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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

WPGC-Call N (3-5-58)
XWPGC- eff. 3-30-56

Date first licensed 6-17-48

Call letters WPGC

LOCATION: Oakland, Maryland
MORNINGSIDE, MARYLAND

FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION (APLH 8-7-74 EFF: 10-17-74)
XWPGC, INC. Gr; 11-20-56 (BAEH-261) EFF: 1-11-57

Name of licensee X GIBBS PRANK BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

5605 Walker Mill Rd., ^{District Heights} ~~Oakland~~, Md. (Redescription)

X 6369 Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Maryland (BLH 7-2-59)

Transmitter location X 0.3 miles from Marlboro Road on Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Maryland

(Eff: 7-28-65)

Parkway Bldg., 5801 Annapolis Rd., nr. Bladensburg, Md (RH & MLHs 6-28-65) /

X 421 Southern Ave., S. E., Bradbury Heights, Md. (MLH 11-27-63)

X 6369 Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Maryland (BLH- 7-2-59)

X Same as tr. (Letter 2-12-52)

X 4421 Southern Avenue, S.E.

Main studio location Bradbury Heights, Maryland

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPH-1114 C.P.	10-1-47 Issued	96.7	420 w	U	By 12-1-47 To 6-1-48
BPH-1167 C.P.	12-13-47 change type of trans., make changes in antenna system	96.7	420 w	U	By 12-1-47 To 6-1-48
Telegram	1-14-48	Retel 12. Auth. granted operate using facilities specified in CP BPH-1167 period ending April 15, 1948 purpose FM program service. Auth. granted same period use temporary transmission line 590 feet cable pending installation regular line Requirement use of approved frequency and modulation monitors waived for period ending March 15, 1948.			
Telegram	2-25-48	Retel. Auth. extended period ending June 1, 1948 interim operation			
H-179	6-17-48	Lic. to cover CP BPH-1114 as modified (mailed 6-29-48)			6-17-48 to 6-1-50
BRH-135	5-31-50	Renewal of license			6-1-50 - 6-1-53
BTC-966	8-11-50	Vol. trans. of control of licensee corp.			
Telegram	11-31-51	Retel 20- Auth. granted 60 days of 11-1-51 modified to use Andrews four bay antenna model 1304-1 effective height 30 ft/ C.P. 800 watts- no date specified			
Telegram	12-21-51	Retel. 20- Auth. extended 60 days from 12-31-51 oper. accord. Commission wire 11-31-51			
Telegram	3-18-52	Retel. 17- Temp. Auth. granted COMTEL 3-10- CANCELLED. AUTH. EXTENDED period ending 6-28-52 oper. with Andrews 4-bay antenna model 1304-1. Eff. height 40ft. ERP 800 watts, pending action on application BP-4698.			
TEL	9-18-52	RETEL 11. Auth. ext. 3-28-53 operate accord. Com. wire 3-18-52.			
Day ltr.	3-10-53	RETEL 10. Auth. ext. to 6-1-53 op as per TEL. 3-18-53.			
PH-1814	4-15-53	CP to change type Ant. & ERP (95.5mc 6.3kw Ferr 350'			6-15-53 12-15-53
Bu Action	2-25-53	Action on renewal deferred pending suit annual ownership report.			
BTH-136	6-10-53	Renewal of license to			10-1-54

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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W P O C-7 H (3-5-58)
X W P O C-7 H (3-10-56)
W P O C-7 H

