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FM BROADCAST

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed AUGUST 5, 1964

W C O E (EFF: 4-1-74)

Call letters XW L O I-FM

Station location LA PORTE, INDIANA

Name of licensee LA PORTE COUNTY BROADCASTING CO., INC.

(LH 8-5-64)/

Transmitter location Holton Rd., adjacent to N. Pine Lake, 2 mi. NW of LaPorte, Ind. (PH/ 10-8-63)

Rumely Hotel, 800 Michigan Ave., La Porte, Ind. (MPH 1-20-64) (LH 8-5-64)

Main studio location X 904 Lincolnway, La Porte, Ind. (PH 10-8-63)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BPH-3656 HAAT: 365'	10-8-63	96.7mcs Ch. 244	ERP: 3kw TPO: 900w	Unl.	12-8-63 to 8-1-64 (Cond' 1)
CP for a new Class A FM broadcast station.					
BMPH-7751 (1)	1-20-64	Mod. of CP(BPH-3656) to chg. studio; oper. trans. by RC from studio loc.; chg type ant. (Gates FMA-4, 4 secs.) & incr. TPO to 990w.			
BLH-2496 HAAT: 265'	8-5-64	96.7mcs Ch. 244	ERP: 3kw TPO: 990w	Unl.	8-5-64 8-1-67
Lic. to cover CP(BPH-3656, as mod.) which auth. a new FM Broadcast Station.					
BRH-1545	7-18-67	96.7mc	3kw	U	8-1-67 to 8-1-70
BRH-1545(S)	10-15-70	Renewal			8-1-73
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-1545(S)	7-31-73	RENEWAL			8-1-76
BRH-1545(L)	8-10-76	Renewal of License			8-1-79
BRH790402OC (S)	7-18-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-82

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters -new-FM W L O I-FM

Name ...LA...PORTE...COUNTY...BROADCASTING...CO., INC.
LA PORTE, INDIANA (P.O. Dee O. Coe, Box 385, La Porte, Indiana)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPH-3656 Rec'd Filed	1-11-62 1-22-62 1-22-62	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 97.3mc CH 247 - 96.7mc CH 244 ERP 16.65kw - 3kw Type Antenna - Jampro JA-4 (4 sections) HAAT 262.5 feet Type transmitter Gates FM-5B 1C TPO 5kw 902 watts Trans. location - Holton Road, adjacent to North Pine Lake, 2 miles N. W. of La Porte, Indiana (Same as AM) Studio location - 904 Lincolnway (10-15-62) La Porte, Indiana	GRANTED Cond'l re WLOI submit 302s	10-8-63
AMENDMENT R & F	9-21-62 9-24-62	AMENDED to change frequency to 96.7mc CH 244; ERP to 3kw; TPO 902 watts; change trans(GATES FM 1C) Atty. McKenna and Wilkinson Eng. Creutz & Snowberger		

FORM BC-121 #2
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W L O I - FM

Name LA PORTE COUNTY BROADCASTING CO., INC.
LA PORTE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BNPH-7751 R & F	12-20-63 12-24-63	Mod. of CP (BNPH-3656 which auth a new FM B/C station) to chg transmission line, type ant (Gates-FMA-4, 4 sect), and studio loc to Rumely Hotel, 800 Mich. Ave., La Porte, Ind. and establish KC of trans from main studio loc. Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	1-20-64
BLH-2496 R & F	12-27-63 12-30-63	Lic. to cover CP (BNPH-3656 as mod) which auth a new FM B/C station. Atty: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED	8-5-64
BRH-1545 R & F	4-22-67 4-27-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-18-67
BRH-1545 R & F #597052 \$75. (\$180. submitted) P.N. 4-28-70 0/61 9 AMW MAY 6 1970	4-24-70 4-28-70 4-28-70	Renewal of License Atty.: Vernon L. Wilkinson AMENDED 6-25-70 re: commercial policy AMENDED 7-24-70 re: proposed commercial policy F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED	10-15-70

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~X~~WLOI-FMName LA PORTE COUNTY BROADCASTING CO., INC.
LA PORTE, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRH-1545 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 16 1973	4-16-73 5-1-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE V.L.Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	7-31-73
BRH-1545 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-17-76 4-1-76 " JUN 7 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE V.L.Wilkinson, Atty. AMENDED 7-20-76 re: balance sheet AMENDED 7-12-76 re: comp. of area	GRANTED	8-10-76
BRH790402CC PRESS MAY 31 1979		Renewal of License Atty. Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED	7-18-79

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.

