

DX News

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DX Tests: WNJC-1360 Washington Township NJ has been running weekly DX tests 0000-0200 ELT Sunday mornings (Saturday evenings), and CE Duke Hamann plans to keep them going through October. Duke has set up a group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/wnjc1360dx> with test details. Or subscribe to the NRC e-mail list (see Musings for details on how to sign up).

And KSEN-1150 Shelby MT will test on Sunday Nov. 8 at 0201-0300 using day power (10 kW) and (hopefully) a nondirectional antenna. Thanks to KSEN, especially CE Todd Clark, and to CPC member Paul Walker.

Membership Report

New Members: Welcome to Alan Moriarty, Lakewood, OH; Bill Owens, Cicero, NY; and Clarence Teegarden, New Bern, NC.

Rejoining Member: Welcome back to

Christopher Gay, Lexington, KY.

Renewing Members: Thanks for the ongoing support of Dave Bright; William Brown; Harold B. Frodge; Christopher Griffis; Gerard Gonsalves; Robert La Morgese; Kurt Nelson; David Ross; Jeffrey R. Seiler; Hakan Sundman; and David Zientara.

Volume 88 DXN Schedule

No	D'dline	Print	12	Feb. 28	Mar. 9
4	Nov. 8	Nov. 17	13	Mar. 21	Mar. 30
5	Nov. 22	Dec. 1	14	Apr. 11	Apr. 20
6	Dec. 6	Dec. 15	15	May 2	May 11
7	Dec. 20	Dec. 29	16	May 23	June 1
8	Jan. 3	Jan. 11	17	June 20	June 29
9	Jan. 17	Jan. 25	18	July 18	July 27
10	Jan. 31	Feb. 9	19	Aug. 15	Aug. 24
11	Feb. 14	Feb. 23	20	Sept. 12	Sept. 21

NRC AM Radio Log – 41st Edition

The 41st edition of the *AM Radio Log*, the premier source for information on AM radio stations in the United States and Canada, is available now for sale. The *Log* contains of individual station data, cross references and 12 pages of instructions in 8-1/2" x 11" size, 3-hole punched U.S. loose leaf format. This publication fits nicely into a 1" three-ring binder. Reference lists include State/Provinces in frequency order, call letters of FM simulcasts with the AM Stations listing, listings of regional groups of stations in the groups section (separate section of the logbook), a cross reference of those stations that are licensed to use IBOC (In Band On Channel) digital audio, and a comprehensive list of FM translators that are now simulcasting with AM broadcasters.

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AM Switch

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FCC and CRTC Decisions and Applications

CALL LETTER CHANGES

1270 KGNM MO Saint Joseph – Call change to KYSJ (Oct. 15).



STATIONS GOING DARK

License cancelled, calls deleted:

- 630 WBMQ GA Savannah – License cancelled at licensee's request per Oct. 9 letter (silent since July 20).
 900 WJLG GA Savannah – License cancelled at licensee's request per Oct. 9 letter.

NEW STATION WATCH

Note that the CP for KWIF-1500 Culver City CA is set to expire Oct. 30, and the twin CPs for KPEN-840 and KABN-960 Kenai AK are due to expire on Dec. 7. New stations must be sufficiently completed to be able to file an application for a license to cover by the expiration date – it usually takes a couple weeks for these applications to show up in the FCC database if they are filed. The FCC is quite strict about these deadlines, and in recent years the majority of new AM station CPs expire unbuilt.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS (CPs) FOR EXISTING STATIONS

CPs fully licensed and on the air:

1390 WROA MS Gulfport – Granted license to cover CP for U1 900/35, new site (diplexed with WGCM-1240) at 30-25-45/89-01-08.



CPs built, awaiting final licensing (may be on the air):

- 540 WETC NC Wendell-Zebulon – Granted program test authority for CP with U4 10000/4400, existing site.
 1310 WTTL KY Madisonville – Applies for license to cover CP for U1 1000/40, existing site.
 1370 KXTL MT Butte – Applies for license to cover CP for U1 1000/1000, existing site.

CPs granted:

- 1260 WCHV VA Charlottesville – Granted CP for D1 800, existing site.
 1460 WMBA PA Ambridge – Granted CP for U1 120/110, existing site.

Applications for CPs received:

- 690 KFXN MN Minneapolis – Applies for U1 1700/5, adjust coordinates to 45-01-24/93-22-53.
 1320 WDER NH Derry – Applies for U4 10000/600, existing site.

SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY (STA)

STAs granted:

- 570 WAAX AL Gadsden – Granted STA, U1 5000/125.
 630 KIDD CA Monterey – Granted STA, U1 300/250 from KNRV-1240 tower.
 1340 KSGT WY Jackson – Granted STA, U1 500/500, 100' LW at 43-27-43/110-45-10.
 1490 WSYL GA Sylvania – Granted STA, U1 20/20 from temporary transmitter.

