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Form BC 126
June 1954

#4994

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

EFF.
W M I B 2-12-78

Date first licensed MARCH 12, 1976

Call letters X W R G I

Station location Marco Island, Fla.

Name of licensee COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location ½ mi. S. of Marco Junction Rd., ½ mi. N. of Hwy. 92, and approx. 2 mi. W. of Junction of Hwy. #92 and Tamiami Trail, Marco Island, Fla. (BMP 9-29-73)
X North side of State Hwy. 92, approx. 3.3 mi. S. of Junction of
X State Hwys. 90 & 92, approx. 6 mi. due East of Marco, Marco Island, Fla.

Near Junction County Road 31 and Route 951, East Naples, Florida

X Same as transmitter (BMP 9-20-73)

Main studio location X To be determined

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
BP-18,723	5-9-73	1510khz, 1kw		DA-Day	5-9-74
	CP for a new standard broadcasting station.				
BTC-7192	8-29-73	Vol acq. of positive TC			
BP-18,723 EBSA	(I) 8-27-73 8-27-73	Call letters assigned.			
BMP-13677	(2) 9-20-73	MP(BP-18,723) to change ant. trans. site and studio loc.			
Letter	3-27-74	Trans.	Gates BC-1H. now		installed.
BMP-13,767	(3) 4-18-74	MP(BP-18,723, as mod)			ext. to 10-1-74
Ltr	3-27-74	Trans.	Gates BC-1H now		installed
BMP-13,799	(4) 6-12-74	Mod. of CP (BP-18,723) to correct coordinates.			
BMP-13,847 (5)	9-12-74	MP(BP-18,723, as mod) ext. to 12-1-74.			
BMP-13,884	(6) 11-26-74	MP (BP-18,723 as mod) to ext. time to 3-4-75			
BTC-7705	3-27-75	Vol. relinq. of pos ctl			EFF:
LETTER	6-18-75	Main Transmitter BC-1HI			
BMP-14,042	9-10-75 (7)	Mod. of CP(18,723 as mod.) to incr. MEOV's			
BL-13,900	(L) 3-12-76	Lic. to cover BP-18,723 for NEW STANADARD BROADCAST STATION			2-1-79
BL-13,900	(L) 3-12-76	superseded to correct ground system			2-1-79
BTC-8183	11/30/76	Vol acq of pos con			EFF: 12/9/76
BTC-8440	11/21/77	Vol TC	EFF: 1-1-78		
EBSA	2-12-78	Call Letters			
BR781002YN (L)	3-20-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			2-1-82

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WRGI NEW

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA (P.O. c/o John L. Laubach, Jr., 1677 Gateway Two, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania 20016)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-18,723 Rec'd Filed $75-579577 PN FILED PRESS:	2-21-70 2-24-70 2-24-70 2-24-70	CP for a new standard broadcast station on: Frequency: 1510kc Power: 1kw-DA Hours: Daytime Trans: Bauer, 707 Ant-Trans. Loc.: North side of State Hwy. 92, approx. 3.3 mi. S of Junction of State Hwys. 90 & 92, approx. 6 mi. due East of Marco, Marco Island, Florida Studio loc.: To be determined, Marco Island, Fla. Atty. Alk and Lubic Eng: John H. Mullaney & Associates	Petition dismissed and application accepted by Commission Memo. Opinion and Order adopted 9-30-70. GRANTED	 5-9-73

PETITION TO DISMISSED APPLICATION filed 4-27-70 by Colby on behalf of Radio Voice of Naples.
OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DISMISS APPLICATION filed 5-11-70 by Alk on behalf of applicant.
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME filed 5-20-70 by Tarrant on behalf of Radio Voice of Naples.
REPLY TO "OPPOSITIONTO PETITION TO DISMISS APPLICATION" filed 6-9-70 by Colby on behalf of Naple
Amended 6-11-70 re Engineer's statement submitted.

(Over for amendments)

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

Contact: John L. Laubach, Jr.
1677 Gateway Two
Pittsburgh, Pa.
Telephone: Area Code 412 Local No. 471-8350

Amended 4-19-71 re: Reflect a change in officers caused by the withdrawal of Mr. Taszarek and his replacement by Ronald Mark Rothschild, Financial Information and Community Needs.

JOINT REQUEST FOR APPROVAL filed 3-26-73 by Carroll of Naples & Laubach on behalf of Collier.

