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COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K T V V (Eff: 1-12-73)
X K H F I - T V (8-5-64)

Date first licensed 9-22-65 (OFF. NO. 589)

Call letters X K T X N

Station location AUSTIN, TEXAS

KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (TEXAS) (ML 1-31-77)

X KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (BMLCT-724 10-38-71)

X THE SOUTHWEST REPUBLIC CORPORATION (BAPCT-337 12-17-63 EFF: 1-28-64)

Name of licensee X TEXAS-LONGHORN BROADCASTING CORPORATION

(Docket #14229 & 14970 Eff: 8-20-64)

5 miles northwest of Austin, Trail of the Madrones Road, Near Austin, Texas

Transmitter location X Circle Drive, Near Oak Hill, Texas

908 WEST 19TH STREET, AUSTIN, TEXAS (Docket #14229 & 14970 Eff: 8-20-64)

Main studio location X Circle Drive, Near Oak Hill, Texas

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPCT-2848	3-5-62	CH #67	V-77.5 kw	U	5-5-62
AH: 630' MSL: 1526.3		788-794	A-45.5 kw		11-5-62
<u>Construction Permit for a New Comm. TV B/C Station.</u>					
BMPCT-5795	11-27-62	same	same	same	5-5-62
<u>Mod. CP (BPCT-2848) to extend completion date.</u>					
					3-31-63
BMPCT-5828	12-17-63	same	same	same	5-5-62
<u>Mod. CP (BPCT-2848, as mod) to extend completion dt 6-17-64</u>					
BAPCT-337	12-17-63	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to The Southwest Republic Corporation. EFF: 1-28-64			
SUPPLEMENT TO THIRD REPORT AND ORDER in DOCKETS 14229 AND 14970 ADOPTED 7-29-64 TO BE EFF: 9-8-64 OUTSTANDING CP MODIFIED TO SPECIFY OPER. ON CHANNEL 42 IN LIEU OF CH#67; CONDITIONS: re acceptance by 8-20-64 AND submit technical data for issuance of CP BY AUGUST 20 1964					
DOCKETS	8-20-64	CH. #42	V-479 kw	U	11-8-64
14229 & EFF: 9-8-64		638-644	A-120 kw		3-8-65
14970 AH: 1290 feet		MSL: 2049'			
Technical Data, Sub. Pursuant to Comm's Supplement to the 3rd Report & Order adopted 7-29-64. Specifing. chg. in CH. WIRE					
WIRE	2-5-65	RE TENDERED LIC. APPL. SUBJECT SUBMISSION COMPLETE VISUAL TRANS. PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS WITHIN 30 DAYS AUTH. GR. OPER. KHFI-TV ON PRG. TEST ACCORD. SECTION 73.629 & CONSTRUCTION ISSUED PURSUANT DOCKET NOS.: 14229 & 14970. ADV WHEN OPER COMM. UNDER THIS AUTH. OPER COMM. 2-12-65			
BLCCT-1453	9-22-65	CH. #42	V-468 kw	U	9-22-65
AH: 1290' MSL: 2049'		638-644	A-120 kw		8-1-68
LICENSE to cover CP (BPCT-2848, as mod. & Doc. 14229, 14970) which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station.					
BMLCT-534	2-28-66	Same	Same	Same	2-28-66
Mod. of lic. to reduce Aural ERP			A-85.1 kw		8-1-68
BRCT-589	7-22-68	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-71

Form BC 126

#2

June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters KHFI-TV

Station location Austin, Texas

Name of licensee THE SOUTHWEST REPUBLIC CORPORATION

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
WIRE	1-17-69	AUTH. GR. OPER.	KHFI-TV VIA REMOTE CONTROL ACCORD. PROCEDURE OUTLINED IN ENGINEERING STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST & SEC. 73.676 RULES. THIS AUTH. IS SUBJECT TO ANY ADD. REQUIREMENTS WHICH MAY RESULT FROM THE PROCEEDING RELATING TO REMOTE CONTROL OF TV STATIONS D-1842		
BRCT-589	7-29-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			8-1-74
BTC-6624	8-16--71	Vol. T/C			
BMLCT-724	10-28-71	ML chg. name (SF)			
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCTV-47	6-12-72	OPER. REMOTE CONTROL			
BPCT-4496	7-25-72	Ch. 36	V. 1380kw	U	9-25-72
AH: 1290' MSL: 2049'		602-608	A. 138		1-25-74
CP chg. freq., ERP7		trans. and ant.			
BMPCT-7434	1-16-73	Ch. 36	V. 1230kwDA	U	9-25-72
AH: 1290' MSL: 2049'		602-608	A. 123 kwDA		1-25-74
MP(BPCT-4496)		to change type antenna			
Wire	1-11-73	Pending filing lic. appl., auth. gtd. oper. temp. per. end. 1-26-73 accord. BMPCT-7434; advise when oper. commences under this auth. - 1-24-73. (Ch-36)			
Wire	2-5-73	Above auth. auth. gtd. oper. per. end. 2-16-73			
Wire	2-22-73	Above auth. gtd. extended to 3-2-73			
Wire	3-5-73	Above auth. extended 3-16-73			
Wire	3-9-73	Above auth. extended 4-16-73			
Wire	4-3-73	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd. oper. PTA accord. 73.629 & BMPCT-7434.			
BLCT-2209	5-15-73	CH. 36	V-1230DA	Unl.	5-15-73
AH: 1290 MSL 2049		602-608	A-123da		8-1-74
Lic. to cover (BPCT-4496, as mod.)		for changes			
BLCT-2222	7-31-73	Ch. 36	For Emer. Test &		8-1-74
		602-608	Main purposes only		
Lic. to utilize former main		trans as Aux. Trans.			