Date first licensed 6-17-48

Call letters

Name of licensee

W P O C, INC. GR: 11-20-56 (BAEH-261) EFF:
X CHESAPEAKE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BNPH-4829	6-8-53	CP to change type tr. and ant.	ERP 18kw	Terr 160'	8-8-53 2-8-54
WIRE	2-19-54	Re telephone 19-provide program service re BNPH-4829 to 3-19-54			
BPH-1930	3-17-54	CP to repl. expir. CP			3-17-54 4-17-54
	Wire 3-18-54	Porg. test auth. pending action on lic.			
BNPH-4910	4-23-54	Ext compl date to			6-17-54
BNPH-4909	5-5-54	Mod CP to change ant system	ERP 16.5kw	Terr 300'	7-5-54 1-5-55
BALH-957 (1930)	6-21-54	License to cover CP (BPH-930)	95.5 mcs ERP 15.5kw	U	10-1-54 (L)
UH-136	2-29-54	Renewal of license to			10-1-57 (S)
BTC-1905	3-16-55	Vol. TO from L.L. Altmann to Walter C. Ward			
Letter	2-9-56	STA waiver 3.261 of Rules re disposal of sta. or resump. of operation			TO 3-8-56
Letter	3-12-56	EXT. STA waiver 3.261 to remain silent re disposal of station or resume normal oper.			TO 4-8-56
WIRE	8-3-56	from licensee suspend operations temp. beginning 8-5-56 because of financial difficulties			
WIRE	10-15-56	STA. EXT. waiver 3.261 to suspend operations temp. (financial difficulties)			TO 12-5-56
BALH-241	11-20-56	Vol. assignment of license to WPGC, INC.			
WIRE	12/14/56	STA EXT. waiver 3.261 to suspend operations; Temp. (financial difficulties; to			3-5-57
* Mailed Form 725 to Mr. Earl M. Foreman, Atty for Chesapeake B/cg. Co. Had been mailed to Southern Ave. & Returned. Mr. Altman living in Fla.					
Letter	3-15-57	Ext. STA to remain silent to 8-1-57 (Pending changes in AM Sta. WPGC)			
Wire	8-15-57	Permission to remain silent p11 pending changes in AM Station WPGC.			10-1-57
Wire	10-10-57	Ext STA to remain silent to			12-20-57
WIRE	12-31-57	EXT. AUTH to remain silent to			4-1-58.
BPH-2316	12-18-57	CP to mount FM antenna on No. Tower of WPGC decrease ERP to 15.5kw and make changes in antenna system.	HAAT 280'		2-18 8-18-58

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Call letters **W P G C-FM**

Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
Commission on 9-25-57 deferred action on application for Renewal of license of station WPGC-FM, continued operation authorized until final determination on your application.					
WIRE	3-26-58	EXT. AUTH. to remain silent to 6-20-58			
BMPH-5279 (#1)	8-25-58	Mod. of CP (BPH-2316) for extension of completion date to November 18, 1958			
WIRE	6-30-58	EXT. AUTH. to remain silent to 8-18-58			
BMPH-5345 #2.	12-11-58	Ext. completion date to 1-15-59.			
BPH-5388 (3)	1-28-59	Mod. of CP (BPH-2316) for extension of completion date to February 28, 1959			
BLH-1343	7-2-59	95.5mcs.	15.7kw.	Unl.	7-2 10-1-60 Lic. to cover CP BPH-2316 to change antenna system, decrease ERP.
BMLH-188 (1)	11-27-63	Mod. of Lic. to chg. station & studio loc. (not issued to be issued with renew.)			
BPH-4717 HAAT: 280'	1-5-65	95.5mcs	ERP: 15.7kw	Unl.	3-5-65 9-5-65 CP to install Alt.-Main Trans. (Rust FMT-5C) at main ant. -trans. loc.; on above facilities.
BRH-136, BMLH-188 & BMLH-226 HAAT: 280'	6-28-65	95.5mcs	ERP: 15.7kw	Unl.	6-28-65 10-1-66 Renewal of Lic.; mod. of Lic. to chg. station loc to MORNINGSIDE, MARYLAND; mod. of Lic. to chg. studio loc. (Waiver)(Cond'1) (Eff: 7-28-65)
BLH-2786 HAAT: 280'	6-28-65	95.5mcs	ERP: 15.7kw	Unl.	6-28-65 10-1-66 Lic. to cover CP(BPH-4717) which auth. an Alternat Main Transmitter. (Waiver)(Cond'1)
BRCH-718 (1)	5-23-66	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 5801 Annapolis Road, Bladensburg, Maryland, (Main Trans.			
BRH-136 Ltr. 1-6-67, 73.250(a)(5) oper. as	10-14-66	Ren. of Lics. (Main & Alt.) 10-14-66 10-1-69 1-9-67 giving notification per Sect. 73.250(a)(5) Rules that Rust FMT-5C is now installed & in oper. as Main Trans. (former Alt. Main)(Eff: 1-15-67)			

