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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1390199

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Form 1
 Official No. 748

(Eff: 8-18-63)

Date first licensed 3-5-54

W J F M - (Let. 7-24-63) 4

Call letters XW J F M - FM

LOCATION: GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee X JOHN E. FETZER AND RHEA Y. FETZER D/B AS FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY
FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAPH-5) Gr. 12-25-47 eff: 1-25-48

0.25 mi. S. of Junction Bradley & Patterson Rds., 5 mi. SE of Wayland, Mich. (L-3-7-62)

x Bradley Road, Yarrow Springs Recreation Area, Michigan (BPH 8-3-60)

Transmitter location Corner AB Avenue & 24th Street, Near Plainwell, Michigan

280 Ann St., N. W., Grand Rapids, Mich. (Eff: 12-1-67)

Main studio location X187 Monroe St., N. W., Grand Rapids, Michigan

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Max. Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From- To |
|-----------|---------------------|---|---------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| | 8-18-47 | 93.7 mcs. | Proposed assignment | | |
| | | Ch#229 | | | |
| BPH-53 | 12-27-47 | Voluntary assignment of conditional grant to FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY. | | | |
| BPH-276 | 10-27-48 | 93.7 | 550 | U | 10-27-48 |
| | | CP Issued (mailed 1-18-49) | | | 6-27-49 |
| BPH-351 | 5-31-49 | Ext. of completion date to | | | 12-27-49 |
| BMPH-390 | 12-5-49 | Ext. of compl. date to | | | 6-27-50 |
| BMPH-417 | 6-23-50 | Ext. of compl. date to | | | 12-27-50 |
| BMPH-439 | 12-1-50 | Ext. of compl. date to | | | 6-27-51 |
| Telegram | 5-31-51 | Relet 29. Auth gr. period ending 12-27-51 op. 93.7mcs., FED 193-A tr. 10kw power output to provide prog. service. | | | |
| BMPH-456 | 7-12-51 | Ext. of compl. date to | | | 12-27-51 |
| Tele r | 12-10-51 | Relet atty 11-27-Auth. granted. period ending 6-27-52 op. accord. Cont. wire of 5-31-51 and with Collins 37-M 12 bay antenna with center 248 ft. abv. ground at WKZO-TV site to provide prog. service. | | | |
| BMPH-468 | 12-6-51 | Ext. of compl. date to | | | 6-27-52 |
| BMPH-475 | 6-20-52 | Ext. of compl date to | | | 12-27-52 |
| Tele r | 6-23-52 | Relet atty 9- Auth. extended Interim operation operation using Federal 193-A transmitter, 10kw output power and Collins 37-M 12-bay antenna mounted on center 248 feet above ground at WKZO-TV site, pending action on BMPH-4748 on 93.7 Mcs.-Period ending 12-27-52 | | | |
| Tel. | 12-24-52 | Ext. interim op. 10 days pending 701. | | | |
| Tel. | 1-6-53 | Ext. interim op. to 6-27-53. | | | |
| BMPH-480 | 1-6-53 | Ext. compl date to | | | 6-27-53 |
| BMPH-482 | 6-4-53 | Ext. compl. date to | | | 12-27-53 |
| 6-19-53 | WIRE RELET ATTY 17. | Ext. auth. interim op. to | | | 12-27-53. |
| Tel. | 12-24-53 | Interim op. ext. to 1-27-54 pend. action on BMPH-4877. | | | |
| Tel. | 2-1-54 | Relet Atty 19. Interim auth. ext. to 2-27-54 | | | |
| BMPH-487 | 2-8-54 | Ext. compl. date to | | | 6-27-54 |
| | | Form 715 notice sent | | | |

