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Form BC 126 1-17-75 Auth. gr. for on-the-air I.D. as: "SCOTTSBLUFF-GERING, NEBRASKA".
June 1954 FM B/C/
Official No. 1188

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 7-20-61 Call letters KNEB-FM

Station location Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Name of licensee PANHANDLE BROADCASTING, INC. (AL: 6-6-79 EFF:
xSCOTTS BLUFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH 12-23-69 EFF: 1-18-70)
xPLATTE VALLEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION EFF: 1-18-70

Transmitter location 11 Miles S. of city, on State Hiway #71, Scottsbluff, Nebraska
xxApprox. 1¼ miles SE of Scottsbluff, Nebraska (BPH-4-14-81)

2302 South Beltline Highway East, Scottsbluff, Nebraska (LETTER - 9-15-81)
xApprox. 1¼ miles SE of Scottsbluff, Nebraska (BS-3-4-71)
ZIP: 69361 xxSame as transmitter (BS 3-4-71)

Main studio location x2110 Broadway, Scottsbluff, Nebraska

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPH-3055 HAAT:61'	9-7-60	94.1mcs Ch. 231	5.6-kw TPO:1-kw	U	11-7-60 5-7-61
Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station.					
BMPH-6506 (1)	11-30-60	Modification of CP(BPH-3055 above) to change transmitter, antenna, ERP and description of antenna system. 6.9kilowatts.			
BLH-1757 HAAT: 61 ft.	7-20-61	94.1mc Ch.231	6.6kw TPO:1 kw	Unl	7-20-61 6-1-62
License to cover CP(BPH-3055, as mod.) which authorized a new FM broadcast Station.					
	5-29-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BRH-1188	7-30-62	Renewal of license			7-30 6-1-65
BRH-1188	5-4-65	Renewal of License			6-1 6-1-68
BRH-1188(S)	5-28-68	Renewal of License&NDEA			6-1-71
BRH-1227 EFF:1-18-70	12-23-69	Vol. ALH			
BSH-1188(1)	3-4-71	ML chg. studio to TL.			
BRH-118(L)	5-28-71	RENEWAL & NDEA			6-1-74
EBSA	5-25-72				
BRH-1188	5-31-74	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-77
BRH-1188	5-20-77	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			6-1-80
BALH790404FK	6-6-79	VOL. AL		EFF:	Z
BRH 800201 YL	5-22-80	(L) RENEWAL			6-1-83
BPH-801022AA HAAT: 680' (L)	4-14-81 (h&v)	94.1mhz. ERP: 100kw (h&v) U CP to chg. TL, incre. ERP, chg. HAAT; & make chgs in Antenna System.			4-14-82
LETTER	9-15-81	SL & RC now Loc. at: 2302 South Beltline Highway East, Scottsbluff, Nebraska			

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters KNEB-FM X new

Name PLATTE VALLEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION Station location: Scottsbluff, Nebraska
(P.O.- Box 2, Scottsbluff, Nebraska)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-3055 Rec'd Filed	6-22-60 6-24-60 6-24-60	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 94.1mc CH 231 ERP - 5.63kw Type transmitter - Gates FM-1B Type antenna - Andrew 1308-1 (8 section) HAAT 61' Trans. location - 1½ miles S.E. of Scottsbluff, Nebraska Studio location - 2110 Broadway Scottsbluff, Nebraska Engr. - Vir N. James, Denver, Colorado	GRANTED HAAT: ERP:	9-7-60 61' 5.6-kw
BMPH-6506 Rec'd&Filed	11-19-60 11-21-60	Modification of CP(BPH-3055 which authorized a new FM Broadcast station) to change transmitter (ITA,FM 1000B); change antenna(Collins,37-M8FM) and incr. ERP from 5.6kw to 6.6 kw.	GRANTED ERP: 6.9 kilowatts.	11-30-60

FORM BC-121 #2 APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING
AUG. 1955

Name SCOTTS BLUFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
x PLATTE VALLEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBR.

Call Letters KNEB-FM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-1757 R & F	12-10-60 12-13-60	License to cover construction permit (BPH-3055 as modif ied) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	7-20-61
BRH-1188 Rec'd&Filed	2-13-62 2-16-62	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-30-62
BRH-1188 Rec'd Filed	2-11-65 2-15-65 2-15-65	Renewal of license AMENDED 4-17-68 re: programming	GRANTED	5-14-65
BRH-1188 R & F MAR 13 1968	2/24/68 2/26/68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-28-68
BALH-1227 R & F FEE PD: $75 -#519229 (also see am KNEB) JUN 10 1969	6-2-69 6-3-69	Vol. assignment of lic. to SCOTTS BLUFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION	GRANTED Cond'l:Re: Docket No. 18110 EFF:	12-23-69 1-18-70

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

Form BC-121
September 1969

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KNEB-FM

Name SCOTTS BLUFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Scottsbluff, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1188 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 1 1971 Feb 26	2-18-71 2-22-71 2-22-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 4-8-71 re: programming; commercial matter	GRANTED	5-28-71
BRH-1188 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	2-19-74 2-22-74 " 1 - MAR 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-31-74
Letter dated R & F Press	11-8-74 11-12-74 NOV 29 1974	Filed by Scotts Bluff Broadcasting Corporation for Request for Dual City Identification ~~from~~ SCOTTSBLUFF-GERING, NEBRASKA.	GRANTED	1-17-75

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

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Form BC-121
May 1976

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KNEB-FM

Name PANHANDLE BROADCASTING, INC.
x SCOTTS BLUFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1188 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-25-77 1-27-77 " MAR 10 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-20-77
BALH 790404FK FORM 314 (ALSO SEE AN) PRESS: APR 18 1979		Vol AL to PANHANDLE BROADCASTING, INC. Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (over)	GRANTED EFF:	6-6-79
791210AA		CP incr ERP: 100KW H&V HAAT: 700'H&V and chg TL: 10 mi North on Hiway 71,Scottsbluff, Nebraska 41 59 59 103 40 30 ATTY: Michael McCarthy	RETURNED VIO OF SECTION 73.20	7-9-80

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APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

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Call Letters: KNEB-FM

Name: PANHANDLE BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH 800201 YL PRESS APR 8 1980		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Michael J.McCarthy,Atty. AMENDED 5-13-80 re: programming	GRANTED 5-22-80
BPH ACCEPTED (C) JAN 29 '81 PN RECD.	CUT OFF MAR 13 '81 12-11-80	Construction permit to chg. TL: 11 mi. S. of Scottsbluff on State Hiway #71 near Scottsbluff, Nebraska, increase ERP: 100 kW H&V; HAAT: 680' H&V and make changes in antenna system. 41 42 04 103 40 49 Atty: Michael J. McCarthy	GRANTED: 4-14-81
Amended	12-11-80	No EEO complaints against station, community leader survey and employment data	

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March 1979

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.