

WEYI-TV

B S CALD #1

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD COMMERCIAL TV

First Operation 5-1-53 (To start 5-1-53)

Date first licensed 7-10-57 (Official No. 351)

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WEYI-TV (6-6-72)

Call letters XWKIX-TV
(Station Loc: Saginaw, Mich.)

ID: SAGINAW-FLINT-BAY CITY, MICHIGAN

ZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY, DIVISION OF ZIFF-DAVIS PUBLISHING COMPANY (granted 12-26-72)
XZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY (ML 10-30-79) (AL gr. 2-26-81, Eff.)
XRUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY (BALCT-460 2-16-72 EFF: 3-23-72)

Name of licensee XLAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION

South Side of Willard Rd., Approx. 19 miles SE of Saginaw, Michigan (BPCT-4480 2-22-72)

X 1650 Treanor Street, Bridgeport Township, Michigan (BMLCT-82, 6-20-60)

Transmitter location X Bradley St. ^{at} ~~near~~ South city limits, Saginaw, Mich.

South Side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Michigan (BMPCT-7381)

X 1650 Treanor Street, Bridgeport Township, Michigan (BMLCT-82 6-20-60).

Main studio location X Bradley St. ^{at} ~~near~~ South city limits, Saginaw, Mich.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-1200 with BMPCT-924	issued	Ch. #57, 728-734 mos	V-17 kw A- 9.1 kw	U	
Construction permit for a new Commercial TV B/C Station granted 10-1-52 subject to site and obstruction marking approval.					
BTC-1397	11-20-52	Voluntary relinquishment of control of permittee corporation from William J. Edwards and Howard H. Wolfe to Alvin M. Bentley.			
BPCT-1200 BMPCT-924	1-2-53	Ch. #57, 728-734 mos	V-19 kw A-10 kw	U	3-2-53 9-2-53
Mod. of CP to change ERP, install trans. and antenna system and also to specify studio location.					
Wire	4-30-53	STA operate commercial basis with facilities specified in C.P. BPCT-1200 pending receipt by commission of verified request. Period 5-1-53 to 5-11-53.			
Wire accordance C.P.	5-4-53	Ext. STA operate commercial basis exact (BPCT-1200). Period 5-11-53 to 8-1-53.			
WIRE	7-28-53	Ext. STA operate commercial basis in accord with CP BMPCT-924. Period ending September 2, 1953.			
WIRE BMPCT-1373	9-2-53	Ext. STA operate comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-1373. Period ending December 2, 1953.			
BMPCT-1373	9-2-53	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod. CP (BPCT-1200 as mod) to extend completion date. 12-2-53					
BMPCT-1591	11-30-53	same	same	same	3-2-53
and C.P. (BPCT-1200, as mod) to extend compl. date 2-2-54					
WIRE BMPCT-1591	11-30-53	Ext. STA oper. comm. basis accord CP BMPCT-1591. Period ending February 2, 1954.			
BMPCT-1807	2-2-54	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod. CP (BPCT-1200, as mod) to extend completion dt. 78-2-54 and convert Obst. Markings					
2-3-54	EXT STA Opr.	Comm basis accordance CP BMPCT-1807 Period Ending 3-2-54			
BMPCT-2189	7-12-54	same	V-178kw A-93.3kw	same	3-2-53
Mod. CP (BPCT-1200, as mod) to change type of Ant. 2-2-55					
Wire	7-21-54	EXT STA Opr. Comm basis with facilities spofd in CP BMPCT-1807 pending compl. of construction ACCORD CP BMPCT-2189, Period Ending 2-2-55.			

