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NON-COMM. EDUCATIONAL TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-22-68 (OFF. NO. 137)

Call letters W V U T

Station location VINCENNES, INDIANA

Name of licensee BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

Transmitter location SW OF HIGHWAY 61, 3 miles SE OF VINCENNES, NEAR VINCENNES, INDIANA

1029 NORTH 4th STREET, VINCENNES, INDIANA (BLET-202 10-22-68)
Vincennes University, Vincennes, Indiana (BMPET-519--gr. 9-28-67)

Main studio location X (TO BE DETERMINED), VINCENNES, INDIANA

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPET-182	2-8-66	CH. #34	V-17.4 kw	U	4-8-66
AH: 540' MSL:1029'		590-596	A-1.74 kw		10-8-66

Construction Permit for a New Non-Comm. ED. TV B/C Station.
CP ISSUED WITHOUT CALL LETTERS.

FIFTH REPORT AND ORDER IN DOCKET #14229adopted 2-9-66 EFF: 3-28-66 AUTHORIZATION MODIFIED FOR CHANNEL 22 IN LIEU OF CH#34: CONDITIONS:(1)acceptance of ch#.(2)submitting Tech. Data for modified etc. GI:ACCEPT by 3-28-66:FILE DATA by 4-29-66 for modified auth.::LTR.3-1-66 atty.Accepts Mod. and data to be filed soon.

BPET-182	3-17-66	same	same	same	4-8-66
Mod. of CP (BPET-182)Call Lts. assigned 3-17-66					10-8-66
BPET-182	7-14-66	Ch. 22	V. 17.8 kw	U	4-8-66
		518-524	A. 1.78 kw		10-8-66
ENGR. DATA(5th Report & Order)					
BMPET-432	10-25-66	same	same	same	4-8-66
					4-25-67
Mod. of CP to extend completion date					
BMPET-479	5-25-67	same	same	same	4-8-66
Mod. of CP (BPET-182) to ext. compl. date					11-25-67
BMPET-519	9-28-67	CH-22	V-56.2 kw	U	4-8-66
AH:520' MSL:999'		518-524	A-5.62		3-28-68

Mod. of CP(BPET-182, as mod.) to chg. ERP; specify SL; type trans. type antenna ; inc. AH. antenna struc.& antenna system.

LETTER 1-29-68 BY COMMISSION GRANTING REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF SEC. 73.651 (C) OF RULES TO PERMIT WVUT TO ACCOMPANY ITS VISUAL TRANSMISSION OF SLIDES, FILMS OR OTHER VISUAL IMAGES WITH AURAL TRANSMISSION OF MUSIC DURING SCHEDULED BREAKS IN ITS IN-SCHOOL PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE FOR A PERIOD ENDING ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

WIRE 2-12-68 RE AMENDED LICENSE APPL. BLET-202 AUTH. GR. OPERATE WVUT TEMP. PERIOD END. 4-6-68 ACCORD. CP BMPET-519, EXCEPT WITH ZERO OFFSET CARRIER FREQUENCIES PEND. CORRECTION TO ASSIGNED MINUS OFFSET CARRIERS. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTH. AND WHEN CHANGE TO MINUS OFFSET FREQUENCIES ACCOMPLISHED

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Station location Vincennes, Indiana

Name of licensee Board of Trustees for the Vincennes University

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	4-10-68	RE AMENDED LICENSE APPL.			BLET-202
AUTH. GR.	OPERATE WVUT ON PROGRAM TEST ACCORD.				73.629
RULES AND CP BMPET-519.					
BLET-202	10-22-68	LICENSE (BPET-182, as mod)			8-1-70
LTR.	2-13-69	BY COMM. GRANTED WIAVER OF SEC. 73.			
651(c) FOR	PERIOD END. 8-1-70	RE IN SCHOOL PROGRAMMING.			
BRET-137	7-30-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (s)			8-1-70 8-1-73
EBSA	5-15-72				
BPET-419	5-15-72	Ch. 22	V. 1150 kw	DA U	7-15-72
AH: 570'MSL	1066'	518-524	A. 115 kw	DA	11-15-73
CP chg. ERP	Trans.,	Ant &H	AAT		
BMPET-775	3-15-73	Ch. 22	V. 631 kw	DA U	7-15-72
AH: 570' MSL:	1065'	518-524	A. 126 kw	DA	11-15-73
MP(BPET-419) to chg.		ERP & trans.			
Wire	3-14-73	Pending compl. construction accord.			
BMPET-775,	auth. gtd.	remain silent per. end. 5-17-73.			
Wire	5-17-73	Above auth. extnd 6-17-73			
Wire	6-12-73	Pending filing lic. appl., auth. grtd.			
oper. temp. per. end. 7-17-73 accord. BMPET-775.					
Wire	8-17-73	pending filing satisfactory waveform and test pattern photographs and signal level of lower sideband color subcarrier extend auth. gtd oper. temp. per. ending 9-17-73 accord. construc permit BMPET-775.			
BRET-137	7-31-73	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			8-1-73 8-1-76
Wire	9-21-73	Re tendered lic. appl., auth. grtd.			
oper. PTA accord. 73.629 & BMPET-775.					
BRCETV-54 (1)	11-14-73	REMOTE CONTROL AUTHORITY			
BRET-790402KG	7-18-79	Renewal of License (S)			8-1-82

