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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W Q X A (EFF: 12-1-73)

Date first licensed 5-31-50 (See para 2) Call letters WQXA-AM  
 M. E. COUSLER AND LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, d/b/as THE HELM COAL COMPANY GR: 7-5-57 (HALH-271) EFF:  
 M. E. COUSLER & LOWELL W. WILLIAMS INDIVIDUALLY AND AS EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF HOWARD J.  
 WILLIAMS, DECEASED d/b/as THE HELM COAL COMPANY GR: 7-5-57 (HALH-283) EFF:  
 H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER & LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, A PARTNERSHIP d/b as  
 THE HELM COAL COMPANY (Gr. 9-16-50) ~~EFF: 8-31-50~~  
 Name of licensee H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER, LOWELL W. WILLIAMS AND EDWARD G. HALE,  
PARTNERS D/B AS THE HELM COAL COMPANY

Transmitter location Pleasureville Hill, York, Pennsylvania (Ltr. 623-60/redescribed)  
2.9 mi. NE of city limits of York, Pennsylvania

Main studio location Pleasureville Hill, York, Pennsylvania (Ltr. 5-29-60)  
25 S. Duke St., York, Penna.

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	ERP Power	Time Div.	Period From To
	8-18-47	105.7 mcs. proposed assignment Ch#289			
BPH-1267	3-24-48	105.7 Ch#289	17 kw Terr:	U 500 ft.	By 6-12-48 to 12-12-48
	C. P. issued (mailed 4-13-48)				
Telegram	11-16-48	Relat atty. 12. Auth. gr. period ending 12-12-48 op. 105.7 mcs using fac. spec. in BPH-1267 except Trans. Collins 733-A w/250 w. max. output power re FM prog. serv.			
Telegram	12-15-48	Relat atty. 14. Auth. gr. period ending 6-1-49 op. using fac. spec. in BMPH2914 except trans. is Collins 733A 250 w. max. output power re FM prog. serv.			
BMPH-2914	12-6-48	Ext. of completion date			6-1-49.
BMPH-3459	5-12-49	Ext. of compl. date			To 11-1-49
Telegram	5-26-49	Relat Atty. 24. Auth. ext. period ending 11-1-49 op. using Collins 733A trans. w/250 w max. output pr. and other fac. in BMPH-3459 re FM prog. serv.			
Telegram	9-23-49	Relat atty 21. Auth. mod. period ending 11-1-49 op. using fac. spec. in C.P. BMPH-3459 re. FM prog. serv.			
Telegram	10-24-49	Relat atty 7. Auth. ext. period ending 1-1-50 op. using fac. in BMPH-3828.			
BMPH-3828	10-19-49	Ext. of completion date			to 1-1-50
BPH-4065	3-28-50	105.7	14.6 kw 13kw	500 ft.	To 1-1-50
	Change studio; ERP & type of trans.				
BPH-621	5-31-50	License to cover to (13kw) 12-1-51			
ALH-50	8-16-50	Vol. assign. of Lic. to H. J. Williams, M. E. Cousler & Lowell W. Williams, A Partnership & b as THE HELM COAL COMPANY			
H-533	11-21-51	Renewal of license to			8-1-54
E-1764	7-23-52	C.P. to ch. ERP, Ant.			9-23-52
		105.7 (289)	16.5	450'	3-23-53

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

WJAX

WJAX-FM

Date first licensed .....

Call letters .....

Station location - York, Penna.

RUST COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC. (ALN 6-22-72; EFF: 7-1-72)  
WJAX, INC. (BAL 8-1-57 EFF: 9-10-57)

x H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER & LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, A Partnership  
d/b as THE HELM COAL COMPANY

