WGGB-TV

FCC, TEST ATTN. 5-19-53 BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD COMMERCIAL TV (EFF: 12/31/79)

First Operation: 4-10-53 (Started 4-14-53)

WGGB-TV

Date first licensed 8-19-58 (OFF # 441)

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Call letters X W H Y N - TV
(Sta. Location: Holyoke, Mass.)
(Sta. Loc. Springfield, Massachusetts)
8-19-53

STATION ID: Springfield, Mass.-
Hartford, Conn. (Ltr. 10-27-70)

THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION (BALCT-320 6-7-67 EFF: 7-11-67)

Name of licensee X THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

Atop Mt. Tom, Holyoke, Massachusetts (Lic. 8-19-58)

Transmitter location X On Mt. Tom approx. 1.75 miles northwest of Holyoke, Mass.

1300 Liberty Street, Springfield, Mass. (Approx 4-1-54 (Lst. 4-1-55)

X 65 Main Street, Springfield, Mass. (BMPCT-1001 GR 8-19-53)

Main studio location X 180 High St., Holyoke, Mass.

FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-463	7-11-52	Ch. #65, 716-722 mcs	V-65 kw A-35 kw	U	9-11-52 3-11-53
Construction permit for a new Commercial TV B/C Station.					
BMPCT-954	1-28-53	Same	V-180 kw A- 91 kw	U	3-28-53 9-28-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-463 etc.) to increase ERP, install new transmitters and change type of antenna.					
Wire	4-10-53	STA pending receipt of verified request operate commercial basis exact accordance BPCT-463 as modified by BMPCT-954 and BMPCT-1001 except trans. power output 10kw visual 5kw aural. Period 4-10-53 to 4-20-53.			
Wire	4-20-53	Ext. STA operate commercial basis exact accordance comission wire of 4-10-53. Period 4-20-53 to 5-20-53. (Wire stating began 4-14-53)			
BMPCT-1001	3-19-53	same	same	same	5-19-53 11-19-53
Mod. C.P. (BPCT-463) change studio location.					
WIRE	11-13-53	STA oper. comm. basis exact accord CP BMPCT-1001. Period ending November 19, 1953.			
BMPCT-1569	11-19-53	same	same	same	5-19-53 12-31-53
Mod. CP (BPCT-463 as mod) to extend comp. date.					
WIRE	11-19-53	Ext.STA oper comm basis exact accord CP BMPCT-1569. Period ending December 31, 1953.			
BMPCT-1681	12-30-53	Mod. C.P.(BPCT-463, as mod) to extend compl. date			5-19-53 2-28-54
12-30-53 EXT. STA Opr. Comm basis exact accord. CP Opr. Comm. basis exact accord. CP BMPCT-1681.Period Ending 2-28-54					
BMPCT-1867	2-18-54	same	same	same	5-19-53 8-28-54
Mod CP(BPCT-463,as mod) to extend completion date conversion of obstruction marking specifications.					
2-23-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm basis exact accordance CP BMPCT-1867 pending completion of measurements for license appl. Period Ending 8-28-54					
BTC-1685 EFF:	7-21-54 8-17-54	Vol. relinquishment of positive control of permittee corporation from William Dwight, Charles DeRose, et al to Republican Television, Inc.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

