WEYI-TV

B S CARD #1

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD COMMERCIAL TV

First Operation 5-1-53 (To start 5-1-53)

Date first licensed 7-10-57 (Offical No. 351)

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Call letters ~~XWEYI-TV~~ WEYI-TV (6-6-72)

(Station Loc: Saginaw, Mich.)

ID: SAGINAW-FLINT-BAY CITY, MICHIGAN

ZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY, DIVISION OF ZIFF-DAVIS PUBLISHING COMPANY (Granted 12-26-72)

XZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY (ML 10-30-79) (AL gr. 2-26-81, Eff.

XRUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY (BALCT-460 2-16-72 EFF: 3-23-72)

Name of licensee XLAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION

South Side of Willard Rd., Approx. 19 miles SE of Saginaw, Michigan (BPCT-4480 2-22-72)

X1650 Treanor Street, Bridgeport Township, Michigan (BMLCT-82, 6-20-60)

Transmitter location X Bradley St. ~~and~~ at South city limits, Saginaw, Mich.

South Side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Michigan (BMPCT-7381)

X1650 Treanor Street, Bridgeport Township, Michigan (BMLCT-82 6-20-60).

Main studio location X Bradley St. ~~and~~ at South city limits, Saginaw, Mich.

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPCT-1200	issued with BMPCT-924	Ch. #57, 728-734 mcs	V-17 kw A- 9.1 kw	U	
Construction permit for a new Commercial TV B/C Station granted 10-1-52 subject to site and obstruction marking approval.					
BTC-1397	11-20-52	Voluntary relinquishment of control of permittee corporation from William J. Edwards and Howard H. Wolfe to Alvin M. Bentley.			
BPCT-1200 BMPCT-924	1-2-53	Ch. #57, 728-734 mcs	V-19 kw A-10 kw	U	3-2-53 9-2-53
Mod. of CP to change ERP, install trans. and antenna system and also to specify studio location.					
Wire	4-30-53	STA operate commercial basis with facilities specified in C.P. BPCT-1200 pending receipt by commission of verified request. Period 5-1-53 to 5-11-53.			
Wire	5-4-53	Ext. STA operate commercial basis exact accordance C.P. (BPCT-1200). Period 5-11-53 to 8-1-53.			
WIRE	7-28-53	Ext.STA operate commercial basis in accord with CP BMPCT-924. Period ending September 2, 1953.			
WIRE	9-2-53	Ext.STA operate comm. basis accord. CP BMPCT-1373. Period ending December 2, 1953.			
BMPCT-1373 Mod.CP (BPCT-1200	9-2-53 as mod)	same to extend completion date.	same	same	3-2-53 12-2-53
BMPCT-1591 Mod C.P. (BPCT-1200,	11-30-53 as mod)	same to extend compl. date	same	same	3-2-53 2-2-54
WIRE BMPCT-1591. Period ending February 2, 1954.	11-30-53	Ext.STA oper. comm. basis accord CP			
BMPCT-1807 Mod. CP (BPCT-1200,	2-2-54 as mod)	same to extend completion dt.	same	same and convert Obst. Marking	3-2-53 2-2-54
2-3-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm basis accordance CP BMPCT-1807 Period Ending 3-2-54					
BMPCT-2189 Mod.CP(BPCT-1200,	7-12-54 as mod)	same to chg. ERP type of Ant.	V-178kw A-93.3kw	same	3-2-53 2-2-55
Wire 7-21-54 EXT STA Opr. Comm basis with facilities spcfd in CP BMPCT-1807 pending compl.of construction ACCORD CP BMPCT-2189, Period Ending 2-2-55.					