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Call letters WPGC-FM

Station location MORNINGSIDE, MARYLAND

Name of licensee WPGC, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BSH-136 HAAT: 280'	1-16-67	95.5mcs Ch.#238	ERP: 15.7kw TPO: 5kw RC	Uni. (RC)	1-16-67 10-1-69
Mod. of Lic. to show former Alternate-Main trans (Rust FMT-5G) as Main Transmitter. (Eff: 1-15-67)					
BLH-3556 HAAT: 280'	8-24-67	95.5mcs CH#238	ERP: 15.7kw TPO: 5kw (RC)	Aux.	3-24 10-1-69
Lic to use former main trans RGA BTP-5 A at main trans loc. as an aux. trans. with RC for aux. purposes only.					
BPH-6366 HAAT: 260' (h&v)	8-6-68	95.5mc ch#238	ERP: 50kw (h&v) TPO: 14.5kw (RC)	U	4-6-69
CP install new trans; new ant; chg. TPO, ERP; operate with vert. ERP; and chg. HAAT;					
BMPH-10,528 --(1)	3-10-69	MP(BPH-6366)	ext. time to		10-15-69
BMPH-10,645 (2)	6-6-69	MP(BPH-6366 as mod.) trans., ant., TPO: 17kw	chg. HAAT: 265'		Rate of power 20 kw
BMPH-10,779 (3)	9-30-69	MP(BPH-6366, as mod.)	ext. time to		1-15-70
BRH-136 BLH-4711(L)	9-30-70	Renewal & Lic. cover (BPH-6366 as mod) for changes			10-1-72
BLH-4712(L) HAAT: 265' (H&V)	9-30-70	Lic. use former main ant Aux. ERP: 14.8kw (H&V) TPO: 5kw			10-1-72
BTC-6713	11-23-71	INVOL. TC			
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-136(S)	10-27-72	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX.			10-1-75
BPH-8602 HAAT: 265' (H&V)	10-16-73	95.5mhz. #238 Class A	ERP: 50kw (H&V)		10-16-74
CP install new alternate main trans.					
BLH-6037(L)	4-22-74	Lic. (BPH-8602)	new Alt. trans.		10-1-75
BAPLH-166	8-7-74	VOL. APLH	EFF: 10-17-74		
BPH-9250 HAAT: 480' (H&V)	3-20-75	95.5MHz. CP chg ant sys (incr. hght) (RC)	ERP: 50kw (H&V)	U	3-20-76 TPO & HAAT

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed

Call letters WFGC-FM

Station location

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BMPH-14,561(1)	8-11-75	MP(BPH-9250)	specify (2) trans, ant (chg), TPO & HAAT		
BRH-136(L)	11-17-75	RENEWAL (Alt. transmitters)			10-1-78
BLH-6851(L)	3-5-76	Lic.(BPH-9250,	as mod.)	Changes	10-1-78
BSH-136(L)	8-12-76	ML to add auxl. antenna with alt. trans MAIN AND AUXILIARY ANTENNA S 95.5mhz 50kwH&V 500' H&V (Main Ant) 50kwH&V 265' H&V (Aux. Ant)			
COMTEL	12-28-76	Trans: CCA-20,000DS now installed. & ALTERNATE MAIN TRANSMITTERS: COMPOSITE- consisting of CCA-20000DS.			
BRH-136 HAAT: 500 (L)	9-26-78 (h&v)	95.5mhz.	ERP: 50kw(h&v) U		10-1-81
		Renewal of License			
COMTEL	8-27-80	AU. & TERMS COMTEL 7-8-80 EXT. THRU 10-17-80 DUE TO EQUIPMENT DELIVERY DELAY.			
COMTEL	12-23-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL 7-8-80 EXT. THRU 12-17-80 DUE TO EQUIPMENT PROBLEMS.			

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Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FM (CLASS "A")

Call WJNC Ed. 3-30-56
Letters - NEW - WJNC

WPGC, INC.