CONN. TV B/C

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W H Y N-TV

Name of licensee THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

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--
BMPCT-2326	9-10-54	Same	Same	Same	5-19-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod.) to ext. comp. date.					2-28-55
Wire	9-15-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm. basis accord CP BMPCT-2326 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Per. Ending 2-28-55.				
BMPCT-2857	2-14-55	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod.) to ext. completion date and to incorporate new studio location and obstruction marking specifications. (Long Form)					8-28-55
WIRE	2-15-55 EXT.STA Opr. Comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-2857 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Per.Ending 8-28-55.				
BMPCT-3311	8-10-55	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod. CP (BPCT-463, as mod) to extend completion date					2-28-56
WIRE	8-24-55	Ext. STA WHYN-TV operate Comm. basis accord. CP(BMPCT-3311) pend. filing of lic. appl. Auth. expires 2-28-56.			
FURTHER REPORT & ORDER (Docket 11301) adopted 1-11-56, effective 2-14-56, assigning Ch. 40(626-632 Mc.) to Station WHYN-TV (301 filed 3-19-56, to effectuate this change)					
WIRE	2-24-56 Pending filing of data specifying operation on CH 40, ext.authority gr. opr. WHYN-TV, Temp.Per.End.5-28-56 Comm.basis accord.CP BMPCT-3311.				
BMPCT-3767	5-3-56	CH #40	V-141 kw	same	5-19-53
BMPCT-3825		626-632	A-72.4 kW	TER:990ft.	11-3-56
Mod.of CP(BPCT-463, as mod) to chg. frequencies, ERP, type of antenna and extend completion date. (Freq. change pursuant to Further Report & Order adopted 1-11-56(see above)					
WIRE	5-28-56	EXT. AUTH. Operate Commercial basis accord. MPCT-3767 except using fac. under MPCT-3311 pending completion CP period 8-28-56			
WIRE	8-6-56 Pending completion of construction, ext. of auth. granted to operate temp. for per. ending 11-3-56 Comm. Basis accord. CP(BMPCT-3825), except using facilities specified BMPCT-3767.				
BMPCT-4313	10-12-56	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod.of C.P.(BPCT-463, as mod.) to ext. comp. date.					5-3-57

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COMM. TV B/C

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WHYN-TV

Name of licensee THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location see card # 1

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

WHYN-TV

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
WIRE	10-17-56	Pending completion of construction,ext. of authority gr. to Opr. WHYN-TV Temp.Per.End. 5-3-57,Comm basis accord. CP BMPCT-4313,except using facilities specified BMPCT-3767.			
WIRE	10-17-56	Pending completion of construction,ext. of auth.gr. to Opr. WHYN-TV Temp.Per.End. 5-3-57,Comm.basis accord. CP BMPCT-4313,except using facilities specfd. BMPCT-3767.			
BMPCT-4661	5-2-57	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-463,as mod)to extend completion date 11-3-57					
WIRE	5-2-57	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION EXT.AUTH OPR. COMM. BASIS ACCORD MPCT-4661 except fac. of MPCT-3767 to 11-3-57			
WIRE	9-25-57	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION MOD.AUTH OPR. COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-4661 except on CH. 55 with reduced pr. & ant. to 10-15-57			
WIRE	10-1-57	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL. MOD.AUTH.OPR: COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-4661 to 11-2-57			
WIRE	11-6-57	EXT. AUTH. OPER.RE BMPCT-4914 TO 1-1-58 PENDING FILING OF LICENSE APPLICATION			
BMPCT-4914	11-7-57	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod. CP(BPCT-463, as mod.) to extend completion dt. 1-1-58					
WIRE	12-31-57	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL. EXT. AUTHORITY OPER. COMM. BASIS ACCORD.MPCT-4975 ENDING 3-1-58			
BMPCT-4975	1-6-58	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-463, as mod.) to extend compl. date 2-1-58					
WIRE	3-4-58	PENDING FILING LIC. APPL., EXT, AUTH.OPER. COMM. BASIS ACCORD. MPCT-5029 PERIOD ENDING 6-1-58			
BMPCT-5029	2-25-58	same	same	same	5-19-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-463,as mod)to extend completion date 6-1-58					
BMPCT-5026	3-21-58	CH#40	V-141 kw	U	5-21-58
AH: 1000'		626-632	A-70.8 kw		11-21-58
Mod.CP (BPCT-463,as mod)to chg. type of antenna,make minor equip. chgs. AH.					
WIRE	5-15-58	RE BLCT-331,AUTH. GR. OPR. WHYN-TV ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD. SEC. 3.629 RULES & CP BMPCT-5029.			
BPCT-2523	7-31-58	CH # 40	V-191 kw	U	9-30-58
AH:1000'		626-632	A-100 kw		3-31-59
CP to make chgs. ERP, chg. in trans. & ant. sys.& other equipment.					

