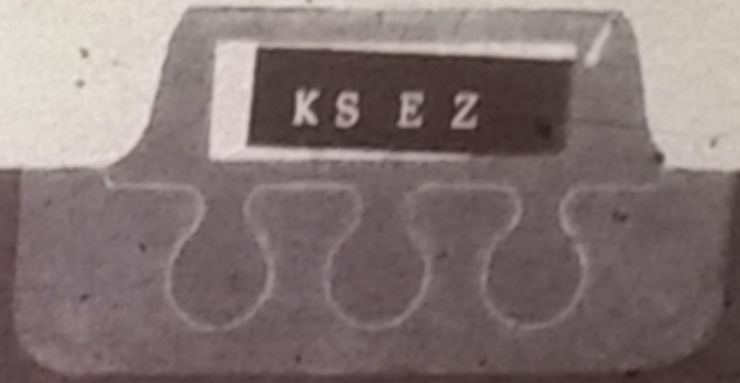

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K S E Z(Eff. 7 17-74)

Date first licensed 5-8-61

Call letters x K D V R

Station location Sioux City, Iowa

SENTRY BROADCASTING, INC. (AL: 1-30-80 EFF 2-15-80

x SIOUXLAND BROADCASTING, INC.(ALH & SCA 5-28-74 EFF:

XWOLFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION,(APH 12-29-60; EFF: 1-1-61)

Name of licensee x EDWIN C. WOLFF

Transmitter location 6700 Correctionville Road, Concord Tnsp., Near Sioux City, Iowa

51106

901 Steuben Street, Sioux City, Iowa

Main studio location x Same

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BPH-3128 HAAT:300'	10-5-60	97.9mcs Ch. 250	3-kw TPO:1-kw	U	12-5-60 6-5-61
Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station					
BAPH-247 EFF:	12-29-60 1-1-61	Voluntary assignment of contruction permi to Wolff Broadcasting Corporation			
BMPH-1782 TPO:1kw Lic. to cover Broadcast station).	5-8-61	97.9mcs. Ch.250 CP(BPH-3128 which auth. a new FM	3kw HAAT: 300'	Unl.	5-8-61 2-1-62
BSCA-350	8-2-61	Subsidiary Communications Authority on a Multiplex Basis(67kcs)to 2-1-62.			
BRH-1164	1-18-62	Renewal of license			2-1 2-1-65
BRSCA-350	1-18-62	Subsidiary Communications Authority on a Multiplex Basis to			2-1-65
BPH-4114 HAAT:280'	12-18-63	97.9mcs Ch.250	ERP:38kw TPO:5kw	Unl.	2-18 8-18-64
CP to incr. ERP; decr. HAAT; install new trans. (Collins 830E-1A); install new ant. (Jampro JA-8A, 8 secs.); & incr. TPO.					
BMPH-7930 (1)	9-21-64	Mod. of CP(BPH-4114 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 12-1-64.			
BPH-4786 HAAT:280	2-17-65	97.9mc CH 250	ERP:38kw TPO:5kw	Unl.	4-17 10-17-65
CP to replace expired CP (BPH-4114 as mod) which auth new ant and trans, and changes in ERP, HAAT and TPO.					
BRH-1164 BRSCA-350	1-22-65 1-22-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA			2-1 2-1-68
BLH-2854 (1)	6-18-65	Mod. of lic CP(BPH-4786) new trans & new ant chgs ERP,HAAT & TPO, type trans Composite.			
BPH-6091 HAAT: 280'	1-17-68	97.9mc. ch# 250	ERP: 38kw TPO: 5kw	Unl.	3-17-68 9-17-68
CP to make changes in transmitting equipment.					
BRH-1164 (S) BRSCA-350	2-26-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE RENEWAL OF SCA			2-1-71

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters K D V R

Station location .....

Name of licensee SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BLH-3903 (L)	4-9-68	Lic. to cover CP (BPH-6091)			2-1-71
BRH-1164(S) BRSCA-350	2-18-71	RENEWAL RENEWAL OF SCA			2-1-74
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-1164(S) BRSCA-350	2-15-74	RENWAL OF LIC. RENEWAL OF SCA			2-1-77
BALH-1955 BASCA-619	5-28-74	VOL. ALH & SCA EFF:			
TELEGRAM	7-17-74	Call letters changed			
BPH-9098 HAAT: 260	8-19-74 ft(H&V)	97.9mhz ERP: 31kw(H&V) U CP install new trans., new ant., chg ERP, and HAAT, chg ant sys(incr ht)			8-19-75
BLH-6793(L)	9-30-75	Lic.(BPH-9098) - Changes -			2-1-77
BPH-9688(L) HAAT: 260'(H&V)	11-21-75	97.9mhz. ERP: 62kw(H&V) U CP chg TPO & ERP			11-21-76
BLH-6907(L)	3-12-76	Lic.(BPH-9688)-Changes.			2-1-77
BRCH-1235(L)	6-29-76	Mod. of license to oper. by remote control			
COMTEL	6-24-76	Auth granted operate with RCA BTF SB{Former main trans} as Aux Tran			
BRH-1164(L) BRSCA-1164	1-19-77	Renewal of License (Main & Aux) SCA			2-1-80
COMTEL	5-25-78	TRANS: COLLINS 831F-2 now installed			
BALH79110	BET 1-30-80	VOL. AL & SCA EFF:			2-15-80
BRSCA & BRH 791001	YT 1-24-80	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.TRANS)			2-1-83

