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Form BC 126

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FM BROADCAST

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-7-61

Call letters WTTN-FM

Station location Watertown, Wisconsin

Name of licensee WATERTOWN RADIO, INC.

Transmitter location 0.15 mi. S. of Wisc. Rt. 19, 0.4 mi. W. of city limits, Watertown, Wisc. 526  
x 104 West Main Street, Watertown, Wisconsin

Zip-53094

104 W. Main St., Watertown, Wisc.

Main studio location Same as transmitter



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-2833 HAAT: 160'	3-9-60	104.7mc	3-kw	U	5-9-60 11-9-60
Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station.					
BMPH-6332	8-2-60	104.7mc	3-kw	U	10-2-60 to 4-2-61
Ch. 284 TPO: 3kw HAAT: 160'					
Mod. of C.P. (BPH-2833) to incr. ERP, decr. HAAT, chg. trans. loc. to 0.15 mi. S of Wisc. Rt. 19, 0.04 mi. W of city limits, Watertown, Wisc. & chg. type trans.					
BMPH-6332	8-2-60	Superseding authorization to correct dates of commencement and completion of construction 10-2-60 to 4-2-61.			
BRCH-312 (1)	3-9-61	Modification of CP (BMPH-6332) TO OPERATE transmitter by Remote Control from Wisconsin National Bank Building, 104 West Main Street Watertown, Wisconsin			
BPH-6653 (2)	4-6-61	Mod. CP (BPH-2833 as mod.) for extension completion date to 6-2-61.			
BPH-6761 (3)	7-7-61	Mod. CP (BPH-2833, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 10-2-61			
BPH-6833 (4)	8-23-61	Mod. CP (BPH-2833 as mod.) to incr. ERP to 10kw.			
BLH-1923	12-7-61	104.7mc	10kw	U	12-7 12-1-64
Lic. to cover CP (BPH-2833) as mod. for a new FM B/C Station. 150'.					
BRH-1255	11-16-64	Renewal of License			12-1 12-1-67
Wire	9-16-65	Auth. remain silent thru			10-13-65
BPH-5463 HAAT: 150'	7-25-66	104.7mc. ch# 284	ERP: 20kw Unl. TPO: 5.9kw		9-25-66 3-25-67
CP to install new trans (Bauer 605); increase TPO and ERP;					
BLH-3667 (1)	8-10-67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5463)			
BRH-1255	11-24-67	104.7mc	20kw	U Rec	12-1 12-1-70
Renewal of NDEA					
Memo	9-29-70	Trans: Bauer, Type No. 605, modified by the installation of a type 6CS250B driver tube.			
BRH-1255(L)	2-25-71	Renewal of License & NDEA			2-25 12-1-73



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Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



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<p>SECOND REPORT &amp; ORDER 1-5-72 chg. to channel 231 (94.1mhz)  subj. to (1) inform in writing by 2-23-72 of acceptance  (2) submit by 3-14-72 all info re tech rules for mod. to  cover oper. on 231; (3) may continue on 284 until sta. is  auth. oper on 285A at Hartford, Wisc. or you are ready  earlier for new freq. &amp; submit Form 302, licensee shall  not oper. on 231 without prior auth. from FCC.</p>					
----- FBSA	5-25-72	-----	-----	-----	-----
Dkt. 19161 HAAT: 285' (H&V)	12-20-73	94.1mhz. ERP: 20kw (H&V) #231 Class B (RC) Data filed Oct. 2, 1973 in accordance with Commission's Second Report and Order adopted in Jan. 5, 1972 and released Jan. 7, 1972 in Dkt. 19161 showing proposed operation on a freq. of 94.1 mhz. #231; chg. ant., (make chgs. ant. system, incr. hgt.) chg. TPO, ERP, HAAT.			12-20-74
BRH-1255(S)	12-19-73	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BLH-6619(L)	6-18-75	Lic. (Doc. #19161) - Changes.			12-1-76
BLH-6619(L)	6-18-75	Superseded to show cor. freq. & trans.			12-1-76
BRH-1255(L)	11-30-76	Renewal of license			12-1-79
BRH790727UI (S)	11-30-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			12-1-82



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name WATERTOWN RADIO, INC.

Station location - Watertown, Wisconsin

(P.O. - Carl V. Kolata, Pres., 104 W. Main St., Watertown, Wisc.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-2833	10-28-59	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on:	GRANTED	3-9-60
Rec'd	10-30-59	Frequency - 104.7 mc CH 284	HAAT:	160'
Filed	10-30-59	ERP - 3.034 kw	ERP:	3-kw
		Type transmitter - GATES FM 1B		
		Type antenna - ANDREW 1304-2 (4 section)		
		HAAT 162 ft		
		Trans. location - 104 W. Main St.		
		Watertown, Wisconsin		
		Studio location - Same as transmitter		
		Atty. - Dempsey & Koplovits		
		Engr. - Gantney & Jones		



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WATERTOWN RADIO, INC.