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CARD # 4

COMMERCIAL TV B/C

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters W H Y H - TV

Station location Springfield, Massachusett

Name of licensee THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location SEE CARD # 1

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BLCT-831	8-19-58	CH# 40	V-141 kw	U	8-19-58
AH:1000'		626-632	A-70.8kw		4-1-60
License to cover CP(BPCT-463, as mod.)					
BLCT-917	5-25-59	CH# 40	V-186kw	U	5-25-59
AH:1000'		626-632	A-93.3kw	MSL:1344'	4-1-60
Lic.to cover CP(BPCT-2523)Auth. chgs. in existing station.					
BRCT-441	3-24-60	same	same	same	4-1-60 4-1-63
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-441	11-29-63	CH.#40	V-186 kw	U	11-29-63
AH: 1000'		626-632	A-93.3 kw		4-1-66
MSL: 1344'		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			
BMLCT-244	3-10-65	CH. 40	V-186kw	U	3-10-65
AH:1000'	MSL:1344'	626-632	A-46.5kw		4-1-66
Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP					
BRCT-441	3-24-66	same	same	same	4-1-66
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					4-1-69
BMLCT-490	2-9-66	Same	Same	Same	2-9-66
Cancelled			A-36.3 kw		4-1-66
Mod. of lic. to reduce Aural ERP					
BMLCT-490	2-9-66	Same	Same	Same	2-9-66
			A-36.3 kw		4-1-66
Mod. of lic. to reduce Aural ERP; SUPERSEDE OF SAME DATE AND FILE NO. TO CORRECT TYPE FORM.					
BALCT-320	6-7-67	VOLUNTARY ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE TO THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION. EFF:			
BPCT-4208	6-10-69	CH.40	V-1040 kw DA	U	8-10-69
AH:1000'		626-632	A- 104 kw DA		2-10-70
MSL:1356', CP to chg. ERP;TL;type trans.type antenna.AS					
BRCT-441	3-26-69	(S) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1-72
BMPCT-7128	1-7-70	MP (BPCT-4208)ext. compl. dt.			7-7-70
BMPCT-7205	6-9-70	MP(BPCT-4208) ext. comp.date			12-9-70
WIRE	8-21-70	RE TENDERED LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER. ON PTA ACCORD CP BMPCT-7205. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTHORITY. Started 8-24-70			

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COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WHYN-TV

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
WIRE AMPLIFIER, END. 4-22-71	3-23-71 AUTH. GR. ACCORD.	PENDING REPLACEMENT OF DEFECTIVE OPER. AT REDUCED POWER TEMP. PER. YOUR REQUEST.			
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRCT-441	5-25-72	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(S)			4-1-75
BLCT-2018	5-30-72	Ch. 40 VB 1505 kw DA			5-30-72
AH: 1000'MSL: 1356'.		626-632 A. 105 kw DA			4-1-75
Lic.(BRCT-4208) chg.					
BRCT-441	5-19-75	Renewal of license (S)			4-1-78
WIRE	6-13-77	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd oper. WHYN-TV aux. ant. on program test accord. Sec.73.629			
BLCT-2509	6-24-77	License to utilize former Main Ant. as an Aux. Ant. at Main trans. & ant. location.			6-24-77 4-1-78
BRCT-441	3-13-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE {S}			4-1-81

Form 94 CARD #1 **APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING** COMMERCIAL TELEVISION BROADCAST

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

~~(180 High Street, Holyoke, Mass.)~~ 1300 Liberty Street, Springfield, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BPCT-463 Rec'd Filed	5-10-48 5-12-48 5-12-48	Construction permit for a new commercial television broadcast station. Frequency: Ch. #3, 60-66 mcs. ERP: Vis. 8.5 kw; Aur. 4.25 kw Hours of Operation: Unlimited S-Location: 180 High St., Holyoke, Mass. T-Location: Mt. Tom, Holyoke, Mass. (Vis. & Aur. RCA, TT-5-A) Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	7-11-52
BPCT-463 Amended Recd Filed	6-16-52 6-17-52 6-26-52	(PURSUANT TO SIXTH REPORT AND ORDER 4-11-52) FREQ: Ch. # 55 - 716-722 Mc. ERP: Vis. 65 kw, Aur: 35 kw Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: 180 High Street, Holyoke, Massachusetts T-L: Top of Mt. Tom, Holyoke, Massachusetts (VIS. & AUR. DuMont 15000) (989') Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.		
Amendment Filed Add. Copies	6-26-52 of V-G			

Frank C. Kear, Esqr.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM TV B/C

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-954 Recd Filed	12-30-52 12-31-52 12-31-52	Modification of CP (BPCT-463 which authorized a new Commercial TV Broadcast station) to increase ERP from Vis. 65 kw, Aur. 35 kw to Vis. 182 kw, Aur. 91 kw, install new transmitters and change type of antenna (992') (Vis & Aur. GE-TT-25-A) Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	1-28-53
BMPCT-1001 Recd Filed	2-16-53 2-18-53 2-18-53	Modification of CP (BPCT-463 as modified which authorized a new commercial TV b/c station) to change studio location from 180 High Street, Holyoke, Mass. to 65 Main Street, Springfield, Mass. Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	3-19-53

Kear and Kennedy, Engrs.

