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FM BROADCAST

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-1-60

Call letters W A J P

Station location Joliet, Illinois

Name of licensee WAJP, INC. (BAI Hgr 6/25/75 EFF: 7/1/75)  
ALFRED J. POHLERS & MARY JANE POHLERS, d/b as ALFRED J. & MARY JANE POHLERS

Transmitter location 451 Ruby Street, Joliet, Illinois

Main studio location Same as transmitter



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	erp Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPH-2801 HAAT: 250'	11-18-59	93.5mc Ch. 228	1-kw TPO: 810-w	Unl.	1-18-60 7-18-60
<u>Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station.</u>					
BLH-1565 HAAT: 250ft.	11-1-60	93.5mcs	1kw TPO: 810w	U	11-1-60 12-1-61
Lic. to cover cp (BPH-2801) which auth. a new FM b/c station.					
11-29-61 Action on Renewal of License Deferred.					
BRH-1091	2-14-62	Renewal of license			2-14 12-1-64
BRH-1091	11-20-64	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-67
BRCH-827 (1)	5-19-67	Mod. of Lic. to oper. trans. by RC from 451 Ruby St., Joliet, Ill.			
BRH-1091 HAAT: 250'	11-24-67	93.5mcs.	1kw TPO: 810w	U	12-1 12-1-70
BRH-1091(S)	11-25-70	RENEWAL			12-1-73
BPH-7616 HAAT: 260' (H&V)	4-11-72	93.5mc #228	ERP: 3kw (H&V) CP install new trans., ant., TPO, ERP, HAAT		4-11 73 (RC)
EBSA	5-22-72				
BLH-5685(L)	1-18-73	Lic(BPH-7616) for changes			12-1-73
BPH-8273 HAAT: 250'	3-9-73	93.5mhz, #228	ERP: 1.45kw Class A (RC) CP use formerly licensed main trans. as an Auxiliary trans. and Aux ant/. chg. TPO, ERP, HAAT. For Auxiliary Purposes Only		3-9-74
BRH-1091(S)	1-11-74	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BLH-5898 For Aux. purposes	1-16-74	Lic.(BPH-8273) to use former Main trans. only- (combined main & aux. trans.&ant.			
					12-1-76
BALH-2136	6/25/75	Vol BALH EFF:		7/1/75	
BRH-1091(L)	11-17--76	Renewal (Main & Aux. Trans. & Antennas			12-1-79



# BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

CARD # 2

First licensed .....

Call Letters .....

Station Location .....

Name ..... SEE CARD # 1

Transmitter Location .....

Main studio location .....



### Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BRH790731VH(S)	11-30-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main Aux. Trans. & Ant.)	12-1-82



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

Call  
Letters ~~NEW~~ W A J P

Name ALFRED J. POHLERS &amp; MARY JANE POHLERS, d/b as

Name ALFRED J. &amp; MARY JANE POHLERS

(P.O. 451 Ruby Street, Joliet, Illinois).

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EPH-2801 Rec'd Filed	9-15-59 9-28-59 9-28-59	Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station to be operated on: Frequency - 93.5 mcs. CH 228 ERP - 1 kw Type transmitter - Gates FM-1B Type antenna - Andrew 1302-1 (2 sections) HAAT - 250 ft. Station Location - Joliet, Illinois Trans. location - 451 Ruby Street, Joliet, Illinois Studio location - Same as studio  Engr. - Edw. W. Jacker, Lombard, Ill.	GRANTED HAAT: ERP:	11-18-59 250' 1-kw
BPH-1565 Rec'd Filed	4-2-60 4-5-60 4-5-60	License to cover construction permit (BPH-2801) which authorized a new FM broadcast station.	GRANTED	11-1-60



AUG. 1955

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Letters W.A.J.P.

