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Form BC 126
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

#4442

Date first licensed 2-9-65 Call letters W G L C

AGRI-VOICE, INC.(AL 12-21-70EFF: 1-1-71)

Station location Mendota, Illinois

x JEL-CO RADIO, INC. (AL 1-31-67EFF: 2-20-67)

xJeanne V. Morgan tr/as VANCO BROADCASTING COMPANY

xMENDOTA BROADCASTING CORP. (AL-9-23-66; EFF: NOT CONSUMMATED)

x JEANNE V. MORGAN, tr/as VANCO BROADCASTING COMPANY(BAP-7-1-64 EFF: 7-16-64

Name of licensee x JANET C. BECKER tr/as MENDOTA BROADCASTING COMPANY

Hwy. 51, 2.5 mi. N. of center of city, Mendota, Illinois (BMP 6-5-64)

Transmitter location X1 mi. W. of Hwy. 51 & 0.5 mi. N. of Hwy. 34, Mendota, Illinois (BP 11-7-63)

(BRC 5-24-65)

706½ Washington Street, First State Bank Bldg., Mendota, Illinois/

X703 Jefferson Street, Mendota, Illinois (BRC-2525)

x710½ Jefferson, Mendota, Illinois (BMP 6-5-64)

Main studio location Xto be determined, Mendota, Illinois (BP 11-7-63)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BP-15460	11-7-63	1090kc	250w	Day	1-7 7-7-64
	CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1)				
BP-15460 (1)	12-4-63	Mod. of CP(BP-15460) to assign Call Letters.			
BMP-11192	6-5-64	1090kc	250w	Day	1-7 9-7-64
	Mod. of CP(BP-15,460) to change ant-trans. loc., specify studio and remote control point as 710½ Jefferson, Mendota, Illinois, and change type transmitter to GATES BC-250C1 (Cond'1).				
BMP-11192 (1)	6-25-64	Mod. of CP(BMP-11192) to correct the antenna description (Memo).			
BAP-682 EFF:	7-1-64 7-16-64	Voluntary assignment of Construction Permit (BP-15,460 which auth.a new Standard B/C Station) to Jeanne V. Morgan,tr/as Vanco Broadcasting Company			
BRC-2525	8-27-64	Mod. of CP(BP-15,460) to chg. studio location and Remote Control Point to 706 Jefferson Street, Mendota, Ill. 1090kc 250w Day 1-7 9-7-64			
BL-10,727 condl	2-9-65	1090kc	250w	Day(RC)	2-9- 12-1-67
	Lic to cover CP(BP-15,460 as mod) which auth a new Standard Broadcast Station.				
BRC-2665 (1)	5-24-65	Mod. of license to change studio loc. and remote control point to 706½ Washington Street, First State Bank Bldg., Mendota, Illinois.			
BAL-5856 EFF: NOT	9-23-66 CONSUMMATED	Voluntary assignment of license to MENDOTA BROADCASTING CORP.			
BAL-5949 EFF:	1-31-67 2-20-67	Voluntary assignment of license to JEL-CO RADIO, INC.			
BR-4442	11-24-67	1090kc 250w (RC) Day			12-1 12-1-70
BTC-6000 EFF:	8-20-69 8-25-69	Vol. TO			
BR-4442(S)	11-25-70	Renewal of license			12-1
BAL-7114	12-21-70	VOL. AL EFF: 1-1-71			
[illegible]	6-12-72				

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BR-4442(L)	11-30-73	RENEWAL			12-1-76
BR-4442{S}	11-17-76	Renewal of license			12-1-79
COMTEL	2-12-79	Delete marking			
BZ-790628AD(1)	8-8-79	Direct Measurement			
BR-790720UE{S}	11-30-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			12-1-82

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters new W G L C

Name JANET C. BECKER tr/as MENDOTA BROADCASTING COMPANY
MENDOTA, ILLINOIS (P.O. 924 Bellwood Ave., Bellwood, Ill.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-15,460 Rec'd Filed	4-6-62 4-9-62 4-9-62	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1090kc Power - 250w Hours of operation - Daytime Type transmitter - Gates BC-250T Trans. location - ~~6th Street, East of city limits of~~ Mendota, Illinois Studio location - To be determined Mendota, Illinois Remote Control - Same as studio Eng. Robert A. Jones, LaGrange, Ill.	GRANTED Cond'l re: Permittee shall accept any interf. that may result due to subsequent grants of the applications of Effingham B/Casting Company. Pre-sunrise operation.	11-7-63
Amendment R&F	5-17-63 5-20-63	AMENDED 5-20-63 to change antenna-trans. location to " 1 mile west of Hwy. 51 & 0.5 mile north of Hwy. 34, Mendota, Illinois"		

FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WCLC

Name JEANNE V. MORGAN, tr/as VANCO BROADCASTING COMPANY
x JANET C. BECKER tr/as MENDOTA BROADCASTING COMPANY
Mendota, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-11,192 R.& F.	2-18-64 2-26-64	Mod of CP (BP-13,460, which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to change ant-trans. location from 1 mi. S of Hwy 51 & 0.5 mi. N of Hwy 34, Mendota, Illinois to On Hwy 51, 2.5 mi. N from center of city, Mendota, Illinois; specify studio and remote control point as 710½ Jefferson, Mendota, Illinois, and change type transmitter to Gates BC-250-C1.	GRANTED Cond'l re: shall interf. that may result due to subsequent grants of the applications of Effingham B/Casting Company. Pre-sunrise operation	6-5-64 Permittee accept any
BAP-682 Rec'd RESUBMITTED R & F	3-23-64 3-31-64 3-28-64 5-1-64	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Jeanne V. Morgan tr/as Vanco Broadcasting Company.	~~RETD 4-1-64~~ ~~not signed by assignee and incomplete~~ GRANTED EFF:	 7-1-64 7-16-64

FORM BC-121 # 3
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGLC

Name JEANNE V. MORGAN, tr/as VANCO BROADCASTING COMPANY
Mendota, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-2525 Rec'd Filed	8-21-64 8-24-64 8-24-64	Mod. of CP(BP-15460) to change studio location and remote control point to 703 Jefferson Street, Mendota, Illinois.	GRANTED	8-27-64
BL-10,727 Rec'd Filed	8-17-64 8-19-64 8-27-64	License to cover construction permit(BP-15,460 as modified) which authorized a new Standard Broadcast station.	GRANTED condl re pre-sunrise precluded	2-9-65
BRC-2665 Rec'd Filed	5-10-65 5-17-65 5-17-65	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point to 706½ Washington Street, First State Bank Bldg., Mendota, Illinois.	GRANTED	5-24-65
BAL-5856 R & F	8-12-66 8-12-66	Voluntary assignment of license to MENDOTA BROADCASTING CORP. Request waiver of Section 1.597 of Rules Atty for assignor - Monroe Oppenheimer for assignee - John H. Midlen	GRANTED EFF:NOT CONSUMMATED PER ATTY LTR 11-21-66	9-23-66

FORM BC-121 #4
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1090kc

Call Letters W G L C

Name JEL-CO RADIO, INC.
X JEANNE V. MORGAN tr/as VANCO BROADCASTING COMPANY
Mendota, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-5949 R & F	12-15-66 12-21-66	Voluntary assignment of license to JEL-CO RADIO, INC. REQ. WAIVER OF SECTION 1.597 of RULES Atty for assignor - Monroe Oppenheimer for assignee - Arthur Stambler	GRANTED EFF:	1-31-67 2-20-67
BR-4442 R & F SEP 19 1967	8-29-67 9-1-67	Renewal of license. Atty: Arthur Stambler	GRANTED condl re pre-sunrise precluded	11-24-67
BTC-6000 Rec'd Filed FEE PD: $75 -#530151 and $15 -#531515 (FORM 316 - ALSO SEE WGLC-FM & WVMC) JUL 30 1969	7-10-69 7-18-69 7-28-69	Vol. transfer of control of lic. corp. from John F. Hurlbut and Emmy L. Hurlbut, individually, to John F. Hurlbut and Emmy L. Hurlbut, Jointly Atty - Jason Shrinsky	GRANTED EFF:	8-20-69 8-25-69

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STANDARD BROADCAST 1090kc

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W G L C

AGRI-VOICE, INC.
Name JEL-CO RADIO, INC.
MENDOTA, ILLINOIS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-7114 Received Filed #617507 $75 PRESS: SEP 11 1970 PN REC'D: Pub. notice filed 8-24-70	7-31-70 7-31-70	Voluntary assignment of license to Agri-Voice, Inc. Atty.: Jason L. Shrinsky AMENDED 12-4-70 - bank ltr re loan(Assignee) AMENDED 12-11-70- clarif re bank loan; & clarif re purchase agreement	GRANTED EFF: GRANT FEE DUE:$3,300(AM-FM) Fee Paid: 7-2-71. 063, W017809	12-21-70 1-1-71
BR-4442 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-21-70 8-25-70 8-24-70 SEP 3 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Jason L. Shrinsky,Atty.(Arthur Stambler)	GRANTED	11-25-70
Annual filing fee $30.00 paid 11-24-70 #645926.				
BR-4442 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	8-17-73 8-28-73 " 17 SEP 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert L. Olender,Atty. AMENDED 11-6-73 re: EEO; programming	GRANTED	11-30-73

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Form BC-121
May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W G L C

Name AGRI-VOICE, INC.
MENDOTA, ILLINOIS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-4442 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-19-76 8-2-76 " AUG 19 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE J.L.Shrinsky,Atty.	GRANTED	11-17-76
BZ-790628AD R & F DM PRESS JUL 20 1979	6-28-79 7-5-79	Direct Measurement	GRANTED	8-8-79
BR 790720 UE PRESS AUG 29 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Elliot B. Evers,Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-79

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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. 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 – 3" by 5" filing cards – 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). 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. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

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.