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June 1954

COMMERCIAL TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed _____

Call letters WKNX-TV

Name of licensee LAKE HURON BROADCASTING 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--
Wire	10-12-54	Mod.STA	Opr.	Comm. basis	accord CP BMPCT-
2189.Period Ending 2-2-55.					
BMPCT-2749	1-20-55	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1200,as mod)to extend completion dt. 8-2-55					
WIRE	1-20-55	EXT.STA	Opr.	Comm. basis	accord CP BMPCT-
2749 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Per. End. 8-2-55.					
BMPCT-3249	7-13-55	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1200,as mod.)to extend completion date 2-2-56					
WIRE	7228-55	EXT STA	Opr.	Comm. basis	accord. CP BMPCT
3249 pending filing of Lic. Appl. Auth. expires 2-2-56.					
BMPCT-3670	1-9-56	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200,as mod.)to extend compl. dt. 8-2-56.					
WIRE	1-10-56	EXT. STA	gr.	oper.	WKNX-TV, Comm. basis
accord. CP BMPCT-3670 pendingfilingof Lic. Appl. Auth. expir					
es 8-2-56					
BMPCT-4077	7-11-56	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1200,as mod)to extend completion date 2-2-57					
WIRE	7-16-56	EXT.AUTH.	operate	Comm.	basis accordance
MPCT-4077 pending filing lic. appl. to 2-2-57					
BMPCT-4476	1/31/57	same	same	same	3-2-53
Mod.CP(BPCT-1200 as mod.)to extend compl. date 4-2-57					
WIRE	2-4-57	PENDING	FILING	LIC. APPL.	EXT.AUTH.OPR.
ACCORD. MPCT-4476 to 4-2-57					
WIRE	3-11-57	PROGRAM	TESTS	AUTHORIZED	ACCORD.
MPCT-4476					
BLCT-586	7-10-57	CH #57	V-174 kw	U	7-10-57
AH 450'			A-95.5 kw		10-1-58
License to cover CP(BPCT-1200 as mod.)					
BRCT-351	9-17-58	same	same	same	10-1-58
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					10-1-61
BMLCT-82	6-20-60	CH #57	V-174 kw	U	6-20-60 10-1-61
AH: 450'		728-734	A-95.5 kw		
Mod. of License to specify TL & SL.					
BRCT-351	9-28-61	same	same	same	10-1-61
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					10-1-64
WIRE	2-8-62	PENDING	VESTIGIAL	SIDEBAND	FILTER REPAIRS
EXT.AUTH.GR.OPER.WKNX-TV TEMP.WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND					
FILTER PER.END. 3-10-62 SUBJ.CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE.					

Form BC 126
June 1954 #3

COMM.TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters WKNX-tV

Station location SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Transmitter location See Card #1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
WIRE	3-6-62	PENDING	VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER		
REPAIRS EXT.AUTH.GR.OPR. WKNX-TV TEMP.WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER PER.END. 4-10-62 SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE. ADVISE.					
WIRE	7-12-63	REURLET 8. EXT. AUTH. GR. OPERA.			
WKNX-TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER PERIOD END. 10-15-63 SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE. ANY FURTHER REQUEST FOR EXT. MUST BE ACCOM. WITH DETAILS OF STEPS TAKEN TO REPAIR THE VSB FILTER.					
WIRE	10-14-63	EXTENSION AUTHORITY GR. OPERATE WKNX-TV TEMP. WITHOUT VESTIGIAL SIDEBAND FILTER PERIOD ENDING 1-15-64, SUBJECT CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE.			
WIRE	10-6-64	REURLET SEPT. 28. MOD. AUTH. GR.OPER.			
WKNX-TV TEMP. PER. ENDING 1-4-65 WITHOUT FILTERPLEXER & WITH AURAL SIGNAL MULTIPLEXED THROUGH VIDEO AMPLIFIER. THIS ARRANGEMENT AUTH. FOR STRICTLY EMERGENCY PURPOSE & SUBJECT TO CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE. PROPOSED MEANS OF MEASURING POWER ACCEPTABLE FOR THIS PERIOD.					
BRCT-351	9-18-64	same	same	same	10-1-64
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-67
SUPPLEMENT NO.3 TO THIRD REPORT AND ORDER IN DOCKET 14229 RM-454 &RM-290 ADOPTED 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65,LICENSE OF WKNX-TV MODIFIED TO SPECIFY OPERATION ON CHANNEL 25 IN LIEU OF CH#57:CONDITIONS;Advise by 6-1-65 if acceptable;Submit Tech. Data by 6-1-65;NOT begin auth. of new facil until Authorized by Comm; AND MAY CONTINUE OPERATION ON PREVIOUS CHANNEL UNTIL AUTHORITY AUTH BY COMM TO BEGIN NEW FACILITIES					
WIRE 9-8-65	REURLET 8-13. NO OBJECTION SUSPENDING CHANNEL 57 OPERATIONS TEMPORARILY AS NECESS. DURING CHANNEL 25 CONSTRUCTION. PENDING SUBMISSION PROOF OF PERFORMANCE, AUTH. ALSO GRANTED OPERATE WITH CHANNEL 25 FACILITIES TEMP.PERIOD ENDING 10-15-65. ADVISE COMMENCEMENT. BEGAN 9-14-65				
ENGR. DATA	9-13-65	CH.25	V-144 kw	U	9-13-65
DOCKET 14229		536-542	A-28.8 kw		10-1-67
AH:450' MSL:1078' DATA APPROVED FOR MODIFIED LICENSE FOR OPERATION ON CH.25 AND ERP CHANGED. AND ANTENNA SYSTEM					
WIRE	10-14-65	REURLET 12. EXTENSION AUTH. GRANTED			
OPER. WKNX-TV ON CH. 25 TEMP. PERIOD END 11-15-65 PENDING SUBMISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.					