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FORM A-170

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COMM. TV B/C

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-1569 Recd. Filed	11-14-53 11-16-53 11-16-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C station) to extend completion date from 11-19-53 to 12-31-53. Filed by Robert M. Booth, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	11-19-53
BMPCT-1681 Recd. Filed	12-24-53 12-28-53 12-28-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 12-31-53 to 2-28-54. Filed by Robert M. Booth, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	12-30-53
BMPCT-1867 Recd & filed	2-12-54 2-15-54	Mod. of CP (BPCT-463, as mod. which auth. a new comm. TV b/c station) to extend completion date from 2-28-54 to 5-28-54 Filed by Herbert M. Bingham, Atty.	GRANTED	2-18-54
BTC-1685 Recd & filed	2-27-54 3-5-54	Vol. relinquishment of positive control of permittee corporation by all present stockholders to Republican Television, Inc. Herbert Bingham, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	7-21-54 8-17-54

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COMM. TV B/C

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Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-2326 Recd.&Filed	7-20-54 7-22-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 8-28-54 to 12-28-54. Filed by Robert M. Booth, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	9-10-54
BMPCT-2857 Recd.&Filed	1-29-55 2-1-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod.,which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 2-28-55 to 6-28-55. Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	2-14-55
BMPCT-3009 Recd. Filed	3-31-55 3-31-55 3-31-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to change frequencies from Ch. # 55 716-722 mcs to Ch. # 35 602 - 608 mcs, [redacted] change station location from Springfield, Mass. to Northampton, Mass, change ERP from Vis. 180 kw, Aur. 91 kw, to Vis. 143 kw, Aur. 71.5 kw and change type of antenna.(G.E. Type TT-25A) (995') (new a change) Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	DISMISSED LETTER 6-24-55 request of attorney.	

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Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-3311 Ext.#8 Recd&filed	7-21-55 7-25-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463,as mod.,which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 8-28-55 to 2-28-56. Filed by Wm. A Porter,Atty.	GRANTED	8-10-55
BMPCT-3767 Recd & Filed Ext. #9	2-13-56 2-15-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463,as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.)to extend completion date from 2-28-56 to 8-28-56. Filed Direct.	GRANTED	5-3-56
BMPCT-3825 Recd & Filed	3-14-56 3-19-56	Mod. of C.P.(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm TV B/C Station) to change frequencies from Ch. No. 55, 716-722 mcs to Ch. No. 40, 626-632 Mcs.(Pursuant to Further Report and Order -Docket11301, adopted January 11, 1956), ERP from Vis. 180 kw, Aur. 91 kw to Vis. 143 kw, Aur. 71.5 kw and change type of antenna ((995') Filed by Wm. A. Porter,Atty.	GRANTED	5-3-56

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

Card # 6 COMM. TV B/C

FORM BC-121
FORMERLY FORM A-170

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4513 Recd.&filed Ext. # 10	10-5-56 10-5-56	Mod. of C.P.(BPCT-463, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 11-3-56 to 5-3-57. Filed direct.	GRANTED	10-12-56
BMPCT-4661 Recd.&filed Ext. # 11	4-22-57 4-26-57	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-463,as mod.)which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.)to extend completion date from 5-3-57 to 11-3-57. Filed by William A. Porter,Atty.	GRANTED	5-2-57
BMPCT-4914 Recd.&filed Ext. # 12	10-29-57 11-4-57	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-463, as mod.) which authorized a new TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date fromll-3-57 to 1-1-58. Bingham, Collins,Porter & Kistler-attys	GRANTED	11-7-57
BMPCT-4975 Recd.&filed Ext. # 13	12-23-57 12-26-57	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463,as mod.,which authorized a new TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 1-1-58 to 3-1-58. Filed by E.R. Schneider,Atty.	GRANTED	1-6-58

