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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

COMM. TV B/C

First Operation: 5-25-53 (Started 6-7-53)

Date first licensed 4-12-57(Off.No. 307)

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(Sta. Loc. Akron, Ohio)

STATION ID: AKRON-CANTON, OHIO
(10-21-77)

Name of licensee SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

1561 DREISBACH DRIVE, AKRON, OHIO (ENGR DATA 3-17-67)

Transmister location ~~[illegible]~~ X 106 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio

853 Copley Road, Akron, Ohio(Ltr. 2-18-57)

Main studio location X 106 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	E. R. Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-230	9-4-52	Ch. #49 680-686 mcs.	V.145Kw. A.73 Kw.	U	11-4-52 5-4-53
Construction permit for a new commercial TV b/c station.					
BMPCT-994	4-14-53	same	V.180 A. 91	same	6-14-53 12-14-53
Mod. C.P. (BPCT-230) change ERP; change antenna system; and make other equipment changes.					
Wire (5-28-53) Mod. STA conduct equip. tests and operate commercial basis exact accord. BMPCT-994 except use of RCA TTU-1B trans. Trans. power output 1 KW Vis. and .6 KW Aur. Period 5-28-53 to 11-28-53. (Started 6-7-53)					
Wire (5-20-53) STA conduct equip. tests and operate commercial basis exact accordance BMPCT-994. Period 5-25-53 to 11-25-53. (Started 6-7-53)					
WIRE	11-17-53	Ext. STA oper comm basis using RCA TTU-1B trans, power output 1 kw vis, 0.6 kw aur. Period ending June 14, 1954.			
BMPCT-1463 Mod. CP	11-16-53	same (BPCT-230 as mod)	same to extend compl.	same date.	6-14-53 6-14-54
BMPCT-2116 Mod CP(BPCT-230,as mod.)to extend completion date 12-14-54	5-19-54	same	same	same	6-14-53
11-21-54 EXT STA Oper to Comm basis accordance CP BMPCT-2116 except using RCA TTU-1B transmitter, power output 1 kw Visual, 0.6 kw Aural. Per Ending 12-14-54.					
BMPCT-2599 Mod.CP(BPCT-230, as mod)to extend completion date	11-16-54	Same	Same	Same	6-14-53 6-14-55
WIRE 11-16-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BMPCT-2599 except using RCA TTU-1B transmitter,power output 1 kw Vis, 0.6 kw Aur. Period Ending 6-14-55					
BMPCT-3127 Mod.CP(BPCT-230,as mod.to extend completion date	5-26-55	same	same	same	6-14-53 12-14-55
WIRE 5-27-55 EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-3127 except using RCA TTU-1B transm. Power output 1 kw Vis. 0.6 kw aur. Auth. expires 12-14-55.					
BMPCT-3373 AH 370 ft. Mod.CP(BPCT-230,as mod)to chg. ERP,type of transmitters.	9-14-55	same	V-110 kw A-59.9 kw	same	6-14-53 3-13-56

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Name of licensee SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

Transmitter location SAME AS CARD #1.

Main studio location SAME AS CARD #1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
WIRE	9-19-55	Mod. STA	Opr. Comm.	basis accord.	CP BMPCT
3373 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 3-13-56.					
BMPCT-3766	2-16-56	same	same	same	6-14-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-230,as mod)to extend completion date 9-13-56					
WIRE	3-28-56	Pending filing of lic. appli., auth. granted to oper. temp. for per. ending 9-13-56 Comm. Basis accord. CP(BMPCT-3766).			
BMPCT-4155	8-22-56	same	same	same	6-14-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-230,as mod)to extend completion date					3-15-57
WIRE	8-23-56	Pending filing of lic. appli., ext. auth. granted to operate temp. for period ending 3-15-57 Comm. Basis accord. CP(BMPCT-4155).			
WIRE	3-5-57	PROGRAM TESTS AUTHORIZED (MPCT-4155)			
BLCT-582	4-12-57	CH# 49	V-110 kw	U	4-12-57 10-1-58
AH: 370'		680-686	A-58.9 kw		
License to cover (BPCT-230,as mod)& chg. SL.					
BPCT-2296	5-10-57	same	--Emerg.test,Maint.		7-10-57
CP to install AUXILIARY ANTEN. at Main Trans.site11-9-57					
BLCT-669	7-25-57	CH 49	V-681.26	Test. Maint.	7-25-57
AUX. ANT.			A-685.76	Emerg.	10-1-58
License to cover CP(BPCT-2296)					
BRCT-307	7-24-58	CH. 49	V-110 kw		10-1-58
AH:370'		680-686	A-58.9 kw		10-1-59
License to cover CP(BPCT-2296) AUX. ANT.					
BRCT-307	9-17-58	Ch # 49	V- - -	Test, Main,emerg	10-1-58
AUX. ANT.		680-686	A- - -		10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-307	9-17-58	Ch# 49	V-110 kw	U	10-1-58
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.		680-686	A-58.9kw	AH:370Ft	10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-307	9-15-61	same	same	same	10-1-61 10-1-64
AUX. ANT.		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BRCT-307	9-15-61	CH #49	V-110 kw	U	10-1-61 10-1-64
MAIN TRANS. & ANT.		680-686	A-58.9 kw		
LF	AH 370	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BRCT-307	9-18-64	same	same	same	10-1-64
MAIN TRANS.&ANT.		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-67