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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WKNX-TV

Station location SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

Name of licensee LAKE HURON BROADCASTING 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-
WIRE	11-12-65	REURLET 12. EXT. AUTH. GRANTED OPER. WKNX-TV ON CH. 25 TEMP. PERIOD END 1-15-66 PENDING SUBMISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.			
WIRE	1-11-66	REURLET 10. EXT. AUTH. GRANTED OPER. WKNX-TV ON CH. TEMP. PERIOD END 2-15-66 PENDING SUBMISSION PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.			
WIRE	3-15-66	EXTENSION AUTH. GRANTED OPERATE WKNX-TV ON CH#25 TEMP. PERIOD ENDING APRIL 15, 1966 PENDING ACTION ON PROOF-OF-PERFORMANCE.			
		PROOF OF PERFORMANCE DATA, APPROVED 3-21-66 (Pursuant to Supplement No. 3 to Third Report & Order in Docket #14229)			
DOCKET #14229	3-21-66	CH#25	V-144 kw	U	3-21-66
AH:450'MSL	1078'	536-542mcs.	A-28.8kw		10-1-67
MODIFIED LICENSE AUTHORIZATION ISSUED					
BRCT-351	9-11-67	same	same	same	10-1-67
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					10-1-70
BPCT-4260	8-11-69	CH.25	V-302 kw	U	10-11-69
AH:450'MSL:	1078'	536-542	A-30.2 kw		4-11-70
CP to change ERP and make changes in antenna system.					
WIRE	9-3-69	PENDING COMPLETION CONSTRUCTION ACCORD BPCT-4260 AND FILING LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER. TEMP. PER. 9-15 thru 11-9 ACCORD. STEPS ONE AND TWO OF YOUR REQUEST. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER EACH STEP OF THIS AUTHORITY.			
WIRE	11-13-69	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 11-22-69 ACCORD COMMISSION WIRE OF 9-3-69.			
WIRE	11-21-69	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 12-2-69			
WIRE	12-2-69	RETENDERED LIC. APPLI. AUTH. GR. OPER. ON PTA ACCORD CP BPCT-4260.			
BTC-6224	4-6-70	VOL. T/C.			
BRCT-351	5-27-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-73
BLCT-1940	6-14-71	Lic. (BPCT-4260) chg.			10-1-73
BALCT-460	2-16-72	Vol. A/L			
BPCT-4480	2-22-72	Ch. 25	V. 1350 kw	U	4-22-72
AH: 1310'MSL:	2049'	536-542	A. 135 kw		8-22-72
CP chg. ERP, TL, trans. & ant. 7 HAAT.					
BMPCT-7381	3-15-72	MP (BPCT-4480) chg. SL			