Card 2
B-S

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters **WJEF-FM**

Name of licensee **FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY**

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From- To- |
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| BMPH-4748 | 2-17-54 | Mod CP to change type tr., loc. and ant. sys. | ERP 115kw, 420' | | & loc. studio 4-17-54 10-17-54 |
| WIRE | 2-26-54 Oct. 17, 1954 | Relat Atty 24. | | | Interim author. ext. to |
| BLH-851 | 3-5-54 | License to cover to | | | 10-1-55 L |
| BRH-748 | 9-7-55 | Renewal of license to | 93.7mcs, ERP 115 kw, Terr: 420 feet | | 10-1-58(S) |
| BSCA-79 | 1-2-57 | Subsidiary communications authorization: Multiplex | | | 10-1-58 |
| BMSCA-79 | 7-8-57 | Mod. of (BSCA-79) authorization. To drop condition | | | Subsidiary Comm. author- to 10-1-58 |
| BPH-748 | 7-10-58 | Renewal of license to | | | 10-1-61 |
| BSCA-79 | 9-10-58 | Subsidiary communications authorization: Multiplex | | | 10-1-61 |
| BPH-3049 | 1- - - | C.P. to chg. trans. loc. to Yankee Springs Recreation Area, Michigan., incr. ERP, incr. HAAT, install new type trans. & new ant. & chgs. in ant. sys. | | | 10-8 4-8-61 |
| BPH-664 (1) | 3-28-61 | Mod.CP(BPH-3049 which auth.changes) | | | for extension completion date to 10-8-61. |
| BMPH-693 (2) | 10-4-61 | Mod.CP(BPH-3049 as mod.) | | | for extension of completion date to 2-8-62. |
| BRH-748 | 9-15-61 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | | 10-1 10-1-64 |
| BMSCA-79 | 9-15-61 | Renewal of SCA | | | 10-1 10-1-64 |
| BLH-2000 HAAT: 800ft. | 3-7-62 | 93.7mcs 500kw TPO: 44kw Lic. to cover CP (BPH-3049 as mod.) which auth. a chg. in ERP, HAAT, trans. loc., instl. of new trans. and ant. and chgs. in ant. sys. | | Unl. | 3-7 10-1-64 |
| BRH-748 | 9-14-64 | 93.7mcs. 500kw | | | 10-1 10-1-67 |
| BRSCA-79 | 9-14-64 | Sub. Communications Authorization on Multiplex Basis to | | | 10-1-67 |

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location

Name of licensee FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From - To |
|--|-----------------------|---|---------------------|-----------|------------------|
| BRH-748 | 9-8-67 | Renewal of License & NDEA | | | 10-1-10-1-70 |
| BRSCA-79 | 9-8-67 | Renewal of SCA | | | 10-1-10-1-70 |
| Ltr. dtd. & rec'd 12-8-67 giving notification that studios now 280 Ann. St., N. W., Grand Rapids, Michigan | | | | | |
| BPH-6961 | 1-6-70 | 93.7mc | TPO:44kw | | 3-6-9-9-70 |
| HAAT: 800' (H&V) | | Ch#229 | ERP:470kw(h)64kw(v) | | |
| | | CP: ant; TPO, ERP AND HAAT. | | | |
| Memo | 3-10-70 | Trans: RCA, Type No. BTF-50B transmitter with BTE-15A exciter | | | |
| BMPH-12,039 (1) | 8-13-70 | MP(BPH-6961) ext time | | | 12-1-70 |
| BRH-748(L) BRSCA-79 | 9-30-70 | RENEWAL & NDEA RENEWAL of SCA (de facto) | | | 10-1-73 |
| BMPH-13,090 (2) | 12-17-70 | MP(BPH-6961 as mod) chg HAAT: 780' (H&V) | | | |
| BLH-5026(L) | 1-29-71 | Lic. (BPH-6961, as mod.) for changes | | | 10-1-73 |
| BTC-6727 | 12-17-71 | VOL. TC NOT CONSUMPT HD LTR 1-27-72 | | | |
| EBSA | 5-25-72 | | | | |
| BRH-748(S) BRSCA-79 | 9-27-73 | RENEWAL RENEWAL OF SCA | | | 10-1-76 |
| BTC-7385 | 5-24-74 | VOL. TC EFF: 6-1-74 | | | |
| BRH-748 BRSCA-79 | 6-30-77 | (S) REN. OF LICENSE & SCA | | | 10-1-79 |
| BTC-8523 | 11-25-77 | Vol. TC de facto EFF: | | | |
| COMTEL | 11-21-77 | TRANS: RCA BTF-50B mod. w/ HARRIS MS15 exciter now installed | | | |
| BPH781113AC HAAT: 780' (H&V) (L) | 2-27-79 | 93.7mhz | ERP: 500kw (H&V) | | 2-27-80 |
| | | CP to mke chg. in ant sys type trans., type antenna. | | | |
| BMPH790919AK HAAT: 780' (H&V) (L) | | 93.7mhz | ERP: 320kw (H&V) | | 2/27/80 |
| | | Mod of CP (BPH-781113AC) to chg. type trans. & decre. W ERP. | | | |
| BMPH800114AJ (1) | NOV 6 1979 3-13-80 | MP (BPH781113AC, as mod.) for ext. of time to: | | | 9-12-80 |

