

K M X U

BC-126
June 1975

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed July 30, 1979

Call letters K M X U (FM)

Station location Manti, Utah

Name of licensee SANPETE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location In San Pitch Mtns., 1.9 mi. WNW of Sterlint, Utah (PH-9-29-78)

Main studio location 0.5 mi. W of Manti on River Lane Rd., Manti, Utah (PH-9-29-78)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BPH-10999 HAAT:130' (H&V) (L)	9-29-78	105.1mhz. #286	ERP: 30kw (H&V) (RC)	Class=C	9-29-79
CP for new FM broadcast station					
BPH-10999 (1) EBSA	11-20-78	Call Letters Issued			
BLH-781115AG (L)	7-30-79	Lic.(BPH-10999) for NEW STATION			10-1-80

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters

K M X U (FM)
NEW FM

Name Sanpete County Broadcasting Company
Manti, Utah (PO 122 W. Union Street, Manti, Utah 84542)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-10999 R&F PRESS:	1-31-78 2-9-78 JUN 26 1978	Construction permit for new FM station on: Frequency: 105.1MHz #286 ERP: 30KW(H&V) HAAT: 130'(H&V) trans CCA FM-10000 D/DS Ant: JAMPRO JSCP-6,6 sections (H&V) TL: In San Pitch Mtns. 1.9 miles WNW of Sterling, Utah SL&RC: 0.5 miles W of Manti on RiverLane Road, Manti, Utah 39° 12' 06" 111° 43' 39" ATTY: ----- ENGR: Vir James(Denver, Colorado)	GRNATED	9-29-78
AMENDED	7-20-78	lega, financial ,programming and EEO		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K M X U

Name SANPETE COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY
Manti, Utah

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLH-781115AG PTA: PRESS:	11-24-78 MAY 2 1979	License to cover (BPH-10999) for NEW STATION Atty: Stuart A. Shoreinstein	GRANTED	7-30-79
BRH-800529UP PRESS JUN 25 1980		Renewal of License Atty. Russell C. Balch	GRANTED	7-15-81 7-15-81

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.