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Letter	5-14-54	STA waive Sec 3.261 oper	WNOW (daytime sta)	to	simil with 8-1-54
B RH-533	Action deferred 7-28-54				
Letter	10-1-54	STA remain silent 90 days			to 1-4-55
Letter	12-29-54	Ext. STA remain silent to			4-4-55
Wire	7-5-55	Auth. op. reduced power	250w.		
BPH-2049	7-20-55	Change ERP to 1.2 kw;			9-20-55
		type trans; Terr: 465ft. and waiver 3.204 and			3-20-56
		waiver of 3.254 of rules & TPO to 250 watts			
Wire	8-26-55	RELET ATTY 24. Interim ext. to 9-26-55 accord			
		BPH-2049 and Sec. 3.217, pend. submission new audio			
		response measurements made without de-emphasis accord.			
		FM standards and explanation for indicated erratic			
		operation of frequency monitor.			
WIRE	9-30-55	EXT. program test (BPH-2049)			to 10-31-55
WIRE	10-13-55	EXT. prog. Test (BPH-2049)			to lic. grant
BLH-1076	10-14-55	Lic. to cover BPH-2049 which authorized			
		change in ERP, Terr; type transmitter & ant. TO			8-1-57 (L)
		Terr: 465feet- 105.7mc; ERP 1.2kw- U -			
BPH-533	11-2-55	Renewal of license		TO	8-1-57
ISSUED WITH	BLH-1076 ABOVE (Waiver 3.204 & 3.254 of Rules)				
BALH-283	7-5-57	Involuntary assignment of license to			
EFF:		M.E. COUSLER AND LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, INDIVIDUALLY			
		AND AS EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF HOWARD J. WILLIAMS,			
		DECEASED, d/b/as THE HELM COAL COMPANY			
BALH-271	7-5-57	Voluntary assignment of license to M.E.			
EFF:		COUSLER AND LOWELL W. WILLIAMS d/b/as			
		THE HELM COAL COMPANY			
BPH-533	7-25-57	105.7	1.2 kw.	U	8-1 8-1-60
BALH-284	8-1-57	Voluntary assignment of license to			
		WNOW, Inc.			
	7-27-60	Commission deferred action on renewal			
		pending further consideration.			
BPH-533	<del>7-29-61</del> 3-8-61	105.7 CH 289	1.2kw TPO 250w	Un HAAT 465'	3-8 8-1-63
BPH-533	7-29-63	Renewal of License			8-1 8-1-66
BPH-533	7-29-66	Renewal of License			8-1 8-1-69

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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WHOW-FM

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time	Period
				Div.	From- To
BPH-533 (1)	5-27-67	Mod. of lic. to chg. obstruction markings (Memo)			
BRCH-852 (2)	10-9-67	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Pleasureville Hill, York, Pennsylvania.			
BPH-6316 HAAT: 720' (h&v)	6-21-68	105.7mc. ERP: 2.15kw (h&v) U ch#289 TPO: 2.4kw CP move Ant. 110 ft. (same site); new trans; ant; chg. TPO, ERP; operate with vert. ERP; and chg. HAAT;			2-21-69
BLH-4218(L)	1-6-69	Lic. (BPH-6316) for chgs.			8-1-69
BPH-533(S)	7-24-69	Renewal			8-1-72
EBSA	5-22-72				
ALH-1678	6-22-72	Vol ALH			
BRH-533(L)	7-31-72	RENEWAL			8-1-75
BPH-8771 HAAT: 520' (H&V)	5-15-74	105.7mhz. ERP: 46kw(H) U TPO: 20kw. 38kw(V) ch#289 CP to install new trans. & ant. chg. TPO & ERP			5-15-75
BPH-8771	5-15-74	Superseding authorz. to delete cond. re. WNOW (AM) measurements			5-15-75
BPH-8771	SUPERSEDING AUTHORIZATION OF SAME DATE TO CHANGE CONDITIONS. (7-30-74)				
BLH-6534(L)	3-11-75	Lic. (BPH-8771) - Changes.			8-1-75
BRH-533(L)	7-23-75	Renewal of license - Main			8-1-78
BLH-6739(L) HAAT: 720' (H&V) ERP: 2.15kw (H&V)	8-8-75	Lic. to use former main trans. & ant. for auxiliary purp. only.			8-1-78
BPH-9803 HAAT: 520' (H&V)	3-17-77	105.7mhz ERP: 46kw (Max H) 38kw (Max V) 3-17-77 CP chg TPO, ERP, HAAT & Antenna			

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FREQUENCY MODULATION

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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-15080 (1)	3-6-77	MP(BPH-9803)ext		time to	9-17-77
BLH-7557 HAAT: 520'	3-27-78 (H&V) Lic. (BPH-9803, as mod.)	105.7MHz #289	ERP: 40kW(Max H) 38kW(Max V)		8-1-78 for changes.
BRH-533(S)	7-27-78	Renewal	(Main & Aux.)		8-1-81

H. J. WILLIAMS, M. B. COUSLER & LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, A PARTNERSHIP d/b as  
 THE HELM COAL COMPANY (Gr. 8-16-50) (Exp. 8-31-50)