Name ALFRED J. POHLERS & MARY JANE POHLERS, d/b/a ALFRED J. POHLERS & MARY JANE POHLERS  
Joliet, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1091 Rec'd Filed	11-8-61 11-13-61 11-13-61	Renewal of license	GRANTED	2-14-62
BRH-1091 R & F	9/30/64 10/5/64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-20-64
BRCH-827 R & F	5-10-67 5-12-67	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 451 Ruby Street, Joliet, Illinois.	GRANTED	5-19-67
BRH-1091 R & F SEP 19 1967	9-2-67 9-6-67	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-24-67
BRH-1091 R & F P.N. SEP 28 1970	8-29-70 9-1-70 9-1-70	Renewal of License	GRANTED	11-25-70

Annual filing fee \$17.33 paid 12-9-70 #649100  
 WASHINGTON, D. C.



Form BC-121  
September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters W A J PName Alfred J. Pohlers & Mary Jane Pohlers, d/b as Alfred J & Mary Jane Pohlers  
Joliet, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7616 R & F #028423 \$50 CODE: 013 PRESS: PN REC'd: 24 SEP 1971	8-28-71 9-1-71 9-1-71 3-8-72	CP install new trans(RCA-BTF-3A1); new Ant. (RCA-BFH-3A, 3 horiz. & vert. sects); make chgs. in ant. system(incr. hght); chg. TPO: 2.25kw; ERP: 3kw(h&v); HAAT: 260ft.(h&v).  Atty---- Engr - E. W. Jacker(Lombard, Illinois)	GRANTED grant fee: \$900 required Paid: 014, 5-1-72, W068556 Cond'L Section 73.250 Comm. Rules. type acceptance of trans.	4-11-72
AMENDED	3-8-72	Sect. IV-A and Community Survey		
BLH-5685 R & F W 138111-\$50 PTA PRESS	12-18-72 12-19-72 12-19-72- 1-2-73 JAN 9 1973	Lic.(BPH-7616) for changes. Antenna: RCA, BFC-3B, 3-sects. AC-068 Atty - Engr: E. W. Jacker(Lombard, Illinois)	GRANTED	1-18-73



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ...W.A.J.P.....Name ..Alfred J. Pohlers & Mary Jane Pohlers, d/b as Alfred J. & Mary Jane Pohlers  
Joliet, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8273 R & F #154373 \$50 Code 061 Press MAR 2 1973	2-10-73 2-15-73 2-15-73	CP to use formerly licensed Main Trans. as an Auxiliary trans. (Gates Radio Co. FM-1B) and Aux. Ant. (Jampro JLCP-H-2, 2 sects.); at Main Trans. loc., to be operated on 93.5mhz #228; chg. TPO; ERP: 1.47KW and HAAT: 250'. For Auxiliary Purposes Only. Atty-----	GRANTED	3-9-73
BLH-5898 R & F W 217906-\$50. PTA PRESS AUG 27 1973	7-22-73 7-25-73 7-25-73-AC- 8-8-73	Lic.(BPH-8273) <del>for</del> to use former Main trans. for Auxiliary purposes only. ERP: 1.45kw. <del>057.</del> Atty:- Engr: Edw. W. Jacker, Lombard, Ill.	GRANTED	1-16-74
BRH-1091 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 20 1973	8-31-73 9-4-73 9-4-73	Renewal of License  Engr: E. W. Jacker, Lombard, Illinois	GRANTED	1-11-74



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WAJP, INC.

xAlfred K. Pohlers & Mary Jane Pohlers

Name xdba ALFRED J. & MARY JANE POHLERS  
Joliet, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BALH-2136 R & F FEE PD \$100 #430461 CODE 049 (FORM 316) JUN 20 1975	6-10-75 6-12-75	Voluntary assignment of license to WAJP, INC.  Atty - Cordon & Jacob	GRANTED EFF: No gr fee req	6/25/75 7/1/75
BRH-1091 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-26-76 8-2-76 " SEP 9 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS. & ANTENNAS)  Alfred C. Cordon, Jr., Atty. AMENDED 10-5-76 re: programming	GRANTED	11-17-76
BRH 790731 PRESS	OCT 1 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS. & ANTENNAS) A.C. Cordon, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-79



## 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.