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters New K D V R

Name EDWIN C. WOLFF Station location: Sioux City, Iowa
(P.O.-1614 Morningside Ave., Sioux City, Iowa)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-3128 Rec'd Filed	8-13-60 8-24-60 8-24-60	Construction permit for a new FM broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 97.9mc CH 250 ERP - 2.97kw Type transmitter - Gates FM-1B Type antenna - Jampro JA-4 (4 section) HAAT 299' Trans. location - 6700 Correctionville Rd., Concord Township, Iowa Studio location - Same as transmitter Atty. - Samuel Miller Engr. - Charles E. Brennan & Associates, Milwaukee, Wisconsin	GRANTED HAAT: ERP:	10-5-60 300' 3-kw
BAPH-247 Rec'd Filed	12-12-60 12-13-60 12-13-60	Voluntary assignment of construction permit Wolff Broadcasting Corporation. Samuel Miller, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	12-29-60 1-1-61

FORM BC-121 #2
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters KDVR

Name WOLFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Sioux City, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-1782 R & F	1-21-61 1-26-61	License to cover construction permit (BPH-3128) which authorized construction of a new FM Broadcast Station.	GRANTED	5-8-61
BSCA-350 Rec'd&Filed	6-5-61 6-6-61	Subsidiary Communications Authority on a Multiplex Basis(60kcs).	GRANTED (67kcs.)	8-2-61
BRH-1164 Rec'd Filed	10-27-61 11-6-61 11-6-61	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-18-62
BRSCA-350 R & F	11-1-61 11-6-61	Renewal of SCA	GRANTED	1-18-62
BPH-4114 Received Resubmitted Filed	10-7-63 10-7-63 10-28-63 10-30-63	CP to incr ERP from 3 to 38kw, decr HAAT from 300' to 280', install new trans (COLLINS-830E-1A) & new ant(JAMPRO-JA-8A, 8 sect)and incr TPO from 1 to 5kw.	~~Ret'd 10-25-63 re: Sect I not signed.~~ GRANTED	12-18-63

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KDVR

Name WOLFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SIOUX CITY, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-7930 Rec'd Filed	8-1-64 8-5-64 8-10-64	Mod of CP (BPH-4114 which auth install new ant & trans and chgs to ERP, HAAT & TPO) for ext comple date from 8-18-64 to 12-1-64.	GRANTED to	9-21-64 12-1-64
BRH-1164 Rec'd Filed	10-27-64 11-19-64 11-19-64	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1-22-65
BRSCA-350 Rec'd Filed	10-26-64 11-19-64 11-19-64	Renewal of license (SCA)	GRANTED	1-22-65
BPH-4786 R&F	1-30-65 2-2-65	Construction permit to replace expired CP (BPH-4114 as modified) which authorized new ant and trans, and changes in ERP, HAAT and TPO.	GRANTED	2-17-65

FORM BC-121 #4
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KDVR

Name WOLFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
SIOUX CITY, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLH-2854 R&F	2-27-65 4-6-65	License to cover CP (BPH-4706 as reinstated) which authorized install new trans and new ant, and changes ERP, HAAT, and TPO, and specify type trans as (Composite).	GRANTED	6-18-65
BRH-1164 R & F BRSCA-350 R & F	10-27-67 10-30-67 10-27-67 10-30-67	Renewal of license Renewal of SCA	GRANTED	2-26-68
BPH-6091 R & F JAN 10 1968	12-22-67 12-26-67	Construction Permit to make changes in transmitting equipment.	GRANTED	1-17-68
BLH-3903 R & F #406493 $30 PTA	2/5/68 2/14/68 2/14/68 2/21/68	Lic.(BPH-6091 for changes)	GRANTED	4-9-68

