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#1 STA TO OPER. 8-31-67 - started 9-11-67
Prog. Test 12-5-67

NON-COMM. EDUCATIONAL TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-29-68 (OFF. NO. 143)

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Call letters NEW-WUND-TV
WUNE-TV (8-11-67)
CAROLINA

Station location LINVILLE, NORTH /

Name of licensee UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Transmitter location GRANDMOTHER MOUNTAIN, 1.3 MILES EAST OF LINVILLE, NEAR LINVILLE, N.C.

Main studio location SPAIN HALL, CHAPEL HILL, NORTH CAROLINA

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPET-224	4-1-66	CH.#17	V-275 kw	DA	6-1-66
AH: 1540' MSL: 4869'		488-494	A- 55 kw	DA	12-1-66
CP FOR A NEW NON-COMM. ED. TV B/C STATION CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ISSUED WITHOUT CALL LETTERS.					
BPET-224	6-28-66	same	same	same	6-1-66
Mod. of CP CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED					
					12-1-66
BMPET-449	5-25-67	same	same	same	6-1-66
Mod. of CP (BPET-224) to ext. compl. date					
					11-25-67
WIRE 8-31-67 PENDING FILING LICENSE APPLICATION AUTH. GR. OPERATE WUNE-TV TEMP. FOR PERIOD 9-5-67 to 10-5-67 IN ACCORD. BPET-224 AND SUBJECT COMPLIANCE SEC. 73.690 (b) RULES					
WIRE 10-5-67 PENDING ACCEPTANCE LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER. WUNE-TV TEMP. FOR PER. END. 11-5-67 IN ACCORD. FACILITIES PROPOSED IN BMPET-515 AND SUBJECT COMPLIANCE SEC. 73.690 (b) RULES.					
WIRE 11-7-67 EXT. AUTH. GR. IDENTIFY WUNE-TV WUNF-TV and WUNG-TV JOINTLY AS PROPOSED TEMP. PER. END. 12-17-67 PENDING ACTIVATION OF INDEPENDENT PROGRAM ORIGINATION FACILITIES AT EACH STATION.					
BMPET-515	12-1-67	same	V-38kw DA	same	6-1-66
Mod. of CP (BPET-224, as mod) A-7.59 DA to change ERP, Antenna					
					11-25-67
ISSUED ON SHORT FORM AH: 265 MSL: 4865'					
WIRE 12-5-67 RE TENDERED LICENSE APPLICATION AUTH. GR. OPER. WUNE-TV ON PROG. TEST ACCORD. SEC. 73.629 RULES AND CP BMPET-515.					
BLET-197	11-29-68	LICENSE (BPET-224, as mod)			12-1-69
BRET-143	11-26-69	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			12-1-72
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRET-143	12-6-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			12-1-75
BRET-143	11-12-75	Ch. 17	V. 38 kW DA U		12-1-78
AH: 1540 MSL: 4865' 488-496 A. 7.59 kW DA Renewal of license					
BRET-7873	7-23-89	RENEWAL OF LIC. (S)			12-1-81

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Non-Commercial

Call WLNE-TV
Letters NEW-RUND-TV

Name UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA Zip 27515
c/o Fred H. Weaver, Vice President for Administration, Consolidated Office, Chapel Hill, N. C.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPET-224 Rec. & filed	2-17-65	<p>new</p> <p>Construction permit for a/Non-Commercial TV B/C station: Ch. 18, 494-500 Mcs ERP: Vis. 575 kw Aur. 115 kw Unlimited Hours T-L: Grandmother Mountain, Linville, N. C. S-L: Swain Hall, Chapel Hill, N. C. (GE TT-57A) AH: 1545 ft. STATION LOCATION: LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA (Req. waiver of Sec. 73.613 of Comm's Rules) Atty: Pierson, Ball & Dowd Engr: Alan B. MacIntyre, Chapel Hill, N. C.</p>	GRANTED	4-1-66
	2-23-65			
AMENDED Recd. & Filed	7-10-65	<p>Amended pursuant to Fourth Report and Order in Docket 14229 on 6-4-65 EFFECTIVE 7-15-65 (Revised Table of Assignments) to change from Ch. 18, 494-500 Mcs to <u>Ch. 17, 488-494 Mcs</u></p>	GRANTED	APR 1 1966
	7-13-65			

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WUNC-TV WUNC-TV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Name CH. 17 LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPET-449 Recd. & F	11-11-66 11-16-66	Mod. of CP (BPET-224, which auth. a new station) to extend completion date from 12-1-66 to 5-30-67.	GRANTED	5-25-67
BMPET-515 R & F SEP	8-21-67 8-23-67	Mod. of CP (BPET-224, as mod., which auth. a new station) to make the following changes: ERP via 695 kw ; Aur. 151 kw ; type of antenna GE 4TY106B; & antenna structure.	GRANTED	12-1-67
AMENDED R & F	9-29-67 10-2-67	AMENDED to change ERP to Visual 376 kw (Horz) Aural 60 kw (Horz)		
BLET-197 Recd. FILED	9-29-67 10-2-67 12-1-67	LICENSE to cover CP (BPET-224, as mod.) which authorized a new station.	GRANTED	11-29-68
BRET-143 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-2-69 " " SEP 2 1969	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-26-69

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September 1969

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

NON-COMMERCIAL ED TV

Call
Letters WUNE-TV

Name UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA
CH-17 LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRET-143 R & F PN REC PRESS	8-31-72 9-5-72 SEP 18 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	12-6-72
BRET-143 R & F PN Rec'd PRESS:	7-28-75 7-30-75 7-30-75 25 AUG 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	11-12-75
BRET-780731IP R&F PN RECD PRESS	7-28-78 7-31-78 7-31-78 AUG 17 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: None	GRANTED	7-23-81 SEE OTHER SIDE FOR CONDITION

1978 RENEWAL
SEE WUNC-TV for Petitions.

THIS APPLICATION IS GRANTED SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS THAT THE LICENSEE SUBMIT WITH THE STATION'S NEXT RENEWAL APPLICATION:

- {a} A LIST OF EMPLOYEES AS OF JULY 1, 1981, BY JOB TITLE WITH PART-TIME OR FULL-TIME STATUS INDICATED {RANKED FROM HIGHEST PAID TO LOWEST PAID}, DATE OF HIRE, SEX AND RACE OR NATIONAL ORIGIN;
- {b} A LIST OF PERSONS HIRED FROM THE DATE OF THIS ORDER TO JULY 1, 1981, INDICATING THEIR JOB TITLE AND PART-TIME OR FULL-TIME STATUS, DATE OF HIRE, SEX AND RACE OR NATIONAL ORIGIN; AND
- {c} DETAILS CONCERNING THE NETWORK'S EFFORTS TO RECRUIT FOR EACH POSITION FILLED DURING THE PERIOD NOTED IN {b} ABOVE, INCLUDING IDENTIFICATION OF SOURCES USED TO INCREASE THE STATION'S POOL OF MINORITY AND WOMEN APPLICANTS.

CARD NO. 4

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL TV Call Letters: WUNE-TV

Name: UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

CH-17

Station Location: LINVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRET-810731KN	7-31-81	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED 11-20-81
R&F	7-31-81		
PN REC'D	7-31-81		
BMLET-810702KE		ML to reduce aur. ERP to 135.8kW.	GRANTED 8-18-81

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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 television station history.