Amended 4-20-73 re Section II to change minority stockholders, Section VI and Section IV-A, page 5, para. 27 answered, bank letter submitted and affidavit concerning transmitter site. filed

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510khz

Call Letters WRGI
UNASSIGNED

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
Marco Island, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-7192 R & F FEE PD: $250 #204140 CODE 053 (Form 316) JUL 17 1973	6-21-73 6-22-73	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of permittee corp by Robert B. and Benita Lubic, Jointly, thru purchase of stock from Robert H. Burstein Atty - Alk & Lubic AMENDED 8-24-73 - financial data	GRANTED EFF 9-1-73	8-29-73
BMP-13,677 Rec'd Filed $50-220305 AC-056 PRESS: SEP 4 1973	8-1-73 8-1-73 8-1-73 8-1-73	Mod. of CP (BP-18,723) to change the antenna-transmitter site to 1/2 mile South of Marco Junction Road, 1/2 mile North of Hwy. #92, and approx. 2 miles West of Junction of Hwy. #92 and Tamiami, Trail, Marco Island, Florida and change main studio location to transmitter site. 25° 59' 54" 81° 37' 17.5" Atty. Robert Bennett Lubic	GRANTED	9-20-73

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510khz

Call Letters WRGI

Name Collier Broadcasting Company
Marco Island, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-13,767 R & F $50-295768 Press: APR 9 1974 AC-056	3-25-74 3-26-74 3-27-74	MP(BP-18,723 as mod. ext. time to 10-1-74. (New Station) Atty: Isadore G. Alk	GRANTED TO	4-18-74 10-1-74
BMP-13,799 Rec'd Filed $50-304471 AC-056 PRESS MAY 29 1974	4-15-74 4-17-74 4-17-74 4-17-74	Modification of construction permit BP-18,723 to correct geographical coordinates. 25° 59' 30" 81° 37' 30" Atty: Robert Bennett Lubic	GRANTED	6-12-74
BMP-13,847 R & F $50 336241 PRESS AC-056 SEP 9 1974	8-15-74 8-15-74 8-20-74	MP(BP-18,723, as mod) ext. time to 12-1-74. (New Station) Atty: Isadore G. Alk	GRANTED TO	9-12-74 12-1-74

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

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510khz

Call Letters WRGI

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
Marco Island, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-13,884 R & F $50-360474 PRESS AC-056 NOV 1 3 1974	10-29-74 11-1-74 11-1-74	MP(BP-18,723, as mod.) ext. time to 3-4-75. (New Station) Atty: Robert Bennett Lubic	GRANTED	11-26-74 to 3-4-75
BTC-7705 R & F: FEE PD: $50 #398604 CODE: 047 MAR 13 1975 ALSO SEE FM	3-3-75 3-5-75	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of permittee corp by Robert B. & Benita Lubic thru sale of stock to W. K. Ulerich Atty: Alk & Lubic	GRANTED EFF: ~~SR-FEE-REQ.~~	3-27-75 4-1-75
BL-13,900 R & F $50#384574 PTA AMend PRESS MAR 2 4 1975 PTA revised	1-21-75 1-21-75 1-22-75 1-27-75 1-27-75 - engr. data 12-3-75	Lic. BP-18,723 as Mod. for New Standard B/C Station Atty. Robert Bennett Lubic (OVER)	GRANTED	3-12-76

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

EL-13,900

AMEND R&F 11-4-75 to cover BMP-14,042 changes in NEOV's.

AMEND R&F 11-26-75 Add'l. engr. data.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WRGI

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
Marco Island, Florida

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-14,042 Rec'd Filed 100-406562 AC:056	3-26-75 3-27-75 3-27-75	Modification of construction permit (BP-18,723 as mod.) to increase MEOV's	GRANTED	9-10-75
BMP-14,126 R&F $100-513440 AC:001 Press:	12-22-75 122-9-75 12-29-75 JAN 7 1976	MP(BP-18,723 as mod.) to chg. studio loc. to Near Junction County Rd. 31 and Route 951, East Naples, Florida (outside corporate city limits) and operate trans. by remote control Atty: Robert Bennett Lubic Amended 2-20-76 re additonal info.	GRANTED NOT ISSUED, CHANGES ON BL-13,900	3-12-76

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

1510khz

Call Letters WMIB
~~WRGI~~

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-8183 Rec'd Fee pd $100 Code 047 (FORM 316) Also see WRGI-FM 30 NOV 1976	11/7/76 11/10/76 W 635103	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of lic corp by Robert B. & Benita Lubic thru purchase of stock from David & Dorothy Pfaff Atty - Alk & Lubic (OVER)	GRANTED EFF: NO FEE:	11/30/76 12/9/76
BTC-8440 R & F FORM 315 (ALSO SEE FM) SEP 7 1977 PN FILED	8-16-77 8-17-77 9-9-77	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Robert B. & Benita A. Lubic to Progressive Publishing Company (see over) REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 Atty - Alk, Lubic & Nathan AMENDED 10-11-77 - chges in stockholders & stockholdings NOV 10 1977	GRANTED EFF:	11/21/77 1-1-78

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

BTC-8183 AMENDED 11/12/76 - Financial data

~~RE: BTC-8440~~ - Art on file with WCPA(former licensee)
~~ATTY WAS CALLED 9-6-77~~ - Art ~~nec.~~ ~~to be~~ filed ~~with present~~
~~re.~~ By Hans

RE: Amended 11-4-77 legal, financial, Art. of Inc.&prog
data.

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1510khz

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May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WMIB

Name COLLIER BROADCASTING COMPANY
Marco Island, FL

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR781002YN PRESS	NOV 13 1978	Renewal of License Atty. Isadore G. Alk	GRANTED	3-20-79

82-10-2-79

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

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. 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 – 3" by 5" filing cards – 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). 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. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

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.