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Station location VINCENNES, INDIANA

Name of licensee BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

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
BPET-461	11-21-73	Ch. 22 518-524	FOR EMERGENCY, TEST AND MAIN. PURPOSES ONLY.		1-21-74 5-21-75
CP TO INSTALL AUX. ANT.					
BLET-344	12-14-73	Lic. to cover (BPET-419 as Mod.) for chgs.			12-1-76
BPET-529 AUX. ANT.	8-11-75	CP to replace expired (BPET-461) for chgs.			10-11-75 2-11-76
WIRE AUX. ANT., RULES & CP	3-31-76 AUTH. GRTD. BPET-529.	RELETATTY 2-26 AND LIC. APPL. FOR OPER. PROG. TEST ACCORD. 73.629			
BRCT-137	7-14-76	Renewal of license (S)			8-1-79
BTC-8127	9-16-76	Voluntary transfer of control.			
BLET-400 Lic(BPET-529) for chgs.	1-13-77	Ch. 22 518-524	FOR EMER, TEST AND MAIN PURPOSES AUX. ANT.		8-1-79

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ---- W V U T

Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

PO c/o Dr. Isaac K. Beckes, Vincennes University, 1002 North First St., Vincennes, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BPET-182 R & F	1-20-64 1-22-64	Construction permit for a new Non-Commercial Educationsl Television broadcast station ~~Channel 52, 698-704 mcs.~~ ERP: Vis. ~~18.5 kw~~, Aur. 1.85 kw, Unlimited hours STATION LOCATION: VINCENNES, INDIANA Transmitter location: S.W of Indiana Highway #61, 3 miles SE of Vincennes, Indiana Studio location: To be determined, Vincennes, Indiana (RCA TTU-1B) AH: ~~511 feet~~ Richard Hildreth-atty (Spearman & Roberson) Crentz & Scowberger-engr.	GRANTED FEB 8 1966 Condition: This action is without prejudice to whatever action the Comm. may consider appropriate as a result in the proceeding of Docket No. 14229.	
COPY of NEW APPL. to Research & Education 5-13-64				
AMENDED Rec.& filed	7-18-64 7-21-64	AMENDED to change Vis. ERP from 18.5 kw to 18.38 kw; correct geographical coordinates of antenna; increase antenna height to 542 ft. (additional engr. data)		

SEE CARD #2 for AMEND.

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Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY
Vincennes, Indiana zip 47591

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPET-182 continued from card #1				
AMENDED	8-27-65	Amended pursuant to Fourth Report and Order in Docket 14229 on 6-4-65 (Revised Table of Assignments) TO change from CH#52, 698-704mcs. TO CH#34, 590-596mcs.; type of antenna to RCA TFU-24DM; make changes in antenna structure and correct geographic coordinates. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell Kenehan & Hildreth-atty John Creutz-engr.	GRANTED	FEB 3 1966
R & F	8-30-65			
ENGR. TECH DATA (3) Filed:	4-19-66 4-22-66	ENGR. TECH. DATA submitted pursuant to Fifth Report and Order in Docket 14229 to specify Ch. 22, 518 -524 Mcs in lieu of Ch. 34, 590-596 Mcs; change ERP to Vis. 18.7 kw, Aur. 1.87 kw; type of antenna to RCA TFU 24 DL; and increase antenna height above average terrain to 542 ft.	GRANTED	7-14-66

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Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY
CH-22 Vincennes, Indiana

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPET-432 R & F	8-29-66 9-1-66	Mod. of CP(BPET-182, which authorized a new station) to extend completion date from 10-8-66 to 4-1-67. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kennehan & Hildreth, Atty.	GRANTED	10-25-66
BMPET-479 R & F	3-27-67 3-31-67	Mod. of CP (BPET-182,as mod.,which auth. a new station) to extend completion date from 4-25-67 to 9-30-67. Fletcher,Heald,Rowell,Kenehan,Hildreth,Atty.	GRANTED	5-25-67

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Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