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Date first licensed .....

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Station location .....

Name of licensee SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

Transmitter location SAME AS CARD #1

Main studio location SAME AS CARD #1

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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
BRCT-307	9-18-64	same	same	same	10-1-64
AUX. ANTENNA		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-67
WIRE	12-29-65	REURTEL 27, PENDING ACTION ON PENDING			
BMLCT-386, EXT. AUTH. GRANTED OPER. WAKR-TV TEMP. PERIOD					
END 2-1-66 WITH AURAL POWER BETWEEN 10 AND 20 PERCENT					
AUTHORIZED VISUAL POWER.					
RE DOCKET 16538 LICENSEE LICENSE IS MODIFIED TO SPECIFY					
CH. 23 in LIEU OF CH. 49 SUBJECT TO FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:					
(a) LICENSEE SHALL INFORM THE COMMISSION BY 8-15-66 OF ITS					
ACCEPTANCE OF MODIFICATION.-ACCEPTED BY LTR. 8-11-66					
(B) LICENSEE SHALL SUBMIT BY 9-6-66 ENGR. DATA					
(C) LICENSEE MAY CONTINUE TO OPERATE ONCH.49 UNTIL UPON					
ITS REQUEST THE COMM. AUTH. OPERATION ON CH. 23.					
BMLCT-386	1-12-66	Same	Same A 11.2 kw	Same	1-12-66 10-1-67
MOD.of lic. to reduce Aural ERP					
LTR. 9-8-66 to WAKR extending additional time to submit					
ENGR. DATA to 11-5-66.					
ENGINEER-	3-17-67	CH.23 524-530	V-776 kw A-138 kw	U	5-17-67 11-17-67
ING DATA AH:960'				MSL:2049'	
(DOCKET NO.16538). to specify, CH. ERP, TL, type of trans. AH.					
BRCT-307	9-11-67	CH.49	V-110 kw	U	10-1-67
AH: 370'		680-686	A- 11.2 kw		10-1-70
MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA.		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BRCT-307	9-11-67	same	same	same	10-1-67
AUX. ANTENNA		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-70
ENGR.DATA	10-23-67	CH.23	V-1000 kw	U	5-17-67
AH:960' MSL:2049'		524-530	A-138 kw		11-17-67
Mod. of Engr.Data.to chg. Vis. ERP.					
WIRE	10-25-67	NO OBJECTIONS WAKR-TV COMMENCING			
EQPT. TESTS ACCORD. SEC. 73.628 RULES.					
BMPCT-6652	10-27-67	same	same	same	5-17-67 4-27-68
Mod of CP(Eng. Data) to ext. compl. date					

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Station location .....