Form BC 126 CARD # 3
June 1954

COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters K T V V

Station location AUSTIN, TEXAS

Name of licensee KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location SEE CARD # 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BRCT-589	7-31-74	Renewal	of license (S)		8-1-77
BLCT-2350 AUX. TRANS.	4-18-75	Ch. 36 602-608	FOR EMERGENCY, MAIN, & TEST PURPOSES		8-1-77
BTC-8022	5-20-76	Voluntary transfer of control			
BMLCT-818 (1)	1-31-77	Mod of lic to chg name	Main Trans. & ant.		
BMLCT-818 (1)	1-31-77	Mod of lic to chg name	AUX. Trans.		
BRCT-589	7-14-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S) (MAIN TRANS. & ANT.)(AUX. TRANS.)			8-1-80
BTCTV-7908	16KE 8-29-79	VOL. TC			

Name TEXAS-LONGHORN BROADCASTING CORPORATION
 c/o Mr. John R. Powley, 3825 Ruth, Apt. 4, Houston 4, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT- 2848 Recd & Filed	2-14-61	CONSTRUCTION PERMIT for a new Commercial TV B/C Station: Freq: CH 718, 494-500 mc ERP: Visual 18, 18 kw Aural 11,000 kw STATION LOCATION: AUSTIN, TEXAS T-L: Circle Drive, Near Oak Hill, Texas S-L: Circle Drive, Near Oak Hill, Texas (RCA-TV-1B) AH: 578 feet (REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTIONS 3.613 & 3.685(a) of RULES). Hours of operation: Unlimited Atty: Alfred Winder, 3810 Ripplebrook, Houston, Texas	GRANTED	3-5-62 *
	2-20-61			SUBJECT COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 3.640 OF RULES. * STAFF ACTION: NEW DELEGATED AUTHORITY
AMENDED R & F	6-2-61 6-5-61	Amended re Certified By-Laws; corrected geo- graphic coordinates (no change in description of site); changes in antenna structure and antenna height above average terrain to 641 feet; addi- tional financial data and programming.		
Cont'd on card #2				

FORM BC-121

Aug. 1955

Call
Letters NEW-K T X NName TEXAS-LONGHORN BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(P.O. of John R. Powley, 3825 Ruth, Apt. 4, Houston 4, Texas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Continued from card #1 BPCT-2848 Amended R & F	9-20-61 9-25-61	Amended to change Freq: to Ch #67, 788-794 Mcs., ERP to Vis. 92.3 kw, Aur. 65.1 kw, change type of transmitters to Dumont 15000, antenna to Dumont 5327-A, make changes in equipment and antenna height above average terrain to 633' (and financial)	GRANTED	3-5-62
BMPCT-5795 Recd. & Filed	10-15-62 10-19-62	Mod. of CP (BPCT-2848, which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station), to extend completion date from 11-5-62 to 3-31-63. Direct	GRANTED	11-27-62
BMPCT-5828 Recd. & Filed	2-25-63 2-28-63	Mod. of CP (BPCT-2848, as mod. which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C station) to extend completion date from 3-31-63 to 9-30-63. Norman E. Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED with BAPCT-337	12-17-63

FORM BC-121

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AUG. 1955

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THE SOUTHWEST REPUBLIC CORPORATION (12-17-63)

Name X TEXAS-LONGHORN BROADCASTING CORPORATIONAustin, Texas (P.O. 910 WEST 19th St., Austin, Texas 78761) Lt. 4-22-64

