WHHS

B-S Off. No. 48

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL

Date first licensed 2-21-50

Call letters WHHS

LOCATION: HAVERTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

Name of licensee THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP(BAPLED 12-10-58,EFF: 1-15-59)
~~HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL~~

Transmitter location Mill Road & Leedom Avenue (CP 8-30-57)
x1801 East Darby Rd./ Havertown, Pennsylvania (Delaware County)

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Main studio location Mill Road & Leedom Avenue (CP 8-30-57)
x1801 East Darby Road, Havertown, Pennsylvania
Darby Road, Havertown, Penna.

FCC-65

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	ER Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPED-99	12-22-48	89.3	5.93 w	50 ft.	By 4-15-49
BMPED-167	2-15-49	Change	type of	trans.	To 10-15-49
C.P. issued 2-15-49					
BMPED-188	9-27-49	Ext. of compl. date			To 12-15-49
Telegram	12-7-49	Retel 5. Auth. gr. WHHS period ending 12-15-49 op. using fac. spec. in CP BMPED-188 re. FM prog. serv.			
BMPED-198	12-31-49	Ext. of completion date to 2-15-50.			
Telegram	1-13-50	Retel 11. Auth. ext. period ending 2-15-50 op. using fac. in BMPED-200 re FM prog. serv.			
BMPED-200	1-13-50	Change in antenna system			To 2-15-50
BLED-63	2-21-50	License to cover CP (BPED-99 as mod.) 89.3 10w CH 207			2-21-50 to 6-1-51.
BRED-48	5-29-51	Renewal of license to			6-1-53
BRED-48	5-6-53	Renewal of license to			6-1-56
BRED-48	5-3-56	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-57 (S)
		Commission deferred action on July 25, 1957 pending further consideration.			
BPED-337	8-30-57 to Mill & from main	CP to change ant-transmitter & studio Leedom Roads, and operate xmtr by RC studios.			10-30 4-30-58
BRED-48	12-10-58	Renewal of license to			8-1-60(S).
BMPLED-1 EFF:	12-10-58 1-15-59	Vol. assignment license and construction permit to "The School District of Haverford Township".			
BMPED-328	12-10-58	89.3mcs. Ch.207	10 w. TPO	Unl.	10-30-57 2-1-59
Extension of completion date of construction.					
BMPED-340	2-2-59	Extension of completion date to 4-1-59			
#1.					
BMPED-344 (2)	4-9-59	Extension of completion date to 8-1-59			

Form BC 126
June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters W H H S

Station location Havertown, Pennsylvania

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BLED-268	10-15-59	89.2mcs	10	Unl.	10-15 8-1-60
	Lic. to cover CP (BPED-337 as mod.) which auth. change antenna-transmitter and studio location and operate by remote control from studio location 7-27-65 Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.				
BRED-48	10-5-60	Renewal of License			10-5 8-1-63
BRED-48	7-31-63	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-66
BRED-48	7-29-66	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-69
Ltr 10-28-68, Recd 10-31-68, notification per Sect. 73.550(a)(5) rules that a Gates-BME-10C trans is now installed and in operation.					
BRED-48(L)	7-24-69	Renewal			8-1-72
EBSA	5-15-72				
BRED-48(S)	7-31-72	RENEWAL			8-1-75
BRED-48(L)	7-23-75		RENEWAL		8-1-78
BPED-2485 HAAT:- (L)	5-6-77	89.3mhz #207 CP install new	ERP:-- TPO:10Watts (RC) Antenna	U	5-6-78
BPED781006 (1)	AJ 11-9-78	CP to	replace	exp. pmt.	5-3-79
BRED-48(S)	1-30-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-81
BLED-780802 (L)	AN 5-23-79	Lic.(BPED-2485)	for CHGS		8-1-81

Form 94 CARD #1

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL FM

Call Letters ~~NEW~~ WHHS

Name HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
(P. O. Darby Road, Havertown, Pennsylvania).

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPED-99 Rec'd. Filed	7-21-48 7-26-48 7-26-48	Construction permit for new Non-Commercial FM Educational Broadcast station. Frequency: To be assigned by FCC Operating Power: 2.5 watts. Transmitter: ~~Havertown, Delaware County,~~ Pennsylvania Studio: To be determined, Havertown, Penna.	GRANTED Subject to receipt of mod. change type of transmitter C.P. issued with BMPED-167	12-22-48 2-15-49
AMENDED Recd. Filed	9-9-48 9-13-48 9-13-48	AMENDED to change transmitter site from Havertown, Delaware County, Pennsylvania to 1801 East Darby Road, Havertown, Pennsylvania.	Expires Mailed	10-15-49 8-10-49
BMPED-167 Rec'd. Filed	2-2-49 2-4-49 2-4-49	Mod of C. P. (BPED-99) which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station to change operating power from 2.5 watts to 10 watts and type of transmitter to GE BT-11-B Max. 10 watts.	GRANTED	2-15-49

Form 94 Card #2

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHHS

Name HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPED188 Recd. Filed	9-15-49 9-16-49 9-16-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPED-99 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 10-15-49 to 12-15-49.	GRANTED	9-27-49
BMPED-198 Recd. Filed	11-13-49 11-14-49 11-14-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPED-99 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 12-15-49 to 2-15-50.	GRANTED	12-21-49
BMPED-200 Rec'd. Filed	12-15-49 12-16-49 12-16-49	Mod. of C. P. (BPED-99 as modified) which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station to make changes in the antenna system.	GRANTED	1-13-50
BLED-63 Rec'd. Filed	2-1-50 2-2-50 2-2-50	License to cover C. P. (BPED-99 as modified) which authorized a new Non-Commercial Educational FM broadcast station.	GRANTED exp.	2-21-50 6-1-51.

