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W K Z L (EFF: 1-1-76)

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 897

XW S G H-EM (EFF: 8-11-72)

XW A A A-FM (Wire 6-13-66; Eff: 6-16-66)

Date first licensed 3-25-59

Call letters X W Y F S

Station location Winston-Salem, North Carolina

GOLDEN CIRCLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH 4-12-72; EFF: 5-31-72)

XWAAA-FM, INC. (ALH & SCA 4-27-66; EFF: 5-6-66)

x FINE MUSIC, INCORPORATED (BMLH-4-12-62)

Name of licensee X WINSONETT, INC.

old Winston Rd. ext.

N side of I-40/near Kernersville, North Carolina (PH-5-10-77) (L8-24-78)

X4950 Indiana Avenue Extension, Winston-Salem, N.C. (Redes. SH-6-26-75)

x ~~5050~~ 5050 Indiana Avenue Extended, Ogburntown, North Carolina (PH-8-5-66) / L 6-30-67

X400-27th St., N.W., Winston-Salem, N.C. (redescription) BLH 3-19-65

Transmitter location x Corner Collins Street & Colliseum Drive, Winston-Salem, N.C.

4950 Indiana Avenue Extension, Winston-Salem, N.C. (Redescrip. SH-6-26-75)

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Corner Collins Street & Colliseum Drive, Winston-Salem, N.C. Let. 6-3-59

Main studio location x 117 East 3rd Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Channel & Freq.	E R Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-2429 HAAT: 195'	7-30-58	107.5mcs. Ch. 298	1.55kw. TPO: 1kw.	Unl.	9-30-58 3-30-59
Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station.					
BLH-1320	3-25-59	Lic. to cover CP(above) to 12-1-60.			
	11-30-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BPH-897	1-18-61	107.5mcs.	1.55kw	U	1-18 12-1-63
BMLH-165 (1)	4-12-62	Mod. of lic. to chg. corporate name to "Radio 107.5, Inc.".			
BPH-897	11-29-63	107.5mcs.	1.55kw	Unl	12-1 12-1-66
BPH-897	11-29-63	107.5mcs.	1.55kw	Unl	12-1 12-1-66
BPH-4311 HAAT: 195'	4-7-64	107.5mcs Ch. #298	ERP: 1.55kw TPO: 1kw	Unl.	6-7-64 12-7-64
CP to install new exciter unit (ITA FM-10A) to be used with REL 518B-DL trans.					
BSA-505 (re Above CP)	6-8-64	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on approximately 67 kilocycles			
BLH-2720 (1)	3-19-65	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4311) install new exciter unit.			
BLH-857 BSA-224 EFF:	4-27-66	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to WAAA-FM, Inc. (BSA-224)			
	5-6-66				
BPH-5385 HAAT: 280' 290' cond 11	8-5-66	107.5mc. Ch# 298	ERP: 40kw(h) 12.5kw(v) TPO: 10kw		10-5-66 4-5-67
CP to change ant-trans, and studio location operate trans. by remote control from ant-trans location and studio location; install new trans. (Gates FM-10B); install dual polarized ant(Jampro J7B/4V, 7 horiz. and 4 vert. sections); increase TPO; horiz. ERP; horiz. HAAT; and operate on a vert ZRP; and vertical HAAT;					
BRH-897	11-18-66	107.5	ERP: 1.55kw	U	12-1 12-1-69
BRSCA-505	11-18-66	RENEWAL OF SCA			12-1 12-1-69
BLH-3607 HAAT: 280' (H) 290'	6-30-67	107.5mcs	ERP: 40kw(H) (V) CH. #298	U	6-30 12-1-69
Lic. to cover CP(BPH-5385)					
BRH-897(8)	3-8-71	Renewal			12-1-72

Form BC 126
June 1954

4-5-78 Auth. gr. on-the-air I.D. as WINSTON SALEM, GREENSBORO, HIGH POINT,
NORTH CAROLINA.

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 3-25-72

Call letters W.A.A.A.-FM

Station location Winston-Salem, N.C.

