson, Ariz. (ltr. 1-21-77)

x199 North Stone, Suite 210, Tucson, Arizona

zip 85701 x210 Lawyers Title Bldg., 199 N. Stone, Tucson, Ariz. (BSH 10-6-72)

Main studio location x48 East Broadway (Tucson, Arizona) (PH-8-6-69)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To	
BPH-6698 HAAT: 86' Cond' L	8-6-69	92.9mc.	ERP: 20kw ch#225 TPO: 5kw	Unl. (RC)	4-6-70	
BPH-6698 (1)	10-13-69	Call letters assigned.				
BPH-6698	8-6-69	Supersede authorization to correct date.				
BLH-1718(L) HAAT: 86'	5-18-70	92.9 mc	ERP: 28 kw TPO: 5 kw		10-1-71	
		Lic.(BPH-6698) for new FM Broadcast Station, chg. ant, trans, ERP:, TPO:, & HAAT:				
BPH-7480 HAAT: 55'	6-16-71	92.9mc	TPO: 5kw ERP: 20kw	RC	6-16-72	
		CP chg. TL & HAAT.				
BRH-2482(S) Comtel	9-30-71 11-29-71	RENEWAL			10-1-74	
		Temp. auty. oper. BPH-7480 to 12-29-71				
EBSA	5-22-72					
BPH-7480(1)	10-6-72	CP chg.	SL & RC			
BRH-2482(1)	10-6-72	TL chg.	SL & RC			
BLH-5693(L)	3-9-73	Lic BPH-7480) for changes 92.9mhz 28kw 55'			RC	10-1-74
BRH-2483(L) Ltr.	8-24-76 2-2-77	RENEWAL SL and RC changed.				10-1-77
BRH-2483(L)	9-12-77	Renewal				10-1-80
BPH790215AF HAAT: 35' (H&V) (L)	5/22/79	92.9mhz	ERP: 46kW (H&V)	RC	5/22/80	
		CP to mke chgs in ant sys, type & TPO trans, ant, incre ERP, decre HAAT.				
BLH- 791015AH HAAT: 35' (H&V)/(L)	3-5-80	92.9MHz	ERP: 46KW (H&V)		10-1-80	
		Lic. to cover (BPH-790215AF) for changes.				

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K W F M
Letters New FM

Name Alvin L. Korngold
Tucson, Arizona (PO 48 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona 85701)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6698 R & F #507057 \$75 PRESS: PN REC'D:	4-14-69 4-16-69 4-16-69 APR 29 1969 5-1-69	CP for new FM on: 92.9mc. #225 ERP: 28kw HAAT: 86' TPO: 5.0kw Trans.: Gates-FM-5B; Ant.: CCA-6601-6, 6 sects TL: 400 N. Shawnee, Tucson, Arizona 32° 13' 38" - 110° 59' 42" SL: 48 East Broadway, Tucson, Arizona (RC) Atty.: Applicant Engr.: Ralph J. Bitzer (St. Louis, Mo) AM STATION: KVET, Tucson, Arizona	GRANTED Cond'L Submit 302's for KEVT (AM).	8-6-69
BLH-4718 R & F #579507 \$30. PTA PRESS	2-18-70 2-20-70 2-20-70 2-26-70 MAY 15 1970	Lic.(BPH-6698) for new FM B/c Sta.	GRANTED	5-18-70

Publication Notice mailed 4-25-69

Contact:

Alvin L. Korngold
48 East Broadway
Tucson, Arizona

Phone: Area 602, 624-5588

AMENDED 5-1-69 re Section IV-A/

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92.9mc.