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAPCT-337 Rec. & filed	7-16-63 7-29-63	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to The Southwest Republic Corporation. Krieger & Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED EFF: 1-28-64	12-17-63
BMPCT-5973 Recd.&Filed	5-14-64 5-19-64	Mod. of CP (BPCT-2848, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 6-17-64 to 10-1-64. Norman E. Jorgensen, Atty.	DISMISSED AS MOOT	JUN 20 1964
BMPCT-5985 Recd.&Filed	6-24-64 6-26-64	Mod. of CP (BPCT-2848, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV station) to change ERP from Vis. 77.5 kw, Aur. 45.5 kw TO Vis. 208kw, Aur. 109kw; change Transmitter and studio locations from Circle Drive, near Oak Hill, Texas TO Trail of the Madrones Road, Austin, Texas and 910 West 19th Street, Austin, Texas, respectively; change type of transmitters to G. E. TT-56-A; type of antenna to G. E. TY-25-F; make changes in antenna system and change antenna height above average terrain to 1298 feet. // Norman E. Jorgensen-atty. Wm. B. Carr, Engr. (4716 Blaney Ave. Ft. Worth Tex.	DISMISSED AS MOOT	JUN 20 1964

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call KHFI-TV (8-5-64)
Letters X X T X N

Name THE SOUTHWEST REPUBLIC CORPORATION
CH. 42 Austin, Texas zip 78701

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
TECH. DATA (1) Received LTR. re accept.	8-5-64 8-6-64 8-10-64	TECHNICAL DATA (form 301 & exhibits) submitted pursuant to Commission's Supplement to The Third Report and Order adopted 7-29-64, Dockets 14229 and 14970 Effective 9-8-64, modifying the outstanding construction permit of KTXN to specify operation on Channel 42 in lieu of channel 67 in Austin, Texas. Applicant accepts modification. Norman E. Jorgensen-atty	GRANTED	8-20-64
BLCT- 1453 Recd. & Filed	2-2-65 2-3-65	License to cover CP (BPCT-2848, as mod., and Dockets 14229, 14970) which authorized a new Comm. TV B/ Station. Krieger & Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED	9-22-65
BMLCT- 534 R & F	2-11-66 2-14-66	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 120 kw to 84.5 kw. Krieger & Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED	2-28-66
Interim Programming report filed 5-3-67 Renewed 12/28/67				

FORM BC-121

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters KHFI-TVName THE SOUTHWEST REPUBLIC CORPORATION
CH. 42 AUSTIN, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-589 R & F PRESS PN Recd. Engr. data filed 7-15-70	4-29-68 5-3-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ED.P. Taptich, Atty. (Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley)	#426037 \$150. GRANTED	5-3-68 7-22-68
BRCT-589 Rec. & filed PN Recd PRESS	4-30-71 5-3-71 MAY 24 1971	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley AMENDED 79-71 re equal opportunity.	GRANTED	7-29-71
BTC-6623 R & F #016321 \$250 AC: 055 PRESS:	7-9-71 7-12-71 7-12-71 JUL 23 1971	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from John R. Kingsbery, et al (all Stockholders) to Kingstip, Inc. Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley)	GRANTED EFF:	8-16-71 9-21-71
BMLCT-724 R & F PRESS	9-22-71 10-7-71 OCT 26 1971	ML to chg. name to Kingstip Communications, Inc. Atty.: Wilner	GRANTED	10-28-7-1

Amendment to remote control application filed 11-18-68 -

11-20-68

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call
Letters KHFI-TVName KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
CH-42 AUSTIN, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-4496 Received Filed #s 040460 & 041888 \$550 (Includes DA) AC: 011 PRESS: PN REC'D: GRANT FEE: \$4500 GRANT FEE PAID: 8-14-72 W 099692	2-9-72 2-10-72 2-15-72 2-10-72 2-15-72 FEB 22 1972 2-29-72	CP to chg. freq. from Ch-42, 638-644mcs to Ch-36, 602-608mcs; ERP to Vis. 5000kw, Aur. 500kw; type trans. to RCA TTU-110B; and type ant. to RCA TFU-28DAS. Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner, Scheiner & Greeley) Engr.: Applicant Amended 7-7-72 re engr. data. Ltr. from station re programming. 7-10-72	GRANTED	7-25-72
BRCTV-47 R & F #043299 \$50 AC: 069 PRESS:	2-4-72 2-22-72 2-22-72 MAR - 2 1972	Req. auth. to oper. trans. by remote control from 908 West 19th Street, Austin, Texas. Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner, Scheiner)	GRANTED	6-12-72

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call K T V V
Letters XKHF I-TV

Name KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

AUSTIN, TEXAS

CH-36 (CP)

File No.

Dated

Application for

Action

Nature

Date

BMPCT-7434

9-25-72

MP(BPCT-4496) to chg. type ant. to RCA

GRANTED

1-16-73

R & F

10-2-72

TFU-36JDAS.

