

W R V H

1-18-82 on-the-air- I.D. as: "PATTERSON-PAWLING, NEW YORK"
BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

FREQUENCY MODULATION

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Call Letters W R V H

Station Location PATTERSON, NEW YORK

WRVH BROADCASTING COMPANY (APH 4-6-81 EFF:

Name x WAYNE HICKLIN AND EDWARD H. VALENTINE DBA PATTERSON BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter Location Premier Edtates, 1.5 mi. NW of Patterson Village, Pawling Town, NY

Main studio location To Be Determined, Patterson, New York

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BPH-10116 (L) CP FOR NEW STATION	2-9-79	105.5MHz. TPO: .86kW ERP: 1.10kW(H&V) HAAT:460'(H&V)	2-9-80
BPH-10116 (1)	5/7/79	CALL LETTERS & EBSA ISSUED	
XMPH-800125AO (2)	5-15-80	MP (BPH-10116) for ext. of time to:	11-15-80
BMPH-800125AO (2)	5-15-80	MP (BPH-10116) for ext. of time to:	11-15-80
BTCH800630HC	7-21-80	VOL TCH EFF:	
BMPH-801030AJ (3)	12-4-80	MP(BPH-10116, as mod). for ext of time to.	5-17-81
BMPH810506AD (4)	5-15-81	MP (BPH-10116, as mod.) for ext. of time to:	11-15-81
BAPH801007HD	4-6-81	Vol APH EFF:	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call **WRVH**
Letters **NEW**

Wayne Hicklin and Edward H. Valentine dba Patterson Broadcasting company

Name: ~~Patterson Broadcasting Corporation~~

Patterson, New York (PO: Mr. Edward Valentine, Top-O-Hill Road, Wappingers Falls, N.Y.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action 12590	
			Nature	Date
BPH-9728- Rec'd Filed \$200-504989 AC:001 PRESS: PN REC'D	11-22-75	CP for new FM on: 105.5mhz #288	GRANTED	2-9-79
	12-4-75	ERP: 1.11KW(H&V) HAAT: 460' (H&V)		
	6-14-76	Trans. Collins 831C-2; Ant: Collins LPC-3,3 sects(H&V)	REMOVED FROM HEARING	JUN 30 1977
	12-8-75	TL: Premier Estates, Pawling, New York		
	AUG 5 1976	SL-RC: To be determined, Patterson, New York		
BPH-10116 Amended AMENDED	2-10-76	41° 31' 18" 73° 38' 06"	REMOVED FROM HEARING 6-16-78	
	APR 27 1977	(MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE WITH BPH-9729)		
		Atty: Peter Shuebruk		
		Engr: Paul Bodley Company, (Upper Montclair, N.Y.)		
		Amended 36-14-76 re response to ltr of Comm 4-12-76		
AMENDED	4-1-76	financial statement and chg. name support request of Waiver		
		and engineering statement and chg. name		
		AMENDED 4-1-76 re Section I, II, financial,		
		programming, and general public survey		
	3-14-77	Ascertainment efforts & further survey material & programming proposal.		

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Call Letters **WXPV**
NEW FM

Name **WAYNE HICKLIN AND EDWARD H. VALENTINE DBA PATTERSON BROADCASTING COMPANY**
PATTERSON, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-10116 continued AMENDED	5-5-77	Section IV-A, partnership agreement, community survey and financial		
AMENDED (ORDER) AMENDED	8-18-77 6-28-77	ascertainment financial		
	9-1-78	PETITION TO DENY APPLI. AS AMENDED FILED BY DREXEL-HILL ASSO., INC. THRU ITS ATTY. LAUREN A. COLBY		
	9-13-78	OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY FILED BY PATTERSON B/CING CO. THRU ITS ATTY. PETER SHUEBRUK		
	9-27-78	PETITION TO DENY APPLI. AS AMENDED FILED BY DREXEL-HILL ASSO., INC. THRU ITS ATTY. LAUREN A. COLBY		
	9-29-78	SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY APPLI. AS AMENDED BY DREXEL-HILL ASSO., INC. THRU ITS ATTY. LAUREN A. COLBY		

MO&O released 12-19-79 DENIED Drexel-Hill Associates (WDHA) Petition for
reconsideration (See memo 15215)

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105.5mhz.

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WRVH BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name: WAYNE HICKLIN AND EDWARD H. VALENTINE dba PATTERSON BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: Patterson, New York

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMPH-800125AO PRESS: (0)	APR 9 1980	MP(BPH-10116) for extension of completion date to 2-9-80 (NEW STATION) Atty: Peter Shuebruk	Granted 5-15-80 to 11-15-80
BTCH800630HC Form 316 PRESS	MAY 1 1980	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corp from Wayne Hicklin and Edward H. Valentine dba Patterson Broadcasting Company to Edward H. Valentine Atty-Peter Shuebruk	GRANTED 7-21-80 EFF:
BAPH801007HD Form 314 PRESS PN filed 12-4-80 PN Refiled 12-12-80		Voluntary assignment of CP(BPH-10116-new station to WRVH Broadcasting Company Atty for assignor Zave M. Unger Atty for assignee Ian D. Volner	GRANTED 4-6-81 EFF: 5-27-81

BAPH-801007HD AMENDED 11-4-80 re: Promise of loan from
Sylvia Novik (Assignee) to Mr. Richard Novik and her
personal balance sheet, to be associated with Exh ibit 5.

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File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMPH801030AJ PRESS (O)	NOV 21 1980	MP (BPH-10116, as Mod.) For Extension of Time to: _____ (NEW STATION) Atty. Zave M. Unger (Fly, Shuebruk, Gaguine etc.)	GRANTED: 12-4-80 TO: 5-17-81
BMPH810506AD PRESS (O)		MP (BPH-10,116, as Mod.) For Extension of Time to: _____ (NEW STATION) Atty. Zave M. Unger (Fly, Shuebruk, Gaguine etc.)	GRANTED 5-15-81 to 11-15-81

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File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMPH810724AM PRESS (O)	AUG 17 1981	Mod. of CP (BPH-10,116, as Mod.) To make chgs. in Ant. Sys.; chg. type Trans.; chg. type Ant. (ERI FML-3E, 3 sects. H&V); Locate SL & RC at: Rt. 292, 2 mi. W. of Rt. 22, Patterson, New York; incre. ERP: 1.29kw (H&V) & chg. TPO. Atty. Ian D. Volner (Cohn & Marks)	

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.

