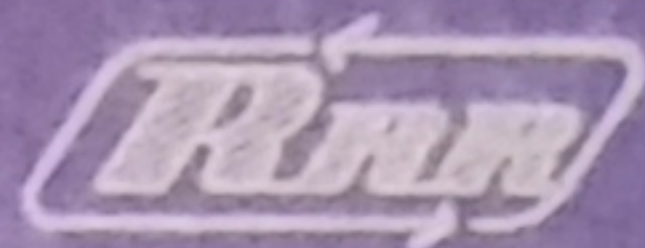


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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 9-20-57 (Official No. 367)

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Call letters X WFGA-TV

(Station Loc: Jacksonville, Florida)

TELEVISION 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. (BMPCT-7382 3-22-72)

X TELEVISION 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. (BMPCT-7382 3-22-72)

X CHANNEL 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC. (BPCT-1624 7-14-71)

Name of licensee X FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.

1070 E. Adams Street, Jacksonville, Florida

Transmitter location X At foot of East Bay and Georgia Streets, 0.1 mile north of St. John's River
Jacksonville, Florida

1070 East Adams Street, Jacksonville, Florida (Lic. 9-20-57)

X Main studio location At foot of East Bay and Georgia Streets, 0.1 mile north of St. John's
River, Jacksonville, Florida

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

WFGA-TV

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-1624	8-29-56	CH #12	V-316 kw	U	10-29-56
AH 950 ft.		204-210	A-200 kw		4-29-57
CP for a new COMM. TV B/C STATION					
BMPCT-4510	2-27-57	same	same	same	10-29-56
AH: 940'					4-29-57
Mod.CP(BPCT-1624)to install new transmitters & antenna system & make other equipment changes.					
MPCT-4617	4-11-57	same	same	same	4-29 7-29-57
Mod.CP(BPCT-1624,as mod) for ext. of completion date					
BMPCT-4768	7-18-57	same	same	same	10-29-56
Mod.CP(BPCT-1624,as mod)to extend completion date.					
10-29-57					
WIRE 8-23-57 PROGRAM TESTS AUTHORIZED MPCT-4768					
BLCT-702	9-20-57	CH# 12	V-316 kw	U	9-20-57
AH 940'		204-210	A-200 kw		2-1-58
License to cover CP(BPCT-1624, as mod.) chg trans&studio lo					
BRCT-367	WIRE 1-31-58	COMM. DEFERRED ACTION 1-30-58 PENDING			
QUESTIONS CONCERNING FINANCIAL DATA - CONTINUED					
OPERATION AUTHORIZED					
BRCT-367	2-12-58	same	same	same	2-12-58 2-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BPCT-2552	10-13-58	CH # 12	V-316 kw	U	12-13-58
AH:940'		204-210	A-158 kw		6-13-59
CP to chg. Aural ERP & make minor equipment chgs.					
WIRE	2-20-59	RE LIC. APPL. BLCT-910,AUTH.GR.OPR.WFGA-TV ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SECTION 3.629 RULES AND CP			
BPCT-2552.					
BLCT-910	5-22-59	CH# 12	V-316 kw	U	5-22-59
AH:940'		204-	A-158	MSL:	2-1-61
Lic to cover CP(BPCT-2552)auth. to decrease AURAL ERP.					
COMM. ON 2-1-61 DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL APPLICATION					
BRCT-367	9-1-64	same	same	same	9-1-64
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
2-1-67					
WIRE	10-22-65	RELETATY 21. PENDING ACTION FCC FORM 301 FOR PERMANENT CHANGE, EXT. AUTH. GRANTED OPERATE WFGA-TV TEMP. PERIOD END 12-22-65 WITH AURAL POWERS BETWEEN 10 AND 20 PERCENT OF LICENSED VISUAL POWER.			
ORDER adopted 11-17-65 CPBPCT-1624 DOC.10834(as other auths.) GRANTS VACATED: See Memo 75293: WFGA-TV AUTHORIZED CONTINUED OPERATION UNTIL FURTHER ORDER OF COMMISSION. See Docket					

