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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 3102

Date first licensed 8-20-75

Call letters K W A O

Station location Sun City, Arizona

Name of licensee Sun City Broadcasting Corporation

85351

Transmitter location 10820 Oakmont Dr., Sun City, Arizona (MPH 12-30-74)
X About 750' Southeast of the intersection of 107th Avenue and Grand Avenue, Sun City, Arizona (PH-3-19-74)

Main studio location Same as Transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BPH-6808 HAAT: 87'	3-19-74	106.3mhz. ERP: #292 Class-A CP for New FM Station.	3kw	Unl.	3-19-75
BPH-6808(1)	5-16-74	Call letters assigned			
EBSA	5-16-74				
BMPH-14,33 HAAT: 97ft(H&V) (L)	12-30-74	106.3mhz ERP: 3kw(H&V) U MP(BPH-6808) chg SL,TL, ant, trans, HAAT. operate by RC from SL.			
BLH-6616(L)	8-20-75	Lic.(BPH-6808, as mod.)-New			10-1-77
BTC-7837	9/17/75	Vol rel of neg con EFF: 10/7/75			
BRH-3102	10-20-77	(S) REN.OF LICENSE			10-1-80
BSCA781222AJ	1-25-79	Subsidiary Communications Authorization on 67 kilohertz.			10-1-80
BRH800502VT	9-30-80	RENEWAL OF LIC.{S}			10-1-83
BRSCA800502VT		Renewal of SCA			

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Call Letters xNEW FM

Name Sun City Broadcasting Corporation
Sun City, Arizona(PO P. O. Box 55, Sun City, Arizona 85351)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-6808	7-8-69	CP for New FM on: 106.3mc. #292 ERP:3.0kw		
R & F	7-14-69	HAAT: 99.6' TPO: 0.846kw	NOV 19 1970	/9088
#528807 $75	7-14-69	Trans: CCA-FM-1000D; Ant:CCA-601-4, 4 sects.		
PRESS:		T-SL: Near 107th Ave. , Sun City, Arizona	GRANTED	3-19-74.
PN FILED D	8-6-69	33° 36' 06" - 112° 17' 30"		
		Atty - Craig Mehrens(Mehrens and Pearce Phoenix, Arizona)		
		Engr.:J/(Jeff) Lapping (Phoenix, Arizona)		
Amended 9-19-69 re amended to show HAAT as 87.13'.				
PRESS:				
Amended	3-18-70	Section IV-A.		
AMENDED(ORDER)	6-24-71	Section IV-A & VB-paragraph 15.		
AMENDED(ORDER)	3-17-72	Section III.		
AMENDED(ORDER)	5-19-72	Section II.		
AMENDED(ORDER)	2-14-72	Section II, para. 5.		

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

September 1969

Call Letters K W A O

Name Sun City Broadcasting Corporation
Sun City, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-14,331 R & F #360535 $50 Code 057 PRESS	10-23-74 11-1-74 11-1-74 DEC 11 1974	MP(BPH-6808) to change TL & SL to: 10820 Oakmont Dr., Sun City, Ariz.; operate by RC from the proposed TL & SL site; chg. type trans(CCA-FM-0000DS), chg. type ant. (CCA-FMC-LP-3, 3 sects. (H&V); make chgs. in ant. system (incr. hgt.); chg. TPO: 2.192kw; ERP: 3kw(H&V); HAAT: 97.13'(H&V) 33° 36' 06" 112° 17' 30" Atty: George R. Borsari, Jr. Engr- John H. Mullaney(Potomac, Md.)	GRANTED	12-30-74
BLH-6616 R & F W 396133-$50 PTA PRESS	2-17-75 2-25-75 2-25-75-057 3-4-75 APR 15 1975	Lic.(BPH-6808, as mod.)-New Sta. -Atty: Daly, Joyce, Borsari and George	GRANTED	8-20-75

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

September 1969

Call Letters K.W.A.O.

Name Sun City Broadcasting Corporation
Sun City, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7837 R & F FEE PD: $100 #471005 CODE 047(FORM 316) SEP 15 1975	8-28-75 8-29-75	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of lic corp by each, Russell C. Lash and Frederick L. Madeira thru sale of stock by the licensee corporation to Newell E. Coxon, Jr. (33 1/3%) Atty - Daly, Joyce, Borsari & George (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF: no gr fee	9/17/75 10/7/75
BRH-3102 Recd. PN Recd FILED PRESS JUL 5 1977	5-23-77 6-1-77 " 6-23-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	10-20-77
BSCA781222AJ PRESS	JAN 8 1979	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a subcarrier Frequency of 67 kilohertz.	GRANTED	1-25-79

Ed White, Sen Mgr.

Call Letters: K W A O

Name: SUN CITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: Sun City, Arizona

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH800602VT BRSCA800602VT PRESS JUL 16 1980		Renewal of License Renewal of SCA Atty.: Leonard S. Joyce AMENDED 9-25-80 re: programming	GRANTED 9-30-80

Form BC-121
March 1979

DUPLICATE

Call Letters: KWAO

Name: SUN CITY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

Station Location: SUN CITY, ARIZONA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
APPL. Form 314	1-16-81	Vol AL to Golden Bear Communications, Inc. Atty. Richard F. Kennedy	Returned 8-27-81 Req. of Atty.

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.