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Letters ~~FM~~ WNOV-FM

x H. J. WILLIAMS, M. B. COUSLER, LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, AND EDWARD G. HALS, PARTNERS

Name D/B AS THE HELM COAL COMPANY  
(P. O. Box 266, York, Pennsylvania)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPE-1267 Rec'd. Filed	5-29-47	Construction permit for new FM broadcast station (Class B) to be operated on Frequency: To be assigned by FCC Effective Radiated Power: 17.16 kw. Transmitter: 2.9 miles northeast of city limits, York, Pennsylvania. (RCA BTF-3B Max. 3 kw)  Studio: Same Program analysis received 5-29-47. Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Attorney. Program analysis recd. 6-12-47. (Amendment)	Granted conditionally 8-1-47. Class B Letter mailed 8-13-47	C. P. ISSUED Gr. 3-24-48 Exp. 12-12-48
	5-29-47			
	5-29-47			
		<p>Non. of C. P. (BPE-1267 which authorized a new fm broadcast station) Non extension of completion date from 12-1-47</p>		

Engineer D. B. McKey

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Call Letters WNOV-FMH. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER, LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, AND  
EDWARD C. HALE, PARTNERS D/B AS THE HELM COAL COMPANYName H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER & LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, A PARTNERSHIP d/b as  
THE HELM COAL COMPANY (Gr. 8-16-50) (Exp. 8-31-50)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-2914 Recd. Filed	11-23-48 11-24-48 11-24-48	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-1267) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 12-12-48 to 6-1-49. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	12-6-48
BMPH-3459 Recd. Filed	5-2-49 5-4-49 5-4-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-1267) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 6-1-49 to 11-1-49. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	5-12-49
BMPH-3828 Recd. Filed	10-4-49 10-6-49 10-6-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPH-1267 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 11-1-49 to 1-1-50. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr. Att'y	GRANTED	10-19-49
BMPH-4065 Recd & Filed	2-14-50 2-23-50	Mod. of C.P. (BPH-1267 as mod.) to change ERP from 17 kw. to 12.804 kw.; transmitter to Collins, 733-A, 3 kw.; studio location 2.9 miles NE of York to 25 S. Duke St., York and make changes in antenna system. Filed by James McKenna, Jr., Atty	GRANTED	3-28-50

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H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER &amp; LOWELL W. WILLIAMS, A PARTNERSHIP d/b as

THE HELM COAL COMPANY (Gr. 8-16-50) (Eff. 8-31-50)

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Letters ..... WJCH-FM

Name

H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER, L. W. WILLIAMS &amp; EDW. C. HALE

d/b as THE HELM COAL COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-621 Recd Filed AMENDMENT Recd Filed	11-26-49 12-1-49 3-28-50 2-14-50 2-21-50 3-28-50	License to cover C.P. (BPH-1267 as mod.) which authorized a new FM b/o sta. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty Amend. to specify geographic coordinates & change ant. ht. abv. aver. terrain from 549 ft. to 500 ft. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty	GRANTED 13 kw.	5-31-50
BALH-50 Recd & Filed	7-18-50 7-19-50	Voluntary assignment of License from H.J. Williams, M.E. Cousler, Lowell W. Williams & Edward C. Hale, a partnership d/b as The Helm Coal Company to H.J. Williams, M.E. Cousler & Lowell W. Williams, a partnership d/b as The Helm Coal Company. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED eff:	8-16-50. 8-31-50
BRH-533 Recd. Filed	8-30-51 9-4-51 9-4-51	Renewal of license Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr. Atty.	GRANTED	11-21-51

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Letters **WNOV-FM**Name **H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER AND LOWELL W. WILLIAMS a partnership**  
d/b as **The Helm Coal Company**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-1764 Recd. Filed	6-11-52	Construction permit to make changes in existing FM broadcast station to change Effective radiated power from 13 kw to 16.74 kw, Antenna system from RCA-BF-14B 4-section Pylon to Collins 37M-6, 6 sections, Antenna height above average terrain from 500 feet to 450 feet, Overall height above ground from 208 feet to 199 feet 10 inches. Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr. Attorney (Contingent on grant of TV appl. Filed simultaneously herewith)	GRANTED	7-23-52
	6-12-52			
	6-12-52			
BRH-533 Recd. & Filed	4-28-54	Renewal of license	GRANTED 11-2-55 <del>54</del> ISSUED WITH BLH-1076 GRANTED 10-14-55	
	5-3-54	James A. McKenna, atty		

