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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W U G M (EFF: 12-1-73
W S V C(EFF:9-14-70)

Date first licensed 2-7-62

Call letters ~~WQDQ~~

FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM(ALH-9-26-73 EFF: 11-8-73

Station location ~~Auburn, Michigan~~ Midland, Michigan

x SAGINAW VALLEY COLLEGE(AL 2-29-72 EFF: 3-17-72)

Midland, Mich.

x HABCO, INC.(AL-2-9-66;EFF: 2-14-66

x PANAX CORPORATION (MLH-8-24-65)

x MID-STATES BROADCASTING CORPORATION (ALH 9-30-63, EFF 12-31-63

Name of licensee x MIDLAND-MID-STATE BROADCASTING CORPORATION

14 mile Road, 7.1 miles east-southeast of Shepherd, Michigan (PH-9-26-73)

XSaginaw Valley College Campus, Pierce Rd. at Davis Rd., Kochville Twsp., Mich. (Lic. 1-5-72)

xNear Saginaw, Michigan(PH-4-14-71)

Main Campus of Saginaw Valley College Pierce Rd at Davis Rd, Fisherville

Transmitter location X New M-20 Highway at Carter Road, 3.8 miles E. of Midland, Michigan

325 E. Main St., Midland, Mich. (EMPH-3-25-74

X To-be-determined, Midland, Mich. (PH-9-26-73)

X Same as transmitter

X231 East Main St., Midland, Mich. (Ltr. 5-15-69)

4-8-42

Main studio location x 229 Main Street, Midland, Michigan

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	Period To
BPH-3156 HAAT:145'	2-8-61	99.7mcs Ch. 259	40-kw TPO:5-kw	Unl.	4-8-61 10-8-61	
Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station.						
BSCA-362 (67kcs).	9-5-61	Subsidiary Communications Authority on a Multiplex Basis to			(see auth.).	
BLH-1951	2-7-62	99.7mcs	40kw	Unl	2-7	10-1-64
Lic. to cover CP (BPH-3156) which auth. a new FM Broadcast Station.						
BTC-4276 EFF	9/26/63 11-18-63	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Mid-State Broadcasting Corporation and Delta College to Mid-States Broadcasting Corporation				
BALH-602 BASCA-119 EFF	2-30-63 12-31-63	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to Mid-States Broadcasting Corporation				
BRH-1274 BRSCA-362	12-18-64 12-18-64	99.7mc RENEWAL OF SCA	40kilo	Unl.	12-18	10-1-67
BMLH-228 (1) EFF:9-1-65	8-24-65	Mod. of lic to change name to Panax Corporation.				
BMLH-941 BSCA-218	2-9-66 EFF:2-14-66	Voluntary assignment of lic. and SCA to HABCO, INC.				
BRH-1274 BRSCA-362	9-6-67 9-6-67	99.7mcs Renewal of SCA	40kw	Unl.	10-1 10-1	10-1-70 10-1-70
Ltr.	5-15-69	Studio: 231 E.MainSt., Midland, Mich.				
Telegram Comtel	1-5-70 4-23-70	Suspend operations thru 3-5-70 Remain silent extended thru 6-30-70				
BTC-6300	8-24-70	VOL. TO EFF: 9-1-70				
Comtel	9-10-70	Auth. remain silent reinstated and ext thru 11-10-7				
BPH-7208 HAAT: 295'	4-14-71	99.7mc Ch#259	ERP: 37kw TPO: 5kw	RC	6-14	4-14-72
CP chg. TRANS, STUDIO & RC location install new ant. chg. ERP and HAAT. chg. station loc.						
BRH-1274(L)	11-22-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-73	

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-7-62

Call letters W.S.V.C.

