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June 1954

NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL-FM

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-18-73

Call letters W Y M S

Station location Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Name of licensee Milwaukee Board of School Directors

Transmitter location N.E. Corner of Capitol Dr. & Estabrook Parkway, Shorewood, Wisc. (PED-8-8-69)

53201
Main studio location 5225 W. Vliet St., Milwaukee, Wisc. (PED-8-8-69)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPED-988 HAAT: 900'	8-8-69	88.9mc	ERP: 240watts Unl. ch#205 TPO: 100watts (RC) CP for New Station.		4-8-70
BSCA-936	9-8-69	Request for SCA			
BPED-988(1)	10-29-69	Call letters assigned.			
BMPED-708 (2)	4-10-70	MP(BPED-988) ext. time			10-1-70
BMPED-744 (3)	10-20-70	MP(BPED-988 as mod) ext time			3-30-71
BMPED-788 (4)	4-23-71	MP(BPED-988 as mod) ext.			9-30-71
BMPED-823(5)	10-14-71	MP (BPED-988) ext. time			3-30-72
BMPED-872(6)	3-22-72	MP (BPED-988 as mod) EXT.			Time 9:30-72
EBSA	5-15-72				
BMPED-925(7)	11-3-72	MP(BPED-988 as mod) Exten.			1-31-73
BMPED-968(8)	2-28-73	MP(BPED-988) chg. trans., ant., chg. TPO, ERP: 250w, HAAT: 870'			
BLED-1089(1) HAAT: 870'	12-18-73	Lic.(BPED-988, as mod.)-New-12-1-76 88.9mhz., ERP: 250w RC			
BPED-1,757 HAAT: 870 ft.	8-19-74	88.9mhz	ERP:1kw U CP chg TPO and ERP		8-19-75
BLED-1312(L)	11-8-74	Lic.(BPED-1757)-Changes.			12-1-76
BRED-667(1) BRSCA-936	11-15-76	RENEWAL & SCA			12-1-79
BPED-2522 HAAT: 870' (L)	8-17-77	88.9mhz	ERP:1.5kw U #205 (RC) CP chg TPO & ERP		8-17-78
BLED-1714 HAAT: 870'	1-25-78	88.9 #210	ERP: 1.5kW U RC		12-1-79
		Lic. (BPED-2522) for changes.			
BMSCA-524	3-14-78	Mod. of SCA to mke chg in freq. (retain 67khz.), equipment & prog.			
BRED 790730 BRSCA 790730	VS 11-30-79 VS "	(S)	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & SCA		12-1-82

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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New Educ. FM

Name Milwaukee Board of School Directors

Milwaukee, Wisconsin (PO c/o Robert R. Juchy, 5225 W. Vliet St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action 532087	
			Nature	Date
BFED-988 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: PN REC'D:	4-15-69 4-15-69 5-13-69	CP for new Non-Educ. FM on: 88.9mc. #205 ERP: .240kw HAAT: 896' TPO: .0996kw Trans.: Collins-830B-1A; Ant.: RCA-BFA-6B, 6 sec. TL: Capitol Dr. & Estabrook Pkwy. Shorewood, Wisconsin 43° 05' 24" - 87° 53' 47" SL: 5225 W. Vliet St., Milwaukee, Wis. (RC) Atty.: None Engr.: W.J. Kessler (Gainesville, Florida)	GRANTED	8-8-69
BSCA-936 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: APR 28 1969	4-15-69 4-15-69	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authori- zation on a sub-carrier frequencies of 42 & 67 kilocycles. Atty: None	GRANTED	9-8-69

Pub. Notice mailed 4-24-69

CONTACT: Mr. Robert R. Suchy Telephone Area Code 414
5225 W. Vliet Street 476-3670 (EXT. 301)
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53208

*Amend 5-13-69 re exhibit
3B submitted (agreement)*

AMENDED 5-13-69 re exhibit 3B submitted (agreement).