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters WFGA-TV

Station location JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

Name of licensee FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location SEE CARD #1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BMLCT-344	11-8-65	CH. 12	V-316 kw	U	11-8-65
AH: 940' MSL:--		204-210	A-60.3 kw		2-1-67
<u>Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP and modified Aux. trans</u>					
ORDER adopted 7-5-67 Docket 10834 authorized continued operation, which was granted by Order adopted 11-17-65, but modified subject to condition that authorization shall be without prejudice to any aspect of proceeding to be held with respect to Ch. 12 in Jacksonville, Fla.					
BPCT-1624	7-14-71	Ch. 12	V. 316 kw	U	9-14-71
AH: 940' MSL: --		204-210	A. 60.3 kw		1-1-73
<u>CP for a new station</u>					
BMPCT-7382	3-22-72	MP (BPCT-1624) chg. name			
EBSA	5-15-72				
Wire	5-23-72	Re tend'd. lic. appl. auth. gtd. oper. PTA			
<u>accord. Sect. 73.629 Rules & MPCT-7382</u>					
BLCT-2156	6-21-72	Lic. (BPCT-1624) new station			
					2-1-73
BRCT-753	1-31-73	Renewal of license (S)			2-1-76
BTC-7111	5-10-73	Vol. TC			
<u>REPORT AND ORDER AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE adopted 4-11-73, released 4-16-73 chgng offset from 12- to 12+.</u>					
Wire	8-22-73	Pending compliance with report and order in D-19510 auth. gtd continue oper. on CH-12 with minus offset carrier freq. temp. per. ending 11-1-73			
Wire	10-30-73	Pending compliance with report and order in docket no. 19510 extend auth. gtd. continued oper. on channel 12 with minus offset carrier frequencies temp. per. ending 2-1-74			
BTC-7578	3-27-75	VOL TC			
BRCT-753	3-30-76	Renewal of license (S)			2-1-79
BRCT-781002KW	2-26-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			2-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.
(P.O. 1746 E. Adams St., Jacksonville, Florida)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
EPCT-1624	8-11-52	C.P. for a new Comm. TV B/C Station	RECEIVED	
Rec'd	8-15-52	FREQ.: Ch. #12, 204-210 mcs.	RECEIVED	
Filed	8-15-52	ERP: Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 158 kw	RECEIVED	
		Hours of Operation: Unlimited	(SEE ACTION CARD #2) FOR	
		S-L: 1746 E. Adams St., Jacksonville, Florida	ORIGINAL GRANT	
		T-L: Same	ORDER adopted 11-17-65	
		(Vis. & Aur. GE-44-264 and TT-54) (750')	EPCT-1624, DOCKET #10834	
		(Filed by Bernard Koteen, Atty.)	(& other decisions) GRANT	
AMENDED	11-4-53	Amended to change ERP from Vis. 316 kw, Aur.	VACATED: Returned to Hearing	
Rec'd	11-5-53	158 kw to Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 200 kw ; antenna	& new appls. may be filed	
Filed	11-5-53	height above average terrain from 750' to	by March 1, 1966.	
		948' type antenna; type trans. (GE TT-26A);	WFGA-TV authorized contin-	
		studio and trans. location from 1746 E. Adams	ued operation on present	
		St., Jacksonville, Florida to At-foot-of-East	facil. until further	
		Bay and Georgia Sts., Jacksonville, Fla. ; and	Order of Commission.	
		other equipment.		

Lester H. Carr, Engr.

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FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

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Name **FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.**
 PO **1746 E. Adams Street, Jacksonville, Florida**

File No.	Dated	Application for	SEE	Action
BPCT-1624	AMENDED 12-12-53 Recd. 12-14-53 Filed 12-14-53	Amended to change Stockholders & Directors; AUR ERP from 200 kw to 158 kw; antenna height above average terrain from 948' to 507'; type of antenna & antenna system; change transmitter and studio locations from At foot of East Bay and Georgia Streets, Jacksonville, Florida TO 1746 East Adams Street, Jacksonville, Florida. Bernard Koteen- atty		GRANTED 11-17-63 DECISION/ DOCKET 10834/ 8-29-56 * s/ON Comm. own Motion by Order in Docket 10834 7-29-60 Record is Re- OPENED FOR further hear- ing Before a Hearing Examiner to be assigned. 9-11-63 readopts above action of nunc pro tunc
Amended Recd & filed	12-19-53 12-22-53	Amended to change type of antenna Filed by Bernard Koteen, Atty.	ORDER OF	
BPCT-4530	1-29-57 Recd & filed 1-30-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1624 which auth. a new comm TV b/c station to install new transmitters and antenna system and make other equipment changes. (RCA TT-50AH) (940) Filed by Alan Y. Haftalin, Atty.		GRANTED 2-27-57
BPCT-4617	3-29-57 Recd. & filed Ext. #1 4-1-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1624, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 4-29-57 to 7-29-57. Filed by Bernard Koteen, Atty. n.c.		GRANTED 4-11-57

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Name FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.
Jacksonville, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BNPCT-4768 Recd. & filed Ext. # 2	6-29-57 7-3-57	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1624, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C station) to extend completion date from 7-29-57 to 10-29-57. Filed by B. Koteen, Atty.	GRANTED	7-18-57
BLCT-702 Recd & Filed	8-16-57 8-21-57	Lic. to cover CP (BPCT-1624, as mod.) which authorized a new Comm. TV b/c station and specify S-L and T-L as 1070 E. Adams Street, Jacksonville, Fla. Change in description only. Bernard Koteen, Atty. (not a move)	GRANTED	9-20-57 above action affirmed per order 9-11-63 nunc pro tunc
BRCT-367 Recd & filed	12-16-57 12-26-57	Renewal of license Bernard Koteen, Atty.	GRANTED	2-12-58 above action affirmed per order 9-11-63 nunc pro tunc
PCT-2552 Recd. & filed	8-27-58 9-5-58	Construction Permit to make changes in existing station to change Aural ERP from 200 kw to 158 kw. and make minor equipment changes Filed by Alan Y Naftalin, Atty.	GRANTED	10-13-58