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COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters WKNX-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
BMPCT-7383 AH: 1320' MSL: 2049'	3-20-72	Ch. 25 536-542	V. 1350 A. 135	kw U	4-22-72 8-22-73
MP (BPCT-4480 as mod)		chg. trans.			
ESBA	5-15-72				
Wire oper. temp. per. end. 1-5-73 accord BMPCT-7383. Advise when oper. commences under this auth.	12-5-72	Pending filing lic. appl., auth. gtd.			
Wire	1-5-73	Above auth. extended to			2-5-73
Wire oper. PTA accord. 73.629 & BMPCT-7383.	1-31-73	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. gtd.			
BLCT-2197 AH: 1310' MSL: 2049' Lic. (BPCT-4480 as mod.,) for chg.	2-12-73	Ch.25 536-542	V-1350 kw A-135kw	U	10-1-76
BLCT-2197	2-12-73	Superseded to correct date to 10-1-73.			
BRCT-351	9-27-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-73 10-1-76
BRCT-351	9-15-76	Renewal of license (S)			10-1-79
WIRE visual and aural. ERO for purpose as outlined in your request. Suitable notice to be given to public of ongoing nature of tests. If permanent uath. desired, must file FCC Form 302 for modification of lic. request furnish Commission with report ot conclusion of tests. This auth. expires 9-20-77.	6-23-77	Auth. grtd. oper. WEYI-TV at reduced			
WIRE	10-20-77	Above auth. extended to 12-18-77.			
BTC-8567	5-10-78	VOL. T/C			
BRCT-790601KY	9-21-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			10-1-82
BMLCT-858 & BMLCT-790702KH AH: 1320' MSL: 2049' ERP: Vis. 676kW, A-67.6kW ML to show chgs. in trans., ant., and ERP; and chg. name	10-30-79	Ch-25, 536-542MHz	Unl.		10-1-82
EBSA	10-7-80	New authorization reflecting chg. of Call Sign eff. 6-6-72.			
BALCT-810121KI	2-26-81	VOL. AL			

CARD #1
FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm. TV B/c
Call Letters WKNX-TV (U)

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(Saginaw, Michigan)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-1200 Rec'd Filed	8-20-52 8-25-52 8-27-52	Construction permit for a Comm. TV B/C station FREQ: Ch. #57, 728-734 mcs. ERP: Vis. 17.5 kw; Aur. 12.3 kw. Hours of operation: Unlimited S-L: To be determined, Saginaw, Michigan T-L: South of Saginaw, Michigan (Vis. & Aur. GE TT-24-A) (464') Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty	GRANTED	10-1-52 (Issued with MPCT-924)
AMENDED Recd Filed	9-3-52 9-5-52 9-5-52	To change antenna height above terrain from 464' to 466.8'; transmitter type no. from TT-24-A to TT-20-A; and coordinates, W. Long., from 22" to 32".		
AMENDED Recd Filed	9-10-52 9-11-52 9-11-52	To show additional data concerning financial qualifications of V. Pres.		
BTC-1397 Recd & Filed	10-21-52 10-23-52	Voluntary Relinquishment of Negative Control of Permittee Corporation Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	11-20-52

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

John Creutz, Engr.

Card # 2
FORM A-170
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM TV B/C
Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
(Saginaw, Michigan)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-924 Recd Filed	10-30-52 11-3-52 11-3-52	Modification of CP (BPCT-1200 which auth. a new Commercial TV B/C station) to change ERP from Vis. 17 KW, Aur. 9.1 KW to Vis. 18.8 KW, Aur. 12.6 KW and to install new transmitters and antenna system. (441') Vis. & Aur. RCA TT-1B Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	1-2-53
BMPCT-924 AMENDED Recd Filed	11-12-52 11-14-52 11-14-52	Amended to add Bradley Street to the transmitter location and to change studio location from to be determined, to Bradley Street, Adjacent to South City limits. South of city limits of Saginaw, Michigan. Filed by Frank Fletcher, Atty.		
AMENDED BMPCT-924 Recd & filed	11-25-52 12-3-52	Amended to correct the type number of antenna and Engr. Sec.V-C P ara 9(b) Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.		
BMPCT-1373 Recd & Filed	8-28-53 8-31-53	Mod. of C.P. (BPCT-1200 as mod., which auth. a new Comm TV B/C Station) for extension of completion date from 9-2-53 to 12-2-53. Filed by Frank Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	9-2-53