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters WYMS

Name MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPED-708 R & F FEE NOT REQUIRED PRESS: <u>APR 3 1970</u>	3-26-70 3-30-70	MP(BPED-988) ext. time to 5-11-70 (NEW STATION).	GRANTED	4-10-70
BMPED-744 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED PRESS: <u>OCT 12 1970</u>	9-24-70 9-28-70	MP(BPED-988 as mod) ext. time to 3-30-71 (NEW STATION).	GRANTED	10-20-70
BMPED-788 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: <u>19 APR 1971</u>	3-29-71 3-31-71	MP(BPED-988 as mod.) ext. time to 9-30-71 (NEW STATION).	GRANTED	4-23-71

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters W Y M SName Milwaukee Board of School Directors
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPED-823 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED: PRESS: 4	9-16-71 9-20-71 OCT 1971	MP (BPED-988 as mod) ext. time to 3-30-72. (NEW STATION). Atty--	GRANTED to	10-14-71 3-30-72
BMPED-872 R & F No Fee Required Press MAR	3-6-72 3-8-72 14 1972	MP (BPED-988, as mod.) ext. time to 9-30-72. (New Station) Atty ---	GRANTED TO:	3-27-72 9-30-72
BMPED-925 R & F No Fee Required Press SEP	9-15-72 9-18-72 25 1972	MP (BPED-988, as mod.) ext. time to 12-31-72. (NEW STATION)	GRANTED TO	11-3-72 1-31-73

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

88.9mhz

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Letters W.Y.M.S.Name Milwaukee Board of School Directors
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPED-968 R & F No Fee Required Press FEB 21 1973	2-1-73 2-6-73	MP (BPED-988) chg. trans. (CCA FM-1000-DS); chg. ant. (Jampro JA6B-S, 6 sects.); chg. TPO; ERP: 0.253KW and HAAT: 871'.	GRANTED	2-28-73
BLED-1089 Rec'd Amended & F PTA PRESS Amended MAY 18 1973	1-15-73 1-17-73 2-6-73 3-2-73 4-25-73	Lic.(BPED-988, as mod.) for New FM Educ. Broadcast Station. New 341 to change trans.; ant.; ERP & HAAT. Section VI	GRANTED	12-18-73
BPED- Rec'd Press DEC 17 1973	11-30-73 12-3-73	CP to increase ERP to 2.53KW.	RETURNED Interference.	12-14-73
BPED-1,757 R & F No Fee Required Press JAN 22 1974	12-27-73 1-2-74	Construction permit to change TPO and ERP: 1.5KW. - -	GRANTED COND'L	8-19-74
P. N. Rec'd AMENDED	2-11-74 8-12-74	Engr. Data: Chg. ERP: 1KW and chg. TPO.		

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Milwaukee, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BLED-1312 R & F PTA PRESS	9-20-74 9-23-74 10-7-74 NOV 4 1974	Lic.(BPED-1757) - Changes.	GRANTED	11-8-74
BRSD-667 BRSCA-936 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-19-76 7-26-76 7-28-76 OCT 12 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA	GRANTED	11-15-76
BPED-2522 R & F PRESS	6-23-77 6-27-77 AUG 10 1977	CP chg TPO & ERP {1.5kw} Atty-- Engr. Guy Morrison	GRANTED	8-17-77
BLED-1714 R & F PTA PRESS	9-14-77 9-19-77 9-30-77 DEC 9 1977	Lic. (BPED-2522) for changes Atty--- Engr. Guy Morrison	GRANTED	1-25-78

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters W.Y.M.S.

Name **MILWAUKEE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS**
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMSCA-524 R & F PRESS: MAR 6 1978	2-10-78 2-15-78	Mod. of Subsidiary Communications Authori- zation to make changes in frequency (retain 67khz.), equipment & programming. Atty: -----	GRANTED	3-14-78
BRED'790730VS BRSCA790730VS PRESS OCT 1 1979		Renewal of License Renewal of SCA	GRANTED	11-30-79

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.

