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FM BROADCAST  
**BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

#643

W O W I (EFF: 3-11-71)

X W O W I-PM (EFF: 5-21-70)

~~W O W I~~

Date first licensed 10-1-51

Call letters

SEE CARD #2

Station location Norfolk, Virginia

METRO COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (ALH. 12-27-74; EFF: 1-15-75)

J. STEWART BRINSFIELD, SR. AND J. STEWART BRINSFIELD, JR. dba BRINSFIELD BROADCASTING COMPANY

(VOL. AL 3-4-70)

EFF: 3-15-70

X VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION (PALM-284; Gr. 12-12-56; EFF: 12-28-56)

Name of licensee XLARUS &amp; BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

1.3 mi. SW Yaddin, 0.4 mi. S. of NWRR, Portsmouth, Va. (CP 5-18-71) L 7-31-73

x 2712 Colley Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia

x 41st Street &amp; Colley Ave., Norfolk, Virginia

Transmitter location x Corner of Granby and City Hall Avenues, Norfolk, Virginia

23507

713 Colonial Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia (MPH-4-5-72) L 7-31-73

x 2712 Colley Ave., Norfolk, Va.

Main studio location

x Same

2712-14 Colley Avenue, Norfolk, Va. (Letter 11-15-49)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mbs. Freq.	E.R.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From To
12-PH-992	7-3-47	102.5	6 kw		
Letter	7-3-47	No. 273	Terr: 240'		
		Subject to CAA approval of trans. site.			
12-PH-992	7-16-47	102.5	6.0 kw	U	By 9-16-47 to 3-16-48
CP issued					
12-PH-1027	12-4-47	102.5	7 kw.	U	By 9-16-47 to 3-16-48
		Ch. #273	Terr: 250'		
		Mod. of CP to change type of transmitter and make change in antenna system.			
Telegram	4-1-48	Relet Feb. 27. Auth. granted operate period ending June 16, 1948 102.5 Mcs. using WE 504B-2 trans. 3 kw. max. output power and two section pylon antenna mounted with overall height 109 ft. above ground at 2712 Colley Ave., Norfolk, Va. for purpose FM program service. Notify Comm. when program service has commenced.			
12-PH-1627	3-17-48	Ext. of completion date			to 6-16-48
Telegram	6-15-48	Relet atty. 14. Auth. extended interim operation period ending July 16, 1948.			
BMPH-2115	6-18-48	Ext. of completion date			to 12-16-48
Telegram	7-14-48	Relet atty. 12. Auth. extended interim operation period ending July 14, 1948.			
BMPH-2875	11-19-48	Ext. completion date			to 3-16-49
Telegram	12-7-48	Relet atty 23. Auth. ext. Norfolk, Va. period ending 3-16-49 op. 102.5 mcs using WE 504 B-2 Trans. 7/3 kw. max. output power & 2-section Pylon ant. mounted with overall height 109 feet above ground at 2712 College Ave., Norfolk, Va. re FM prog. serv.			
BMPH-3213	2-21-49	Ext. completion date			to 9-15-49
Telegram	3-15-49	Relet Atty. 10. Auth. ext. period ending 9-15-49.			
BMPH-2853	6-10-49	102.5	3.2 kw.	230 ft.	To 9-15-49
Change trans. & studio sites; ERP & ant. sys.					
BMPH-3721	3-10-49	Ext. of compl. date			To 3-15-50

Date first licensed

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Name of licensee

WILLIS BROADCASTING CORPORATION (MLH 8-26-76)

\* VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

\* LARUS &amp; BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location

See #1

Main studio location

See #1

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Telegram	9-8-49	Relet atty 6. Auth. ext. period ending 3-15-50 op. 102.5 mcs. using WE 504 B-2 trans. with 3 kw. output power and 2-section pylon ant. mounted with overall height 109 ft. above ground at 2712 Colley Ave., Norfolk re. FM prog. serv.			
Telegram	3-3-50	Relet atty 27. Auth. ext. period ending 9-15-50 op. accord. Comp. with 9-8-49			
BMPH-4039	2-21-50	Extension of completion date to 9-15-50			
Telegram	9-14-50	Relet atty 6. Auth. ext. period ending 3-15-51 op. using fac. in BMPH-4300			
BMPH-4300	9-11-50	Ext. of completion date to 3-15-51			
Telegram	2-20-51	Relet atty 16. Auth. ext. period ending 9-15-51 op. using fac. in BMPH-4300			
BMPH-4480	3-16-51	Extension of compl. date to 6-15-51			
BMPH-4599	6-26-51	Extension of compl date to 9-15-51			
BMPH-4572	7-18-51	102.5	8.7 KW	95 feet U	Mod. of CP to change ERP ant. hgt. transmitter loc. to 9-15-51
ALH-766	10-1-51	102.5	8.7 kw	95 ft U	10-1-51 License to cover CP to 10-1-54
BRCH-93	6-24-54	Remote control operation granted			
BRH-643	9-22-54	Renewal of license to			10-1-57 L
ALH-264	12-12-56	Vol. assignment to Virginia Good Music Corporation			
BRH-643	9-25-57	102.5	8.7 kw	95 ft. U	10-1 10-1-60
BRH-643	11-2-60	Renewal of License			11-2 10-1-63
	9-28-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W O W I-FM

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ~~W R V G~~ .....

Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE #1 .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BTC-3898 EFF: Per Form 7-5-62 323	1-17-62	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corporation from Norman C. Willcox, Jean G. Rogers, Charles O. Massie, Jr. and Others to Harrison W. Moore, Jr., Forrest P. Clay, Jr., Charles O. Massie, Jr. and Mason C. Andrews.			
BPH-3831 HAAT: 95'	11-28-62	102.9mc Ch. 275	ERP: 8.7kw TPO: 3kw	Unl.	1-28 7-28-63
----- CP to chg. freq. & ch. (Cond'L) -----					
BSH-643 (1)	7-11-63	Mod. of markings.	CP	to delete obstruction	
----- 10-30-63 COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION. -----					
BLH-2417 (1)	8-13-63	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3831, as mod.) which auth. chg. freq.; specify type trans. (WE 504B-2) & chg. TPO to 2.86kw			
BRH-643	3-18-64	102.9mc	8.7kw	U	3-18 10-1-66
BRH-643	11-18-66	Renewal of license			
BPH-5597 HAAT: 95' FORFEITED cond'l	12-20-66	102.9mc ch# 275	ERP: 8.7kw TPO: 2.86kw	Unl.	11-18 10-1-69 2-20-67 8-20-67
CP to make changes in transmitting equipment (change Final Amplifier).					
BTC-5364 EFF:	7-31-67 9-1-67	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Harrison W. Moore, Jr., Forrest P. Clay, Jr., Charles G. Massie, Jr. and Mason C. Andrews to William C. Worthington, M. Lee Payne and Leroy T. Canoles, Jr., Voting Trustees.			
BRH-643(L)	9-25-69	Renewal			10-1-72
BALH-1255 BPH-7096 HAAT: 95' FORFEITED	3-4-70 4-30-70	102.9mc	ERP: 14.5kw TPO: 5kw (RC)	VOL. AL EFF: 3-15-70 6-30 12-30-70	
CP chg. TPO AND HAAT.					
BPH-7376(L) HAAT: 170'	5-18-71	102.9mc	TPO: 10.5kw ERP: 50kw (H&V)	RC	5-18-72
CP chg. TL, Trans., Ant sys. TPO, ERP, HAAT.					

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June 1954

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-1-51

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Station location Norfolk, Virginia

Name of licensee J. Stewart Brinsfield, Sr., and J. Stewart Brinsfield, Jr., d/b as  
Brinsfield Broadcasting Company.

