

WDAZ

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

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Call Letters W B A Z

Station Location Southold, New York

Name PECONIC BAY BROADCASTING CORP.

Middle Line Rd., 0.48 mi. SW of Int. with Millstone Line Rd. Noyack, New York (MPH-2-2-82)

Transmitter Location XXState Rt. 114, .15mi. North of Jasper Road, Suffolk, New York

Main studio location TO BE DETERMINED, SOUTHOLD, NEW YORK

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BPH10070 HAAT: 300ft. (H&V) (L)	12-31-79	101.7mhz ERP: 3.0kw (H&V) Ch.#269A TPO: 2.2kw CP FOR NEW FM STATION	12-31-80
BPH10070 (1)	2-11-80	CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED	& EBSA ISS
BMPH-801128AR (2)	12-18-80	MP (BPH-10070) for ext. of time to:	6-15-81
BMPH-810527AF (3)	6-18-81	MP (BPH-10070, as Mod.) for ext. of time to:	12-15-81

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WBAZ
NEW-FM

Name Peconic Bay Broadcasting Corp
Southold, New York (PO 147 MIDLAND AVENUE, BRONXVILLE, New York 10708)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-10,070 R & F	6-28-76	CP for new Station on: 101.7mhz #269	Designated for Hearing	19 DEC 1978
	6-30-76	ERP: 3kw(H&V) HAAT: 300' (H&V)		
\$200-586691 AC:001 PRESS: PN REC'D	7-1-76	Trans. Collins-831D-2; Ant: Collins-G4CPL-3,3sec (H&V)	GRANTED	78-362
	AUG 16 1976	TL: Stony-Hill-Rd., 0.4 mi. S of Intersection with Noyack-Rd., Near Noyack, New York		
	8-26-76	SL & RC to be determined, Southold, New York (MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE WITH BPH-9960) 40°-59'-00" N - 72°-19'-47" W	(See memo 24087)	
		Atty: James P. Riley Engr: Edward F. Lorentz & Associates		
AMENDED	7-20-76	Supplement to Exh No. 2, certified certificate of Incorporation and the By-Laws as certified by the Secretary and supplement Exh No. 4 agreement of Elizabeth L. Berkery to meet condition of loan commitment letter of Peconic Bank and financial statement of Donald W. Scott		

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AMENDED 11-12-76 re Balance Sheet

AMENDED 1-31-77 re Section II (stockholders) Section III(financial)

AMENDED 2-24-77 Section II, pg. 2, 10 & Table I.

AMENDED 3-23-77 Additional Financial Information.

AMENDED 3-17-77 re employment of Betty Fox Executive Accountant

amended 9-12-77 re Section II 9 chg. of stock subscribed and unissued and financial

AMENDED 9-22-77 re engineering (new ant. site maps and graphs)

AMENDED 9-28-77 re additional issuance of subscription to applicants stock

PRESS: JAN 24 1978 On Shelter Island, west side of State Rt. 114, 0.15 mile North of Jaspas Rd.,
Shelter Island, New York 41° 04' 24" 72° 20' 25.5"

AMENDED 11-7-77 re programming

AMENDED 2-21-78 financial, legal (showing shares of stockholders (voting trust agreement)
and programming

AMENDED 3-10-78 re stock subscription agreement between George R. Sullivan and the applic. for
agreement submitted by the applic in its amendment dated 2-21-78 Section II, p. 2 para 10 to
show that as of 3-6-78 648 shares have been issued and 312 remained subscribed and unissued
(list of stockholdings as of 3-6-78)

AMENDED 3-13-78 re agreements of minority stockholders to pledge their shares of collateral for
loan from Peconic Bank

AMENDED 4-7-78 re financial statement, info on mortgage loans

AMENDED 5-3-78 re additional info of stock subscriptions

9-5-78 PETITION TO DESIGNATE FOR HEARING ON SPECIFIC ISSUES FILED BY TWIN FORKS B/CING INC.
THRU ITS ATTY. JEROME S. BOROS

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters **NEW FM**

Peconic Bay Broadcasting Corp.

Name **Southold, New York**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
CONTINUEUD FROM #1 CARD AMENDED	8-28-78	financial		
	9-7-78	OPPOSITION FILED BY PECONIC BAY B/CING CORP. THRU ITS ATTY. JAMES P. RILEY		
	10-2-78	REPLY FILED BY TWIN FORKS B/CING INC. THUR ITS ATTY. JEROME S. BOROS		
	10-10-78	ERRATUM FILED BY TWIN FORKS B/CING, INC. THRU ITS ATTY. JEROME S. BOROS		

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101.7MHz.

Call Letters: W B A Z

Name: PECONIC BAY BROADCASTING CORP.

Station Location: SOUTHOLD, NEW YORK

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMPH801128AR PRESS (0)	DEC 18 1980	MP (BPH-10,070) For Extension of Time to: _____ (NEW STATION) Atty. James P. Riley (Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth)	GRANTED: 12-18-80 TO: 6-15-81
BMPH810527AF PRESS (0)	JUN 17 1981	MP (BPH-10,070, as Mod.) For Extension of Time to: _____ (NEW STATION) Atty. James P. Riley (Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth)	GRANTED: 6-18-81 TO: 12-31-81

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 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.