CARD #3

FORM A-170
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Name HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-48 Rec'd. Filed	4-30-51 5-1-51 5-1-51	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-29-51
BRED-48 Recd. & Filed	2-14-53 2-16-53	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-6-53
BRED-48 Recd & filed	4-18-56 4-19-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-3-56
BRED-48 Recd & filed	6-5-57 6-7-57	Renewal of license	Ltr. 6-10-57 req. expl re program logs omitted GRANTED 12-10-58	
BPED-337 Rec'd Filed	7-31-57 8-2-57 8-2-57	Construction permit to change antenna-transmitter & studio from 1801 East Darby Road to Mill & Leedom Roads, Havertown, Pennsylvania, and operate transmitter by remote control from main studios.	GRANTED	8-30-57

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

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP
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Call Letters WHHS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPED-328 Rec'd Filed	4-22-58 4-24-58 4-24-58	Modification of c.p. (BPED-337 which authorized change antenna-transmitter & studio location and operate transmitter by remote control from main studio location) for extension of completion date from 4-30-58 to 8-15-58. (Contingent on grant of assignment of license and construction permit).	GRANTED to 2-1-59	12-10-58
BAPLED-1 Rec'd Filed	5-21-58 5-22-58 5-22-58	Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to The School District of Haverford Township.	GRANTED EFF:	12-10-58 1-15-59
BMPED-340 Rec'd Filed	1-15-59 1-16-59 1-16-59	Modification of c.p. (BPED-337 as mod., which authorized change antenna-transmitter & studio location and operate transmitter by remote control from main studio location) for extension of completion date from 2-1-59 to 4-1-59.	GRANTED	2-2-59

FORM BC-121 #5 **APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING**
Aug. 1955

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Name THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP
HAVERTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPED-344 Rec'd Filed	3-17-59 3-18-59 3-18-59	Modification of c.p. (BPED-337 as mod., which authorized change antenna-trans. & studio loc. and operate transmitter by remote control from main studio location) for extension of completion date from 4-1-59 to 8-1-59	GRANTED to 8-1-59	4-9-59
BLRD-268 R&F	7-13-59 7-14-59	Lic. to cover cp(BPED-337 as mod.) which auth. chg. ant-trans..loc. & studio loc. & operate by remote control from studio loc.	GRANTED	10-15-59
BRED-48 Rec'd&Filed	4-20-60 4-25-60	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	10-5-60
BRED-48 R. & F.	4-26-63 4-29-63	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-31-63
BRED-48 R & F	4-27-66 4-28-66	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-29-66
BRED-48 R & F PRESS APR 29 1969	4-16-69 4-17-69	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-24-69

Form BC-121 #6
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

89.2mcs.

Call Letters W H H S

Name THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP
Havertown, Pennsylvania

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-48 R & F PRESS MAY 24 1972	4-17-72 5-2-72	Renewal of License AMENDED 6-5-72 re: Section II resubmitted; employment policy	GRANTED	7-31-72
BRED-48 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	4-1-75 4-10-75 " 18 APR 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 5-22-75 re: engineering	GRANTED	7-23-75
BPED-2485 R & F PRESS	1-10-77 1-13-77 MAY 5 1977	CP install new Antenna {CCA, FMC-E1, 1 sect} Atty--- Engr. Gerald M. Womer	GRANTED	5-6-77

(BRED-48) Sect. VI mailed 5-22-72

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89.2 Mhz.

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHHS

Name THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP
HAVERTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRED-48 R & F PRESS	4-3-78 4-6-78 APR 27 1978	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-30-79
BPED781006AJ PRESS OCT 16 1978		Construction Permit to replace expired Permit (BPED-2485)	GRANTED TO	11-9-78 5-3-79
BLED-780802AN PTA: PRESS: APR 27 1979		License to cover (BPED-2485, as rein.) FOR CHANGES Atty: ----	GRANTED	5-23-79

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89.3MHz

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WHHS

Name: THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP

Station Location: HAVERTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
791228AJ		CP chg freq 89.5MHz#208' incr ERP: 100 watts; HAAT: 266' and make minor chgs in ant sys	
Amended	1-14-81	Chg. ERP: 0.1000 kW; HAAT: 282' , install new antenna & transmitter	
Amended	2-27-81	Ascertainment of Community	
BRED810406UG PRESS MAY 29 1981		Renewal of License	granted 10-8-81 ISSUED

Form BC-121
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 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.