WHBC - FM

REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

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B-S #217

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-31-48

Call letters WHBC - FM
LOCATION: CANTON, OHIO

BEAVERKETTLE COMPANY (MLH-11-7-72)
WHBC, INC. (ALH 12-28-67
Name of licensee THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

4744 Faircrest Ave., SW, Canton, Ohio(Redesc. PH 8-25-65)
Transmitter location North Industry - Richville Road, Canton, Ohio

ZIP 44701
Main studio location 550 Market Avenue South, Canton, Ohio.

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	E.R.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
B2-PH-226	9-12-46	97.1 No. 246	9 kw		
Letter	11-22-46	Subject to Comm. approval of transmitter and antenna details and applicantion making changes in antenna of WHBC.			
B2-PH-226	9-12-46	97.1 No. 246	25 kw Terr.	U 390'	By 5-7-47 To 11-7-47
Letter CP issued 3-7-47	1-29-47	Subject to CAA approval of transmitter site and Comm. approval of transmitter			
	6-26-47 Freq. assignment	94.1 accord	(No. 231) Do. 6768		
BMPH-936 MOD. C.P. issued	10-16-47	94.1 ext. of compl. date	25 kw.	U	By 5-7-47 To 2-7-48
Telegram	12-24-47	Relet atty. 18. Auth. granted operate period ending 2-7-48, 94.1 Mcs. Ch. 231 RCA BTF-3B trans. max. output power 3 kw antenna RCA two section pylon 357 feet overall height on WHBC tower number four purpose FM program service. Auth. granted same period operate without approved frequency and modulation monitors. Notify Comm. when operation has commenced.			
BMPH-1317	1-15-48	Ext. of completion date to 5-7-48			
Telegram	2-6-48	Relet atty. Auth. extended interim operation period ending May 7, 1948 using facilities in CP BMPH-1317 trans. RCA BTF-3B 3 kw. max. output power.			
Telegram	4-30-48	Relet atty. 28. Auth. extended period ending August 7 1948 interim operation.			
BMPH-1762 Ext. of	4-19-48 compl. date	94.1	25 kw. Aver. Terr.	330 ft.	By 5-7-47 To 8-7-48
Telegram	7-27-48	Retel 26. No objections discontinuing operation pending installation of amplifier Auth. granted period ending Sept. 7, 1948 operate using facilities in CP BMPH-1317 for purpose FM program service, pending action on application BMPH-2279. Program tests not auth. until application for station license has been filed.			

B-S Card #2

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W H B C - FM

Name of licensee THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location See Card #1

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BMPH-2279	7/31/48	Ext. date completion			to 11/7/48
BLH-250	12-31-48	License to cover CP BPH-226 as mod).			12-31-48 to 3-1-50
Letter	1-20-50	STA to operate station with power reduced to 15 kw, for purpose of making tests and measurements to determine the degree coverage will be affected, etc., for period ending in no event later than 6-18-50.			
BRH-217	2-21-50	Renewal of license			3-1-50 to 3-1-52
Letter	6-16-50	EXT STA to oper. sta. with power reduced to 15 kw. for purpose of making tests & measurements to determine the degree coverage will be affected, etc., period ending 12-18-50.			
BMLH-36	11-13-50	Mod. of Lic. to chg. ERP to 15 kw.			11-13-50 to 3-1-52.
BRH-217	2-27-52	Renewal of license to			10-1-52
BRH-217	9-3-52	Renewal of license to			10-1-55
BRH-217	9-7-55	Renewal of license to 94.1mcs. ERP 15 kw Terr: 390 feet			10-1-58(L)
BRCH-159	3-6-56	Operate by Remote Control from 550 Market Ave.S. Canton, Ohio.			
BRH-217	9-10-58	94.1	15kw	U to	10-1-61
BRH-217	9-7-61	Renewal of license			10-1 10-1-64 S
BRH-217	9-14-64	Renewal of License			10-1 10-1-67 S
BSCA-626	7-30-65	Subsidiary Communication Authorization on 67 kilocycles to			10-1-67

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June 1954 #3

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters .....W.H.B.C-FM.....

Station location ..CANTON, OHIO.....

