

KMIT-FM

BC-126
June 1975

FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

official No. 3319

Date first licensed 9-26-77

Call letters K M H T-FM

Station location Marshall, Tx.

Name of licensee RADIO MARSHALL, INC.

Transmitter location 2323 Jefferson Avenue, Marshall, Texas (PH 1-12-77)

Main studio location SAME AS TRANSMITTER

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-9013 HAAT: 300' {L}	1-12-77 H&V	103.9MHz ERP: ch. 28D Class-A CP for NEW FM Station	3kw H&V U		1-12-78
BPH-9013 (1)	3-15-77	CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED &	EBSA		
BTC-8241	1-27-77	Vol acq of neg control			EFF:1/27/77
BLH-7501(L)	9-26-77	Lic (BPH-9013)	New Stn		8-1-80
BRH 800331	VH 7-18-80	(S)	RENEWAL		8-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K M H T-FM
NEW-FM

Name Radio Marshall, Inc.
Marshall, Texas (P.O. Box AA, Marshall, Texas 75670)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-9013	4-26-74	CP for New FM on: 103.9mhz. #280	GRANTED COND'L	1-12-77
R & F	5-21-74	HAAT: 300' (h&v) ERP: 3kw(h&v)		
#307715 \$100	5-23-74	Trans: GATES-FM-2.5H3; Ant: GATES-FMC-4A,		
CODE: 013		4 sects.(h&v).		
PRESS: JUL 1 1974		T-SL: 2323 Jefferson Ave., Marshall, Texas.		
PN REC'd:	7-22-74	32° 33' 50" - 94° 21' 04"		
		(MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE WITH BPH-9076 and BPH-94690)		
		Atty - Jonathan Schochor (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kuttner)		
AMENDED	9-13-74	Engr----		
AMENDED	9-23-74	Sections I, II, III, IV-A and VI.		
AMENDED	11-15-74	Section IV-A.		
AMENDED	11-12-74	Section II.		
AMENDED	12-27-74	Section II.		
AMENDED	2-4-75	Section IV-A.		
AMENDED	3-21-75	Balance Sheet.		
Amended	12-28-76	w/ref to Sect 4 and Sect 4(a)		

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Form BC-121

May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

103.9mhz

Call K M H T-FM
Letters ~~X~~ UNASSIGNEDName RADIO MARSHALL, INC.
MARSHALL, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8241 R & F Also see KMHT(AM) Form 316 JAN 25 1977	1/10/77 1/17/77	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of permittee corp by Howard Anthony Bridge, Jr. thru transfer of stock from Ruth Pritchford Bridge Atty - McKenna, Wilkinson, Kittner(S. Lerman)	GRANTED EFF:	1-27-77 1/27/77
BLH-7501 R&F PTA PRESS SEP 6 1977	8-5-77 8-9-77 8-18-77	Lic. (BPH-9013) New Station Transmitter: COLLINS 831D-2 Antenna: COLLINS, G4CPL-4, 4 sections TPO: 2.162 kilowatts Atty Steven A. Lerman Engr. A. T. Moore	GRANTED	9-26-77

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.