Station location AUBURN, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee SEE CARD # 1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From To
BLH-5293(L)	1-5-72	99.7mc	37kw	295' RC	10-1-73
	Lic. cover CP (BPH-7208)				
BALH-1640	2-29-72	VOL. ALH	EFF: 3-17-72		
EBSA	5-22-72				
BALH-1784 EFF:	9-26-73	VOL. ALH			
BPH-8216 HAAT: 690'(H&V)	9-26-73	99.7mhz. #259 CP chg. install new trans., ant., ERP, HAAT.	ERP: 100kw(H&V) (RC)	Class C Station Loc., TL, SL & RC Loc. chg. TPO,	9-26-74
COMTEL	11-26-73 Auth. Suspend oper. thru 12-10-73. pendong reactiviation by new licensee.				
Ltr.	12-7-73	Atty. advised resumed operation.			
EBSA	12-1-73				
BRH-1274(S)	1-31-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-76
BAPH-549	1-31-74	VOL AP	EFF:		
BSGA-1,328	3-20-74	Requested		SCA 67khz	10-1-76
BMPH-14038	8-25-74	MP(BPH-8216) specifySL; chg. trans; & ant. 99.7mhz.; ERP: 100kw(H&V); HAAT:690' (H&V) (RC)			9-26-74
BLH-6386(L)	10-17-74	Lic.(BPH-8216, as mod.)-Changes-10-1-76			
BMSCA-386	10-30-74	Mod of SCA mke chgs in programming			
BRH-1274(S)	9-15-76	Renewal of license			10-1-79
BRSCA-1328	"	Renewal of SCA			"
BRH790530YY(S)	9-21-79	Renewal of License			10-1-82

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~none~~ WQDC

Name MIDLAND-MID-STATE BROADCASTING CORPORATION
MIDLAND, MICHIGAN (P.O. John P. McGoff, Box 289, East Lansing, Mich.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-3156 Rec'd Filed	9-15-60 9-19-60 9-19-60	Construction Permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 99.7mc CH 259 ERP- 40.3kw Type Transmitter - Gates FM-5B Type Antenna - RCA-BFA-8A (8 sections) HAAT 147 feet Trans. location - New M-20 at Carter Road Midland, Michigan Studio location - 229 Main Street Midland, Michigan Remote Control - Same as studio	GRANTED HAAT: ERP:	2-8-61 145' 40-kw
AMENDMENT R & F	11-10-60 11-14-60	AMENDED to make changes in officers, directors, stockholders & stockholdings.		
BSCA-362 Rec'd&Filed	8-18-61 8-21-61	Subsidiary Communications Authority on a Multiplex Basis(67kcs).	GRANTED	9-5-61

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

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Aug. 1955

Call Letters WQDC

Name MIDLAND-MID-STATE BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Midland, Mich.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-1951 R & F PROG. TEST 9-25-61	9-11-61 9-15-61	License to cover C.P. (BPH-3156) which authorized a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	2-7-62
BTC-4276 R & F	4-15-63 4-18-63	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Mid-State Broadcasting Corporation and Delta College to Mid-States Broadcasting Corporation Atty. - Smith & Pepper (K. Putbrese)	GRANTED EFF	9-26-63 11-18-63
BALH-602 BASCA-119 R & F	4-30-63 5-6-63	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to MID-STATES BROADCASTING CORPORATION Contingent on grant of BTC-4276 Atty. - Smith & Pepper (K. Putbrese)	GRANTED EFF	9-30-63 12-31-63

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CARD #3

Call Letters WQDC

HABCO, INC.