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

97.9mhz

Form BC-121
September 1969

#5

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K S E Z
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SIOUXLAND BROADCASTING, INC.
Name X WOLFF BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Sioux City, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1164	10-17-70	Renewal of License	GRANTED	2-18-71
BRSCA-350	10-17-70	Renewal of SCA		
R & F	11-3-70	AMENDED 1-26-71 re: programming		
Press NOV 20 1970				
P. N.	11-3-70			
PN	11-25-70			
BRH-1164	10-25-73	Renewal of License	GRANTED	2-15-74
BRSCA-350	10-10-73	Renewal of SCA		
R & F	11-2-73			
PN	11-2-73			
PRESS	NOV 13 1973			
BALH-1955	1-4-74	Voluntary assignment of license and SCA to SIOUXLAND BROADCASTING, INC. (SEE OVER)	GRANTED	5-28-74
BASCA-619			GRANT FEE:	$ 3,820.00
R & F	1-22-74		EFF:	
FEE PD: $1000 #271787		Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	Pd 050	7-23-74
CODE 049 FEB 6 1974			W327659	
PUB. NOTICE FILED 2-12-74				

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

RE: BALH-1955 - Assignee is licensee of KMNS(Art on fi
AMENDED 5-10-74 to reflect pending applications
Ltr from atty filed 5-29-74 re financial data(assignor)

Form BC-121
September 1969

#6

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters K S E Z

Name Siouxland Broadcasting, Inc.
Sioux City, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-9098 R & F #329165 $50 Code 057 Press	7-22-74 7-24-74 7-25-74 AUG 14 1974	CP to install new trans. (RCA FM-5B); install new ant. (Collins 37CP-12, 12 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (incr. hght.); chg. ERP: 31.02KW (H&V) and HAAT: 261'(H&V). Atty: Dominic Monahan(Dow, Lohnes & Albertson)	GRANTED	8-19-74
BMPH-14,586 R & F #462151$100 Code 001 PRESS	7-23-75 8-7-75 8-14-75 AUG 20 1975	MP(BPH-9098) for extension of time to 10-1-75. (Changes) Atty: Thomas H. Wall (Dow, Lohnes, etc.)	DISMISSED AS MOOT	9-2-75
BLH-6793 Rec'd W 382058-$501 Amended & F PTA PRESS	1-8-75 1-14-75 1-15-75-057 8-18-75 8-27-75 SEP 12 1975	Lic.(BPH-9098)-Changes. New 302-new trans: COLLINS, 831F-2 & add'l engr. data Atty: Dow, Lohnes & Albertson(D. Monahan)	GRANTED	9-30-75

Form BC-121 #7
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

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Call Letters K S E Z

Name Siouxland Broadcasting, Inc.
Sioux City, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-9688 R & F #486420$100 Code 001 PRESS	9-25-75 10-14-75 10-15-75 NOV 17 1975	CP to change TPO; change ERP: 62.5kw(H&V) Atty: Dominic Monahan (Dow, Lohnes, etc.) Engr: Paul L. Wimmer	GRANTED	11-21-75
BLH-6907 R & F W517819$100 PTA PRESS	12-5-75 12-9-75 12-12-75-001 12-18-75 JAN 8 1976	Lic.(BPH-9688)-Changes. -Dow, Lohnes & Albertson(Dominic Monahan)	GRANTED	3-12-76
BRCH-1235 R & F #577151$100 Code 001 PRESS	5-21-76 6-3-76 6-9-76 JUN 24 1976	Mod. of license to operate by remote control from main studio location: 901 Steuben Street, Sioux City, Iowa Atty: Dominic Monahan (Dow, Lohnes, etc.)	GRANTED	6-29-76

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97.9 mhz

Form BC-121
May 1976

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

2-61

Call Letters K S E Z

SENTRY BROADCASTING, INC.

Name x SIOUXLAND BROADCASTING, INC.

SIOUX CITY, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-1164	9-13-76m	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.)	Granted	1-19-77
BRSCA-350	9-24-76	RENEWAL OF SCA		
R & F	10-1-76			
PN Recd.	"	Kevin F. Reed, Atty. (Dow & Lohnes)		
PRESS	OCT 21 1976	AMENDED 12-14-76 re: engineering AMENDED 12-28-76 re: EEO		
BRH 791001 YT		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.)	GRANTED	1-24-80
BRSCA "		RENEWAL OF SCA		
PRESS	OCT 31 1979	J. Dominic Monahan, Atty.		
BALH 791108EI		Vol AL to Sentry Broadcasting, Inc.	GRANTED	1-30-80
PRESS	DEC 3 1979	(INCLUDE SCA)	EFF:	2-15-80
Form 314	(ALSO SEE AM KMNS)	Atty for assignor-B. Dwight Perry Atty for assignee Everett D. Johnston		
PN FILED	12-4-79			

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.

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.