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Wire	10-12-54	Mod. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord	CP BMPCT-2189, Period Ending 2-2-55
BMPCT-2749	1-20-55	same	same	same	3-2-53
		Mod. CP (BMPCT-1200, as mod) to extend completion dt. 8-2-55			
WIRE	1-20-55	EXT. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord	CP BMPCT-2749 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Per. End. 8-2-55
BMPCT-3249	7-13-55	same	same	same	3-2-53
		Mod. CP (BMPCT-1200, as mod) to extend completion date 2-2-56			
WIRE	7-28-55	EXT. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT-3249 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 2-2-56
BMPCT-3670	1-9-56	same	same	same	3-2-53
		Mod. of CP (BMPCT-1200, as mod) to extend compl. dt. 8-2-56			
WIRE	1-10-56	EXT. STA	gr. oper.	WKNX-TV, Comm. basis	accord. CP BMPCT-3670 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 8-2-56
BMPCT-4077	7-11-56	same	same	same	3-2-53
		Mod. CP (BMPCT-1200, as mod) to extend completion date 2-2-57			
WIRE	7-16-56	EXT. AUTH.	operate	Comm. basis	accordance MPCT-4077 pending filing Lic. appl. to 2-2-57
BMPCT-4476	7-31-57	same	same	same	3-2-53
		Mod. CP (BMPCT-1200 as mod) to extend compl. date 4-2-57			
WIRE	2-4-57	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL.			EXT. AUTH. OPR.
		ACCORD. MPCT-4476 to 4-2-57			
WIRE	3-11-57	PROGRAM TESTS AUTHORIZED			ACCORD.
		MPCT-4476			
BLCT-586	7-10-57	CH #57	V-174 kw	U	7-10-57
AH 450'			A-95.5 kw		10-1-58
		License to cover CP (BMPCT-1200 as mod.)			
BRCT-351	9-17-58	same	same	same	10-1-58
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-61
BMLCT-82	6-20-60	CH #57	V-174 kw	U	6-20-60 10-1-61
AH: 450'		728-734	A-95.5 kw		
		Mod. of License to specify TL & SL			
BRCT-351	9-28-61	same	same	same	10-1-61
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-64
WIRE	2-8-62	PENDING VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER REPAIRS			
		EXT. AUTH. GR. OPER. WKNX-TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND			
		FILTER PER. END. 3-10-62 SUBJ. CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE.			

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COMM.TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WKNX-TV

Station location SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee LAKE HURON BROADCASTING 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	3-6-62	PENDING	VESTIGIAL	SIDEBAND	FILTER
REPAIRS EXT. AUTH. GR. OPR. WKNX-TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL					
SIDEBAND FILTER PER. END. 4-10-62 SUBJECT CAUSING NO					
INTERFERENCE. ADVISE.					
WIRE	7-12-63	REURLET 8.	EXT. AUTH. GR. OPERA.		
WKNX-TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER PERIOD END					
10-15-63 SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE. ANY FURTHER					
REQUEST FOR EXT. MUST BE ACCOM. WITH DETAILS OF STEPS					
TAKEN TO REPAIR THE VSB FILTER.					
WIRE	10-14-63	EXTENSION AUTHORITY GR.	OPERATE WKNX-		
TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER PERIOD ENDING					
1-15-64, SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE.					
WIRE	10-6-64	REURLET SEPT. 28.	MOD. AUTH. GR. OPER.		
WKNX-TV TEMP. PER. ENDING 1-4-65 WITHOUT FILTERPLEXER &					
WITH AURAL SIGNAL MULTIPLEXED THROUGH VIDEO AMPLIFIER. THIS					
ARRANGEMENT AUTH. FOR STRICTLY EMERGENCY PURPOSE & SUBJECT					
TO CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE. PROPOSED MEANS OF MEASURING					
POWER ACCEPTABLE FOR THIS PERIOD.					
BRCT-351	9-18-64	same	same	same	10-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					10-1-67
SUPPLEMENT NO. 3 TO THIRD REPORT AND ORDER IN DOCKET 14229					
RM-454 & RM-290 ADOPTED 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65, LICENSE OF					
WKNX-TV MODIFIED TO SPECIFY OPERATION ON CHANNEL 25 IN LIEU					
OF CH#57: CONDITIONS; Advise by 6-1-65 if acceptable; Submit					
Tech. Data by 6-1-65; NOT begin auth. of new facil until					
Authorized by Comm; AND MAY CONTINUE OPERATION ON PREVIOUS					
CHANNEL UNTIL AUTHORITY AUTH. BY COMM. TO BEGIN NEW FACILITIES					
WIRE	9-8-65	REURLET 8-13.	NO OBJECTION	SUSPENDING	CHANNEL
57 OPERATIONS TEMPORARILY AS NECESS. DURING CHANNEL 25					
CONSTRUCTION. PENDING SUBMISSION PROOF OF PERFORMANCE, AUTH.					
ALSO GRANTED OPERATE WITH CHANNEL 25 FACILITIES TEMP. PERIOD					
ENDING 10-15-65. ADVISE COMMENCEMENT. BEGAN 9-14-65					
ENGR. DATA	9-13-65	CH. 25	V-144 kw	U	9-13-65
DOCKET 14229		536-542	A-28.8 kw		10-1-67
AR:450' MSK:1078' DATA APPROVED FOR MODIFIED LICENSE FOR					
OPERATION ON CH. 25 AND ERP CHANGED. AND ANTENNA SYSTEM					
WIRE	10-14-65	REURLET 12.	EXTENSION AUTH. GRANTED		
OPER. WKNX-TV ON CH. 25 TEMP. PERIOD END 11-15-65 PENDING					
SUBMISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.					