Transmitter location \_\_\_\_\_

Main studio location \_\_\_\_\_



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMPH-13281 (1)	7-2-71	Mod. of CP (PH-7376)	to change antenna and TPO: 18 kilowatts		
Contel	6-30-71	Temp. auth. operate equip.			PH-7376 mod to 7-28-71
BSCA-1092	8-31-71	Request for SCA on 67 kc.			
BPH-7376(L)	1-19-72	MP correct coordinates,			5-18-72
BMPH-13,487 (1)	4-5-72	MP(BPH-7376) chg. transmission line, chg SL and RC Loc.			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-643(S) BRSCA-1092	3-29-73	Renewal of License & SCA			10-1-75
BLH-5869(L) HAAT: 470' (H&V)	7-31-73	Lic. (BPH-7376, ERP: 50kw (H&V)	as mod.)	Changes	10-1-75
BALH-2068 BASCA-656	12-27-74	Vol. AL.		EFF:	1-15-75
BMLH-548(1)	8-26-76	ML to change Licensee name.			

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

"B"  
FM (COMMUNITY)Call W R V C  
Letters ~~W R V C~~

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

Name  LARUS & BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

(P. O. 22nd &amp; Cary Streets, Richmond, Virginia)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-PH-992	5-22-46	Construction permit for new FM broadcast station (Community)--B Frequency: $\epsilon$ 98.0 mcs. Studio: Corner of Granby and City Hall Avenues, Norfolk, Virginia Transmitter: Same (RCA - BTF-250A - Max: 250-w) Filed by Frank D. Scott, Attorney Program analysis rec'd. 6-18-46	Granted conditionally	
Rec'd	5-23-46		1-16-47	Class "B"
Filed	5-23-46		station, Letter mailed 1-22-47	
			Program plans approved	
			7-3-47	
			Basic Engr. approved	
			7-3-47	
			CP issued	7-16-47
AMENDED	10-30-46	AMENDED to change type of transmitter from RCA BTF-250A Max. 250 w to RCA BTF-3B Max. 3 kw.; change class of station from Community to CLASS "B"; ERP from 250 w to 6 kw.; and make changes in antenna system.		
Recd.	11-1-46			
Filed	11-1-46			

Engineer: Paul F. Godley  
Upper Montclair, N. J.

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CARD #2

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

Call W R V C

Letters ~~W R V C~~Name  LARUS & BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-1027 Rec'd Filed	10-28-47 10-31-47 10-31-47	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-992 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to change type of transmitter to WE 504-B2 Max. 3 kw; make changes in antenna system and change commencement and completion dates from 9-16-47 and 3-16-48 to 60 days from date of grant and 180 days thereafter, respectively. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Attorney	GRANTED (C & C dates not incl.)	12-4-47
BMPH-1627 Rec'd. Filed	3-2-48 3-3-48 3-3-48	Mod. of C.P.P. (B2-PH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 3-16-48 to 9-16-48. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Att'y	GRANTED Ext. only	3-17-48 to 6-16-48
BMPH-2115 Rec'd. Filed	5-28-48 6-1-48 6-1-48	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station, for extension of completion date from 6-15-48 to 12-16-48.	GRANTED	6-18-48

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FM (CLASS B)

Call

Letters W.R.T.C.

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

Name XLARUS &amp; BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-2853 Rec'd. Filed	10-21-48 11-10-48 11-10-48	Mod. of C. P. (2-PH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station to change ERP from 7 kw. to 8.1 kw., transmitter site from Corner of Granby and City Hall Ave., Norfolk, Va., to Corner Grace and Boush Sts., Norfolk, Va., studio location from Corner Granby and City Hall Ave., Norfolk, Va., to To be determined, Norfolk, Va., and make changes in the antenna system. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Atty.	GRANTED  Also see Card #4	8-10-49
BMPH-2875 Rec'd. Filed	11-12-48 11-15-48 11-15-48	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 12-16-48 to 3-16-49. Filed by Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	11-19-48
BMPH-3213 Rec'd. Filed	2-14-49 2-16-49 2-16-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 3-16-49 to 9-15-49. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Atty.	GRANTED	2-21-49