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BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed

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Station Location

Name See Card #1

Transmitter Location

Main studio location

Authorization Record

| File No. | Granted | Facilities | Expires |
|---|---------|---|---------|
| BRH790524YF (L) BRSCA790524YF | 9-21-79 | Renewal of License & SCA | 10-1-82 |
| BLH-800616AK HAAT: 780 feet (H&V) (L) | 7-21-80 | 93.7MHz., ERP: 320kW (H&V) Lic. to cover (BPH- 781113AC, as mod.) for changes. | 10-1-82 |
| COMTEL | 4-10-80 | AUTHORITY AND TERMS COMTEL EXTENDED THRU | 7-15-80 |

APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

WJEF - FM

FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAPH-53 Gr. 12-25-47 eff: 1-25-48)

Call letters

Name **X JOHN E. FETZER AND RINA Y FETZER d/b as FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY**
P. O. 124 West Michigan Ave., Kalamazoo, Michigan

| FILE No. | DATED | APPLICATION FOR— | ACTION | |
|----------------------------------|---------|--|---|------------------------------|
| | | | NATURE | DATE |
| B3-PH-275 Recd. Filed ✓ | 6-30-44 | Construction permit for new high frequency FM broadcast station | Granted 8-1-46 - Conditional - Class B type station - Letter mailed 8-5-46. | |
| | 7-11-44 | Frequency: 43,900 Kcs., Coverage: 18,350 Sq. Mi. station - Letter | | |
| | 7-19-44 | Studio: 187 Monroe St., N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan Transmitter: Near Coats Grove, Michigan (G.E. ^{GE} 150-D Max. 50kw) Filed by Fred W. Albertson, Att'y. Amendment re Comm. letter of 9-7-45 recd. 9-24-45. No changes. (Rural) Program analysis rec'd. 7-1-46 Engr. info. recd. 11-15-46 changing type of transmitter; ERP and make changes in antenna system. Engr. info. recd. 7-8-47 changing frequency; transmitter location; ERP & make changes in antenna system; (program plans). | | |
| | | | GRANTED | 10-27-48 (Issued 1-17-49) |

John S. Potzer, Engineer

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CARD #2

Call

Letters W J E F - FM

FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAPH-53 Gr. 12-25-47 eff; 1-25-48)

Name X JOHN E. FETZER AND RHEA Y. FETZER d/b as FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BAPH-53 Rec'd Filed | 10-15-47 10-29-47 10-29-47 | Voluntary assignment of conditional grant to FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Attorney. | GRANTED Eff: | 12-29-47 |
| BMPH-3519 Recd. Filed | 5-20-49 5-20-49 5-20-49 | Mod. of C. P. (BPH-276 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 6-27-49 to 2-27-50. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED Extended | 5-31-49 to 12-27-49 |
| BAPH-3908 Recd. Filed | 11-17-49 11-22-49 11-22-49 | Mod. of C. P. (BPH-276 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 12-27-49 to 6-27-50. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED Extended | 12-5-49 to 6-27-50 |
| BMPH-4177 Recd. Filed | 5-16-50 5-13-50 5-13-50 | Mod. of C. P. (BPH-276 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 6-27-50 to 12-27-50. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED | 6-23-50 |

Card #3

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Letters WTFMName WTFM B/C COMPANY