Name CHESAPEAKE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. c/o Earl M. Foreman, Tower Bldg. Room 401, Wash. (12-27-56) DC.
(P.O. 1510-Southern-Ave. S.E., Bradbury-Heights, Maryland)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Bl-FH-1114 Recd. Filed	11-12-46	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station (Class "A") Frequency: to be assigned by F.C.C. ERP: 410w Height above average terrain-379 Studio: Bradbury Heights, Maryland Transmitter: 0.3 miles from Marlboro Road on Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Md. (RCA BTF-250A Max. 250w) Atty: Herbert G. Piller Program analysis rec'd 12-12-46. Engr. info. recd. 7-24-47 making changes in antenna system.	Granted conditionally	
	11-12-46		2-6-47.	Class "A" station.
	11-21-46		2-11-47.	Letter mailed
			Program Plans approved	
			Basic Engrs. approved -	9-11-47
			C.P. issued	10-1-47
BMPH-1167 Rec'd Filed	11-29-47 12-1-47 12-1-47	Mod. of C. P. (Bl-PH-1114 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to change type of transmitter to Gates BF-1A Max. 1 kw and to make changes in antenna system. Filed by John J. Keel, Attorney	GRANTED	12-18-47

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

JM (CLASS A)

WFGC, INC.

Call W R H C

Letters W B U S

Name X CHESAPEAKE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLE-179 Rec'd. Filed	4-7-48 4-8-48 4-8-48	License to cover construction permit (RPH-1114 as modified which authorized a new JM broadcast station).	GRANTED	6-17-48
BRH-136 Rec'd & Filed	4-3-50 4-3-50	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-31-50
BTC-966 Rec'd & Filed Resubmitted and Filed	5-18-50 5-31-50 7-3-50	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from A.C. Connelly to Leslie L. Altmann.	GRANTED Eff. 8-29-50	8-11-50
BPH-1814 Recd. Resub. Rec'd & Filed	12-16-52 12-17-52 1-13-53 11-14-53	C. P. to make changes in licensed station- Change freq to 95.5 mcs (Ch. 238); ERP to 6.27 kw; type of ant. to Andrews, 1308, 8-sec; Ant. height above av. terrain to 250'.	Ret. 1-5-53 re dates of Engr. GRANTED	4-15-53 Terr: 350 ft.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94
WFGC, INC.Call WRNC
Letters WBWZName CHESAPEAKE P/CO., CO., INC.
4421 Southern Avenue, S. E., Washington, D. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-136 Recd. & Filed	2-27-53 3-2-53	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	6-10-53
BMPH-4829 Recd Filed	5-25-53 5-26-53 5-26-53	Modification of C.P. (BPH-1814, which auth. changes in licensed station) to change type of tr. to RCA, BTF5A, 1 kw; and type of ant. to Andrews, 1304-2, 4-section; incr. ERP to 17.75kw.	GRANTED	6-8-53
BPH-1930 Recd&Filed	3-1-54 3-3-54	C. P. to replace C.P. (BMPH-4829) which expired 2-8-54. <i>(BPH-1814 (C.P.))</i> <i>Amend. recd. 6-8-54 changing ERP to 16 kw. ant. ht. above av. terr. 300 ft</i>	GRANTED	3-17-54
BLH-957 Recd. & Filed	3-2-54 3-3-54	License to cover C.P. (BPH-1930) which replaced expired permit. <i>Amend. recd. 6-8-54 changing ERP to 16 kw. ant. ht. above av. terr. 300 ft</i>	GRANTED	6-21-54
BMPH-4910 Recd&Filed	4-12-54 4-13-54	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-1930, C.P. to replace expired C.P.) for extension of completion date from 4-17-54 to <u>4-23-54</u> .	GRANTED	4-23-54

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WPGC INC. GR. 11-20-56 BALH-261 EFF.

Call ~~WBUZ~~ WRNC
Letters off. 3-30-56

Name X CHESAPEAKE B/CO. CO., INC.
~~4431~~ Southern Avenue, S. E. Washington, 19 D. C.
c/o Mr. Earl N. Foreman, Attorney, Tower Bldg., Room 401, Wash. D. C.