CARD # 4

Call

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

Letters M R V C

Name X LARUS &amp; BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-2853	Continued	AMENDMENT Rec'd. 4-15-49, Filed 4-21-49 to change ERP from 8.1 kw. to 7.93 kw., transmitter location from Corner Grace and Boush Sts., Norfolk, Va., to Northeast corner of 41st St. and Colley Ave., Norfolk, Va., studio location from To be determined, Norfolk, Va., to Northeast corner of 41st St., and Colley Ave., Norfolk, Va., antenna height above average terrain from 250 ft. to 333.3 ft. and make changes in the antenna system. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Atty. Additional info. recd. 7-15-49 re antenna changes.	GRANTED also see	8-10-49 Card #3
BMPH-3722 Recd. Filed	8-11-49 8-12-49 8-12-49	Mod. of C. P. (EPH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 9-15-49 to 3-15-50. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Attorney	GRANTED	8-19-49

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

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Letters WRVCName  LARUS & BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-4039 Recd. Filed	2-10-50 2-14-50 2-14-50	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-992 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 3-15-50 9-15-50. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Att'y.	GRANTED	2-21-50
BMPH-4300 Recd. Filed	8-28-50 8-29-50 8-29-50	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-992 as mod.) which authorized a new FM B/c. station for extension of completion date from 9-15-50 to 3-15-51. Filed by John P. Southmayd, Att'y	GRANTED	9-11-50
BMPH-4480 Recd. & Filed	2-14-51 2-15-51	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-992 as mod.) which authorized a new FM B/c. station for extension of completion date from 3-15-51 to 9-15-51. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Att'y.	GRANTED	3-16-51 to 6-15-51 only on cond. that app. for mod. of CP be filed with present interim operation

CARD #6

FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

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Letters WRVG

Name X LARUS &amp; BROTHER COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-4572 Rec'd. Filed	5-18-51 5-21-51 5-21-51	Mod. of GP (BPH-792 as mod.) which authorized a new FM broadcast station to change ERP from 8.2 kw. to 8.67 kw., antenna height above average terrain from 230 ft. to 95.8 ft., transmitter location from 41st St. & Colley Ave., to 2712 Colley Ave., and make changes in antenna system. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Atty.	GRANTED	7-18-51
AMENDED RECD. & FILED	5-28-51 5-29-51	AMENDED to change studio location from 41st & Colley Ave., to 2712 Colley Avenue, Norfolk, Va. Filed by Chas. F. Duvall, Att'y		
BMPH-4599 Recd. & Filed	6-14-51 6-15-51	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-992 as mod.) which authorized a new FM B/c. station for extension of completion date from 6-15-51 to 9-15-51. Filed by Charles F. Duvall, Att'y	GRANTED	6-26-51



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-766 Rec'd. Filed	8-8-51 8-16-51 8-16-51	License to cover CP (RPH-922 as mod) which authorized a new FM B/c station	GRANTED	10-1-51
BRCH-93 Rec'd & Filed	6-18-54 6-21-54	To operate station by remote control Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty	GRANTED	6-21-54
BRH-643 Rec'd. & Filed	6-17-54 6-30-54	Renewal of license Charles F. Duvall, atty	GRANTED	9-22-54
BALH-264 Rec'd & filed	11-19-56 11-20-56	Voluntary assignment of license to Virginia Good Music Corporation. Chas. Duvall, atty	GRANTED EFF:	12-12-56 12-28-56
BRH-643 Rec'd ReSubb. Rec'd Filed	7-3-57 8-23-57 9-4-57 9-5-57 9-5-57	Renewal of license.	Application returned <del>8-28-57</del> <del>RE: Dated improperly</del> GRANTED	9-25-57