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K W F M

Name Alvin L. Korngold
Tucson, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7480 R & F #008870 \$50 CODE: 061 PRESS: 10 JUN 1971	5-28-71 6-1-71 6-1-71	CP chg. trans. site to: 2550 N. Los Altos Ave., Tucson, Arizona; chg. HAAT: 55 ft. 32° 15' 11" - 110° 57' 44" Atty--- Engr--	GRANTED Grant does not auth. use of tower for AM KEVT.	6-16-71
BRH-2482 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUL 16 1971	6-24-71 6-30-71 6-28-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-6-71 re: employment policy	GRANTED	9-30-71
BRCH- Recd \$50 #112207	9-22-72 9-25-72 068 9-26-72	TL & MP chg. RC & main studio location to 210 Lawyers Title Bldg., 199 N. Stone, Tucson.	Formal appl. not nec. FEE REFUNDED	10-6-72
BLH-5693 Re'cd W 062353 \$50 Amended & F PTA PRESS	4-4-72 4-6-72 4-17-72-AC-068 1-2-73 1-10-73 FEB 14 1973	Lic. (BPH-7480) for changes. Trans: GATES, FM-5B w/BAUER #660 stereo exciter. New 302 to cor. engr. data	GRANTED	3-9-73

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K W F M

Name ALVIN L. KORNGOLD
TUCSON, ARIZONA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2482 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	6-12-74 6-17-74 " JUN 20 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 8-13-74 re: composition of area; ascert. of comm. needs; commercial policy	GRANTED	8-24-76
INFORMAL OBJECTION filed 9-30-74 by The Black Media Coalition, Tucson AMENDED 10-18-74 re: programming				
RESPONSE TO INFORMAL OBJECTION Filed 10-30-74 by Arthur Scheiner on behalf of Alvin L. Korngold AMENDED 12-11-74 re: engineering				
REPLY TO RESPONSE TO INFORMAL OBJECTION filed 12-4-74 by The Tucson Black Media Coalition AMENDED 6-16-75 re: affidavit to response to informal objection				
7-19-75 Complaint filed by Michael J. Hester				
8-24-76 MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER #42020, Complaint filed by Michael J. Hester DISMISSED.				
BRH-2482 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-17-77 5-26-77 " JUN 22 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Michael H. Rosenbloom, Atty.	GRANTED	9-12-77

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K W F MName ALVIN L. KORNGOLD
TUCSON, ARIZONA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH790215AF PRESS (O)	MAR 12 1979	CP to make changes in Antenna System; chg. type Trans. (RCA BTF-10C); chg. type Ant. (PHELPS-DODGE CFM-LP-10, 10 sects. H&V); Incre. ERP: 46.3kw (H&V); decre. HAAT: 35' (H&V) & chg. TPO.	GRANTED	5/22/79
BLH-791015AH PTA PRESS	12/11/79 FEB 7 1980	License to cover (BPH-790215AF) for changes. Atty: Michael H. Rosenbloom	GRANTED	3-5-80
BALH800326EO Form 314 PRESS Also see KEVT (AM) PN FILED	MAR 25 1980 4-28-80	Vol AL to Catalina Mountain Broadcasting Corporation Atty for assignor Michael H. Rosenbloom Atty for assignee Steven A. Lerman	DISMISSED	6-10-80 per Sec. 1.568(a)

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Freq: 92.9
 Call Letters: KWFM

#5

Name: Alvin L. Korngold

Station Location: Tucson, Arizona

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH800602B6 PRESS	JUL 16 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 9-30-80 re: engineering	
BALH801020FX Form 314 PRESS NOV 6 1980		Vol AL to Pima Radio, Inc. Atty for assignor Arthur Scheiner Atty for assignee J. Richard Carr	

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KWFM(FM)

PIMA RADIO, INC. ***DUPLICATE HISTORY CARD***

Name: xAlvin L. Korngold

Station Location: Tucson, Arizona

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BALH-801020FX PN filed 11-24-80		VOL AL to Pima Radio, Inc. (OVER)	GRANTED 6-15-81 EFF: 8-14-81
BRH800602B6 PRESS		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (GRANTED BY CIRCULATION)	GRANTED 6-15-81

BALH801020FX Amended 12-29-80 re: Assets

Opposition to Informal Objection filed 12-10-80
by Arthur Scheiner

AMENDED 12-17-80 re: request dismissal of Opp. to
Inf. Obj.

AMENDED: 1-2-81 re: Informal Obj. to Appl.

AMENDED: 2-5-81 re: Assignee's portion - change response
in Table II

AMENDED 2-25-81 re: Request for withdrawal of informal obj

AMENDED 3-5-81 re: Affidavit by Alvin L. Korngold;
Exhibits 1-28;

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.