Card # 3

FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM TV B/C

Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-1591 Recd. Filed	11-20-53 11-27-53 11-27-53	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new COMM. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 12-2-53 to 2-2-54. Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	11-30-53
BMPCT-1807 Recd. Filed	1-29-54 1-29-54 1-29-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-54 to 5-2-54. Filed by Frank Roberson, Atty.	GRANTED	2-2-54
BMPCT-2169 Recd. Filed	6-9-54 6-14-54 6-14-54	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to change ERP from Vis. 19.0 kw, Aur. 10.0 kw to Vis. 179.5 kw, Aur. 94.2 kw change type of antenna, install transmitting equipment and make other equipment changes. (446') (RCA (driver) TTU-1B G.E.(Amplifier) TF-6A) Filed by Frank U. Fletcher, Atty.	GRANTED	7-12-54

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FORM A-170

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV B/C

Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-2749 Recd.&Filed	1-10-55 1-13-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-55 to 8-2-55. Filed by B. P. Cottone, Atty.	GRANTED	1-20-55
BMPCT-3249 Recd&filed Ext.#6	7-8-55 7-11-55	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200,as mod., which authorized a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 8-2-55 to 11-2-55. Filed by Arthur Scheiner,Atty.	GRANTED	7-13-55
BMPCT-3670 Recd.&filed Ext.#7	12-29-55 1-4-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200,as mod.,whichauthorized a new Comm. TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 2-2-56 to 8-2-56. Filed by Benedict P. Cottone,Atty.	GRANTED	1-9-56
BMPCT-4077 Recd & Filed Ext. # 8	6-25-56 6-29-56	Mod. of CP (BPCT-1200,as mod.,which authorized a new Comm TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 8-2-56 to 2-2-57. Filed by: Benedict P. Cottone, Atty.	GRANTED	7-11-56

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm TV B/C

Call Letters WXIX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT- Recd	10-29-56 10-29-56	Modification of CP (BPCT-1200 as modified, which authorized a new comm TV b/c station) to change Station location from Saginaw, Mich to Flint, Mich., change Frequency from Ch. # 57, 728-734 Mcs. to Ch. # 12, 204-210 Mcs., ERP from Vis. 178 kw, Aur. 93.3 kw to Vis. 316 kw, Aur. 158 kw, change studio and transmitter location from Bradley Street at City Limits, Saginaw, Mich to Studio-Loc. To be determined within city limits, Flint, Mich. and transmitter location to Chesaning Road and Gasper Road, 3.5 miles NE of Chesaning, Michigan, install new transmitters and antenna system and make other equipment changes. (GE-TT-36-A) (973') Filed by James A. McKenna, Jr. Atty.	RETURNED 9-2-58 as NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR FILING UNDER COMMISSION'S RULES (Ltr. by Levy)	

Card #6
FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

COMM. TV B/C

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-4476 Recd & Filed Ext. #9	12-26-56 1-3-57	Mod. of CP(BPCT-1200, as mod., which auth. a new Comm. TV B/C Station) to extend completion date from 2-2-57 to 4-2-57. Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	1-31-57
BLCT-586 Recd & filed	2-26-57 3-4-57	License to cover CP (BPCT-1200 as mod.) which authorized a new comm TV b/c station Filed by Arthur Scheiner, Atty.	GRANTED	7-10-57
BRCT-351 Recd & Filed	6-28-58 7-1-58	Renewal of License. Filed by Edwa rd R. McKenna, Atty.	GRANTED	9-17-58
BMLCT-82 R & F	4-14-60 6-6-60	Mod. of license to specify Transmitter and studio location as 1650 Treanor Street, outside city limits of Saginaw, Michigan in lieu of Bradley Street, at City Limits of Saginaw, Michigan, and to request waiver of Sec. 3.613 of the Commission's Rules. Filed by Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	6-20-60

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

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM.TV

Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Saginaw, Michigan New P.O. address SEE BACK OF CARD