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Call WRVC  
Letters .....Name VIRGINIA GARDEN MUSIC CORPORATION  
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-643 Rec'd Filed	7-5-60 7-13-60 7-13-60	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	11-2-60
BTC-3898 Rec'd Filed	10-18-61 11-14-61 11-14-61	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Norman C. Willcox, Jean G. Rogers, Charles G. Massie, Jr. and Others to Harrison W. Moore, Jr., Forrest P. Clay, Jr., Charles G. Massie, Jr. and Mason C. Andrews.	GRANTED EFF: Per Form 323	1-17-62 7-5-62
BPH-3831 Rec'd Filed	7-12-62 7-13-62 7-13-62	Construction permit to change frequency from 102.5kw CH 273 to 102.9mc CH 275.	granted Cond'l re WRFK beginning program tests on some other freq.	11-28-62

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 Letters WRVC

Name VIRGINIA GOOD MUSIC CORPORATION  
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-2417 R & F	5-27-63 6-6-63	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-3831 as mod) which auth chg of frequency.	GRANTED	8-13-63
ERH-643 R & F	7-30-63 8-5-63	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-18-64
BR-643 R & F	8-29-66 8-31-66	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-18-66
BPH-5597 Received <u>Resubmitted</u> Filed	8-31-66 9-1-66 9-27-66 10-10-66	CP to make changes in transmitting equipment (change Final Amplifier)	<del>RETURNED</del> <del>9-19-66</del> <del>subsequent date</del>  FORFEITED	
BTC-5364 R & F	6-9-67 6-12-67	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Harrison W. Moore, Jr., Forrest P. Clay, Jr., Charles G. Massie, Jr. and Mason C. Andrews (Voting stockholders) to William C. Worthington, M. Lee Payne and Leroy T. Canoles, Jr., Voting Trustees.	GRANTED EFF: cond 1	7-31-67 9-1-67

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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J. STEWART BRINSFIELD, SR. AND J. STEWART BRINSFIELD, JR. dba  
Name BRINSFIELD BROADCASTING COMPANY  
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-643 R & F \$525026 \$75. PRESS	6-26-69 6-27-69 6-27-69	Renewal of license (RCA BTF 5E)	GRANTED	9-25-69
BALH-1255 R & F FEE PD: \$75	8-15-69 8-19-69 #536585	Voluntary assignment of license to J. Stewart Brinsfield, Sr. and J. Stewart Brinsfield, Jr., dba Brinsfield Broadcasting Company	GRANTED EFF: 3-15-70	3-4-70
AMENDED 12-30-69. Financial data. (SEE OVER) AMENDED 12-31-69. Additional data for assignee - Lauren A. Colby AMENDED 2-2-70 - financial data (reply to ltr 1-22-70)				
BPH-7096 Rec'd: PRESS: RESUBMITTED R & F #595356\$30. PRESS:	9-15-69   4-22-70 4-22-70 4-22-70 APR 28 1970	CP TPO 5kws; ERP: 14.6kws.  Atty-Stewart Brinsfield, Jr. (Cobly & Tarrant)	RETURNED failed to respond within 60 days for filing fee.	12-23-69
			GRANTED	4-30-70
			FORFEITED	Ltr. 6-16-71 CP expired.

RE: BALH-1255 - AMENDED 2-24-70 - financial data  
(reply to ltr 2-25-70)

Corrections to above/amend filed 2-25-70

AMENDED 3-2-70 - financial data (assignee)

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Letters **WOWI-FM**

Name **J. Stewart Brinsfield, Sr. and J. Stewart Brinsfield, Jr., dba Brinsfield broadcasting  
Norfolk, Virginia Company**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-7376	2-2-71	CP chg. Trans loc. 1.3 mile SW of Yadkin, .4 miles S. of N. & W. R. R., Portsmouth, Virginia. Install Trans(CCA-20,000-DS); Ant(RCA-BFC-6, 6 horiz. & vert. sects);make chgs in ant system.(incr. hght). chg. TPO: 18.3kw, chg. ERP: 50kw(h&v) and HAAT: 471 feet.(h&v).  36° 45' 18" 75° 23' 06"  Atty-None. Engr-E. H. Munn Section VI.	GRANTED	5-18-71
R & F	2-4-71		Req. grant fee \$1800.00	
#663181\$200.	2-4-71		Fee Paid: 7-8-71.	
CODE 015	4-12-71		016	W014969
PN REC'D				
PRESS: 22 FEB 1971				
AMENDED	4-12-71			
AMENDED	4-14-71	Relocate Tower <del>XXXXXX</del>		
AMENDED	4-30-71	<del>XXXXXX</del> - Additional Financial data and statement.		
AMENDED	5-4-71.	Addit <sub>on</sub> al Community Needs data.		

