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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 6-4-69

Call letters W F L R-FM

Station location Dundee, New York

FINGER LAKES RADIO, INC. (ALH gr 12/20/76 EFF: 1/18/77

Name of licensee xFinger Lakes Broadcasting Co., Inc.

Transmitter location Pre-Emption Rd. and Shannon Corners Rd., NW of Dundee, N.Y.(PH-1-19-68)

14837

Main studio location 30 Main Street, Dundee, New York (PH-1-19-68)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-6031 HAAT: 460' Cond'l	1-19-68 (h&v)	95.9mc. ch# 240 CP for a new Class A FM broadcasting station with RC.	ERP: 930watts TPO: 1kw	U (FTV)	3-19-68 9-19-68
BPH-6031 (1)	2-6-68	Mod. of CP(BPH-6031) to assign call lettera W F L R-FM.			
BLH-4147(L)	6-4-69	Lic. (BPH-6031) for new sta.			6-1-72
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-2363	5-31-72	(SHORT)	REN. OF LICENSE		6-1-75
BRH-2363(L)	5-28-75		RENEWAL		6-1-78
Letter	10-8-75	Trans. GATES FM-1H now installed			
BALH-2367	12/20/76	Vol ALH EFF: 1/18/77			
BRH-2363(L)	6-12-78		RENEWAL		6-1-81
BPH781204AI HAAT: 600' (L)	4/11/79 (H&V)	95.9mhz Class: A CP to mke chgs.	ERP: 0.6kW (H&V) Ch.# 240 TPO: ant. syst.		4/11/80 790watts & type trans
BPH800314AM (1)	5-15-80	MP (BPH-781204AI) ext. time to:			10-11-80
BMPH800711AL (2)	8-11-80	MP (BPH781204AI, as mod.) for ext. of time to:			12-31-80
BLH-800807AB HAAT; 600' (L)	10-23-80 (H&V)	95.9mHz Lic. to cover BPH-781204AI, as mod. for changes.	ERP: 0.60kW		6-1-81

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WFLR-FM
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Name FINGER LAKES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
DUNDEE, NEW YORK (PO 30 Main Street, Dundee, New York 14837)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-6031 R & F	9-25-67 10-9-67	CP for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Freq.: 95.9mcs, Ch.#240 ERP: 0.93kw(H&V) Type trans.: GEL FMT-1B TPO: 1kw Type ant.: Shively Labs 6710-2, 2 sections HAAT: 461 feet Trans. loc.: Pre-Emption and Shannon Corners Roads, Northwest of Dundee, New York Studio loc.: 30 Main Street, Dundee, New York RC pt. loc.: Same as Studio Daly and Joyce, Attys. (George R. Borsari, Jr.) Silliman, Moffet & Kowalski, Engrs. (Douglas B. DeLawder)	GRANTED Cond'l submit 302's for the AM(WFLR).	1-19-68

FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W F L R-FM

Name FINGER LAKES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Dundee, New York 14837

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-4147 R & F #453638 $30 PT NOV 19 1968	8/19/68 8/21/68 8/21/68 9/4/68	License (BPH-6031) for a new FM b/c station. Atty: Leonard S. Joyce Engr: Charles Halliman	GRANTED	6-4-69
BRH-2363 R & F P.N. PRESS MAR 21 1972	3-1-72 3-3-72 3-3-72	Renewal of License Atty: Leonard S. Joyce	GRANTED	5-31-72
BRH-2363 R & F P. N. Rec'd Press	1-7-75 2-3-75 2-3-75 11 FEB 1975	Renewal of License. Atty: John A. Borsari(Daly, Joyce etc.)	GRANTED	5-28-75

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W F L R-FM

Name FINGER LAKES RADIO, INC.
xxFINGER LAKES BROADCASTING CO., INC.
Dundee, N.Y.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BALH-2367 R & F SEE AM FOR NOV 8 1976	9-24-76 10-6-76 FEE PD	Voluntary assignment of license to FINGER LAKES RADIO, INC. Atty - Daly, Joyce, Borsari & George	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	12/20/76 1/18/77
BRH-2363 R & F PRESS FEB 17 1978	1-11-78 2-1-78	Renewal of License (Main & Aux.)	GRANTED	6-12-78
BPH781204AI PRESS DEC 20 1978		CP to make changes in Antenna System; chg. type Trans. (HARRIS FM-1H1); chg. type Ant. (HARRIS FML-2E, 2 sects. (H&V); decre. ERP: 0.600kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 599' (H&V) & chg. TPO.	Granted	4/11/79

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: W F L R-FM

Name: FINGER LAKES RADIO, INC.

Station Location: DUNDEE, NEW YORK

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMPH800314AM PRESS (0)	MAR 31 1980	MP (BPH-781204AI) For Extension of Time to: Time to: 7-11-80 (FOR CHANGES) Atty. George R. Borsari, Jr. (Daly,Joyce & Borsari)	GRANTED 5-15-80 TO 10-11-80
BMPH800711AI PRESS (0)	AUG 7 1980	MP (BPH-781204AI, as Mod.) For Extension of Time To: _____ (FOR CHANGES) Atty. Richard F. Kennedy (Daly,Joyce & Borsari)	GRANTED 8-11-80
BLH-800807AB PTA PRESS	SEP 12 1980	License to cover (BPH-781204AI, as mod.) for changes. Atty: George R. Borsari, Jr.	GRANTED 10-23-80

302 8/7/80

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WFLR-FM

Name: FINGER LAKES RADIO, INC.

Station Location: Dundee, New York

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH810202YT PRESS MAR 2 3 1981		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. Richard F. Kennedy	5-27-81 ISSUED

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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.

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.