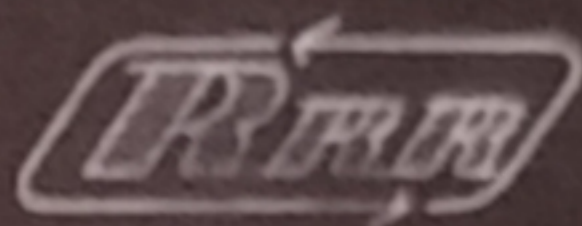


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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed May 14, 1968

W X L E (EFF: 12-15-75)
Call letters x W A R 1 - FM

Station location Abbeville, Alabama

HENRY COUNTY RADIO, INC. (AL: 1-31-80 EFF: 2-19-70)
Name of licensee x Abbeville Radio, Inc.

Transmitter location Alabama Hwy. 10, 2.5 mi. NW of Abbeville, Alabama (PH-10-11-67)(LH 5-14-68)

Main studio location Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To	
BPH-5864 HAAT: 285' (h) 280' (v) Cond' 1	10-11-67	94.3mc. ch# 232	ERP: 3kw(h&v) TPO: 2.35kw	Unl.	12-11-67 6-11-69	
CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.						
BPH-5864 (1)	12-27-67	Mod. of CP(BPH-5864) to assign call letters W A R I-FM.				
BLH-3952	5-14-68	94.3mc	ERP:3kw(H&V)	Unl.	4-1-70	
Lic, to cover CP(BPH-5864) for new FM station.						
BTC-5763	11-21-68	Invol. TC				
BRH-2208(S)	6-25-70	Renewal				4-1-73
BTC-6657	10-26-71	VOL. TC				
EBSA	5-22-72					
BRH-2208(S)	11-30-73	RENEWAL				4-1-76
BTC-7679	11/25/75	Vol TC EFF: 12/3/75				
BRH-2208(L)	3-9-76	Renewal				4-1-79
BALH790830HT	1-31-80	VOL. AL		EFF: 2-19-80		
COMTEL	2-28-80	AUTH GRANTED AM STATION WARI SUSPEND OPER. THRU 7-7-80				
BRH 781201	WO 6-15-79	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-82	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

 Call W A R I-FM
 Letters WAR-FM

 Name ABBEVILLE RADIO, INC.
ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA (PO c/o John V. Mizell, Box 121, Abbeville, Alabama 36310)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-5864 R & F	5-27-67 6-1-67	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 94.3mcs, Ch.#232 ERP: 3kw(H&V) Type trans.: Bauer 603 TPO: 2.47kw Type ant.: Jampro J3B/3V, 3 horizontal and 3 vertical sections HAAT: 282.83 feet Trans. loc.: Alabama Highway #10, 2½ miles Northwest of Abbeville, Alabama Studio loc.: Same as Trans. loc. Daly and <u>Joyce</u> , Attys. Havard T. Rawlinson, Engr. (Dothan, Alabama)	GRANTED	10-11-67
			Cond'l submit 302's for WARI (AM).	

CONTACT: John V. Mizell, Pres. WARI

**PHONS: Code 205; 585-3505
585-3887**

**ADDRESS: Highway 10
Abbeville, Alabama 36310**

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WARL-FM

Name ABBEVILLE RADIO, INC.
Abbeville, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-3952 Rec'd Filed #406910 \$30 PT APR 26 1968	2/6/68 2/8/68 2/13/68 2/13/68 2/21/68	License (BPH-5864, for new FM station). Engr: Havard T. Rawlinson, Dothan, Ala.	GRANTED	5-14-68
BTC-5763 R & F FEE PD:\$30 (Form 316) NOV 1 1968	10-10-68 10-24-68 #467890	Involuntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from John V. Mizell to Irene R. Mizell, Administratrix of the Estate of John V. Mizell Deceased	GRANTED	11-21-68
BRH-2208 R & F #565944 \$75. PH PRESS	12-26-69 12-31-69 12-31-69 12-31-69	Renewal of license	GRANTED	6-25-70

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

94.3mc

Call W X L E
Letters W A R I - P H

Name **ABBEVILLE RADIO, INC.**
Abbeville, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-6657 R & F FEB PD: \$1000 #025054 CODE 049(also see AM)	8-11-71 8-17-71	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Irene R. Mizell, Administratrix of the Estate of John V. Mizell(deceased) to Arthur L. Harris Atty - Daly, Joyce & Borsari	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$520.00 grant fee includes WARI(AM) also. Grant fee paid 063 W 016440	10-26-71 11-3-71
BRH-2208 R & F PN Recd. PRESS FEB 23 1973	12-21-72 1-2-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-12-73
BTC-7679 R & F FEE PD: \$1000# 387442 CODE 049(ALSO SEE AM) FEB 19 1975	1-17-75 1-30-75	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Arthur L. Harris to James K. Sanders, III Atty - Fletcher, Heald etc(R. Rowell) AMEND 4-15-75 re legal quals	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ Fee Pd	11/25/75 12/3/75 12/16/75 W 508805

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call
Letters W X L E

HENRY COUNTY RADIO, INC.

Name X ABBEVILLE RADIO, INC.
ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2208 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-24-75 11-25-75 " JAN 8 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	3-9-76
BRH 781201 VO PRESS JAN 29 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Julian P. Freret, Atty.	GRANTED	6-15-79
BALH 790830HT FORM 311 (ALSO SEE AM WARI) PRESS:	SEP 11 1979	Vol AL to HENRY COUNTY RADIO, INC. Atty for assignor - J.P. Freret for assignee - Ray Paul	GRANTED EFF:	1-31-80 2-19-80

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.