Name of licensee SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
WIRE	11-28-67	RE LIC.	APPLI.	BLCT-1737	AUTH. GR.
OPER. WAKR-TV ON PROG. TEST ACCORD. SEC. 73.629 RULES AND CP BMPCT-6652. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTHORITY. STARTED 12-1-67					
WIRE	11-29-67	AUTH. GR. OPER. WAKR-TV TEMP. PER. ENDING 12-31-67 SIMULTANEOUSLY ON CH. 23 and 49 IN ACCORD. WITH SCHEDULE AND PURPOSES OUTLINED IN YOUR LETTERS.			
BLCT-1737	9-18-69	Ch-23	V-1000kw	Unl.	10-1-70
HAAT:960'		524-530mc	A-138kw		
	Lic. to cover Engr. Data. (MAIN TRANS. & ANT.)				
BRCT-307	9-30-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-73
BTC-6413	11-24-70	Val T/C			
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCT-307	11-6-74	Renewal of license (S)			10-1-76
WIRE	11-20-75	Auth. grtd. WAKR-TV construct 315 foot guyed tower and erect G.E. TY-25B antenna as auxiliary facilities at main trans. and ant. loc. temp. per. end. 1-19-76, strict accord. BPCT-4901. No obstruction marking or lighting required. This authority subject to the filing of an environmental impact statement with 30 days of the date of theis telegram.				
BPCT-4901	4-15-76	Ch. 23 524-530	FOR EMER. MAIN and Test Purposes Only		6-15-76 10-15-77
Aux. Ant.	CP to install an Aux. Ant at Main trans loc.				
Wire oper. aux.	9-14-76	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grted ant. on PTA accord. 73.629 & BPCT-4901.			
BRCT-307	9-15-76	Ch-23	V-1000kW	Unl.	10-1-76
AH:960' MSL:2049'		524-530	A-138kW		10-1-79
Renewal of License (Main Trans. & Ant.)					
BLCT-2512	1-13-77	Ch-23	V--	Emer.Test	1-13-77
AH:-- MSL:1458'		524-530		& Maint.Purp.	10-1-79
Lic. (BPCT-4901) for Auxiliary Ant.					

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Station location ARKON, OHIO

Name of licensee SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

Transmitter location SEE CARD NO. 1

Main studio location SEE CARD NO. 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BRCT-307	9-15-76	Ch. 23	V. 1000	kW U	10-1-76
AH: 960' MSL: 2049'		524-530	A. 138	kW	10-1-79
Renewal of license					
BRCT-790531KG	9-21-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE{S}			10-1-79

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Form 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters W E W

Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
(P.O. First National Tower, 106 South Main Street, Akron, Ohio)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-230 Rec'd Filed	12-1-47 12-2-47 12-2-47	Construction permit for a new commercial television broadcast station Frequency: Ch.#11, 198-204 mc. ERP: Vis. 31 kw, Aur. 16.37 kw Hours of Operation: Unlimited T-Location: First ~~Central~~ National Tower, 106 South Main St., Akron, Ohio S-Location: First National Tower, 106 South Main St., Akron, Ohio Commencement and completion dates, 60 days date of grant and 180 days thereafter, respectively. (Vis. & Aur. RCA, Type TT-5A) Filed by Reed T. Rollo, Att'y	SEE ACTION CARD #2	
AMENDMENT Rec'd Filed	12-10-47 12-12-47 12-12-47	Amended to change location from Central Tower to National Tower		

Kear and Kennedy, Engr.
Albee Building
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name Summit Radio Corporation
106 S. Main Street, First National Tower, Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-230 AMENDED Recd. Filed	6-25-52 6-27-52 6-27-52	(PURSUANT TO SIXTH REPORT & ORDER 4-11-52) FREQ: Channel No. 49, 680-686 Mc. ERP: Vis. 145 Kw. Aur. 72.5 Kw. Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: 106 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio T-L: 106 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio (Vis. & Aur. RCA TTU-10A) (319') Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED (removed Docket 8723)	9-4-52
BMPCT-994 Recd & filed	2-6-53 2-12-53	Mod. of CP (BPCT-230 as amended which authorized a new commercial TV broadcast station) to change ERP from Vis. 145 kw, Aur. 73 kw, to Vis. 182.4 kw, Aur. 91.2 kw, change antenna system and make other equipment changes. (366') Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr. Atty.	GRANTED	4-14-53

Frank G. Kenr, Engr.
Washington, D. C.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM TV B/C