Watertown, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-6332 R & F	6-15-60 6-17-60	Modification of C. P. (BPH-2833 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) to increase ERP from 2kw to 0.55kw, decrease HAAT from 160' to 148', change transmitter location from 104 West Main St. Watertown, Wisconsin to 0.15 mi. South of Wisc. Rt. 19, 0.04 mi. West of city limits, Watertown, Wisconsin & change type transmitter (General Electric-ST-3A) (Contingent on grant of EP-14215 ) Atty's: Dempsey & Koplovitz Engr.-Gautney, & Jones	GRANTED	8-2-60
BMPH-6663 R & F	3-7-61 3-8-61	Mod. of C.P. BPH-2833 as modified which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station) for extension of completion date from 4-2-61 to 6-2-61. Atty. Dempsey and Koplovitz	GRANTED	4-6-61



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCH-312 Rec'd Filed	3-2-61 3-6-61 3-6-61	Mod. of CP(BMPH-6332) to operate transmitter by Remote Control from Wisconsin National Bank Bldg., 104 West Main Street, Watertown, Wisconsin.	GRANTED	3-9-61
BMPH-6761 Rec'd&Filed	5-25-61 5-26-61	Frederick H. Walton, Jr., Atty. Modification of CP(BPH-2833 as mod. which auth. a new FM Broadcast station) for extension completion date from 6-2-61 to 9-2-61.	GRANTED	7-7-61 to 10-2-61
BMPH-6833 Rec'd&Filed	6-29-61 6-30-61	Dempsey and Koplovitz, Attys. Modification of CP(BPH-2833 as mod. which auth. a new FM Broadcast station) to make changes in transmitting equipment(transmission line) and incr. ERP from 9.6kw to 10kw. Dempsey,&Koplovitz, Attys.	GRANTED	8-23-61



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WATERTOWN, WISCONSIN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-1923 R & F	8-10-61 8-14-61	Lic. to cover CP(BPH-2833) as mod. for a new FM broadcast station. Dempsey and Koplovitz, Attys.	GRANTED	12-7-61
BPH Rec'd Rec'd	4-13-62 4-16-62 4-20-62	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (ITA FM 5000 C) and increase ERP from 10kw to 16.95kw (TPO 5kw)	RET'D 4-20-62 Sec. I necessary RET'D 4-26-62 Sec. I nec. Signed by Chief Engr.	
BLH-1255 R&F	9-23-64 9-24-64	Renewal of license. Atty: Dempsey & Koplovitz	GRANTED	11-16-64
BPH-5463 R & F	6-27-66 6-29-66	CP to install new trans. (Bauer 605); increase TPO to 5.920kw; and increase ERP to 20kw.  Dempsey and Koplovitz, Attys.(J.R.Carr)	GRANTED	7-25-66



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3667 R & F	3/23/67 3/28/67	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5463) which auth. install new trans., incr. ERP & TPO. Atty: J. R. Carr (Dempsey and Koplovitz)	GRANTED	8-10-67
PTA-4/3/67				
AUG 8 1967 BRH-1255 R&F	8-31-67 9-5-67 SEP 29 1967	Renewal of License  Atty - J. Richard Carr (Dempsey and Koplovitz)	GRANTED	11-24-67
BRH-1255 R & F PN Recd. PRESS SEP 15 1970	8-27-70 9-1-70 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE J. Richard Carr, Atty. (Dempsey & Koplovitz) AMENDED 12-7-70 re: programming AMENDED 12-10-70 re: programming AMENDED 2-12-70 re: commercial matter; community survey	GRANTED	2-25-71
BRH-1255 R & F P.N. PRESS 4-6-73 OCT 1973	8-30-73 9-6-73 9-6-73	Renewal of License  Atty.: J. Richard Carr AMENDED 12-5-73 re: ascertainment of community needs; LEO	GRANTED	12-19-73



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

104.7mhz 94.1mhz

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Name Watertown Radio, Inc.  
Watertown, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Docket No. 19,161 R & F #238822 \$200 REFUNDED \$200.00 Press OCT 31 1973	9-21-73 10-2-73 10-3-73	Data filed October 2, 1973 in accordance with Commission's Second Report and Order adopted January 5, 1972 and released January 7, 1972 in Docket No. 19,161, showing proposed operation on a frequency of 94.1mhz #231; chg. ant. (Gates FMC-6B, 6 sects. (H&V); make change ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO; ERP: 20KW(H&V) and HAAT: 286'(H&V).  Atty: Dempsey & Koplovitz	GRANTED	12-20-73
BLH-6619 R & F W 361037-\$50. PTA (limited) PTA (extended) PRESS APR 15 1975	11-2-74 11-4-74 11-4-74-057 11-11-74 4-3-75	Lic.(Docket #19161)-Changes.-Transmitter: BAUER, 605.  pending 302 data for AM	GRANTED	6-18-75



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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

94.1 mhz

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**WATERTOWN, WISCONSIN**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1255 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-19-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-30-76
	8-23-76			
	"			
	<b>AUG 26 1976</b>	AMENDED 10-8-76 re: signature page (Sect. I), ascert. of comm. needs, prog. & EEO		
		AMENDED 11-19-76 re: ascert. of comm. needs & prog.		
BRH79072711 PRESS	<b>OCT 3 1979</b>	Renewal of License Atty. J. Richard Carr	GRANTED	11-30-79



## 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.