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-351 Recd.&Filed	6-20-61 7-3-61	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	9-28-61
BRCT-351 Recd.&Filed	6-26-64 7-2-64	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert W. Coll, Atty.	GRANTED	9-18-64
LETTER rec. 5-25-65(1) consenting to Modified license pursuant to Supplement No.3 to the Third Report and Order in Docket No.14229 adopted 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65 FOR CH#25 in lieu of CH#57				
ENGR. TECH. DATA (3) Rec.	6-15-65 6-22-65	Technical Engineering Data submitted pursuant to Supplement No. 3 to The Third Report and Order in Docket #14229 adopted 5-12-65 EFFECTIVE 6-28-65 for Modified License Authorization to Specify operation on Channel 25 in lieu of Channel 57; with ERP Vis. 146 kw, Aur. 29 kw, and other related changes. McKenna & Wilkinson-atty (Tom M.Frohock)	GRANTED SEP 13 1965	
Proof of Performance Data (3) recvd.	2-7-66 2-7-66	PROOF OF PERFORMANCE measurements submitted relative to ENGR.DATA approved for modified license authorization of WKNX TV, specifying operation on CH#25 in lieu of CH#57 (Pursuant to Supplement No.3 to Third Report & Order in Docket #14229) (McKenna & Wilkinson-atty	GRANTED 3-21-66 Mod. of License issued.	

Letter dated 2-23-67 New Address:

5200 State Street
Saginaw, Michigan 48603 Telephone 793-4950

FORM BC-121
Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WKNK-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-331 R & F	6-20-67 6-30-67	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Aaron I. Fleischman, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	9-11-67
JUL 17 1967				
BPCT-4260 R & F #527635 $30 PRESS:	7-8-69 7-9-69 7-9-69 JUL 16 1969	CP, chg. ERP to Vis. 302kw, Aur. 30.2kw and make chgs. in ant. system. Atty.: David S. Stevens (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	8-11-69
BLCT-1940 R & F $30 #560401 PRESS	11-25-69 11-28-69 " DEC 10 1969	LICENSE (BPCT-4260) for changes. James R. Cooke, Atty. (McKenna & Wilkinson)	GRANTED	6-14-71
BTC-6224 R & F #586906 $30 PRESS: PN REC'D:	3-20-70 3-23-70 3-23-70 APR 1 1970	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation by each, William J. Edwards and Howard H. Wolfe thru purchase of stock (and retirement thereof) by the licensee corporation from the Executors of the Estate of Alvin M. Bentley, Deceased. Atty.: McKenna & Wilkinson	GRANTED EFF:	4-6-70

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WXMK-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Ch. 25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
Engr.data filed 7-2-70				
BRCT-351 Rec. & filed PN RECD $150 #612761 PRESS	6-29-70 7-6-70 7-6-70 7-1-70 JUL 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John L. Tierney, (McKenna & Wilkinson) Ltr. from atty. submitting bank loan. 4-28-71	GRANTED	5-27-71
BALCT-460 & F #621286 $1000 AC 051 PRESS: FS REC'D: GRANT FEE: GRANT FEE PAID: $22,500 3-27-72 054710 $ 9500 3-31-72 057422	11-22-71 11-22-71 11-22-71 NOV 24 1971 12-13-71 $32,000.00 *	Voluntary assignment of license to Rust Craft Broadcasting Company. Attys.: McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner (Assignor) Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker)(Assignee) Amended 12-2-71 re legal & programming. Amended 12-3-71 re Sec. I, para. 9 & Exh. 2 re tax certificate. Amended 12-22-71 re legal data. Amended 1-14-72 re info. on the stock of Rust Craft GreetingsCards, Inc.	GRANTED WFF: COMMISSION ACTION	2-16-72 3-23-72

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Form BC-121 CARD #10
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WKNX-TV

Name LAKE HURON BROADCASTING CORPORATION
CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT-4480 R & F #021259 $2500 AC: 003 PRESS: PN REC'D: GRANT FEE: $2,500 GRANT FEE PAID:	11-22-71 11-22-71 11-22-71 NOV 24 1971 12-13-71 SEE BACK	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 1362kw(H), Aur. 136kw(H); TL to S. side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Mich. (43-13-01 83-43-17); type trans. to RCA TTU-110B; type ant. to RCA TFU-46K; make chgs. in ant. structure; and HAAT 1305 ft. Atty.: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker) Engr.: Frederick D. Veihmeyer (Lohnes and Culver) Amended 12-2-71 re Sec. IV-B	Granted	2-22-72
BMPCT-7381 R & F #040970 $50 AC: 062 PRESS:	3-4-72 3-9-72 3-9-72 MAR 13 1972	MP(BPCT-4480) to chg. SL S. side of Willard Rd., 2.8 mi. N. of Clio, Mich. Atty.: Edward Taptich (McKenna, Wilkinson)	GRANTED	3-15-72
BMPCT-7383 R & F #051333 $50 AC: 062 PRESS;	3-13-72 3-16-72 3-16-72 MAR 21 1972	MP(BPCT-4480 as mod.) to chg. type trans. to to GE TT-62-B; type ant. to GE TY-206-A Atty.: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun)	GRANTED	3-20--72

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

Grant fee: $9000.00 paid 4--5-72 515315 - Ltr. 4-4-72 from atty. stating top market list had changed - copy of ltr. sent to Joe Ryan for further consideration.