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ..... WOWIName J. Stewart Brinsfield, Sr. and J. Stewart Brinsfield, Jr. dba Brinsfield Broadcasting  
Norfolk, Virginia Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-13,281 R & F #509970 \$50 CODE: 061 PRESS: JUL 6 1971	6-28-71 6-28-71 6-28-71	MP (BPH-7376) chg. type Ant (CCA-FM-6HP-6 horiz. & vert. sects); chg. TPO: 18.22kw.  Atty---	July 2, 1971	GRANTED
BSCA-1,092 R & F #509971 \$50 CODE: 068 PRESS: 16 JUL 1971	6-28-71 6-28-71 6-28-71	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authori- zation on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles.  Atty---	GRANTED	8-31-71
BMPH-13,487 R & F #053381 \$50 Code 061 Press MAR 31 1972	3-20-72 3-21-72 3-21-72	MP (BPH-7376) chg. transmission line; chg. SL & RC to: 713 Colonial Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia.  Atty---	GRANTED	4-5-72

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

METRO COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

XJ. STEWART BRINSFIELD, SR. AND J. STEWART BRINSFIELD, JR.,

Call

Letters W.O.W.I.  
D/B as

Name BRINSFIELD BROADCASTING COMPANY

Norfolk, Virginia

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-643 R & F PRESS	6-30-72 7-3-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 11-13-72 re: employment policy AMENDED 3-5-73 re: balance sheet	Granted	3-29-73
BRSCA-1092 R & F	7-10-72 7-12-72	Renewal of SCA		
BLH-5869 Rec'd LTD PTA " " Amended & F PTA EXT. PRESS	3-20-72 3-21-72 4-14-72 " " 6-14-73 6-26-73 JUL 19 1973	Lic.(BPH-7376, as mod.) for changes. to Expire 5-13-72 " 6-29-73 enrg. data & type trans. CCA FM-20,000 <sup>W</sup>	GRANTED	7-31-73
BRSCA-856 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #355753 CODE 049 PN Rec'd	10-14-74 10-16-74 NOV 11 1974	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to METRO COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION (SEE OVER) Atty - Lauren A. Colby LTR from atty filed 10-23-74 to include SCA PUB. NOTICE REC'D: 11-8-74		

GRANTED 12-27-74  
EFF: 1-15-75  
FEE REQ. \$15,300.00  
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PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION

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7650.00 to Brimfield B/C Co. (Frank Wayland)  
split fee  
7650.00 to Wilkes B/C. (formerly Metro Comm Corp)  
split fee

(BRH-643) Sect. VI mailed 8-2-72  
RE: BATH-2068 - ref. made to BPH-8820 & pending for new  
PM in Suffolk, Va) for Section II & 1st re loan  
AMENDED: 12 17 72 re: Financial & prog. data

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September 1969  
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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WOWIName METRO COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION  
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-643 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-30-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	<del>REJECTED FOR REASON</del>	JUN 2 1977
	6-2-75 "	L.A. Colby, Atty.		
	JUN 23 1975		GRANTED	#21279 3-29-82
BMLH-548 R & F 605859#100 CODE 001 PRESS	8-12-76 8-17-76 8-18-76 AUG 24 1976	Mod of License to change licensee name to: WILLIS BROADCASTING CORPORATION  Atty. Richard F. Kennedy	GRANTED	8-26-76

## 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.