Name of licensee .....THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY.....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH*5072 HAAT:370'(h&v) cont'l	8-25-65	94.1mc. Ch.#231	ERP:44kw(h)17kw(v) TPO:9kw.		10-25-65 4-25-66
		Construction permit to install new horiz. ant(RCA-BFA-8B, 8 secs.) install vertical ant (ERI-300-7, 7 secs), increase horiz. TPO: operate on a vertical TPO; increase horizontal ERP; and operate on a vertical ERP: and decrease HAAT;			
BSH-217 (1)	2-9-66	Mod. of BTF-10B BTE-10C	Lic. to show trans. as an RCA mod. by installation of an RCA Exciter. (Memo)		
BMPH-8792 (2)	4-28-66	Mod. of	CP(BPH-5072 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to		10-25-66
BLH-3314 HAAT: 370'(H&V)	9-8-66	94.1mcs CH#231	ERP:44kw(H) U ERP:17kw(V) TPO:9kw		9-8 10-1-67
		Lic to cover CP(BPH-5072 as mod)which auth install new Horiz & Vert ant chg. TPO,HAAT &ERP, operate on vert ERP.			
BSH-217 (1)	3-15-67	Mod. of BTE-10E	Lic. to show trans. as RCA mod. to use RCA BTE-10C Exciter		
BRH-217	9-27-67 Cancelled	94.1mcs Renewal of NDEA	44kw(H)17kw(V)U	10-1	10-1-70
BTC-5457	11-29-67	Voluntary transfer of control. Eff:12-11			
BAL-1058	12-28-67	Voluntary assignment of license.			
Wire dtd. & rec'd 5-8-68 giving notification per Sect. 73.250(a)(5) Rules that a Gates FM-10H trans. is now installed & in oper. (Eff:5-7-68)					
BLH-4081	(L)9-23-68	Lic. to use former main trans. 10-1-70 for Auxiliary purposes only.			
		Aux. Trans. should be RCA, BTE-10B, modified to employ an RCA BTE-10C exciter, dt.			
BSCA-1,050	11-25-70	Request for SCA on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kc/s			
BRH217	9-30-70	RENEWAL MAIN(L) & AUX.(L) NDEA			10-1-73
EBSA	5-25-72				

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed .....

Call letters W H B C-FM

Station location Canton, Ohio

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BMLH-428 (1)	11-7-72	ML change name of licensee			
BMSCA-324	11-7-72	Mod. of SCA chg. name of licensee			
BLH-5797	(L)5-24-73	-Lic.to reduce pwr-AUX. ERP: 16kw(H)&6kw(V) TPO:3.3kw			10-1-73
BRH-217	(S) 10-24-73	RENEWAL (Main & Aux.)			10-1-76
BRSCA-1050	"	Renewal of SCA			"
BRH-217	(L) 11-15-76	Renewal Main & Aux.			10-1-79
BRSCA-1050	"	Renewal of SCA			"
BRH790531	UC(S) 9-21-79	Renewal of license (MAIN & AUX.) & SCA			10-1-82
BPH-810313AS HAAT: 380'(H&V) (L)	6-12-81	94.1mhz; ERP: 48kW(H&V)(50kW(H&V) (MAX) CP to make chgs. in Ant. Sys.; chg. type Trans.; chg. type Ant.; incre. ERP & HAAT; & chg. TPO.			6-12-81

Form 94

HIGH FREQUENCY (FM)

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC - FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

P.O. 550 Market Ave., South Canton 2, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B2-PH-226 Recd. Filed	3-10-44 5-23-44 5-23-44	Construction permit for new high frequency FM broadcast station Frequency: 46,100 Kcs., Coverage: 8499 Sq. Mi. Studio: 550 Market Ave., South, Canton, Ohio Transmitter: Lakeside Ave., Canton, Ohio (G.E. GF 110-B Max. 10kw) Filed by Robert L. Irwin, Att'y. Amendment re Comm. letter of 9-7-45 recd. 10-3-45. No change. (Metropolitan) Program analysis rec'd. 4-10-46 Engr. information rec'd 11-19-46 changing frequency, effective radiated power, transmitter site, type of transmitter and making changes in antenna system. Engr. info. recd. 2-25-47 re Comm. letter of 1-29-47 changing type of transmitter.	Granted 9-12-46 for Class B Station. Letter mailed 9-23-46 Basic Engr. approved 10-31-46 & 1-16-47 Program plans approved 10-31-46 CP issued 3-7-47	

