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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-28-69

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Station location Yazoo City, Mississippi

Name of licensee Gateway Broadcasting Co., Inc.

Approx. 1 mi. N. of Ext. of Hwys, 49E & 16, near Yazoo City, Miss. 68)

X Approx., 1/2 mi. W. of city limits of Yazoo City, on W. side of
Transmitter location Mississippi Highway F3. Yazoo City. Mississippi(RN-1-31-679

Same as Trans. (Mp-4-24-68)

Main studio location X Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl.	Date			Time	Period
No.	Issued	Frequ	Power	Div.	From To-
PH-5456		ch#221	ERP: 31 TPO: 980	•	3-31-6
end'l - H-5456 (1)	CP for a 3-24-67	Med. o	CP(BPI	-5456) to	assign cal
HPH-9572 (2)		completi	on dates	0	extension of 3-30-68.
MPH-9923	4-2-68	MPHCBPH	-5456 as	mod.) ex	t. time
MPH-9924 WAT: 300'	4-24-68	ch#221	TPO: 930	watts	9-30-68 ant-trans
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(11)		MPIBPH-	5456 as	od.)ext.	time 11-30-6
(11)		MPIBPH- MP(BPH- FM-3H); chg. TP	5456 as in chg. anti	od.)ext.	trans(Gates:
(1) BMPH-10,38	0 12-10-6	MP(BPH- FM-3H); chg. TPC	5456 as chg. anto	od.)ext. od.)ext. (Gates-FH) ERP: 3km	trans(Gates:
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(1) BMPH-10,38 (2) BLII-4262	(L) 2-28-69	MPIBPH- MPIBPH- FM-3H); chg. TPC HAAT: 30	5456 as chg. and chg. and 0 2.30kw	od.)ext. od.)ext. (Gates-FH) ERP: 3km	trans(Gates) C-3, 3 sects (h&v) and new FM sta. 6-1-70
(2) BRH-2339(SEBSA	(L) 2-28-69 5 - 5-27-79	MP(BPH- FM-3H); chg. TPC HAAT: 30 Lic. (BPI	5456 as chg. anto 2.30kw	od.)ext. (Gates-Fromod.)for	trans(Gates) C-3, 3 sects (h&v) and new FM sta. 6-1-70
(2) BMPH-10,38 (2) BLH-4262 EBSA BTC-6950	(L) 2-28-69 5-22-72	MP(BPH- FM-3H); chg. TPC HAAT: 30 Lic. (BPI Renewal	5456 as chg. anto 2.30kw	od.)ext. (Gates-Fromod.)for	trans(Gates) C-3, 3 sects (h&v) and new FM sta. 6-1-70
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature .	Date
PII-5456 R&F	6-10-66 6-15-66	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 92. Inc CH 221 ERP: 3kw TPO: .976kw HAAT: 38' Type trans:Gates FM-1G Type ant: Gates Cycloid, 4 sections Trans loc: On W side of Miss Hwy #3 Bypass, a W of Yazoo City limits, Missis Studio loc:same as trans loc.	pprex 3 mi	1-31-67 e not be be ed as approva BP-17,344
Amended	6-24-66	Atty: Krieger & Jorgensen		
R. & F	6-27-66	Amended to change stockholdings		

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Greeneville, Mississippi

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File No. Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BMPH-9572 R & F SEP 8733767		GRANTED	9-14-67
PH-9923 R & F 2-22-68 2-29-68	Attys-Krieger&Jorgensen@Robert A. Woods) Mod. of CP(BPH-5456 as mod., which authorized a new FM b/c station) for extension of completion date from 3-30-68 to 11-30-68.	to	4-2-68 9-30-68
Rec'd 2-29-6 Filed 3-11-6 AR 2 2 1968 N REC'D: 4-16-68	a new FM b/m atation) to chg. ant-trans. and studio location to Approximately 1/2 mile North of XN Highways #49E and 16, Yazoo City		4-24-68

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Name GATEWAY BROADCASTING CO., INC.
YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI (PO PO Box 312, Yazoo City, Miss. 39194 9-19-68)

File No. BMPH-10,249 R & F #452742 \$30 SET 1 0 1968	Dated 8-15-68 8-19-68 8-19-68	Application for MP(BPH-5456 as mod.) ext. time to 11-30-68. (new station) Atty - Krieger & Jorgensen(Louis Schwartz)	GRANTED	
BMPH-10.380 R.&F. +476717 \$30 DEC 5 1865	12-5-68 12-5-68 12-5-68	MP(BPH-5456 as mod) to chg. type ant.(GATES FMC-3. 3 sect); chg. type trans.(GATES FM-3H; add 3kw vert ERP; & chg. 1PO to 2.3kw. (tty-hrieger & Jorgensen Engr-E.W.Bie, Memphis, Tenn.		12-10-68
BLH-4262 Rec'd 4474098 \$30 AMENDED Filed PT	11/21/68 11/25/68 11/25/68 12/10/68 12/10/68 12/12/68	License (BPH-5456 as mod.) for new FM b/c station. Re BMPH-10,380 (OVER) Atty: Norman E. Jorgensen	GRANTED	2-28-69
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GATEWAY BROADCASTING CO., INC.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BRM2339 R & F #582027 \$75 PN PRESS	2-25-70 3-3-70 MAR 4 5 1970	Renewal of license Atty- Louis Schwertz (Krieger & Jorgensen) amended 4-1-70 re; Engineering data (date of AMENDED 5-12-70 re; business interests: compolicy	CRANTED	5-27-70
R & F FEE FD: \$1000 CODE Oh9(ALSO	SEE AM	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corp from J.P. Sartain to H.B. Shaw, Kennith W. Helton and Joel Netherland (OVER)	Req. G	12-26-72 ant Fee \$ 2,911.00 INCLUDE AM)
BRH-2339 R & F P.N. PRESS	2-15-73 2-28-73 2-28-73	Renewal of License		8-73-W144859
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

RE: BTC-6950 - All transferees have signed agreement etc (Part III, Sec. I signed by Mr. Shaw, Atty in fact for other

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YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Natur	e Date
BRH-2339	1-28-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTEL	10-21-76
R & F PN recd. PRESS	1-30-76 FEB 23 197	(See WRBC for petitions) 6 AMENDED 4-27-76 re: comp. of area & prog.		
		DECLARATION OF GATEWAY BROADCASTING COMPANY, by Norman E. Jorgensen, Counsel on behalf of		ed 6-11-76
		(See WRBC for petition filed 6-11-76) AMENDED 8-31-76 re: EEO		bv
ME Mi	NORANDUM OPI ssissippi St	NION & ORDER, adopted 10-21-76, Informal Objects ate Branch of the NAACP, DENIED.	on filed	the
BTC-8450 R & F	8/25/77	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of	GRANTED	10-19-77
Also see WYA			EFF:	12-2-77
FORM 316 S	2 8 1977	atty - Jorgensen, Johnson & Northrop		
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.	-	

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Name GATEWAY BROADCASTING CO., INC.

YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI

File No. Dated		Nature	On Date
BRH790201WK PRESS: MAR 1 4 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-31-79
	Atty: John G. Johnson, Jr.		
BALH810623FD Form 316 PRESS JUL 2 7 1981	Vol AL to WJNS Radio, Inc. Atty. John G. Johnson, Jr.		
	P. 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.