Name of licensee GOLDEN CIRCLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH 4-12-72; EFF: 5-31-72)

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location SEE CARD #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BALH-1615	4-12-72	Vol AL	EFF: 5-31-72		
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-897(L)	12-6-72	Renewal			12-1-75
CONTEL	3-6-75	Trans. GATES FM-100 mod. with QCA-FM-100DS Stereo Exciter.			
BSH-897(1)	6-26-75	ML to redes. SL and TL, RC			
BRH-897(L)	11-12-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			12-1-78
BPH-9951	5-10-77	107.5mhz ERP:100kw(h&v)U #298 (RC) CP chg TL; install new ant; mke chg ant sys(incr hght); install new trans;chg TPO, ERP and HAAT			5-10-78
BSCA-1819	4-26-78	SCA 67 kilohertz			12-1-78
BRH780731V	11-14-78	Renewal & Lic.cover (BPH9951)			
ELH-7735(L)		107.5mhz 100kwH&V 500'H&V RC			12-1-81
BPH781121AG	3/29/79	107.5mhz ERP: 32kW (H) 10kW (V) Class: C TPO: 7.4kW Ch.#298			3/29/80
HAAT: 280 (H) (L) 290 (V) ISSUED AS ML		ML 000000000000 Auxiliary fac. old site.			

FORM BG-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters ~~WM~~ WYFS

Name WINSONETT, INC.
117 E. 3rd Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2429 Rec'd Filed	4-30-58 5-1-58 5-1-58	Construction permit for a new FM Broadcast Station to be operated on: Frequency: 102.9 mcs. Ch. 275 107.5 mcs CH-298 Power: 1.536 kw. EHP HAAT: 192.7' Transmitter: REL, 518-B-DL T-location: Corner Collins St. & Colliseum Drive Winston-Salem, N.C. S-location: 117 E. 3rd Street Winston-Salem, N.C. Engr: Allan C. Godwin & E. Fred Bennett	GRANTED	7-30-58
Amendment Rec'd Filed	5-27-58 5-28-58 5-28-58	Amendment fix to change frequency filed 5-28-58		
BLH-1320 R & F	11-26-58 11-28-58	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2429) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast station	GRANTED	3-25-59

FORM BC-121 #2
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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FINE MUSIC, INCORPORATED
Name **X WINSONETT, INC.**
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-897 Rec'd Filed	8-30-60 9-1-60 9-1-60	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-18-61
BRH-165 R & F	3-26-62 3-28-62	Modification of license to change corporate name to "Fine Music, Incorporated".	GRANTED	4-12-62
BSCA Rec'd	3-19-62 3-20-62	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on 19kc & 38kc for stereo operation	RETURNED 4-2-62 REPORT & ORDER 6-1-61	Unnecessary
BRH-897 Rec'd Filed	8-31-63 9-4-63 9-4-63	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-29-63
BSCA-505 R & F	12-3-63 12-31-63	Request for subsidiary communications authorization to operate on sub-carrier frequency of 67kc.	GRANTED	6-8-64 re BPH-4311

FORM BC-121 #3
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W Y F S

Name FINE MUSIC, INCORPORATED
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4311 R & F	1-10-64 1-13-64	Construction permit to install new Exciter Unit (ITA-FM-10A) to be used with REL-518B-DL Transmitter. (COMPOSITE TRANSMITTER)	GRANTED	8-1-64 4-7-64
BPH-2720 R&F	12-7-64 12-8-64	License to cover CP (BPH-4311) which authorized install new exciter unit.	GRANTED	3-19-65
BALH-859 BASCA-224 R & F	12-17-65 1-3-66	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to WAAA-FM, INC. Atty - Booth & Lovett	GRANTED EFF: 5-6-66	4-27-66

4-5-66

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call W A A A-FM
Letters XW Y F SName WAAA-FM, INC.
WINSTON-SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-5385 R & F	5-9-66	CP to change ant.-trans. and studio location to Indiana Avenue extension, Ogburntown, North Carolina (WAAA AM site); operate trans. by remote control from ant.-trans. and studio location; install new trans. (Gates FM-10B); install dual polarized ant. (Jampro J7B/4V, 7 horizontal and 4 vertical sections); increase TPO to 10kw; increase horizontal ERP to 40.4kw and operate on a vertical ERP of 12.6kw; increase horizontal HAAT to 279 feet and operate on a vertical HAAT of 289 feet.	GRANTED cond	8-5-66
	5-13-66			I submit 302's for WAAA.
BRH-897 R & F	8-26-66	Booth & Lovett, Attys. (J.F. Hennessey) Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-18-66
	9-2-66	Attys - Booth & Lovett		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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W A A A-FM

Name **WAAA-FM, INC.**
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRSCA-505 R & F	9-23-66 10-4-66	Renewal of SCA Atty- Joseph F. Hennessey (Booth & Lovett)	GRANTED	11-18-66
BLH-3607 R & F	2/17/67 2/20/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5385) which auth. chng. ant-trans. & studio loc.; with remote control, install new trans. & dual ant., chng. ERP, TPO & HAAT. Atty: J. F. Hennessey Pittman, Lovett & <u>Hennessey</u> , Attys.	GRANTED	6-30-67
X BRH-897 R & F #539627 \$75 PRESS: PN Rec'd:	Ltr. 9-12-68 8-22-69 9-2-69 9-2-69 9-2-69 OCT 7 - 1969	Renewal of License AMENDED 1-22-70 re: Programming Atty - J.F. Hennessey(Pittman, Lovett etc.) AMENDED 12-10-70 re: programming	GRANTED	3-8-71

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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GOLDEN CIRCLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Name X WAAA FM, Inc.