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September 1969

CARD#11

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WKNX-TV WEYI-TV

Name RUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY
LAKE-HURON-BROADCASTING-CORPORATION
CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAPCT-500 R & F #051338 $500 AC: 055 PRESS:	3-9-72 3-16-72 3-16-72 MAR 21 1972	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Rust Craft Broadcasting Company. Atty.: Edward P. Taptich (McKenna, Wilkinson) (Assignor) Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun)(Assignee)	GRANTED EFF:	3-22-72
BTC-6946 R & F #102508 $250 AC: 055 PRESS:	8-18-72 8-22-72 8-22-72 AUG 30 1972	Voluntary transfer of control of Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc. (parent corporation of licensee) from the Berkman Group (de jure control) to the Berkman Group (de facto control). Atty.: Percy H. Russell (Kirkland, Ellis & Rowe)	GRANTED	8-31-72 Eff: 10-30-72
LETTER, dated 12-8-72, Rec'd 12-11-72, requesting "on-the-air" station identification as: Saginaw-Flint-Bay City, Michigan.	DEC 14 1972		GRANTED	12-26-72

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Call Letters WEYI-TV

Name RUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY

CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLCT-2197 R & F $50-AC-068 #148675 PRESS:	12-16-72 1-30-73 1-30-73 7 1973	License to cover (BPCT-4480 as mod.,) for changes. Atty: Rosel H. Hyde (Wilkinson, Cragun and Barker)	GRANTED	2-12-73
BRCT-351 R & F PN Recd. PRESS:	6-12-73 6-25-73 6-25-73 JUL 26 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker, R.H. Hyde, atty.	GRANTED	9-27-73
BRCT-351 R&F PN RECD PRESS	5-19-76 5-27-76 14 JUL 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (Atty.: Wilkinson, Cragun & Barker, Leon T. Knauer) Contours filed 5-27-76	GRANTED	9-15-76

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

Canadian consent 3-1-76 Canadian consent to 3-1-78

BLCT-2197

Subject to the condition that operation with visual effective radiated power in excess of 1000 kW after March 1, 1974, is subject to a further extension of consent by Canada.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WEYI-TV

Name RUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY

CH-25 SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-8567 R&F PN RECD PRESS (Form 315)	1-12-78 1-17-78 JAN 30 1978	Voluntary transfer of control of Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc. (parent corporation of licensee) from the Berkman Group (de facto control) to Ziff Corporation. Atty.: R. Russell Eagan & John C. Quale (Kirkland & Ellis)	GRANTED EFF:	5-10-78 3-22-79
BRCT 790601KY R & F PN REC'D PRESS	5-29-79 6-1-79 6-1-79 79 0725	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: STEVEN A. LERMAN {MCKENNA, WILKINSON & KITTNER} AMENDED 9-3-80 re programming	GRANTED	9-21-79

BTC-8567
PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION filed 6-12-78 by Geoff Bentley on behalf of Jack N. and Myles P. Berkman.
SEE WSTV-TV

CARD#14

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION
APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WEYI-TV

ZIFF-DAVIS BROADCASTING COMPANY
Name: AMUST CRAFT BROADCASTING COMPANY

CH-25

Station Location: SAGINAW, MI

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMLCT-790702KH R & F PRESS:	6-26-79 7-2-79 9-26-79	Mod. of Lic. to chg. name to Ziff-Davis Broadcasting Company. Atty.: Steven A. Lerman (McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED 10-30-79
BALCT-810121KI Form 316		Vol. AL to Ziff-Davis Broadcasting Company, Division of Ziff-Davis Publishing Company. Atty.: Steven Lerman	

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March 1979

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.