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CARD #4

COMM. TV B/C

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Call letters WKNX-TV

Station location SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION

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
WIRE WKNX-TV ON CH. 25 MISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.	11-12-65	REURLET 12. EXT.	12. EXT.	AUTH. GRANTED OPER.	1-15-66 PENDING SUB-
WIRE WKNX-TV ON CH. 25 MISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.	1-11-66	REURLET 10. EXT.	10. EXT.	AUTH. GRANTED OPER.	2-15-66 PENDING SUB-
WIRE CH#25 TEMP. PERIOD ENDING APRIL 15, 1966 PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.	3-15-66	EXTENSION		AUTH. GRANTED OPERATE WKNX-TV ON	PENDING ACTION ON
PROOF OF PERFORMANCE DATA, APPROVED Supplement No. 3 to Third Report & Order in Docket #14229)	3-21-66	CH#25	V-144 kw	U	3-21-66
DOCKET #14229 AH: 450' MSL: 1078'	3-21-66	536-542 mcs.	A-28.8 kw		10-1-67
MODIFIED LICENSE AUTHORIZATION ISSUED					
BRCT-351 RENEWAL OF LICENSE	9-11-67	same	same	same	10-1-67
BPCT-4260 AH: 450' MSL: 1078'	8-11-69	CH. 25	V-302 kw	U	10-11-69
CP to change ERP and make changes in antenna system.		536-542	A-30.2 kw		4-11-70
WIRE BPCT-4260 AND FILING LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER. TEMP. PER. 9-15 thru 11-9 ACCORD. STEPS ONE AND TWO OF YOUR REQUEST. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER EACH STEP OF THIS AUTHORITY.	9-3-69	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION ACCORD			
WIRE COMMISSION WIRE OF	11-13-69	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 11-22-69 ACCORD			
WIRE	11-21-69	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 12-2-69			
WIRE ON PTA ACCORD CP BPCT-4260.	12-2-69	RETENDERED LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER.			
BTC-6224	4-6-70	VOL. T/C.			
BRCT-351	5-27-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (s)			10-1-73
BLCT-1940	6-14-71	Lic. (BPCT-4260) chg.			10-1-73
BALCT-460	2-16-72	Vol. A/L			
BPCT-4480	2-22-72	Ch. 25 V. 1350 kw		U	4-22-72
CP chg. ERP, TL, trans. & ant. 7 HAAT.		536-542 A. 135 kw			8-22-73
BMPCT-7381	3-15-72	MP (BPCT-4480) chg. SL			