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-4391 Recd. Filed | 11-17-50 11-20-50 11-20-50 | Mod. of C. P. (BPH-276 as mod.) which authorized a new FM B/c station for extension of completion date from 12-27-50 to 6-27-51. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED Condi. | 12-1-50 |
| BMPH-4569 Recd. Filed | 5-16-51 5-18-51 5-18-51 | Mod. of CP (BPH-276 as mod.) which authorized a new FM b/c station for extension of completion date from 6-27-51 to 12-27-51 Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED Condi. to | 7-12-51 12-27-51 |
| BMPH-4682 Recd.&Filed | 11-23-51 11-27-51 | Mod. of C. P. (BPH-276 as Mod.) which authorized a new FM B/c station for extension of completion date from 12-27-51 to 6-27-52. Filed by John P. Carr, Atty. | GRANTED | 12-6-51 |
| BMPH-4803 Recd.&Filed | 12-16-52 12-22-52 | Mod. of C.P. (BPH-276 as modified which authorized a new FM B/c sta.) for extension of completion date from 12-27-52 to 6-27-53. Filed by John P. Carr. | GRANTED | 1-6-53 |

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Letters WJEF-FMName FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-4748 | 5-20-52 | Modification of CP (BPH-276 as mod.) which authorized a new FM b/c station to make changes in the type of transmitter from Westinghouse, FM 50, 50 kw to Federal, 193A, 10 kw, and location from 8 mi. SW of Hastings, Grand Rapids, Michigan to Corner AB Ave. & 24th St. near Plainwell, Michigan, and to change studio location from 187 Monroe Ave. N.W. Grand Rapids, Michigan to Corner AB Avenue & 24th St. near Plainwell, Michigan, change the antenna from RCA, BF-18A, 8 Sec. Pylon, to Collins, 37-M, 12 sections. antenna height above average terrain from 810 feet to 416 feet, overall height above ground from 608 feet to 346 ft. and make changes in antenna system. Change ERP from 550 kw to 115 kw Filed by John P. Carr, Attorney | GRANTED | 2-17-54 Terr: 420' |
| Recd. | 5-22-52 | | | |
| Filed | 5-22-52 | | | |
| SEE CARD 5 FOR AMENDMENT | | | | |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

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Letters WJEF-FMName FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-4755 Rec'd & Filed | 6-7-52 6-9-52 | Mod. C.P. (BPH-276 as mod., which auth. a new FM B/c station) for extension completion date from 6-27-52 to 12-27-52. Filed by John O. Carr, Atty | GRANTED | 6-20-52 |
| BMPH-4748 AMENDED REGD. & FILED | Continued 8-21-52 8-26-52 | Amended to change studio site from Corner AB Ave., & 24th St. near Plainwell, Michigan to 187 Monroe Avenue, N. W. Grand Rapids, Michigan. Filed by John P. Carr, Att'y | See card 4 | |
| BPH-851 Recd. Filed Amended Filed | 5-20-52 5-22-52 5-22-52 8-21-52 8-26-52 | License to cover Construction Permit (BPH-276, as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station. Amended to specify studio location as 187 Monroe Avenue, N. W. Grand Rapids, Michigan. John P. Carr- atty | GRANTED | 3-5-54 |

Card 6

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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WJEF-FM

Name FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Radio Station WJEF-FM, 124 W. Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-4828 Recd & Filed | 5-21-53 5-26-53 | Mod. of C.P. (BPH-276 as mod., which authorized a new FM Bc Sta) for extension of completion date from 6-27-53 to 12-27-53. Filed by John P. Carr, Attorney | GRANTED | 6-4-53 |
| BMPH-4877 Recd & Filed | 11-20-53 11-25-53 | Mod. CP (BPH-276 as mod. which authorized a new FM Bc Sta) for extension of completion date from 12-27-53 to 6-27-54. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Atty | GRANTED | 2-8-54 |
| BRH-748 Recd & Filed | 6-6-55 7-6-55 | Renewal of license A. Gordon, atty | GRANTED | 9-7-55 |
| BSCA- 79 Recd. & Filed AMENDMENT SEE CARD 7 | 11-6-56 11-9-56 | Application for Subsidiary Communications Authorization. Multiplex basis. Filed by Thomas J. Dougherty, Atty. | GRANTED | 1-2-57 |
| BPH-2157 Recd & filed | 11-6-56 11-9-56 | C.P. to make changes in licensed station- to make equipment changes (replace present exciter of Transmitter to make tr. suitable for multiplexing) HAAE to 416 ft. c. T.J. Dougherty, atty | DISMISSED Unnecessary | 11-28-56 |

CARD 7

FORM BC-121

Aug. 1955

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Call
Letters WJEF-FMName FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BSCA-79 continued Recd. & Filed 12/4/56 Amendment. | 11-30-56 | Amendment "sub-carrier 67 kc. for the multiplex service. Filed by Thomas J. Dougherty, Atty. | GRANTED | 1-2-57 |
| <i>see card # 8</i> | | | | |

