WJET

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed February 7, 1952

Call letters W J E T
Location: Erie, Pennsylvania

Name of licensee THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC. (AL 5-27-53) 6-27-53)
x MYRON JONES

Transmister location 1635 Ash St., Erie, Pennsylvania (Lic. 2-7-52)
x 18th and Ash Streets, Erie, Pennsylvania (MP 4-26-51)
x To be determined in Erie, Pennsylvania

Main studio location 1635 Ash St., Erie, Pennsylvania (Lic. 2-7-52)
x 18th and Ash Streets, Erie, Pennsylvania (MP 4-26-51)
x To be determined in Erie, Pennsylvania

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BP-7758	2-21-51	1570	250w	Daytime	
C.P. for antenna	new std. & T site	station - Ltr. 2-27-51	subj. filing MP for approval		
BP-7758	4-26-51	1570	250w	Day	6-26 12-26-51
MP-5504	Mod. of CP (7758) & main studio locations and change T. (COND'L. CL.)		for approval of antenna, trans.		
BL-4560	2-7-52	1570	250w (COND'L CLAUSE)	Day	2-7 8-1-54
Lic. cover CP 7758 as mod., for a new standard broadcast station					
BAL-1540	5-27-53	Vol. assignment of license to THE "JET"			
EFF:	6-27-53	BROADCASTING CO., INC.			
BR-2693	7-21-54	1570kc	250w	Day	8-1 8-1-57
BP-8739	9-8-55	1400kc	250w	Unlimited	11-8-55 5-8-56
CP to chanbe freq., & hours operation					
BL-5907	11-9-55	1400kc	250w	Unlimited	11-9-55 8-1-57
Lic. to cover CP (BP-8739) to change freq., and hours of operation. (COND'L CLAUSE)					
BZ-3856 (1)	4-9-57	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BR-2693	7-31-57	1410	250w	U	-1 8-1-57
BP-11499	9-10-57	1400kc	250w	Un	11-10 5-10-58
Construction permit to install new transmitter as alternate main at present location of main transmitter.					
BL-6840	12-19-57	1400kc	250w	Un	12-19 8-1-60
License to cover CP (BP-11,499) which authorized installation of new transmitter to be used as an Alternate Main trans. at present location of Main					
BR-2693	7-27-60	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-63
Main & Alt Main					
BP-12,188 (COND'L)	2-23-62	1400kc	250w-1kw-LS	Un	4-23 10-23-62
CP to increase daytime power and install new Daytime transmitter (2 transmitters)					
BMP-10183	3-30-62	Mod. of CP(BP-12188) f to change type tran. to Bauer 707 (1 main tran.)			

Form BC 126
June 1954 #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters J.E.T.

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BL-9426	8-9-62	1400kc	250w	Alt.M-Aux.	8-9 8-1-63
	Lic. to use old Alt. M. (RCA-250-D) at pres.loc. of main trans; operated on 1400kc, 250w, as an alt. M night and aux. day.				
BZ-4692 Wire sent. Not issued issued with BL-9293)	8-10-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.			
BL-9293 BZ-4692 (2)	8-14-62 which auth. incr. trans. Cond'l	Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,188 as mod) xtc daytime power and instl. new			
BR-2693 ALT Main -AUX	7-10-63	1400kc Renewal	250w,1kw, Unl of License to		8-1 8-1-66 8-1-66
BR-2693	1-11-67	Renewal of License Main & Alt.Main-Aux.			1-11 8-1-69
BZ-6811(S) BZ-6812(S)(1)	4-19-68 4-19-68	Direct Meas. (Main) Direct Meas. (Alt-M,Aux.)			
BR-2693(L)	7-22-69	Renewal of Main & Alt.-Aux. & MRA			8-1-72
BRC-3544(1)	10-5-71	ML to operate RC			
BZ-7898(L)	11-16-71	Direct Measurement Alts & Aux. 8-1-72			
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-2693(S)	8-9-72	RENEWAL (Main & Alt. Main--Aux.)			8-1-75
BZ-8208 (L)	11-21-27	Direct Measurement(Alts & Aux)8-I-75			
COMTEL	12-2-74 OPERATION	AUTHORITY GRANTED TO RESUME LICENSED			
BR-2693(S)	7-23-75	RENEWAL (MAIN,ALT. & AUX.) 8-1-78			
BP-20,080	11-14-75	CP to install Alt. Main (Day & Night 11-14-76			
BL-14,248(L)	1-28-77	Lic. to covre BP-20,080 for changes 4-1-78			
LTR.	4-3-78	TRANS: HARRIS MW-1A now installed as MAIN & RCA BTA-1L now installed as ALT. MAIN (FORMER MAIN)			

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BC-126
June 1975

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ....W J E T....

Station location .....

Name of licensee ....SEE CARD ONE....