#114659 \$50

10-2-72

Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner & Scheiner)

AC: 062

PRESS:

OCT 18 1972

BLCT-2209

2-28-73

Lic. to cover (BPCT-4496 as mod.) to make chgs.

GRANTED

5-15-73

Received

3-7-73

Filed

3-21-73

#160227 \$50

3-21-73

AC: 069

PRESS:

APR 30 1973

BLCT-2222

6-5-73

Lic. to utilize former main trans., RCA TTU 30A as an Auxiliary Trans.

GRANTED

7-31-73

R & F

6-11-73

PRESS:

#197908 \$50.

JUL 16 1973

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K T V V

Name KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

CH-36 Austin, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-589 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	4-19-74	RENEWAL of LICENSE (Atty: John R. Wilner)	GRANTED	J 7-31 74
	5-3-74	X No Annual Report Filed		
	5-3-74	(Main Trans. & Ant.)		
	MAY 20 1974	Amended 5-10-74 re equal employment, Amended 6-28-74 re equal employment/ Amended 7-1-74 re equal employemtn. Annual Report Filed 6-28-74		
BLCT-2350	10-18-74	Lic. for Aux. Trans. (RCA TTU-30-A)	GRANTED	4-18-75
R & F	10-29-74			
#359162 \$50.	10-29-74	Atty: John R. Wilner (Wilner & Scheiner)		
AC: 058	APR 1 1975			
PRESS:				

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call
Letters K T V V

KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (TEXAS)

Name KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
CH-36 AUSTIN, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8022 R & F #563878 \$100 AC: 047 PRESS: (Form 316)	4-27-76 5-5-76 5-5-76 17 MAY 1976	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Kingstip, Inc. to Kingstip Communications, Inc. (A Delaware Corporation). Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner & Scheiner)	GRANTED Eff:	5-20-76 5-25-76
BMLCT-818 R & F #620836 \$100 AC: 001 PRESS:	9-30-76 10-1-76 10-1-76 4 NOV 1976	Mod. of Lic. to chg. name to Kingstip Communications, Inc. (Texas). Atty.: John R. Wilner (Wilner & Scheiner)	GRANTED	1-31-77
BRCT-589 R&F PN RECD PRESS	3-1-77 3-30-77 APR 30 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main Trans. & Ant.)(Aux. Trans.) Atty.: John Wilner (Wilner & Scheiner)	GRANTED	7-14-77

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call Letters K T V V

Name KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC. (TEXAS)
Ch-36 AUSTIN, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8718 R&F PN REC'D PRESS (Form 315)	5-18-78 5-22-78 JUN 2 1978	Voluntary transfer of control of Kingstip Communications, Inc. (Deleware) (parent corp. of lic.) from John R. Kingsbery, E. G. Kingsbery, Henry B. Tippie, et al (majority stockholders) to Mid-Texas Broadcasting Inc. Atty.: John Wilner & Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering		
BTCTV-790816 R&F PN REC'D (FORM 316) PRESS	8-15-79 8-16-79 79 08 29	Voluntary transfer of license from Kingstip Communications, Inc.(Delaware) to Mid-Texas Broadcasting Inc. Atty. Maury J. Mechanick	Gr.	8-29-79

YR BTC-8718

PETITION TO DENY filed 7-3-78 by John Quale on behalf of Stanley Marsh 3, Tom F. Marsh, Michael C. Marsh, and Estelle M. Watlington.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 7-11-78 by Joel Rosenbloom on behalf of Mid-Texas Broadcasting, Inc.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 8-14-78 by John Quale on behalf of Stanley Marsh, et al.

REPLY TO JOINT OPPOSITION filed 8-25-78 by John Quale on behalf of Stanley Marsh, et al.

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 5-2-79, released 5-9-79 FCC 79-267 5927: In view of the above, we conclude that petitioners have raised no substantial and material questions which would require a hearing or denial of the instant application. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, that the petition to deny, filed by Stanley Marsh 3, Tom F. Marsh, Michael C. Marsh, and Estelle M. Watlington IS DENIED, and, based upon the determination that the transferee is fully qualified and that the public interest would be served thereby, the application for transfer of control of Kingstip Communications, Inc., IS GRANTED, subject to the condition that the licensee submit to the Commission within one year from the consummation of the transactions contemplated in BTC-8718 an application for the divestiture of either the KTVV(TV) or the KHFI-FM license.

CARD NO. 11

APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV
Call Letters: KTVVName: KINGSTIP COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
CH-36

Station Location: AUSTIN, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRCT-800401LL	3-28-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	
R & F	4-1-80	ATTY: GEORGE Y. WHEELER	GRANTED
PN REC'D	4-1-80	(KUTEN AND BURT	g 7-18-80

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 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.