Call Letters WAKR-TV

Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-1043 Recd Filed	3-12-53 3-16-53 3-16-53	Modification of construction permit (BPCT-230 as amended which authorized a new commercial TV broadcast station) for extension of completion date from May 4, 1953 to November 4, 1953 Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr. Atty.	Dismissed letter 4-20-53 in view of Comm. Action of 4-14-53 granting CP (BMPCT-994), to expire 12-14-53.	
BMPCT-1463 Recd. Filed	10-5-53 10-8-53 10-8-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230, as mod. which authorized a new COMM. TV.B/C Station) to extend completion date from 12-14-53 to 6-14-54. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	11-16-53
BMPCT-2116 Recd. Filed	5-11-54 5-13-54 5-13-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 6-14-54 to 12-14-54. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	5-19-54
BMPCT-2599 Recd & filed	11-2-54 11-4-54	Modification of CP (BPCT-230 as mod, which auth. a new comm. TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 12-14-54 to 6-14-55 Percy H. Russell, Jr. Atty.	GRANTED	11-16-54

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-3127 Recd.&Filed Ext. No.5	5-3-55 5-5-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 6-14-55 to 12-14-55. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	5-26-55
BMPCT-3373 Recd.&Filed	8-24-55 8-30-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to change ERP from Vis. 180 kw, Aur. 91 kw to Vis. 213 kw, Aur. 107 kw and change type of transmitters. (370') Filed by Reed T. Rollo, Atty.	GRANTED	9-14-55
BMPCT-3766 Recd & Filed Ext. #7	2-8-56 2-13-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230,as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 3-13-56 to 9-13-56. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	2-16-56
BMPCT-4155 Recd.&filed Ext.#8	8-10-56 8-15-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-230,as mod.,which auth. a new Comm.TV B/C Station)to extend completion date from 9-13-56 to 3-15-57. Filed by P.H.Russell,Jr.Atty.	GRANTED	8-22-56

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Name Summit Radio Corporation
Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-582 Recd & filed 2-27-57 Main trans & ant.	2-26-57	License to cover CP (BPCT-230 as mod.,) which authorized a new commercial TV broadcast station and to change Studio location from 106 South Main Street, Akron, Ohio to 853 Copley Road, Akron, Ohio Filed by Percy H. Russell, Atty.	GRANTED	4-12-57
BPCT-2296 Recd & filed 3-19-57 Auxiliary antenna	3-15-57	CP to install auxiliary antenna system at the main transmitter site. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Atty.	GRANTED	5-10-57
BLCT-669 Recd & Filed 7-3-57 AUX. ANTENNA	6-27-57	License to cover CP (BPCT-2296) which auth. installation of auxiliary antenna at the main transmitter site. Filed by Percy H. Russell, Atty.	GRANTED	7-25-57
BRCT-307 Recd & Filed 7-14-58 Main trans & antenna	7-3-58	Renewal of License. Filed direct.	GRANTED	9-17-58

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-307 Recd & Filed Aux. Antenna	7-3-58 7-14-58	Renewal of License. Filed direct.	GRANTED	9-17-58
BRCT-307 Recd.&Filed MAIN TRANS. & ANT.	6-16-61 6-30-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-15-61
BRCT-307 Recd.&Filed AUX. ANTENNA	6-16-61 6-30-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	9-15-61
BRCT-307 Recd.&Filed MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA	6-22-64 7-2-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE David S. Stevens,Atty.	GRANTED	9-18-64
BRCT-307 Recd.&Filed AUX. ANTENNA	6-22-64 7-2-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE David S. Stevens,Atty	GRANTED	9-18-64

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
CH.49 Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMLCT-386 Recd.&Filed MAIN TRANS.	12-7-65 12-14-65 & ANTENNA	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 58.9 kw to 11 kw. McKenna & Wilkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	1-12-66
LTR (1) filed 10-28-66 REQ. EXT. OF TIME, period of 60 days and including 1-5-67 to submit TECH. DATA pursuant to Docket 16538 changing to Ch. Ch. 23.				
ENGR. DATA (3) copies	1-4-67	ENGR. DATA submitted pursuant to Report & Order adopted 7-27-66 in Docket16538 to specify Ch. 23, 524-530 Mcs in lieu of Ch. 49, 680-686 Mcs; ERP as Vis. 918 kw, Aur. 137 kw; Transmitter location as 1561 Dreisbach Drive, Akron, Ohio; type of transmitter as RCA, TTU-50C1; type of antenna as RCA TFU-25G; and increase antenna height above average terrain to 960 ft. McKenna & Wilkinson, Atty. George C. Davis, Engr.	GRANTED	3-17-67