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Kenneth Sliker, Engineer

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

CARD #2

Call Letters W H B C - FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-936 Rec'd Filed	10-4-47 10-7-47 10-7-47	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-226 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 11-7-47 to 2-7-48. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Attorney	GRANTED	10-16-47
BMPH-1317 Rec'd Filed	1-5-48 1-8-48 1-8-48	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-226 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 2-7-48 to 8-7-48. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Attorney	GRANTED Ext. only	1-15-48 to 5-7-48
BMPH-1762 Recd. Filed	3-29-48 3-31-48 3-31-48	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-226 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 5-7-48 to 8-7-48. Filed by Francis X. McDonough, Att'y see card #3	GRANTED	4-19-48

Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CARD# 3

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-2279 Recd. Filed	6-30-48 7- 6-48 7- 6-48	Mod. of C. P. (B2-PH-226 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 8-7-48 to 11-7-48. Filed by Thomas W. Wilson, Attorney	Granted	7/21/48
BLH-260 Rec'd. Filed	8-5-48 8-9-48 8-9-48	License to cover construction permit (B2-PH-226 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station. Filed by John P. Carr, Attorney	GRANTED	12-31-48 to exp. 3-1-50
BRH-217 Recd & Filed	12-19-49 12-27-49	Renewal of license. Filed by John Carr, Atty	GRANTED	2-21-50
BMLH-36 Recd & Filed	10-12-50 10-19-50	Mod. of License to change ERP from 25 kw. to 15 kw. Filed by John Carr, Atty.	GRANTED	11-13-50

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FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY
Radio Station WHBC-FM, 550 Market Avenue South, Canton, Ohio.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-217 Recd. Filed	11-21-51 11-29-51 11-29-51	Renewal of license Filed by John P. Carr	GRANTED	2-27-52
BRH-217 Rec 'D. Filed	6-23-52 6-26-52 6-26-52	Renewal of license Thomas W. Wilson-atty	GRANTED	9-3-52
RH-217 Recd & filed	6-27-55 7-6-55	Renewal of license A. Cordon, atty	GRANTED	9-7-55
BRCH 159 Recd. & Filed	2-23-56 3/1/56	Transmitter operated by Remote Control from 550 Market Avenue South, Canton, Ohio. Filed by Wm. P. Sims, Jr.	GRANTED	3-6-56
BRH-277 Rec'd Filed	6-16-58 6-18-58 6-18-58	Renewal of license Atty. Al Cordon	GRANTED	9-10-58
BRH-217 Rec'd&Filed	6-20-61 6-30-61	Renewal of License Harry G. Sells, atty.	GRANTED	9-7-61

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

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY
CANTON, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-217 R.&F.	6-16-64 6-22-64	Renewal of license Attys-Cohen & Marks (Stanley B.Cohen)	GRANTED	9-14-64
BSCA-626 R&F	6-18-65 6-29-65	Request for subsidiary communications authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67kcs. Atty: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	7-30-65
BPH-5072 R&F	7-28-65 8-2-65	Construction permit to install new horizontal ant (RCA-BFA-8B, 8 sections), install vertical ant (ERI-300-7, 7 sections), increase horizontal TPO to 6.3kw and operate on a vertical TPO of 2.7kw, increase horizontal ERP to 44kw and operate on a vertical ERP of 17kw, and decrease HAAT to 368'. Atty: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED/ cont'l WHBC submit Form 302's	8-25-65