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Call letters WKHX-TV

Station location

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BMPCT-7383	3-20-72	Ch. 25	V. 1350 kw	U	4-22-72
AH: 1320' MSL: 2049'		536-542	A. 135		8-22-73
IP (BPCT-4480 as mod)		chg. trans.			
ESBA	5-15-72				
Wire	12-5-72	Pending filing lic. appl., auth. gtd.			
oper. temp. per. end.	1-5-73	accord. BMPCT-7383. Advise			
when oper. commences		under this auth.			
Wire	1-5-73	Above auth. extended to 2-5-73			
Wire	1-31-73	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. gtd.			
oper. PTA accord.	78.629 &	BMPCT-7383.			
BLCT-2197	2-12-73	Ch. 25	V-1350 kw	U	
AH: 1310' MSL: 2049'		536-542	A-135kw		10-1-76
Lic. (BPCT-4480 as mod.,)		for chg.			
BLCT-2197	2-12-73	Superseded to correct date to 10-1-73.			
BRCT-351	9-27-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-73
					10-1-76
BRCT-351	9-15-76	Renewal of license (S)			10-1-79
WIRE	6-23-77	Auth. grtd. oper. WEYI-TV at reduced			
visual and aural. ERO for purpose as outlined in your					
request. Suitable notice to be given to public of ongoing					
nature of tests. If permanent auth. desired, must file					
FCC Form 302 for modification of lic. request furnish					
Commission with report of conclusion of tests. This					
auth. expires 9-20-77.					
WIRE	10-20-77	Above auth. extended to 12-18-77.			
BTC-8567	5-10-78	VOL. TV/C			
BRCT-790601KY	9-21-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-82
BMLCT-858 &	10-30-79	Ch-25,	536-542MHz	Unl.	10-1-82
BMLCT-790702KH	AH: 1320' MSL: 2049'	ERP: Vis. 676kW, A-67.6kW			
ML to show chgs. in trans., ant., and ERP; and chg. name					
EBSA	10-7-80	New authorization reflecting chg.			
		of Call Sign eff. 6-6-72.			
BALCT-810121KI	2-26-81	VOL. AL			

CARD #1

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm. TV B/c

WHLA-TV

Call

Letters

~~WHLA-TV~~ (U)Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(Saginaw, Michigan)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-1200 Rec'd Filed	8-20-52 8-25-52 8-27-52	Construction permit for a Comm. TV B/C station FREQ: Ch. #57, 728-734 mcs. ERP: Vis. 17.5 kw; Aur. 12.3 kw. Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: To be determined, Saginaw, Michigan T-L: South of Saginaw, Michigan (Vis. & Aur. GE TT-24-A) (464') Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty	GRANTED	10-1-52 (Issued with BPCT-924)
AMENDED Recd Filed	9-3-52 9-5-52 9-5-52	To change antenna height/above terrain from 464' to 466.8'; transmitter type no. from TT-24-A to TT-20-A; and coordinates, W. Long., from 22" to 32".		
AMENDED Recd Filed	9-10-52 9-11-52 9-11-52	To show additional data concerning financial qualifications of V. Pres.		
BTC-1397 Recd & Filed	10-21-52 10-23-52	Voluntary Relinquishment of Negative Control of Permittee Corporation Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	11-20-52

John Creutz, Engr.

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(Saginaw, Michigan)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-924 Recd Filed	10-30-52 11-3-52 11-3-52	Modification of CP (BPCT-1200 which auth. a new Commercial TV B/C station) to change ERP from Vis. 17 KW, Aur. 9.1 KW to Vis. 18.8 KW, Aur. 12.6 KW and to install new transmitters and antenna system. (441') Vis. & Aur. RCA TV-157 Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	1-2-53
BMPCT-924 AMENDED Recd Filed	11-12-52 11-14-52 11-14-52	Amended to add Bradley Street to the transmitter location and to change studio location from to be determined, to Bradley Street, adjacent to South City limits of Saginaw, Michigan. Filed by Frank Fletcher, Atty.		
AMENDED BMPCT-924 Recd & filed	11-25-52 12-3-52	Amended to correct the type number of antenna and Engr. Sec. V-C P ara 9(b) Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.		
BMPCT-1373 Recd & Filed	8-28-53 8-31-53	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-1200 as mod., which auth. a new Comm TV B/C Station) for extension of completion date from 9-2-53 to 12-2-53. Filed by Frank Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	9-2-53