Transmitter location ....SEE CARD ONE....

Main studio location ....SEE CARD ONE....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BR-2693(L)	7-12-78	RENEWAL	(MAIN,ALT. & AUX.)		8-1-81
COMTEL	11-12-80	AU. & TERMS COMTEL 7-15-80 EXT. THRU 12-31-80. SUBMIT DETAILED PROGRESS REPORT IF FURTHER EXT. IS SOUGHT.			

FCC Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJET

Name MYRON JONES
(P.O. 1607 Oak St., Youngstown, Ohio)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-7758 Rec'd Filed	7-15-50 7-19-50 7-19-50	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: ~~1400kc~~ 1570kc Power: 250w Hours of Operation; ~~Unlimited~~ Daytime Trans. Location: To be determined Erie, Pennsylvania Studio Location: To be determined Erie, Pennsylvania	GRANTED subj. filing MP for approval antenna & T site - Ltr. 2-27-51	2-21-51
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	7-28-50 7-31-50 7-31-50	AMENDED to specify type of transmitter (RCA 250-D).		
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	9-19-50 9-20-50 9-20-50	AMENDED TO CHANGE frequency from 1400kc to 1570kc and change hours of operation from unlimited to daytime. Ltr. 12-13-50 notifying Comm. that Carl L. Shipley is Atty. for station.		

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters [illegible]

Name MYRON JONES

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-5504 Rec'd Filed	3-9-51 3-12-51 3-13-51	Modification of construction permit (BP-7758, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, transmitter and main studio locations as 18th and Ash Streets, Erie, Pennsylvania and change type of transmitter (Gates BC-250-3Y). Carl L. Shipley, Atty.	GRANTED re blanketing clause	4-26-51
BL-4560 Rec'd Filed	10-2-51 10-4-51 10-4-51	License to cover construction permit (BP-7758, as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED Cond'l re blanketing	2-7-52

FORM A-170 #3 APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO. INC. x MYRON JONES

Call Letters WJET

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-8739 Rec'd Filed *SEE AMENDMENT BELOW	1-22-53 1-26-53 1-26-53	Construction permit to change frequency from 1570kc to 1400kc and change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited, using power of 250w. Carl L. Shipley, Atty.	GRANTED after hearing D-10732	9-8-55
BAL-1540 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	2-12-53 3-11-53 4-22-53 4-24-53 4-24-53	Voluntary assignment of license to The "JET" Broadcasting Co., Inc. Carl Shipley, Atty.	~~RETURNED Articles of Inc. dated after application.~~ GRANTED EFF:	 5-27-53 6-27-53
BP-8739 (CONT'D) AMENDED Rec'd Filed	7-27-53 7-31-53 7-31-53	AMENDED to change name to The "JET" Broadcasting Co., Inc.	SEE ABOVE FORACTION	

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FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJET

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO. INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2693 Rec'd Filed	6-17-54 6-18-54 6-18-54	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-21-54
BL-5907 Rec'd Filed	10-26-55 10-27-55 10-27-55	License to cover construction permit (BP-8739) which authorized change frequency and hours of operation.	GRANTED Cond'l re this lic. is granted without prejudice re result of outcome of WBNY's appeal to U.S. Court of Appeals for District of Columbia Circuit (No. 12936) from Comm., decision granting WJET's applicatn., to operate on 1400kc.	11-9-55

FORM BC-121 #5
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJET

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BZ-3856 Rec'd Filed	3-11-57 3-14-57 3-14-57	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	4-9-57
BR-2693 Rec'd Filed	6-5-57 6-17-57 6-17-57	Renewal of License. Harry J. Daly, Atty.	GRANTED	7-25-57
BP-11,499 Rec'd Filed	8-17-57 8-19-57 8-19-57	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA 250D) as an alternate main trans., at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1400kc, 250w, Un.	GRANTED	9-10-57
BL-6840 Rec'd Filed	10-1-57 10-3-57 10-3-57	License to cover CP (BP-11,499) which authorized installation of a new transmitter to be used as an alternate main trans. at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1400kc, 250w, Unl.	GRANTED	12-19-57

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJET

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-12,188 Rec'd Filed	7-13-58 7-15-58 7-15-58	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (RCA BTA 1R) (Request waiver of Sec.3.188(d) of Rules) Atty. - Harry J. Daley Engr. - Myron Jones, Erie, Penna.	GRANTED After Hearing D-13334 (Cond'l re accept interference)	2-23-62
AMENDMENT R & F	9-2-58 9-9-58	AMENDED to use presently licensed alt. main trans.(RCA 250 D) as main trans. for nighttime use (2 main transmitters)		
BP- Rec'd	4-22-59 4-30-59	Construction permit to install a new General Radio, Type No. 1931-B Modulation Monitor. Lenore Ehrig, Atty.	RETURNED Unnecessary	5-26-59 Re:
BR-2693 Rec'd&filed	5-3-60 5-11-60	Renewal of license. (Main & Alt. Main). Daly & Ehrig, Attys.	GRANTED	7-27-60