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Jacksonville, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-910 Rec. & filed	2-16-59 2-18-59	License to cover construction permit (BPCT-2552) which authorized decrease in AURAL ERP, Koteen & Burt-attys	GRANTED	5-22-59
BRCT-367 Recd. & Filed	11-2-60 11-3-60	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Bernard Koteen, Atty.	GRANTED	9-1-64
BRCT-344 Recd. & Filed	9-30-65 10-4-65	Modification of License to reduce Aural ERP from 158 kw to 60 kw and modified aural trans- mitter. Koteen & Burt, Atty.	GRANTED	11-8-65

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CHANNEL 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.

Name **FLORIDA-GEORGIA TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.**
Ch. 12, Jacksonville, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-1624 Rec. & filed AMENDED (formerly Docket 10834)	3-1-66 3-1-66	Construction permit amended to update application in accordance with Commission's Order (FCC 65-1021) adopted 11-17-65: Ch. 12, 204-210 Mcs ERP: Vis. 316 kw Aur. 60 kw Unlimited hours T-L: 1070 East Adams St., Jacksonville, Florida S-L: Same as transmitter (Vis. & Aur - RCA TT-50AH) AH: 940 ft. Koteen & Burt, Atty. Jules Cohen & Associates, Engr.	DESIGNATED FOR HEARING D-10834 granted by Review Board Memo. Opinion & Order	7-14-71
PETITION TO DENY PENDING APPLICATIONS AND FOR THE COMMISSION TO CALL FOR AN DENY OTHER APPLICATIONS filed 11-1-66 by Cottone for Antwin Theatres, Inc.				
PETITION FOR RULING filed 6-16-67 by H. Leon Holbrook, Atty. for Harold S. Cohn, Sr.				
PETITION FOR HEARING AND AUDIT filed 6-16-67 by H. Leon Holbrook for Harold S. Cohn, Sr.				
OPPOSITION OF WOMETCO ENTERPRISES, INC. TO PETITION FOR RULING filed 6-27-67 by Marcus Cohn for Wometco Enterprises, Inc.				
Amended 10-23-70 to chg. name of applicant				

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

TELEVISION 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.

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CH-12

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-7382 R & F #049471 \$50 AC: 062 PRESS:	3-8-72 3-10-72 3-10-72 MAR 20 1972	MP(BPCT-1624) to chg. name to TeleVision 12 of Jacksonville, Inc. Atty.: Sheldon C. Hofferma (Mullin, Connor and Rhyne)	GRANTED	3-22-72
BICT-2156 R & F #515551 \$50 AC: 069 PRESS:	6-9-72 6-12-72 6-16-72 JUN 14 1972	Lic. to cover (BPCT-1624 as mdd.) for new Atty.: Sheldon C. Hofferma (Mullin, Connor and Rhyne)	GRANTED	6-21-72
BRCT-753 R & F PN REC PRESS	11-1-72 11-3-72 11-3-72 DEC 12 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Sheldon C. Hofferma (Mullin, Connor & Rhyne)	GRANTED	1-31-73

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TELEVISION 12 of JACKSONVILLE, INC.

Name
CH-12 JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-7111 R & F #167025 \$250 AC: 055 PRESS:	1-29-73 3-26-73 3-26-73 APR 9 1973	Voluntary transfer of control of license corporation from Community First Corporation, Florida Gateway Television Company and New Horizons Telecasting Company to TV 12, Inc. Atty: Sheldon C. Hofferma (Mullin, Connor (Transferor&Transferee) and Rhyne	GRANTED EFF:	5-10-73 6-21-73
BTC-7578 R & F #359993 \$1,000. AC 051 (Form 315) PRESS: PH HSCB PH HSC'D: GRANT FEE	10-31-74 10-31-74 NOV 8 1974 11-18-74 12-26-74 PAID 5-19-75	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Wometco Enterprises, Inc., Thomas McGehee, Frank S. McGehee, Frank E. Pellegrin, et al, to Harte-Hanks Newspapers, Inc. Attys.: <u>Mullins</u> , Connor and Rhyne (Transferor) Reed Miller (Arnold and Porter)(Transferee) Amended 12-26-74 re public notice/ Amended 2-5-75 re other business interests. Amended 3-10-75 re purchase agreemnt. AMENDED 3-20-75 re financial	GRANTED	3-27-75

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name TELEVISION 12 OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.
CH-12 Jacksonville, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-753 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	10-1-75 10-1-75 10-1-75 30 OCT 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Annual Report Filed Atty: Frank Washington (Arnold & Porter) Amended 12-1-75 re equal employment. Amended 2-20-76 re equal employment.	GRANTED	3-30-76
BRCT-781002KW PN RECD PRESS	10-2-78 OCT 16 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Contours filed 12-1-75.	GRANTED	2-26-79

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 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.