12-27-56

File No. Recd. & Filed	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-1909	4-12-54 4-13-54	Modification of C. P. (BPH-1930 as modified which replaced expired permit) to make changes in licensed station to change ERP to 16.5 kw, ant. ht. above average terr: to 300 ft. & make changes in antenna system.	GRANTED	5-5-54
BRH-136 Rec'd Filed	7-16-54 7-19-54 7-19-54	Renewal of license. 9-17-54. Letter explaining liabilities, etc. 323 enclosed.	Atty to supply typical week / 8-27-54 but returned 8-30-54 Not signed or notarized. Resub. 8-26-54 (Amend) GRANTED	9-29-54
BTC-1905 Recd. & Filed	2-10-55 Vol 2-11-55	Transfer of control of Chesapeake B/cg. Co, Inc licensee of Station WBUZ, from L. L. Altmann to Walter C. Ward. (Leslie L.)	GRANTED EFF:	3-16-55 6-23-55
BALH-261 Recd	10-18-56 10-26-56	Vol. assignment to WPGC, INC. Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty Amendment rec'd 10-6-56 re Sec. I, Part 2 par. 1; Sec. II, par. 19(a); & Sec. IV, par. 1(b) par. Exh. 6.	GRANTED eff	11-20-56 1-11-57

LTR. (COMM.) EXT. TIME TO CONSUMMATE to 2-4-57
F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

WMA TRANSIT CO.
4421 Southern Avenue,

L. L. Altmann, 4545 Conn. Ave.

CARD 5
FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call WPGC-FM
Letters ~~X~~WRNC

Name WPGC, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
ERH-136 Recd & filed	7-25-57 7-26-57	Renewal of license Filed by A. Scheiner, atty	DISMISSED in view of grant of BLH-1343.	7-2-59
BPH-2316 Recd Filed	11-22-57 11-25-57 11-27-57	CP to mount FM antenna on North Tower of WPGC, decrease ERP to 15.7 kw and make changes in antenna system.	GRANTED	12-18-57
BMPH-5279 Red'd Filed	8-5-58 8-8-58 8-8-58	Modification of c.p. (BPH-2316 which authorized mount FM antenna on North Tower of WPGC, decrease ERP and make changes in antenna system) for extension of completion date from 8-18-58 to 11-18-58. Atty's: Cottone & Scheiner	GRANTED	8-25-58

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Letters WPGC-FMName WPGC, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-5345 Rec'd Filed	11-7-58 11-10-58 11-10-58	Modification of c.p. (BPH-2316 which authorized mount FM antenna on North Tower of WPGC, decrease ERP and make changes in antenna system) for extension of completion date from 11-18-58 to 1-15-59. Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	12-11-58
BMPH-5388 Rec'd Filed	1-14-59 1-14-59 1-14-59	Modification of c.p. (BPH-2316 as mod., which authorized mount FM antenna on North Tower of WPGC, decrease ERP and make changes in antenna system) for extension of completion date from 1-15-59 to 2-15-59. Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	1-28-59 to 2-28-59
BLH-1343 R & F	2-13-59 2-13-59	License to cover C.P. (BPH-2316 as modified) which authorized the mounting of FM antenna on North Tower of WPGC, decrease in ERP and changes in antenna system (Filed by A. Scheiner	GRANTED	7-2-59

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 Letters W P G C-FM

Name WPGC, INC.

OAKLAND, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMLH-124 Rec'd Filed	7-1-59 7-9-59 7-9-59	Modification of license to change studio loc. from 6369 Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Maryland to Raleigh Hotel, Washington, D.C. and change station location from Oakland, Maryland to <u>Washington, D.C.</u> Atty. - Cottone & Scheiner	DISMISSED at request	6-26-63
BRH-136 Rec'd & Filed Suppl. R. & F.	9-30-60 9-30-60 6-25-63 7-1-63	Renewal of license. Attys - Cottone & Scheiner Atty - Wilner & Bergson	GRANTED Sect. 73.210(a) waived re studio loc.; cond'l re notification that	6-28-65
BMLH-188 R. & F.	6-21-63 6-25-63	Mod. of lic. to change station location from Oakland, Maryland, to Morningside, Maryland, AND (Requests waiver of Sec. 3.205) change studio location from 6369 Walker Mill Road, Oakland, Md. to 4421 Southern Ave., S.E., Bradbury Heights, Md. F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C. Atty: Wilner & Bergson	oper. commended; GRANTED not issued - to be issued with renewal. Waiver of Sect. 73.210 granted Condl re renewal appli. action. Eff: 7-28-65	11-27-63