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FORM BC-121 #7
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WJET

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.
ERIE, PENNA.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-10,183 R.&F.	3-3-62 3-6-62	Mod. of CP(BP-12188 which auth inc. daytime power and install new trans.-daytime; using lic. alt. main-nighttime(2 main trans.) to chg. type trans. (BAUER 707) night & day(1 main trans.).	GRANTED	3-30-62
BL-9293 R. & F.	4-5-62 4-6-62	Lic to cover CP(BP-12,188 as mod) which auth incr in daytime power and install new trans. Atty- DALY & EHRIG	GRANTED Issued with BZ-4692.	8-14-62
BZ-4692 R. & F.	5-25-62 5-28-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty- DALY and EHRIG	GRANTED Issued with BL-9293 8-14-62	8-10-62
BL-9426 R. & F.	6-1-62 6-5-62	Lic to use old main trans(RCA-250D) at present loc of main trans, to be operated on 1400kc, 250w, for Aux purposes Day and as an Alt Main Nighttime. Atty- DALY & EHRIG	GRANTED	8-9-62

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W.J.E.T.

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.
ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2693 R & F	6-4-63 6-7-63	Renewal of license---(Main & Alt. Main-Aux.) Atty. Lenore G Ehrig	GRANTED	7-10-63
BR-2693 R & F	4-27-66 5-3-66	Renewal of license (Main & Alt.Main-Aux.) Atty- Midlen & Harrison	GRANTED	1-11-67
BZ-6811 R & F DM APR 17 1968	1/26/68 1/30/68 3/5/68	Direct Meas. (Main) Atty: Edward B. Reddy	GRANTED	4-19-68
BZ-6812 R & F DM APR 17 1968	3/25/68 3/29/68 4/5/68	Direct Meas. (Alt-Aux.) Atty: Edward B. Reddy	GRANTED	4-19-68
BR-2693 R & F #511933 $105 PRESS	4-30-69 5-5-69 5-5-69	Renewal of license (Main & Alt. Main-Aux.) Atty-Midlen & Reddy	GRANTED	7-24-69

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

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Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters .....W.I.E.T.....

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Erie, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRC-3544 R & F #007780 $50 Acc. 067 Press OCT 14 1971	9-21-71 9-28-71' 9-28-71	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 1635 Ash Street, Erie, Pennsylvania. Atty: Robert E. Levine	GRANTED	10-5-71
BZ-7898 R & F DM PRESS NOV 11 1971	9-21-71 9-28-71 10-6-71	Direct Measurement - Main & Alternate-Main-Auxiliary Transmitters. Atty: Robert E. Levine (Midlen & Reddy)	GRANTED	11-16-71
BR-2693 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAY 19 1972	5-3-72 5-3-72 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALT.MAIN-AUX.) Ed.B.Reddy,Atty. AMENDED 5-26-72 re; list of community members surveyed	GRANTED	8-9-72
BZ-8208 R & F DM PRESS SEP 16 1972	10-31-72 11-2-72 11-10-72	Direct measurement - Main & Alternate Night - Auxiliary Day transmitters Atty: Midlen & Reddy	GRANTED	11-21-72

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Form BC-121
September 1969

1400 khz.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W J E T

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.
ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2693 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-31-75 4-1-75 " MAY 9 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER.& AUX.TRANS.) Ed.B.Reddy,Atty.	GRANTED	7-23-75
BP-20,080 R &F $100-480011 Refunded$50 AC: 001 Press: OCT 6 1975	9-18-75 9-23-75 9-23-75 10-3-75	Construction permit to install a new Alternate Main transmitter RCA BTA-1L. Atty: Edward B. Reddy	GRANTED	11-14-75
BL-14,248 R & F $50#636178 PTA PRESS NOV 29 1976	11-9-76 11-12-76 11-15-76 11-22-76	Lic. to cover BP20,080 for alternate trans. Atty: Dennis F. Begley(Midlen & Reddy)	GRANTED	1-28-77

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

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Form BC-121
May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1400 khz

Call Letters W J E T

Name THE "JET" BROADCASTING CO., INC.
ERIE, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2693 R & F PRESS	3-8-78 3-31-78 APR 17 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER.& AUX.TRANS.) Ed.B.Reddy,Atty.	GRANTED	7-12-78
BR810331VM PRESS	MAY 21 1981	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Edward B. Reddy	gtd.	7-7-81 ISSUED

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

W J E T

RECORD OF DENIALS OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

Ltr. 10-23-51 - Denied request operation after LS 11-6-51 for election returns

Telegram 11-8-55 Op. on 1400 kc - 11-8-55 - elecion

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.