AUG. 1955

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Call
Letters WJZ-TVName FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BRH-748 Rec'd Filed | 6-13-58 7-2-58 7-2-58 | Renewal of license Dow, Lonnes and Albertson, Attys. | GRANTED | 9-10-58 |
| BRSCA-79 Rec'd Filed | 7-28-58 7-30-58 7-30-58 | Renewal of license (Subsidiary Communications Dow, Lohnes and Albertson, Attorney / Authorization) | GRANTED | 9-10-58 |
| BRH-3049 R & F | 6-17-60 6-23-60 | Construction Permit to change transmitter location from corner AB Avenue & 24th St. near Plainwell, Michigan to Bradley Road, Yankee Springs Recreation Area, Michigan, increase ERP from 115kw to 500kw, increase HAAT from 420' to 800', install new type transmitter (RCA-BTF-50B) & new antenna (RCA-BFA-12A) & make changes in antenna system. Atty's: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson | GRANTED | 8-8-60 |

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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WJEF-FM

Name **FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY**
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-6644 R & F | 3-2-61 3-3-61 | Mod. of C.P. (BPH-3049 which authorized a change in ERP, HAAT, transmitter location, installation of new transmitter and antenna, and changes in antenna system) for extension of completion date from 4-8-61 to 10-8-61. Atty. Dow, Lohnes and Albertson. | GRANTED to | 3-28-61 10-8-61 |
| BRH-748 BRSCA-79 Rec'd & Filed | 6-21-61 6-21-61 6-26-61 | Renewal of License Renewal of SCA Earl R. Stanley, atty. | GRANTED | 9-15-61 |
| BMPH-6934 R&F | 9-6-61 9-8-61 | Mod of CP (BPH-3049 as mod which auth change trans loc; incr ERP and HAAT; install new type trans & antenna; and make changes in antenna system) for extension of completion date from 10-8-61 to 2-8-62. Atty: Dow, Lohnes and Albertson | GRANTED | 10-4-61 to 2-8-62 |

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Call Letters **W J FM**
XWJEF-FMName **FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY**
Grand Rapids, Mich.

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BLH-2000 R & F | 11-2-61 11-6-61 | License to cover C.P. (BPH-3049 as modified) which authorized a change in ERP, HAAT, transmitter location, installation of new transmitter and antenna and changes in antenna system. Atty. Stanley | GRANTED | 3-7-62 |
| BRH-748 R.&F. BRSCA-79 | 6-22-64 7-1-64 | Renewal of License and SCA Atty. Earl R. Stanley | GRANTED | 9-14-64 |
| BRH-748 R & F BRSCA-79 R & F | 6-26-67 6-29-67 6-26-67 6-29-67 | Renewal of license Renewal of SCA Atty- Earl R. Stanley | GRANTED GRANTED 9/5 | 9-8-67 9-8-67 |

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY
Grand Rapids, Michigan

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BPH-6961 R & F #564058 \$30 PRESS: JUN 2 1970 | 12-9-69 12-12-69 12-12-69 | CP ant(RCA-BFAC-10/6, 10 horiz. & 6 vert. sects); make chgs. in ant. system(incr. hght); operate with vert. ERP 67.5kw;(Max); vert. HAAT: 800 ft. Atty - Earl R. Stanley(Dow, Lohnes etc.) | GRANTED | 1-6-70 |
| BMPH-12,039 R & F #617723 \$30. PRESS: JUL 29 1970 | 7-22-70 7-22-70 7-22-70 | MP(BPH-6961) ext. time. to 12-1-70(NEW STATION) Atty-Daniel W. Toohey(Dow, Lohnes etc). | GRANTED | 8-13-70 |
| BRH-748 BRSCA 77 \$105 #612792 PN Recd. PRESS AUG 11 1970 | 6-15-70 7-1-70 " | RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Earl R. Stanley, Atty. (Dow, Lohnes, Albertson) | GRANTED | 9-30, 1970 |

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters WJFMName **Fetzer Broadcasting Company**
Grand Rapids, Michigan