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Call Letters WFGC-FM

Name WFGC, INC.
MORNINGSIDE, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-4717 H&F	12-7-64 12-11-64	Construction permit to install Alternate Main Transmitter (Rust-FMT-5C) at main ant-trans location; on frequency of 95.5mc and ERP of 15.7kw. Atty: Wilner & Bergson	GRANTED	1-5-65
BLH-2786 R&F	2-5-65 2-10-65	License to cover CP (BPH-4717) which authorized an alternate main transmitter. Atty: Wilner & Bergson	GRANTED	6-28-65
BMLH-226 H&F	5-24-65 5-25-65	Modification of license to change studio location to 5801 Annapolis Road, adjacent Bladensburg, Maryland. Atty: Wilner & Bergson	GRANTED	6-28-65

Sect. 73.210(a) waived re studio; cond'l re notification with oper. commenced.

Issued with Ren.
Sect. 73.210(a) waived re studio loc.; cond'l re notification when oper. commenced;
Morningside identification to be continued.
Eff: 7-28-65

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Letters WFOG-FMName WFOG, INC.
Morningside, Maryland

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-718 Rec'd Filed	5-10-66 5-18-66 5-18-66	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 5801 Annapolis Road, Bladensburg, Maryland. (Main Transmitter) Atty.: John Gordon Smith	GRANTED (Cond'l # 73,210(a))	5-23-66
BRH-136 R & F	6-29-66 7-1-66	Renewal of License (Main and Alternate-Main) Wilner & Bergson, Attys. (J.G. Smith)	GRANTED	10-14-66
BLH-3556 R & F	1/10/67 1/11/67	Lic. to use former main trans. RCA BTF-5A at main trans. loc. as an aux. trans. to be operated on 95.5mc ERP: 15.7kw TPO: 5kw HAAT: 280' with remote control for auxiliary purposes only. Atty: J. G. Smith <i>J. G. Smith</i>	GRANTED	3-24-67

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Letters W P G C-FM

Name WPGC, INC.
MORNINGSIDE, MARYLAND

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-6366 R & F #444097 \$30 AUG 2 1968	7-15-68 7-16-68 7-16-68	CP chng. vert. ERP 50kw; and chg. HAAT 260 ft. install new trans (Rust-FMT-15A-SCK-B); install new ant (Shively-6810-7 sects); chg. TPO 14.75kw; ERP 50kw; operate with vert. ERP 50kw; and chg. HAAT 260 ft. Atty - Edward S. O'Neill (Wilner, Scheiner etc.) Engr: Jules Cohen & Associates	GRANTED Cond '1 - Sect. 73.210a waived permitting main studio outside city limits; & 302 must be filed for WPGC(AM)	8-6-68
BMPH-10,528 R & F #494541 \$30 MAR 5 1969	2-25-69 2-26-69 2-26-69	MP(BPH-6366) for ext. time to 10-15-69 (FOR CHGS.) Atty - Edward S. O'Neill (Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley)	GRANTED to	3-10-69 10-15-69

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BMPH-10,645 R & F #515391 \$30 JUN 8 1969	5-16-69 5-19-69 5-19-69	MP(BPH-6366 as mod.) chg. trans(CCA-FM-20000D); chg. ant(CCA-6810, 6 sections); chg. TPO 17.22kw; and chg. HAAT: 265ft. (horiz. & vert.) Atty - Edward S. O'Neill Engr.: Jules Cohen & Associates	GRANTED	6-6-69
BRH-136 R & F #526943 \$75. P.N. filed PRESS AUG 13 1969	7-1-69 7-3-69 7-3-69 7-3-69	Renewal of license(Main) Atty-Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley(E.S. O'Neill) AMENDED 9-30-69 re: supplemental program data AMENDED 11-18-69 re: Programming	GRANTED	9-30-70
BMPH-10,779 R & F #541784 \$30 SEP 19 1969 PTA DTA Aug 1-5-70	9-10-69 9-12-69 9-12-69	MP (BPH-6366, as mod.) ext. time to 1-15-70. (For Changes) Atty: Edward S. O'Neill(Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley)	GRANTED to	9-30-69 1-15-70