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

CH.49 AKRON, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-307 R & F	6-30-67 6-30-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE David S. Stevens, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	9-11-67
MAIN TRANS. & ANTENNA				
BRCT-307 R & F	6-30-67 6-30-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE D.S.Stevens, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	9-11-67
AUXILIARY ANTENNA				
ENGR. DATA Rec. & filed AUG 29 1967	8-11-67 8-18-67	Engr. Data submitted to modify construction permit granted March 17, 1967 pursuant to Report & Order adopted 7-27-66 in Docket 16538 to specify Ch. 23, 524-530 Mcs in lieu of Ch. 49, 680-686 Mcs. and chg. ERP to Vis. 1000 kw.	GRANTED 10-23-67 CONDITIONS: Subject to compliance with Section 73.640 of Rules. Authority to operate with Vis. ERP in excess of	
1000 kw after November 1, 1968 is subject to extension of consent by CANADA.				
BMPCT-6652 R & F OCT 25 1967	10-12-67 10-18-67	Mod. of Engr. Data (as mod. which auth. chgs. in existing station) to extend completion date from 11-17-67 to 12-17-67. David S. Stevens, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	10-27-67

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
CH-~~49~~ 23 Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-1737 R & F NOV 30 1967	11-17-67 11-20-67	License to cover(Engr. Data as mod.) which authorized changes in an existing station. McKenna & Wilkinson, Atty. (David S. Stevens) Irwin L. Knopp, Engr. AMENDED 7-23-69 to show type of transmitter as RCA TTU-60A1.	GRANTED (see other side for condition)	9-18-69
3 copies Beam	Tilt engr.	data filed 4-21-70 -		
BRCT-307 R & F #614370 $180 PRESS: PN REC'D:	6-30-70 7-6-70 7-6-70 7-6-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John L. Tierney (McKenna & Wikinson) Amended 7-24-70 re other business interests.	GRANTED	9-30-70
BTC-6413 R & F #640379 $250 AC: 055 PRESS:	10-23-70 10-30-70 10-30-70	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Viola G. Berk, Voting Trustee, to Roger G. Berk, Voting Trustee. Atty.: P. H. Russell (Kirkland & Ellis, etc.)	GRANTED EFF:	11-24-70

blct-1737 - condition - "Authority to operate with vis. ERP in excess of 1000kw after 11-1-70 is subj. to ext. of consent of Candda."

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
CH 23 Akron, Ohio

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-307 R & F PN Recd Press: JUL 26 1973	6-30-73 7-2-73m 7-2-73 x	Renewal of License McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner, J.L. Tierney,atty. Amended 8-3-73 re equal empl. Amended 10-25-73 re equal employment Amended 11-6-73 re equal employment Amended 4-26-74 re equal employment.	GRANTED	11-6-74
BPCT-4901 R & F #495114 $100 AC: 001 PRESS:	10-30-75 11-14-75 11-14-75 17 NOV 1975	CP to install an Auxiliary Ant. (GE TY-25-B) at Main Trans. location 200 ft. N. of main tower (41-03-53 81-34-59) Atty.: Carl R. Ramey (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED	4-15-76

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION

Ch-23 AKRON, OHIO

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-307 R&F PN RECD PRESS	5-31-76 6-1-76 6-1-76 14 JUL 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Carl Ramey(McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner) NO 323 FILED	GRANTED	9-15-76
BLCT-2512 R&F 609455$100 AC:001 PRESS	8-25-76 9-2-76 9-2-76 2 NOV 1976	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4901) for changes. (Aux.Ant.) Atty.: Carl Ramey (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kitner)	GRANTED	1-13-77
Letter R & F PRESS:	8-17-77 8-17-77 AUG 25 1977	Request Waiver of Section 73.1201(b)(2) of the Rules to identify Station as Akron-Canton, Ohio Atty.: Carl R. Ramey (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED	10-21-77 (Ltr. dtd. 10-25-77)

Canadian Consent 11-1-78

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WAKR-TV

Name SUMMIT RADIO CORPORATION
CH-23 AKRON, OHIO

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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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 television station history.