C.P. cancelled. Not  
to be used to support  
TV *6 prep*

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Letters WICW-TVName H. J. WILLIAMS ET AL D/B/S THE HELM COAL CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action			
			Nature	Date		
BPH-2049 Recd & Filed	6-20-55	C. P. to make changes in licensed station to change ERP to 1.2 kw type transmitter to COLLINS 731-A 250 w; ant. ht. above average terr: to 463 ft. L. P. Emerson, atty <i>105.7 Ch 289 Class B</i>	GRANTED	7-20-55 (CONDS. Waiver 3.204 and 3.254)		
	6-21-55				BLH-1076 Recd & filed	8-18-55
BLH-1076 Recd & filed	8-18-55	License to cover the above L.P. Emerson, atty Additional info. recd. 10-10-55 re Comm. wire of 8-26-55 re audio frequency measurements L.P. Emerson, atty  <i>WALP 771 212</i>	GRANTED	10-14-55 BUT ISSUED WITH RENEWAL GRANTED 11-2-55. COND. Waiver 3.204 and Waiver 3.254 of Rules.		
	8-25-55					

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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#5 H. J. WILLIAMS, M. E. COUSLER AND LOWELL W. WILLIAMS

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WNCW-FM

Letters

Name

A PARTNERSHIP D/B AS THE HELM COAL COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-533	4-26-57	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	7-25-57
Rec'd & Filed	5-1-57	Atty: Edward R. McKenna		
Amended	7-11-57	Amend. to specify name as M. E. COUSLER AND LOWELL	GRANTED	7-5-57
Rec'd & filed	7-16-57	W. WILLIAMS a partnership d/b/as THE HELM COAL COMPANY		
BALH-271	3-8-57	Voluntary assignment of license to M. E. Cousler	GRANTED EFF:	7-5-57
Rec'd & Filed	3-12-57	and Lowell W. Williams, a Partnership d/b/as		
	6-26-57	The Helm Coal Company		
		McKenna & Wilkinson, attys		
BALH-283	6-11-57	Involuntary assignment of license to M. E.	GRANTED	7-5-57
Rec'd & filed	6-26-57	Cousler and Lowell W. Williams individually		
		and as Executor of the Estate of Howard J.		
		Williams. Deceased, A Partnership d/b/as		
		The Helm Coal Company.		
		McKenna & Wilkinson, attys		
BALH-284	7-2-57	Voluntary assignment of license to WNCW, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	8-1-57 9-10-57
Rec'd & filed	7-2-57	David S. Stevens, Atty.		



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WNOW-FMName WNOW, INC.  
York, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-533 Rec'd Filed	4-30-60 5-5-60 5-5-60	Renewal of License.  Stanley B. Cohen, Atty.	GRANTED	3-8-61
BPH-3712 R & F	3-20-62 3-22-62	Construction permit to change frequency from 105.7mc CH 289 to 105.9mc CH 290; increase ERP from 1.2kw to 8.9kw; HAAT from 465 ft to 717 ft; change antenna location to site 182 ft SW of present auth. site (utilizing WNOW-AM tower); make changes in antenna system (incr. hght) install new transmitter (RCA BTF 3B) (TPO 2.67kw) and new antenna (ANDREW 1304-2, 2 section)  Atty. - Cohn & Marks Engr. - A.D. Ring & Assoc.	DISMISSED	10-4-63 Third Report - Order
BRCH-852 R & F OCT 9 1967	9-28-67 10-2-67	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Pleasureville Hill, York, Pennsylvania.  Atty.: Stanley S. Neustadt F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	10-2-67

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WNOW-FM

Name WNOW, INC.  
YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-533 R & F	5-20-63 5-21-63	Renewal of license Atty. Stanley B. Cohen	GRANTED	7-29-63
BRH-533 R & F	4-28-66 4-29-66	Renewal of license  Atty - Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	7-29-66
BPH-6316 Rec'd Filed #429728 \$30 #432551 \$45 JUN 10 1968 PNS REC'D:	5-15-68 5-20-68 5-29-68 5-20-68 5-29-68 6-11-68 6-13-68	CP to move Antenna 110 ft. (same site) AM tower; install new trans (RCA-BTF-3B); new ant (Gates- FMC-2, 2 sects); make chg in ant. system (incr. hght); chg. TPO 2.405kw; ERP 2.16kw operate with vert. ERP 2.16kw and chg. HAAT 717 feet.  Atty - Stanley S. Neustadt (Marcus Cohn) Engr: A. D. Ring & Associates	GRANTED Cond'1 include combined insta- llation.	6-21-68 submit 302 (Am) data should
BLH-4218 R & F #467877 \$30 PT	10/22/68 10/24/68 10/24/68 11/6/68	License (BPH-6316) for changes.  Atty: Stanley B. Cohen	GRANTED	1-6-69

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call 105.7mc  
Letters W Q X A  
XWIDW-FM

RUST COMMUNICATIONS, GROUP, INC.