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Letters WKIX-TVName LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-1591 Recd. Filed	11-20-53 11-27-53 11-27-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new COMM. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 12-2-53 to 2-2-54. Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-53
BMPCT-1807 Recd. Filed	1-29-54 1-29-54 1-29-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-54 to 5-2-54. Filed by Frank Roberson, Atty.	GRANTED	2-2-54
BMPCT-2189 Recd. Filed	6-9-54 6-14-54 6-14-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to change ERP from Vis. 19.0 kw, Aur. 10.0 kw to Vis. 179.5 kw, Aur. 94.2 kw change type of antenna, install transmitting equipment and make other equipment changes. (445') (BCA (driver) TTU-1B G.B. (Amplifier) TF-6A) Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	7-12-54

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Letters WIX-TVName LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-2749 Recd. & Filed	1-10-55 1-13-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-55 to 8-2-55. Filed by B. P. Cottone, Atty.	GRANTED	1-20-55
BPCT-3249 Recd & Filed Ext. #6	7-8-55 7-11-55	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 8-2-55 to 11-2-55. Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	7-13-55
BPCT-3670 Recd. & Filed Ext. #7	12-29-55 1-4-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 2-2-56 to 8-2-56. Filed by Benedict P. Cottone, Atty.	GRANTED	1-9-56
BPCT-4077 Recd & Filed Ext. # 8	6-25-56 6-29-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 8-2-56 to 2-2-57. Filed by: Benedict P. Cottone, Atty.	GRANTED	7-11-56

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm TV B/C

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Letters WIXX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT- Recd	10-29-56	Modification of CP (BPCT-1200 as modified, which authorized a new comm TV b/c station) to change Station location from Saginaw, Mich to Flint, Mich., change Frequency from Ch. # 57, 728-734 Mcs. to Ch. # 12, 204-210 Mcs., ERP from Vis. 178 kw, Aur. 93.3 kw to Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 158 kw, change studio and transmitter location from Bradley Street at City Limits, Saginaw, Mich to Studio-Loc. To be determined within city limits, Flint, Mich. and transmitter location to Chesaning Road and Gasper Road, 3.5 miles NE of Chesaning, Michigan, install new transmitters and antenna system and make other equipment changes. (GE-TT-36-A) (973') Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr. Atty.	RETURNED ACCEPTABLE FOR FILING UNDER COMMISSION'S RULES (Ltr. by Levy)	9-2-58 as NOT
	10-29-56			

Card #6
FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV 3/0

Call
Letters WJIX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HPCT-4476 Recd & Filed Ext. 49	12-28-56 1-3-57	Mod. of CP (HPCT-1200, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-57 to 4-2-57. Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	1-31-57
BLCT-586 Recd & filed	2-26-57 3-4-57	License to cover HP (HPCT-1200 as mod.) which authorized a new comm TV b/c station Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	7-10-57
BRCT-351 Recd & Filed	6-28-58 7-1-58	Renewal of License. Filed by Edward R. McKenna, Atty.	GRANTED	9-17-58
BLCT-82 R & F	4-14-60 6-6-60	Mod. of license to specify Transmitter and studio location as 1650 Treanor Street, outside city limits of Saginaw, Michigan in lieu of Bradley Street, at City Limits of Saginaw, Michigan, and to request waiver of Sec. 3.613 of the Commission's Rules. Filed by Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	6-20-60

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call
Letters WKNX-TVName LAKE HIRON BROADCASTING CORPORATIONSaginaw, Michigan