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BMPH-13,090 R & F #645412 \$50. CODE 061 PRESS: DEC 9 1970 | 11-23-70 11-25-70 11-25-70 | MP(BPH-6961 as mod) change horiz. & vert. HAAT: 780 feet. Atty-Earl R. Stanley(Dow, Lohnes etc). | GRANTED | 12-17-70 |
| BLH-5026 Rec'd #642376 \$50. AC-068 Amended & F PTA PRESS JAN 27 1971 | 11-9-70 11-10-70 11-10-70 1-13-71 1-18-71 | Lic.(BP-6961, as mod.) for changes. Atty: Earl R. Stanley (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) Sect. I, Par. 2. | GRANTED | 1-29-71 |
| BTC-6727 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #513281 CODE 054 (Form 316) ALSO SEE: WJTV-FM etc | 11-16-71 11-17-71 | Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from John E. Fetzer to Fetzer Communications, Inc. Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson | GRANTED | 12-17-71 NOT CONSUMMATED Letter written 1-27-72 |

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Grand Rapids, Michigan

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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BRH-748 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 1973 | 6-15-73 6-21-73 6-21-73 | Renewal of License Atty.: Earl R. Stanley | GRANTED | 9-27-73 |
| BRSCA-79 R & F | 6-15-73 6-21-73 | Renewal of SCA | | |
| BTC-7385 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #268438 ALSO SEE: WKJF etc MAR 1974 | 3-5-74 3-7-74 | Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic corp by John E. Fetzer thru sale of stock to Carl E. Lee, A. James Ebel, C.E. Ellerman, et al. (6 stockholders) Atty - D&W, Lohnes & Albertson (E. Stanley) | GRANTED | 5-24-74 |
| | | | GRANT FEE: \$4,801.00 (Include WWAM, WKJF(FM) WKZO & WWUP-TV, WWTW(TV) EFF: 6-1-74 Pd 063 6-28-74 W320289 | |
| BRH-748 BRSCA-79 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUL 9 1976 | 5-18-76 " 5-26-76 " 1976 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA Earl R. Stanley, Atty. | GRANTED | 6-30-77 |

(BRH-748) PETITION TO DENY LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS
OF THE FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY filed 8-25-76 by
Edward M. Lynch, on behalf of National Association
of Broadcast Employees and Technicians, AFL-CIO

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 9-2-76 by Earl R.
Stanley, Counsel on behalf of Fetzer Broadcasting
Company

NOTICE WITHDRAWING PETITION TO DENY filed 10-6-76 by
Richard D. Marks, Counsel on behalf of (NABET)

Ltr. 1-19-77 re: renewal Forms 303 & 303R

#14

93.7mhz

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W J F MName FETZER BROADCASTING COMPANY
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action | |
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| | | | Nature | Date |
| BTC-8523 R & F FORM 316 Also see WWAM(AM), etc | 11/7/77 11/9/77 NOV 25 1977 | Voluntary transfer of de facto control (47.26%) of lic corp from John E. Fetzer to John E. Fetzer, Trustee of the John E. Fetzer Revo- cable Trust dated February 2, 1972 Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (Earl Stanley) | GRANTED EFF: | 11-25-77 |
| BPH781113AC PRESS | NOV 30 1978 | CP to make chg. in Ant. System; chg. type Trans. (HARRIS 40/40K); chg. type Ant. (HARRIS FMH-12BC-6, 12 sects. (H&V); incre. ERP: 500kw (H&V) & chg. TPO. | GRANTED | 2-27-79 |
| BRH 790524 YF BRSCA " | JUN 27 1979 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE & SCA E.R. Stanley, Atty. | GRANTED | 9-21-79 |

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Station Location: GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

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| BMPH790919AK PRESS (0) | OCT 16 1979 | Mod. of CP (BPH-781113AC) to chg. type Trans. & decre. ERP: 315kw (H&V). Atty. Earl R. Stanley (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) | G R A N T E D 11/6/79 |
| BMPH-800114AJ (0) PRESS: | FEB 29 1980 | MP(BPH-781113AC, as mod.) for extension of completion date. Atty: Earl R. Stanley | GRANTED 3-13-80 |
| BLH-800616AK PTA PRESS | JUN 27 1980 | License to cover (BPH-781113AC, as mod.) for changes. Atty: Earl R. Stanley | GRANTED 7-21-80 |

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 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.