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

CARD #7

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Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-5026 Recd & Filed	1-24-58 2-12-58	Mod. of CP (BPCT-463, as mod. which auth. a new Comm. TV b/c station) to change type of antenna (GE TY-25-D Mod.); make minor equip. changes & change ant. ht. abv. aver. terrain from 990 ft. to 999 ft. William A. Porter, Atty. Kear & Kennedy, Engrs.	GRANTED	3-21-58
BMPCT-5029 Recd.&filed Ext. # 14	2-17-58 2-20-58	Mod. of CP(BPCT-463,as mod.,which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 3-1-58 to 6-1-58. Filed by W.A.Porter,Atty.	GRANTED	2-25-58
BLCT-831 Recd & Filed	5-9-58 5-12-58	License to cover CP (BPCT-463, as mod.) which authorized a new station. William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	8-19-58

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COMM TV B/C

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION
Springfield, Mass.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-2523 Recd & Filed	6-18-58 6-20-58	CP to make changes in the existing COMM TV B/C station - change ERP from Vis. 141 kw, Aur.70.5 kw to Vis. 190 kw, Aur. 100 kw - make changes in transmitter and antenna system and other equipment changes. Filed by Edwin R. Schneider, Attorney.	GRANTED	7-31-58
BLCT-917 Recd & filed	3-6-59 3-10-59	License to cover CP (BPCT-2523) which auth. changes in existing station Filed by William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	5-25-59
BRCT-441 Recd.&Filed	1-4-60 1-8-60	RENEWAL OF LICENSE William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	3-24-60
BRCT-441 Recd.&Filed	1-2-63 1-16-63	RENEWAL OF LICENSE William A. Porter, Atty.	GRANTED	11-29-63
BMLCT-244 Recd&Filed	2-9-65 2-26-65	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 93.3 kw to 46.5 kw. Wm.A.Porter,Atty.(ROBB,KISTLER,PARKINSON)	GRANTED	3-10-65

CARD #9 COMM. TV B/C

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHYN-TV

THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION (6-7-67)

Name X THE HAMPDEN-HAMPSHIRE CORPORATION

CH. 40 Springfield, Massachusetts 01104

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-441 Recd. & Filed	12-27-65 12-30-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robb, Porter, Kistler & Parkinson, Atty.	GRANTED	3-24-66
BMLCT-490 Rec. Filed	1-21-66 1-26-66 2-1-66	Mod. of license to reduce Aural ERP from 46.5 kw to 37.2 kw. Robb, Porter, Kistler & Parkinson-atty.	GRANTED	2-9-66
BALCT-320 R & F	3-6-67 3-7-67	Voluntary assignment of license to THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION Atty for assignee - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED	6-7-67 Eff: 7-11-67
BRCT-441 R & F $150 #481048 PRESS PN Recd.	12-24-68 1-2-69 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Alan C. Campbell, Atty. (Dow, Lohnes, Albertson)	GRANTED	3-26-69

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

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Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

TV Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION
Ch. 40 SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4208 R & F #498594 $150 PRESS: PN REC'D:	3-10-69 3-14-69 3-14-69 MAR 27 1969 4-10-69 5-12-69	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 3680kw, Aur. 368kw; slight chg. in TL, (42-14-30, 72-38-56) type trans. to Ampex TA-60BTP, type ant. to RCA TFU28DAS; and incr. ant. hght. above aver. terrain to 1004'. REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 73.614(b) OF THE RULES. Atty.: Alan C. Campbell (Dow, Lohnes and Albertson) Engr.: Lohnes and Culver	GRANTED See conditions on back	6-10-69
BMPCT-7128 R & F $30 #563332 PRESS	12-9-69 12-11-69 " DEC 23 1969	MP (BPCT-4208) to extend completion date to 6-10-70. Alan C. Campbell, Atty. (Dow, Lohnes, Albertson)	GRANTED	1-7-70
BMPCT-7205 R & F #605601 $30 Engr. data filed 6-26-70	6-1-70 6-1-70 6-1-70 JUN 1 1970	MP (BPCT-4208 as mod.) to extend completion date to 8-7-70. Atty.: Alan C. Campbell (Dow, Lohnes and Albertson)	GRANTED	6-9-70

BPCT-4208

Condition: 91) Type-accepted eqpt.

(2) Authority to operate with visual ERP in excess of 1000 kw may be terminated by the Commission after 5-1-71 in the event Canada refused to consent to a further extension.