Name × MID-STATES BROADCASTING CORPORATION
MIDLAND, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1274 & BRSCA-362 R & F	6-23-64 6-23-64 7-6-64	Renewal of License and Subsidiary Communications Authorization Keith E. Putbrese, Atty.	GRANTED	12-18-64
BMLH-228 R&F	7-12-65 7-21-65	Modification of license to change licensee name to PANAX CORPORATION. Atty: Arthur Stambler	GRANTED EFF:	8-24-65 9-1-65
BALH-841 BASCA-218 R & F	10-26-65 10-26-65 10-27-65	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to HABCO, INC.. Request Waiver of Section 1.597 of Rules Atty. Grove, Paglin, Jaskiewicz, Gillian and Putbrese.	GRANTED EFF:	2-9-66 2-14-66

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSVC Fm

Name HARCO, INC.
MIDLAND, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1274 R & F	6-26-67 7-3-67	Renewal of license. Atty: Putbrese & Fisher	GRANTED	9-8-67
BRSCA-362 R &F JUL 21 1967	7-7-67 7-13-67	Renewal of SCA. Atty: Putbrese & Fisher	GRANTED	9-8-67
BTC-3300 Rec'd FILED FEE PD: $75 -#613090 Pub. notice filed 7-29-70	6-17-70 6-29-70 7-10-70	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Ned S. Arbury and Dorothy Doan Arbury to Saginaw Valley College (SEE OVER) Atty - Putbrese, Fletcher & Healy	GRANTED 8-24-70 EFF: 9-1-70	
BRH-1274 R & F $75 #613972 PRESS JUL 8 1971	6-26-70 7-6-70 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Healy,Atty. AMENDED 9-23-70 to reflect transfer of control	GRANTED	11-22-71

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

RE: BTC 6300 No fee ad - Nonconm Ed contemplated
AMENDED 8-3-70 - AMENDED ARTICLES OF INC.(LICENSEE) reflect
incr. in auth. shares of stock 8-4-70)
AMENDED 8-13-70 - expl re unauth. TC (reply to ltr

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Call Letters WSVC ~~WQDC~~

Name HABCO, Inc.
Auburn ~~Midland~~, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-7208	7-22-70	CP to chg. trans , studio & remote control	GRANTED	4-14-71
R & F	7-24-70	loc. to Pierce Rd. at Davis Rd., Kochville		
NO FEE REQUIRED:	AUG 5 1970	Twp. near Saginaw, Michigan; install new ant		
PRESS:		(Gates-FMA-8, 8 sects); chg. ERP: 36.54kw;		
	8-13-70	HAAT: 296 feet.& chg. station Loc. to Auburn.		
	3-1-71	43° 30' 34" - 83° 57' 30"		
PN Rec'd	3-31-71	Atty- Robert W. Healy		
		Engr- E. Harold Munn, Jr.		
AMENDED	8-10-70	To Show Correct Applicant Name.		
AMENDED	8-21-70	Engr. Data.make correction in Engr. Report.		
BLH-5293	10-6-71	License to cover CP (BPH-7208) for changes.	RETURNED	10-12-71
Rec'd.	10-7-71		filed in wrong name &	
Resubmitted	10-20-71		signed by Chief Engr.	
Filed	10-26-71		GRANTED	1-5-72
PTA	11-2-71	Atty: Putbreso and Healy		
PRESS	DEC 16 1971			

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

99.7mc

Call Letters WUGN XWSVC

FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM
X Saginaw Valley College
Name X HABCO, INC.
Auburn, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BALH-1640 R & F NO FEE REQUIRED (operates non com ED) PUB. NOTICE FILED 12-29-72 FEB 25 1972	2-14-72 2-16-72	Voluntary assignment of license to SAGINAW VALLEY COLLEGE (SEE OVER) Atty - Robert W. Healy	GRANTED EFF:	2-29-72 3-17-72
BALH-1784 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #134122 CODE 049 PUB. Noticed filed 2-15-73	11-29-72 12-5-72	Voluntary assignment of license to FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF CP TO CHGE STATION LOCATION TO MIDLAND, MICH. (filed simultaneously) Request waiver Sec. 1.597 of Rules Atty for assignor - Miller, Gordon & Henly for assignee - James E. Greeley (SEE OVER)	GRANTED grante fee $2,700.00 EFF: pd 050 11-19-73 253009	9-26-73 11-8-73
BRH 790530 YY PRESS JUL 12 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert G. Schwartz, Atty.	GRANTED	9-21-79