Name XWIDW, INC.  
YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-533 R & F \$512077 \$75 PRESS JUN 24 1969	4-30-69 5-5-69 5-5-69	Renewal of license Atty- Cohn & Marks (Martin J. Gaynes) AMENDED 6-30-69 re: Power	GRANTED	7-24-69
BRH-533 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 17 1972	4-28-72 5-3-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Martin J. Gaynes, Atty.	GRANTED	7-31-72
BALH-1678 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #074759 CODE 054 (Form 316) ALSO JUN 7 1972	5-15-72 5-19-72	Voluntary assignment of license to RUST COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC. Atty - Cohn & Marks SEE AM	GRANTED	6-22-72

Re: BRH-533-Sect. 1, Para. 1-pwr in kw should be 2.15kw  
accord. to BLH-4218 gr. 1-6-69-called atty for amend.,  
6-18-69.

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters WQXAName Rust Communications Group, Inc.  
York, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8771 R & F #267086 \$200 Code 013 Press P. N. Rec'd PN Rec'd: AMENDED PRESS	1-8-74 1-9-74 1-10-74 JAN 23 1974 2-1-74 3-14-74 4-9-74 MAY 1 - 1974	CP to install new trans. (Gates FM10H3); install new ant. (Gates FMC-3DS); chg. TPO; ERP: -20.5KW(H)-(Max.)-16.98KW(V)-(Max.); and chg. TPO.  Atty: Stanley S. Neustadt (Cohn and Marks)  Section III and Engr. Data: Chg. ERP: 45KW(H) 37.9KW(V); make change ant. system (decrease height); chg. HAAT: 520' (H&V); chg. trans. (Gates FM-20H3) and chg. transmission line.	GRANTED  Cond'l gr fee \$1800 req. Pd 014 W322543	5-15-74  7-5-74
BLH-6534 R & F W 373551-\$50. Amended & F PTA PRESS	12-12-74 12-13-74 12-13-74-057 12-30-74 1-9-75	Lic. (BPH-8771)-Changes.  Atty: Cohn and Marks (Stanley S. Neustadt) enr. data	GRANTED	3-11-75

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105.7 mhz

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September 1969

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters W Q X AName RUST COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC.  
YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-533 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-28-75 4-1-75 " MAY 7 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Cohn & Marks, Atty	GRANTED	7-23-75
BLH-6739 R & F W 439516-\$50. PTA PRESS	6-13-75 6-16-75 6-17-75-057 7-9-75 JUL 23 1975	Lic. <del>XXXX</del> use former main trans. (RCA, BTF-3B) & Antenna (GATES, FMC-2, 2 sects) for Aux. purposes only. - ERP: 2.15kw (H&V) - TPO: 2.4kw HAAT: 720' (H&V) Atty: Cohn and Marks (Stanley S. Neustadt)	GRANTED	8-8-75
BPH-9803 R & F #525412\$100 Code 001 PRESS	1-20-76 1-30-76 2-5-76 MAR 10 1976	CP to install new ant. (Gates FMC-4DA, 4 sects. (H&V); chg. TPO; chg. ERP: 47kw (H) 39kw (V); chg. HAAT. 515 ft. (H&V) Atty: Stanley S. Neustadt (Cohn & Marks)	GRANTED COND'L	3-17-76

Name **Rust Communications Group, Inc.**  
**York, Pennsylvania**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-15080 R & F PRESS MAR 25 1977	3-16-77	MP (BPH-9803) ext time to 5-17-77	GRANTED TO	5-6-77
	3-16-77	For Changes		9-17-77
BLH-7557 R & F PTA PRESS DEC 8 1977	9-8-77	Lic. (BPH-9803, as mod) for chgs	GRANTED	3-27-78
	"			
	10-7-77	Atty. Stanley S. Neustadt Engr---		
BRH-533 R & F PRESS APR 24 1978	3-31-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED	7-27-78
	4-4-78	Atty. Lawrence N. Cohn (Cohn & Marks)		

## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W Q X A

Name: RUST COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC.

Station Location: YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
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## 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.