LTR. dated 9-9-65 from Cohen inc. request from licensee re waiver 73.242 B/C

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955 CARD #6

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY
CANTON, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-8792 R & F	4-7-66 4-11-66	Modification of CP(BPH-5072 which authorized install new horizontal ant., install vertical ant., increase TPO, increase horizontal ERP and operate on a vertical ERP, and decrease HAAT) for extension of completion date from 4-25-66 to 10-25-66. Cohn and Marks, Attys.	GRANTED to	6-28-66 10-25-66
BLH-3314 Rec'd Filed	5/27/66 6/1/66 6/6/66	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-5072 as mod.) which auth. install new horiz. & vert. ant., chng. TPO, HAAT & ERP, operate on vert. ERP. Attys: Cohn & Marks	GRANTED	9-8-66
BRH-217 R. & F. JUL 17 1967	6-21-67 6-29-67	Renewal of license. atty-Marcus Cohn	GRANTED (Cond'l re anti-trust action)	9-27-67

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

FORM BC-121 #7
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name WHBC, INC.
XX THE OHIO BROADCASTING COMPANY
Canton, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-5457 R &F OCT 12 1967	10-3-67 10-5-67	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from The Brush-Moore Newspapers, Inc. to WHBC, Inc. Atty - Marcus Cohn (R.R. Russo)	GRANTED Eff:	11-29-67 12-11-67
BALH-1058 R & F (Form 316) JAN 2 1968	12-21-67 12-26-67	Voluntary assignment of license to WHBC, INC. Atty - Marcus Cohn	GRANTED	12-28-67
BLH-4081 Rec'd Filed #437490 $30 PT SEP 6 1968	6/11/68 6/14/68 6/20/68 6/20/68 7/2/68	Lic. to use former main trans. RCA BTF-10E for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	9-23-68

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

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FORM BC-121 #8
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name WHBC, INC.
Canton, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-217 R & F #613846 $75. P.N.	6-5-70 7-6-70 ($240. submitted) 7-6-70 AUG 5 1970	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) Atty: Roy R. Russo	GRANTED	9-30-70
BSCA-1,050 R & F #644037 $50. CODE 068 PRESS: NOV 20 1970	11-9-70 11-16-70 11-16-70	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilocycles. Atty-Lawrence N. Cohn(Marks	GRANTED	11-25-70
2-16-71 Annual filing fee $19.00 deducted from Renewal fee $75.00 Credit $55.00 to 1971.				
BMLH-428 R & F Fee Filed with AM Press OCT 18 1972	9-25-72 9-26-72	Modification of license to change the corporate name to: BEAVERKETTLE COMPANY. Atty. Stanley Cohen	GRANTED	11-7-72

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

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ....W.H.B.C-FM.....

Name BEAVERKETTLE ~~BEAVERKETTLE~~ COMPANY
X WHBC, Inc.
Canton, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMSCA-323 R & F PRESS: OCT 18 1972	9-25-72 9-26-72	Mod. of SCA chg. name to: BEAVERKETTLE COMPANY.	GRANTED	11-7-72
BLH-5797 R & F W 174295-$50 PTA PRESS	4-10-73 4-13-73 4-13-73-AC 4-24-73 MAY 11 1973	Lic. to Reduce Power of Auxiliary transmitter ERP: 16kw(H), 6kw(V) -068 - Atty: Cohn and Marks(Stanley B. Cohen)	GRANTED	5-24-73
BRH-217 BRSCA-1050 R & F PRESS	6-8-73 6-1-73 7-2-73 10 AUG 1973	Renewal of License(Main & Auxiliary) Renewal of SCA Atty: Robert B. Jacobi	GRANTED	10-24-73

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May 1976
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHBC-FM

Name BEAVERKETTLE COMPANY
CANTON, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-217	5-26-76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY)	GRANTED	11-15-76
BRSCA-1050	5-18-76	RENEWAL OF SCA		
R & F	6-1-76			
PN Recd.	"	Howard M. Liberman, Atty.		
PRESS	JUL 28 1976	AMENDED 9-20-76 re: commercial matter		
BRH 790531 UC		RENEWAL OF LICENSE		
BRSCA "		RENEWAL OF SCA	GRANTED	9-21-79
PRESS	JUL 2 1979			
BPH810313AS		CP to make chgs. in Ant. Sys.; chg. type Trans.; chg. type Ant. (HARRIS FMH-6AC, 6 sects. Circularly Polarized); incre. ERP: 48.2kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 378' (H&V) & chg. TPO.	GRANTED:	6-12-81
PRESS (O)	APR 9 1981			

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.