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Form BC-121 CARD #11
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION

CH-40 SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-2018 R & F #624615 $50 AC: 069 PRESS:	8-14-70 8-17-70 8-17-70 SEP 2 1970	Lic. to cover (BPCT-4208 as mod.) for chgs. Atty.: J. D. Monahan (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)	GRANTED	5-30-72
LTR.	9-11-70 SEP 1 7 1970	Req. waiver of Sec. 73.1201(b) to identify station as Springfield-Hartford.	GRANTED	10--27-70
BRCT-441 R & F PN rec. PRESS	12-23-71 12-30-71 12-30-71 JAN 11 1972	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Alan C. Campbell (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) Amended 2-1-72 re commercial policy.	GRANTED	5-25-72

Canadian consent extended to 3-31-75.

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

BRCT-441

Informal petition filed 3-23-72 by Executive, Task Force on Women in Church and Society, United Church of Christ. DENIED, By Direction of the Commission letter 5-24-72.

RESPONSE TO REQ. TO DEFER RENEWAL APPLICATION OF WHYN-TV filed 4-13-72 by Thomas H. Wall for WHYN

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filedd 6-22-72 by Office of Communication, United Church of Christ, et al. Petition filed against all Mass. station

OPPOSITION AND RESPONSE filed 7-12-72 by WHYN-TV

Memorandum Opinion and Order adopted 12-19-73, released 1-4-74 FCC 73-1349 07394: IT IS ORDERED, That the Petitition for Reconsideration, filed June 22, 1972, as amended July 13, 1972, by the United Church of Christ and others IS GRANTED to the extent that the licensees of WHYN-TV, WWLP-TV, and WSBK-TV will be required to conduct additional affirmative action efforts regarding full-time female employment in the upper four job categories and IS DENIED in all other respects. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the WHYN Stations Corporation, licensee of Station WHYN-TV, Springfield, Massachusetts; Springfield Television Broadcasting Corporation, licensee of Station WWLP-TV, Springfield, Massachusetts; and New Boston Television, Inc., licensee of Station WSBK-TV, Boston, Massachusetts; (i) Submit to the Commission within 45 days of the date of release of this Memorandum Opinion and Order a list of local women's organizations, agencies, local female community leaders, and educational institutions with which they will maintain systematic communication each time their stations seek to fill a job ~~inclus~~ position in the upper four job categories; and (ii) Submit to the Commission, concurrent with the filing of their 1974 and 1975 annual employment reports (FCC Form 395), a detailed statement on the affirmative action undertaken to seek and encourage female applicants for each job opening in the upper four job categories filled during each twelve (12) month period preceding the pay period covered by the filing of their stations' 1974 and 1975 annual employment reports, respectively, with female persons designated

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COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHYN-TV

Name THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION
CH-40 Springfield, Massachusetts

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-441 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS: JAN 7 1975	11-25-74 12-3-74 12-3-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Annual Report Filed Atty: Alan C. Campbell (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) Amended 1-31-75 re engineering. Amended 4-7-75 re programming.	GRANTED	5-19-75
BLCT-2509 R&F 565437$100 AC: 001 PRESS ($50 FEE REFUNDED)	5-3-76 5-6-76 5-6-76 7 OCT 1976	Lic. to utilize former Main Ant. (GE TY-25-D) as an Auxiliary Ant. at Main Trans. & Ant. location. Atty.: Alan Campbell (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)	GRANTED	6-24-77

Canadian consent to 3-31-77 Canadian Consent to 3-31-79

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Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call Letters WGGB-TV
X WHYN-TV

Name THE WHYN STATIONS CORPORATION
Ch-40 SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-441 R&F PN RECD PRESS	11-16-77 11-30-77 11-30-77 DEC 5 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Main Trans. & Ant.)(Aux. Ant.) Atty/ Alan Campbell (Dow, Lohnes etc. Amended 2-28-78 re post filing announcements	GRANTED	3-23-78
BRCCE-790511KJ R & F	5-4-79 5-11-79	Request authority to operate trans. by remote control from 1300 Liberty Street, Springfield, MA. Atty.: Alan C. Campbell (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)		4-3-80
BRCT-801201KT R & F PN REC'D	11-21-80 12-1-80 12-1-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: NOEL C.R. GUNTHER (DOW, LOHNES AND ALBERTSON)	GRANTED	3-31-81

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.