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

RE: BALH-1640 - ARTICLES ON FILE WITH BTC-6300

RE: BALH-1784 - Articles of Assignee on file with WUNN
NOTED: Ref. made to CP(filed simultaneously) for fin.
& prog. data(assignee)
AMENDED 5-29-73 - financial dataro proposed fin of CP
AMENDED 6-13-73 (Affidavit (assignor) re financial distress
AMENDED 6-27-73 - (assignee) re operating expenses; & value
of surplus equip.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WSYC

FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM

Name X Saginaw Valley College
Auburn, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-8216 Rec'd Filed #134121 $200 Code 015 Press P. N. Rec'd	11-29-72 12-5-72 12-21-72 12-5-72 JAN 22 1973	CP to change station location to Midland, Michigan; trans. loc. to: 14 Mile Rd., 7.1 mi. SE of Shepherd, Michigan; SL & RC: TO BE DETERMINED, Midland, Michigan; install new transmitter (Gates FM-20H-3); install new ant. (Gates FMC-12, 12 sects. (H&V); increase ERP: 100KW (H&V); HAAT: 687' (H&V) and change TPO. (CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BALH-1784 CHG. ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSEE). (43° 30' 56" - 84° 32' 49")	GRANTED	9-26-73
AMENDED	12-6-72	Letter of Deferred Credit		
AMENDED	12-21-72	chge applicant to licensee (applic was filed by proposed assignee)		
		Atty: James E. Greeley		
AMENDED	5-29-73	Financial Data.		
BAPH-549 R & F FEE PD: $250 #247817 CODE 049 (Form 316) NOV 13 1973	10-24-73 10-31-73	Voluntary assignment of CP (BPH-8216 & chge station loc. etc) to FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM (See BALH-1784 gr 9-26-73) Atty - Gordon & Reilly Office: WASHINGTON, D.C.	GRANTED EFF:	1-31-74

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99.7mc.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WUGN / XWSVC

Name FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM
* SAGINAW VALLEY COLLEGE
AUBURN, MICHIGAN CP-Midland, Mich.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1274 R & F PRESS Fr 10 DEC 1973	6-29-73 7-3-73 7 AUG 1973 2-25	Renewal of License atty: Gordon & Healy AMENDED 11-23-73 to change name of applicant to "Family Life Broadcasting System"	GRANTED	1-31-74
BSCA-1,328 R & F #278492 $50 Code 057 Press MAR 14 1974	12-14-73 2-11-74 2-13-74	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilohertz. Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	3-20-74
BMPH-14,038 R & F #278757 $50 Code 057 Press MAR 14 1974	12-24-73 2-11-74 2-13-74	MP (BPH-8216) specify SL & RC at: 325 E. Main St., Midland, Michigan; chg. trans. (Collins 831-G-1); chg. ant. (Collins 37CP-12, 12 sects. (H&V) and chg. TPO. Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	3-25-74

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters WUCN

Name FAMILY LIFE BROADCASTING SYSTEM
Midland, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-6386 R & F W 340812-$50. PTA PRESS	8-28-74 8-30-74 8-30-74-057 9-6-74 OCT 1 1974	Lic.(BPH-8216, as mod.)-Changes. -Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	10-17-74
BMSCA-386 R & F #350511 $50 Code 057 Press	9-23-74 9-30-74 10-2-74 OCT 10 1974	Mod. of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to make changes in programming. Atty: James E. Greeley	GRANTED	10-30-74
BRH-1274 R & F P.N. Press	5-21-76 5-27-76 5-27-76 JUL 15 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: James E. Greeley (Greeley & Bernard)	GRANTED	9-15-76
BRSCA-1328 R & F	7-28-76 8-2-76	Renewal of SCA		

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

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.