CH-22 Vincennes, Indiana

Zip 47591

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPET-519 R & F SEP 22 1967	9-8-67 9-14-67	Mod. of CP(BPET-182, as mod., which auth. a new station) to make the following changes: ERP to Vis. 56.3 kw, Aur. 5.63 kw; specify studio location as Vincennes University, Vincennes, Ind.; type trans. to RCA TTU-12A; type antenna to RCA TFU-6B; antenna struc.; antenna system and decrease antenna height above average terrain to 524 feet. Fletcher, Heald, el al, Atty. (Edward F. Kenehan) John Creutz, Engr.	GRANTED	9-28-67
BLET-202 R & F	1-26-68 1-29-68	LICENSE to cover CP (BPET-182, as mod.) which authorized a new station and redescribe Studio Location as 1029 North 4th St., Vincennes, Indiana. Wade H. Hargrove, Atty. (Fletcher, Heald, Rowell) AMENDED 2-12-68 and 4-15-68 to submit additional engineering data.	GRANTED	10-22-68

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CH. 22 VINCENNES, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRET-137 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	4-10-70 5-4-70 " MAY 13 1970	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Edward F. Kenehan, Atty. (Fletcher, Heald)	GRANTED	7-30-70
BPET-419 R & F PRESS: PN REC'D:	9-14-71 11-4-71 NOV 16 1971 2-3-72	CP to chg. ERP to Vis. 2870kw, Aur. 287kw; type trans. to Gates BT-55U; type ant. to RCA TFU-36JDAS; make chgs. in ant. structure; (incr. hght.); and HAAT 568 ft. Atty.: Fletcher, Heald Engr.: Serge Bergen (Fairfax, Virginia) Ltr. 11-24-71 from atty. submitting supplemental engr. data.	GRANTED	5-15-72
BMPET-775 R & F PRESS:	12-27-72 1-26-73 FEB 13 1973	MP (BPET-419) to chg. ERP to Vis. 1565kw, Aur. 313 kw; and type trans. to RCA TTU-30B. Atty: Marjorie S. Reed (Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth)	GRANTED	3-15-73

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRET-137 R & F PN Recd. PRESS:	4-20-73 5-3-73 5-3-73 MAY 25 1973	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth Atty: M.S. Reed Amended 6-25-73 re equal empl. Amended 7-12-73 re equal empl.	GRANTED	7-31-73
BRCETV-54 R & F PRESS:	8-2-73 9-14-73 OCT 12	Request auth. to operate trans. by remote control from 1029 North Fourth Street, Vincennes, Indiana. Atty: Marjorie S. Reed(Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth)	GRANTED	11-14-73
BPET-461 R&F PRESS:	9-21-73 9-25-73 OCT 12 1973	CP to install a new Auxiliary Ant. (RCA TFU-6D) at Main Trans-Ant. loc. Atty: Marjorie S. Reed (Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth)	GRANTED	11-21-73

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Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

CH-22 VINCENNES, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BLET-344 R&F PRESS: Amended	7-27-73 8-3-73 1973 9-13-73	Lic. to cover (BPET-419 as mod.) for chgs. Atty: Marjorie S. Reed(Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth) Amended 9-13-73 re engineering	GRANTED	12-14-73
BPET-529 R & F PRESS:	5-27-75 6-4-75 30 JUN 1975	CP to replace expired (BPET-461) for changes. Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth, atty.	GRANTED	8-11-75 Exp 6-76
BMPET-863 R & F no fee required PRESS:	2-17-76 2-19-76 23 MAR 1976	MP (BPET-529) to extend completion date to to March 10, 1976. Atty: John D. Pellegrin (Flether, Heald)	DISMISSED AS MOOT 6-4-76 (License on file)	

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY
Ch. 22 VINCENNES, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRET-137 R & F PN recd Press	3-18-76 4-1-76 4-1-76 30 APR 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan & Hildreth Atty: John D. Pellegrin No contour maps filed filed	GRANTED	7-14-76
BLET-400 R&F PRESS	2-23-76 2-26-76 8 NOV 1976	License to cover (BPET-529) for changes.	GRANTED	1-13-77
BTC-8127 R&F PN RECD PRESS (Form 316)	8-27-76 8-31-76 10 SEP 1976	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Calrence J. McCormick, Curtis Shake, et al (29 members of Board of Directors) to Wayne Ader, Dr. Isaac K. Beckes, et al (14 members of Board of Directors).	GRANTED EFF:	9-16-76 10-4-76

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CARD NO. 9

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

NON-COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Call Letters WVUT

Name BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

CH. 22 VINCENNES, INDIANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRET 790402KG	3-22-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE {FLETCHER, HEALD, ROWELL, KENEHAN AND HILDRETH}	GRANTED	7-1---79
R & F	4-02-79			
PN REC'D	4-02-79			
PRESS	APR 23 1979			

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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.