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BLH-4711 Rec'd #560001 \$30. PTA ltd Amended & F PTA ext. PRESS	11-23-69 11-26-69 11-26-69 12-5-69 12-24-69 4-16-70	Lic.(BPH-6366, as mod.) for changes. Atty: <u>Wilner</u> , Scheiner & Greeley re Antenna.	GRANTED	9-30-70
BLH-4712 R & F #563531 \$30. PTA PRESS	12-23-69 12-24-69 12-24-69 1-5-70 MAY 1 2 1970	License to use former Main Transmitter (RUST, FMT-5C) as Auxiliary Trans., for Aux. purposes only.	GRANTED	9-30-70
BTC-3713 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #016684 CODE 054 (Form 316) ALSO SEE AM WPGC etc NOV 19 1971	11-1-71 11-3-71	Involuntary transfer of control of lic corp from Maxwell E. Richmond to Richard J. Richmond, Special Administrator of the Estate of Maxwell E. Richmond (deceased) Atty - John R. Wilner SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS ETC	GRANTED	11-23-71

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BRH-2936 R & F PN PRESS JUL 19 1972	6-30-72 7-3-72 7-3-72	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty-Edward S. O'Neill	GRANTED	10-27-72
BPH-8602 R & F #233586 \$50 Code 057 Press OCT 11 1973	9-10-73 9-17-73 9-19-73	CP to install a new Alternate Main Transmitter (CCA 20,000DS). Atty: Edward S. O'Neill	GRANTED	10-16-73
BLH-6037 R & F W 256104-\$50. PTA PRESS JAN 18 1974	11-13-73 11-27-73 11-27-73-AC-057 12-10-73	Lic. (BPH-8602)-New Alternate Transmitter. (Aux. to be cancelled) Atty: Wilner & Scheiner (E. S. O'Neill)	GRANTED	4-22-74

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BAPLH-166 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #291698 CODE 049 (ALSO SEE AM) 4PX 1 1974	3-9-74 3-14-74	Voluntary assignment of license and CP (BPH-8602 alt. main trans) to FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION Atty for assignor - Wilner & Scheiner for assignee - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED EFF: GRANT FEE: \$116,000.00 FEE PD. 10-24-74 063 \$101,000.00 Adj. (includes AM) 063 W358066-67	8-7-74
BPH-9250 R & F #362840 \$50 Code 057 PRESS	11-7-74 11-8-74 11-8-74	CP XX to make changes in the directional antenna system (incr. hgt.); chg. TPO and chg. HAAT: 481' (H&V) Atty: Jon H. Marple (Dow, Lohnes, Albertson)	GRANTED COND'L	3-20-75

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BRH-136 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	5-30-75 6-2-75 " JUL 8 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTERNATE MAIN TRANS.) Ralph W. Hardy, Jr. Atty. (Dow, Lohnes)	GRANTED	11-17-75
BMPH-14,561 R & F #447433\$100 Code 001 PRESS	7-7-75 7-9-75 7-10-75 AUG 6 1975	MP(BPH-9250) to specify (2) CCA-FM-20,000DS) transmitter with Custom Parallel Combiner; chg. ant. (JAMPRO-JHCP-3, 3 sects.(H&V); make changes in transmitting equipment; chg. TPO; change HAAT: 496 ft.(H&V) Atty: Ralph W. Hardy, Jr. (Dow, Lohnes, etc.)	GRANTED	8-11-75
BLH-6851 R & F PTA PRESS	10-15-75 10-16-75-001 10-23-75 DEC 1 1975	Lic.(BPH-9250, as mod.)-Changes. 10-20-75 W 488408-\$100.00 Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson(L.Adrian Roberts)	GRANTED	3-5-76

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BRH-136 R & F PRESS	6-1-78 6-1-78 JUN 25 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (ALT. TRANS. & AUX. ANT.) Atty. D. Todd Christofferson (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)	GRANTED	9-26-78
BRH-810601F9 Press: AUG	5 1981	Renewal of License Atty: ----- AMENDED 8-21-81 re: EEO PETITION TO DENY AND TO INTERVENE filed 9-30-81 by National Black Media Coalition, D.C. Media Task Force & Pluria W. Marshall		

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.

