

W A X U-FM

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Frequency Modulation

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-25-73

W A X U-FM (EFF: 7-9-73)

Call letters XW Q H Q

Station location Georgetown, Kentucky

Name of licensee CENTRAL KENTUCKY BROADCASTERS CORPORATION

Transmitter location *Newtown Rd*, 0.8 mile north of New Zion ~~on Elkhorn Road~~, *Georgetown*, Kentucky (PH-12-8-72)

ZIP 40324

Main studio location Route 4, Ironworks Roadm near Georgetown, Kentucky (PH-12-8-72)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BPH-8086 HAAT: 300' (H&V)	12-8-72	103.1mc #276	ERP: 3kw (H&V)	(RC)	12-8-73
CP for New FM Station.					
BPH-8086 (1)	3-27-73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	3-29-73				
BLH-5932(L) HAAT: 300' (H&V)	10-25-73	Lic. (BPH-8086, as mod.) 103.1mhz. ERP: 3kw (H&V)		New Sta. RC 8-1-76	
BRH-2850(S)	7-23-76	RENEWAL		8-1-79	
COMTEL	6-13-78	TRANS: GATES FM-2.5H3 now installed			
BRH79040216(S)	7-26-79	Renewal of License			8-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

W A X U-FM

Call XW, Q H Q
Letters X NEW-FM

Name Central Kentucky Broadcasters Corporation
Georgetown, Kentucky (PO P. O. Box 516, Georgetown, Kentucky 40324)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-8086 R & F #094695 \$100 CODE: 013 PRESS: OCT 1 PN REC'd:	7-18-72 7-26-72 7-26-72 3 1972 8-24-72	CP for New FM on: 103.1mc. #276 HAAT: 300' (h&v) ERP: 3kw(h&v) Trans: GATES-FM-2.5H3; Ant: GATES-FMC-3A, 3 sects. (h&v), TL: 0.8 mi. N. of New Zion on Elkhorn Rd., Georgetown, Kentucky SL & RC: Rte. 4, Ironworks Rd., Georgetown, Ky. 38° 11' 24" - 84° 28' 57" REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.207(a) Comm. Rules. Atty - James R. Cooke Engr- Ralph J. Bitzer (St. Louis, Mo.)	9-27-72. Request waiver gr. & appli. accepted for filing. GRANTED 12-8-72 Req, grant fee: \$900 Paid: 014, 1-3-73, W140714	
BLH-5932 R & F W 227541-\$50. AG-057 PTA PRESS	8-26-73 8-28-73 8-28-73 9-5-73 SEP 26 1973	Lic. (BPH-8086, as mod.) - New Sta. TL redes: Newtown Rd., 0.8 mi. N. of New Zion, Georgetown, Kentucky.	GRANTED	10-25-73

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W A X U-FM

Name CENTRAL KENTUCKY BROADCASTERS CORPORATION
Georgetown, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-2850 R & F P.N. Press	3-30-76 4-1-76 MAY 26 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-23-76
BRH 790402 16 PRESS	MAY 16 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-26-79

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.