New P.O. address SEE BACK OF CARD

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-351 Recd. & Filed	6-20-61 7-3-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-61
BRCT-351 Recd. & Filed	6-26-64 7-2-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	9-18-64
LETTER rec. 5-25-65 (1) Report and Order in Docket No. 14229	6-25-65	Consenting to Modified license pursuant to Supplement No. 3 to the Third Report and Order in Docket No. 14229 adopted 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65 FOR CH#25 in lieu of CH#57 <i>To Ch 3 4-7-65</i>		
ENGR. TECH. DATA (3) Recd.	6-15-65 6-22-65	Technical Engineering Data submitted pursuant to Supplement No. 3 to The Third Report and Order in Docket #14229 adopted 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65 for Modified License Authorization to Specify operation on Channel 25 in lieu of Channel 57; with ERP Vis. 146 kw, Aur. 29 kw, and other related changes. McKenna & Wilkinson-atty (Tom N. Frohock)	GRANTED SEP 13 1965	
Proof of Performance Data (3) recvd.	2-7-66 2-7-66	PROOF OF PERFORMANCE measurements submitted relative to ENGR. DATA approved for modified license authorization of WKNX TV, specifying operation on CH#25 in lieu of CH#57 (Pursuant to Supplement No. 3 to Third Report & Order in Docket #14229) (McKenna & Wilkinson-atty)		

Letter dated 2-23-67 New Address:

5200 State Street
Saginaw, Michigan 48603 Telephone 793-4950

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CUBM-TV

Call
Letters WKMX-TVName LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-391 R & F	6-20-67 6-20-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Aaron I. Fleischman, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	9-11-67
----- JUL 17 1967 -----				
BPCT-4260 R & F #527635 \$30 PRESS:	7-8-69 7-9-69 7-9-69 JUL 16 1969	CP, chg. ERP to Vis. 302kw, Aur. 30.2kw and make chgs. in ant. system. Atty.: David S. Stevens (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	8-11-69
BLCT-1940 R & F \$30 #560401 PRESS	11-25-69 11-28-69 " DEC 10 1969	LICENSE (BPCT-4260) for changes. James R. Cooke, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	6-14-71
BTC-6224 R & F #586906 \$30 PRESS: PN REC'D:	3-20-70 3-23-70 3-23-70 APR 1 1970	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation by each, William J. Edwards and Howard H. Wolfe thru purchase of stock (and retirement thereof) by the licensee corporation from the Executors of the Estate of Alvin M. Bentley, Deceased. Atty.: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED EFF:	4-6-70

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WXNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Ch. 25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
Engr. data filed	7-2-70			
BRCT-351	6-29-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-27-71
Rec. & filed	7-6-70	John L. Tierney, (McKenna & Wilkinson)		
PN RECD	7-6-70	Ltr. from atty. submitting bank loan. 4-28-71		
\$150 #612761	7-1-70			
PRES	JUL 4 1970			
BAIT-460	11-22-71	Voluntary assignment of license to Rust Craft Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED	2-16-72
W & F	11-22-71	Attys.: <u>McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner</u> (Assignor)	WFF:	3-23-72
#61286 \$1000	11-22-71	<u>Rosel H. Hyde</u> (Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker) (Assignee)	COMMISSION ACTION	
AC 051	NOV 24 1971			
FESS:		Amended 12-2-71 re legal & programming.		
PN REC'D:	12-13-71	Amended 12-3-71 re Sec. 1, para. 9 & Exh. 2 re tax certificate.		
GRANT FEE:	\$32,000.00			
GRANT FEE PAID:	*			
\$22,500	3-27-72 054710	Amended 12-22-71 re legal data.		
\$ 9500	3-31-72 057422	Amended 1-14-72 re info. on the stock of Rust Craft GreetingsCards, Inc.		

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CH-25 LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BFACT-4480 R & F #021259 \$2500 AC: 003 PRESS: NOV 24 1971 PN REC'D: 12-13-71 GRANT FEE: \$2,500 GRANT FEE PAID: SEE BACK	11-22-71 11-22-71 11-22-71	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 1362kw(H), Aur. 136kw(H); TL to S. side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Mich. (43-13-01 83-43-17); type trans. to RCA TTU-110B; type ant. to RCA TFU-46K; make chgs. in ant. structure; and HAAT 1305 ft. Atty.: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker) Engr.: Frederick D. Veihmeyer (Lohnes and Culver) Amended 12-2-71 re Sec. IV-B	Granted	2-22-72
EMPCT-7381 R & F #048970 \$50 AC: 062 PRESS: MAR 13 1972	3-4-72 3-9-72 3-9-72	MP(BFACT-4480) to chg. SL S. side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Mich. Attys: Edward Taptich (McKenna, Wilkinson)	GRANTED	3-15-72
EMPCT-7383 R & F #051333 \$50 AC: 062 PRESS: MAR 21 1972	3-13-72 3-16-72 3-16-72	MP(BFACT-4480 as mod.) to chg. type trans. to to GE TT-62-B; type ant. to GE TT-206-A Atty.: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun)	GRANTED	3-20--72 <i>Lee</i>

