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FREQUENCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KMGO (EFF: 3-14-77)

Date first licensed 11-12-74

Call letters XK C O G-FM

Station location Centerville, Iowa

Name of licensee KMGO-KCOG, INC (ALH 3-13-81, EFF:
XXCHARITON VALLEY BROADCASTING CO. (APH 4-16-74 EFF: 4-23-74
XHOPE COMPANY, INCORPORATED

Transmitter location 3.7 miles north of city, on Route #278, 1.3 miles west of Route #60, Centerville, Iowa (PH 5-2-73)

Main studio location 317½ North 13th Street, Centerville, Iowa (PH-5-2-73)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
BPH-8024 HAAT: 450'	5-2-73 (H&V)	98.7mhz. #254 CP for	ERP: ClassC New FM	100kw(H&V) (RC) Station.	5-2-74
BPH-8024(1)	7-2-73	Call letters assigned.			
EBSA	7-20-73				
BAPH-551	4-16-74	VOL APH EFF:			
BMPH-14,105 (L)	5-29-74	98.7mhz HAAT: 450; (H&V) #254 Class C (RC) MP to change licensee name and ext. time to 11-2-74	ERP:	100kw(H&V)	
BSCA-1,365	8-7-74	SCA 67 kHz			
BLH-6437(L)	11-12-74	Lic.(BPH-8024, as mod.)-New.			2-1-77
BRH-2984(L) BRSCA-1365	1-13-77	Renewal of License SCA			2-1-80
BRSCA & BRH 790928	UO 1-24-80	RENEWALS			2-1-83
MSCA800411AF	5-7-80	MSCA 67 kHz. Mod. of SCA make chgs. in Equip. & Programming.			
BALH801124FT	3-13-81	VOL AL.	EFF:		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

98.7mhz

Call Letters K C O G-FM
X NEW-FM

CHARITON VALLEY BROADCASTING CO.
Name[X] Hope Company, Incorporated
Centerville, Iowa(PO 317-1/2 North 13th Street, Centerville, Iowa 52544)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-8024 R & F #092559 $200 CODE: 015 PRESS: AUG 29 1972 PN REC'd:	7-14-72 7-20-72 7-20-72	CP for New FM on: 98.7mc. #254 HAAT: 450.5'(h&v) ERP:100kw(h&v) Trans: GATES-FM-20H3.; Ant: GATES-FMC-12, 12 sects.(h&v). TL: On Rte. 278, 1.3 mi. W. of Rt. #60, Centerville, Iowa. SL & RC: 317½ N. 13th Street, Centerville, Iowa. 40° 47' 34" - 92° 52' 47" Atty - Vernon L. Wilkinson Engr--	GRANTED 5-2-73 req. grant fee: $1800 pd 016 5-11-73 W196391	
AMENDED AMENDED	2-7-73 4-27-73	Financial Data. Loan Agreement signed by stockholders.		
BAPH-551 R & F SEE PD: $1000 #262345 CODE 049(ALSO SEE AM) JAN 10 1974 Pub. notice filed 1-25-74	11-30-73 12-19-73	Voluntary assignment of CP(BPH-8024 - new station) to CHARITON VALLEY BROADCASTING CO. Atty - McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS ETC) F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.	GRANTED 4-16-74 GRANT FEE: $ 6,600.00 EFF: 4-23-74 063 PD 4-30-74	(Includes AM) W 307689

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K.C.O.G-FM 98.7mhz

Name Chariton Valley Broadcasting Co.
Centerville, Iowa

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-14,105 R & F #308133 $50 Code 057 PRESS	4-26-74 4-29-74 4-30-74 MAY 15 1974	MP(BPH-8024) ext. time to 11-2-74. (New) Atty: Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED TO	5-29-74 11-2-74
BSCA-1,365 R & F #320306 $50 Code 057 Press	6-22-74 6-27-74 6-28-74 JUL 23 1974	Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 kilohertz. Atty: Vernon L. Wilkinson(McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner)	GRANTED	8-7-74
BLH-6437 R & F W 354982-$50. PTA PRESS	10-11-74 10-15-74 10-15-74-057 10-18-74	Lic.(BPH-8024, as mod.)-New sta. Transmitter: COLLINS, 831G-1 Antenna: COLLINS, 37CP-12, 12 sects. Atty: McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner	GRANTED	11-12-74

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

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98.7 mhz

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters K M G O
X KCOG-FM

Name CHARITON VALLEY BROADCASTING CO.
CENTERVILLE, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BRH-2984 R & F PN Recd. PRESS NOV 15 1976	9-28-76 9-30-76 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	Granted	1-13-77
BRSCA-1365 R & F	11-19-76 11-22-76	Renewal of SCA Atty.: Vernon L. Wilkinson		
BRH790928UO BRSCA " PRESS NOV 2 1979		Renewal of License & SCA Atty.: Vernon L. Wilkinson	GRANTED	1-24-80

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

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

98.7MHz.

KMGO-KCOG, INC.

Call Letters: K M G O

Name: CHARITON VALLEY BROADCASTING CO.

Station Location: CENTERVILLE, IOWA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMSCA800411AF PRESS (O)	MAY 7 1980	Modification of Subsidiary Communications Authorization to make changes in Equipment & Programming.	GRANTED 5-7-80
BALH801124FT Form 314 PRESS Also see KCOG(am) PN filed 12-19-80	DEC 18 1980	Vol AL to KMGO-KCOG, INC. Atty-Lauren A. Colby	GRANTED 3-13-81 EFF:

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BALH801124FT Amended 1-23-81 re: Sign pres (Joyce Dennison

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.