Winston-Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAIH-1615 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #024925 Code 049 (ALSO SEE AM) Pub. notice filed 1-6-72 second pub. notice filed 1-25-72	12-8-71 12-10-71	Voluntary assignment of license to GOLDEN CIRCLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION (SEE OVER) Atty - Fletcher, Heald etc (E. Hummers, Jr.)	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$9660 (Includes AM) Grant Fee Paid: 063 6-20-72. W 084341	4-12-72 EFF: 5-31-72
BRH-897 R & F P.N. PRESS SEP 1 1972 BRH-897 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-15-72 8-21-72 8-21-72 9-27-72 7-15-75 8-1-75 SEP 1 1975	Renewal of License Atty.: Vincent J. Curtis, Jr. AMENDED 9-7-72 re: Balance Sheet AMENDED 10-2-72 re: Equal employment policy RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 10-6-75 re: business interests	Granted GRANTED	12-6-72 11-12-75

RE: BALM-1615 - Original Art. of Inc. filed 1-7-72
AMENDED 4-4-72 - re news programming

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name Golden Circle Broadcasting Corporation
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH- 9951	6-14-76	CP to chg. TL to: N. side of I-40 near Kernersville, North Carolina; install new trans. (Gates FM-20H3); install new ant. (Gates FMC-10, 10 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. TPO; ERP: 100KW(H&V) and HAAT: 499' (H&V). 36° 06' 43" - 80° 06' 11" Atty: Edward W. Hummers, Jr. (Fletcher, Heald etc.)	Request Waiver of Sect. 73.207 of COMM. Rules IS GRANTED AND APPLIC. ACCEPTED MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACT. UNDER SECTION 1.1305 COMMISSION RULES	
Rec'd	6-18-76			
Filed	6-18-76			
#582437 \$400	6-21-76			
Code 001	DEC 6 1976			
Press	7-8-76			
P. N. Rec'd				
	9-13-76	Statement in reference to Waiver of Sect. 73.207 of Comm. Rules		
	9-24-76	Requested waiver grant	GRANTED	5-10-77

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name **Golden Circle Broadcasting Corporation**
Winston Salem, North Carolina

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
LTR. DATED R & F PRESS: JAN 25 1978	1-16-78 1-16-78	Filed by Vincent J. Curtis, Jr., Esq., Request for Tri City Identification as: WINSTON SALEM, GREENSBORO, HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA.	GRANTED	4-5-78
BSCA-1819 R & F PRESS:	3-23-78 3-24-78	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a subcarrier frequency of 67 kilohertz. Atty: Harry C. Martin (Fletcher, Heald, etc.)	GRANTED <i>P</i>	4-26-78
BLH-7735 R & F PTA: PRESS: MAY 2 1978	3-6-78 3-8-78 3-17-78	Lic. (BPH-9951) for changes. TL: Old Winston Road ext., near Kernersville, North Carolina. Trans: Collins 831G-2B Antenna: Collins G5CP5-10AC-3, 10 sections. Atty: Edward W. Hummers, Jr. (Fletcher, Heald, Kennehan & Hildreth)	GRANTED issued with renewal	8-24-78

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters **W K Z L**Name **GOLDEN CIRCLE BROADCASTING CORPORATION**
WINSTON SALEM, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH780731YV BRSCA " PRESS SEP 22 1978		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) RENEWAL OF SCA Ed. W. Hummers, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED SCA for telemetry not nec.	11-14-78
BPH781121AG PRESS JAN 18 1979		CP to install Auxiliary Facilities at Main SL to be operated on: ERP: 31.6kw (H) & 9.88 kw (V); HAAT: 279' (H) & 289' (V) & chg. TPO.	Granted ISSUED AS ML	3/29/79
BALH810618HY Form 314 PRESS JUN 25 1981 PN filed 7-22-81		Vol AL to Nationwide Communications, Inc. Atty. for assignor - Edward W. Hummers, Jr. Atty. for assignee - Herbert M. Schulkind		

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.