Grant fee: \$9000.00 paid 4--5-72 515315 - Ltr. 4-4-72 from atty. stating top market list had changed - copy of ltr. sent to Joe Ryan for further consideration.

Joe

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September 1969

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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RUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name LAKE-HURON-BROADCASTING-CORPORATIONCH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAPCT-500 R & F #051338 \$500 AC: 055 PRESS:	3-9-72 3-16-72 3-16-72 MAR 21 1972	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Rust Craft Broadcasting Company. Atty.: Edward P. Taptich (McKenna, Wilkinson) (Assignor) Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun) (Assignee)	GRANTED EFF:	3-22-72
BTC-6946 R & F #102508 \$250 AC: 055 PRESS:	8-18-72 8-22-72 8-22-72 AUG 30 1972	Voluntary transfer of control of Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc. (parent corporation of licensee) from the Berkman Group (de jure control) to the Berkman Group (de facto control). Atty.: Percy H. Russell (Kirkland, Ellis & Rowe)	GRANTED	8-31-72 Eff: 10-30-72
LETTER, dated	12-8-72, Rec'd 12-11-72, DEC 14 1972	requesting "on-the-air" station identification as: Saginaw-Flint-Bay City, Michigan.	GRANTED	12-26-72

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COMMERCIAL TV

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Letters

Name RUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY
CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-2197 R & F \$50-AC-068 #148675 PRESS: 7 1973	12-16-72 1-30-73 1-30-73	License to cover (BPCT-4480 as mod.,) for changes. Atty: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun and Barker)	GRANTED	2-12-73
BRCT-351 R & F PN Recd. PRESS: 2 5 1973	6-12-73 6-25-73 6-25-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker, R.H. Hyde, atty.	GRANTED	9-27-73
BRCT-351 R&F PN RECD PRESS	5-19-76 5-27-76 14 JUL 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Atty.: Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker, <u>Leon T. Knauer</u>) Contours filed 5-27-76	GRANTED	9-15-76

BLCT-2197

Subject to the condition that operation with visual effective radiated power in excess of 1000 kW after March 1, 1974, is subject to a further extension of consent by Canada.

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CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8567 R&F PN RECD PRESS (Form 315)	1-12-78 1-17-78 JAN 30 1978	Voluntary transfer of control of Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc. (parent corporation of licensee) from the Berkman Group (de facto control) to Ziff Corporation. Atty.: R. Russell Eagan & John C. Quale (Kirkland & Ellis)	GRANTED EFF:	5-10-78 3-22-79
BRCT 790601KY R & F PN REC'D PRESS	5-29-79 6-1-79 6-1-79 79 07 25	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: STEVEN A. LERMAN (MCKENNA, WILKINSON & KITTNER) AMENDED 9-3-80 re programming	GRANTED	9-21-79

BTC-8567

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-12-78 by Geoff Bentley on behalf of Jack N. and Myles P.
Berkman.

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

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ZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name: TRUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY

CH-25

Station Location: SAGINAW, MI

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMLCT-790702KH R & F PRESS:	6-26-79 7-2-79 9-26-79	Mod. of Lic. to chg. name to Ziff-Davis Broadcasting Company. Atty.: Steven A. Lerman (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED 10-30-79
BALCT-810121KI Form 316		Vol. AL to Ziff-Davis Broadcasting Company, Division of Ziff-Davis Publishing Company. Atty.: Steven Lerman	

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.

