

K W B G-FM

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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 3061

Date first licensed 6-16-75

Call letters K.W.B.G-FM

Station location Boone, Iowa

Name of licensee Ken Kilmer Broadcasting Co

Transmitter location 1 mi. S. of Hwy. 30 on Ledges Park Rd., NW corner, S. of Boone, Iowa (PH-2-25-74)

Main studio location 813 Keeler Street, Boone, Iowa (PH-2-25-74)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-8678 HAAT: 205' (h&v)	2-25-74	98.3mhz #252	ERP: 3kw (h&v) Class-A	U (RC)	2-25-75
CP for New Station.					
BPH-8678(1)	5-6-74	Call letters assigned			
EBSA	5-6-74				
BMPH-14,233 (2)	9-24-74	MP(BPH-8678) chg trans, chg ant, TPO, and HAAT: 210' (h&v)			
BMPH-14,374 (3)	1-13-75	MP(BPH-8678, as mod) ext time 5-1-75			
BLH-6678(L)	6-16-75	Lic.(BPH-8678, as mod.)-New			2-1-77
BLH-6678(L)	6-16-75	Superseded to delete Obstruction Markings.			2-1-77
BRH-3061(S)	1-13-77	Renewal of license			2-1-80
BPH780926AJ HAAT: 210' (H&V) (L)	2-5-79	98.3mhz	ERP: 3kW (H&V)	RC	2-5-80
CP to mke chgs. in ant. sys., type trans., type antenna					
BLH-790307AD (L)	9-25-79	Lic.(BPH-780926AJ) FOR CHGS.			2-1-80
BRH790919UI — (S)	1-31-80	RENEWAL			2-1-83
BTCH801014EU	12-16-80	VOL TCH			EFF: 12-31-80

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K W B G-FM
Letters ..X..NEW-FM

Name Ken Kilmer Broadcasting Company
Boone, Iowa (PO 813 Keeler Street, Boone, Iowa 50036)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8678 R & F #246863 \$100 CODE: 013 PRESS: PN REC'd:	10-17-73 10-29-73 10-29-73 DEC 4 - 1973 11-19-73	CP for New FM on: 98.3mhz. #252 HAAT: 207' (h&v) ERP: 3kw(h&v) Trans: GATES-FM5B; Ant: COLLINS-LPC-2, 2 sects.(h&v). TL: 1 mi. S. of Hwy. 30 on Ledges Park Rd., N.W. Corner, Boone, Iowa. SL & RC: 813 Keeler Street, Boone, Iowa 42° 01' 22" - 93° 52' 36" Atty - Leo Resnick Engr- ---	GRANTED Cond'L license to report chgs. gr. fee \$900.00 req. Pd 014 W300703	2-25-74 submit 302's in to report chgs. 4-10-74
AMENDED AMENDED	12-12-73 1-14-74	Correct Radial Bearings. Section II, paragraph 19(b).		
BMPH-14,233 R & F #338400 \$50 Code 057 Press	8-19-74 8-22-74 8-27-74 SEP 16 1974	MP (BPH-8678) chg. trans. (RCA BTF-10C); chg. ant. (Gates FMS-1, 1 sect. (H&V); chg. TPO and chg. HAAT:208' (H&V). Atty: Leo Resnick	GRANTED	9-24-74

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name Ken Kilmer Broadcasting Company
Boone, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPH-14,374 R & F #376797 \$50 Code 057 Press	12-20-74 12-24-74 12-24-74 JAN 10 1975	MP(BPH-8678, as mod.) ext. time to 5-1-75. (New Station) Atty: Leo Resnick	GRANTED TO	1-13-75 5-1-75
BLH-6678 R & F W 413315-\$50 PTA PRESS	4-12-75 4-15-75 4-15-75-057 4-22-75 MAY 22 1975	Lic.(BPH-8678, as mod.)-New Sta.-SL & RC: 724 Story St., Boone, Iowa. -Atty: Leo Resnick	GRANTED	6-16-75
BRH-3061 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	9-16-76 9-21-76 " NOV 29 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-13-77

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

98.3MHz.

Call
Letters K W B G-FMName KEN KILMER BROADCASTING CC
BOONE, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH780926AJ PRESS	OCT 17 1978	CP to make chg. in Ant. System; chg. type Trans. (HARRIS, FM2.5K); & chg. type Ant. (HARRIS, FML-3E, 3 sects. H&V).	Granted	2-5-79
BLH-790307AD PTA: PRESS:	8-2-79	License to cover (BPH-780926AJ) FOR CHANGES Atty: ----	GRANTED	9-25-79
BRH790919UI PRESS: NOV 13 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-31-80
BTCH801014EU Form 315 PRESS Also see KWBG(am)	NOV 6 1980	Vol TC from Kenneth Kilmer to Dennis Arthur Borwick Atty Leo Resnick	GRANTED EFF:	12-16-80 12-31-80

BTCH-801014EU Amended 11-28-80 re: Sales Agreement

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.