Application for STA received:

- 1560 WFME NY New York – Applies for STA, U3 50000/50000, night pattern 24 hours; geological survey company broke control lines to two towers with boring equipment on Oct. 13; station was briefly silent and has operated U3 since Oct. 14.

Extensions granted to existing STAs:

- 570 WSYR NY Syracuse – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
 790 WAEB PA Allentown – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance or U5 ?/375.
 930 WLLL VA Lynchburg – Granted STA extension, U1 6000/42.
 980 KTCR WA Selah – Granted STA extension, U1 1000/125, from KRSE-105.7 tower.

1080 WKJK KY Louisville – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
 1150 KGDD OR Portland – Granted STA extension, U1 10/10, from whip at 45-31-09/122-36-32.
 1200 WGDL PR Lares – Granted STA extension, U1 1000/1000 as in longstanding CP application.
 1390 KBBO WA Yakima – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
 1410 WSHY IN Lafayette – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance or U1 260/29.
 1470 WTZE VA Tazewell – Granted STA extension, D1 1000.
 1480 WYZE GA Atlanta – Granted STA extension, U1 10/10, from whip at 33-42-16/84-22-40.
 1500 KBRN TX Boerne – Granted STA extension, D1 225, from 150' LW at 29-50-26/98-49-32.
 1520 KOKC OK Oklahoma City – Granted STA ext., U1 10000/10000, tower 35-20-01/97-30-18.
 1540 KXPA WA Bellevue – Granted STA extension, U1 5000/1250.
 1550 WKTF GA Vienna – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
 1700 WRCR NY Ramapo – Granted STA extension, U1 2500/250, 175' LW at 41-11-22/74-00-55.

Applications to extend existing STAs received:

570 WTBN FL Pinellas Park – Applies to extend STA, U1 1250/1250.
 900 WNMB SC North Myrtle Beach – Applies to ext. STA, U1 50/50, 200' LW 33-50-05/78-47-03.
 950 WORL FL Orlando – Applies to extend STA, U2 12000/10000, Cuba QRM.
 960 WHYL PA Carlisle – Applies to extend STA, U1 1300/22 from WCAT-FM-102.3 tower.
 1160 KMRV IA Waukon – Applies to extend STA, D1 250, 430' LW on KNEI-FM-103.5 tower.
 1220 KLBB MN Stillwater – Applies to extend STA, U1 20/20, 70' LW at 45-04-08/92-48-23.
 1490 WSVM NC Valdese – Applies to extend STA, U1 500/500, 210' LW at 35-44-17/81-33-26.
 1540 KASA AZ Phoenix – Applies to extend STA, U1 225/7, 100' LW at 33-22-33/112-05-17.
 1580 WNTF FL Bithlo – Applies to extend STA, D1 2500.
 1600 WLXE MD Rockville – Applies to extend STA, U1 1000/125.

SILENT STATIONS

Silent stations informing the FCC they are back on the air:

870 KLSQ NV Whitney – Silent Dec. 7 (2019), on with reduced power (U2 1000/440) Oct. 2.
 1120 WBBF NY Buffalo – Silent Sept. 11, back on the air Oct. 8.
 1260 WMDG GA East Point – Silent July 10, back on the air Oct. 1.
 WZBO NC Edenton – Silent Apr. 1, back on the air Oct. 12.

Stations informing the FCC that they are silent:

1130 KLEY KS Wellington – Silent Aug. 26; was silent from Sept. 24, 2019 to Aug. 11, 2020 after the studio's landlord took over the facility; now silent for financial reasons.
 1160 WBYN PA Lehighton – Silent Oct. 9 pending completion of station sale.
 1280 KNBY AR Newport – Silent Oct. 16; power lines cut by vandalism.
 1550 KKLE KS Winfield – Silent Aug. 26; was silent from Sept. 24, 2019 to Aug. 11, 2020 after the studio's landlord took over the facility; now silent for financial reasons.

COORDINATE CORRECTION

1110 WUNN MI Mason – Granted license to cover CP to correct coords. to 42-33-06/84-24-19.

NRC AM Log Updates



540 WGOP MD Pocomoke City – Adds // W293DN-106.5. (FCC)
 550 KRAI CO Craig – Adds // K286CV-105.1. (FCC)
 660 WAMO PA Wilkesburg – Format to UC:HipHop (ex-UC:AC); slogan to “WAMO 107.3,” adds // W297BU-107.3; delete Grp= 107.3 The Beat
 670 WRJR VA Claremont – Format to SS:MEX (ex-SS:REL); slogan to “La Raza.”
 740 WVLN IL Olney – Slogan to “CBS Sports Radio 740 & 107.”
 920 WXKD AL Brantley – Format to UC:AC (ex-GOS).
 960 WDLM IL East Moline – Format to REL (ex-SS:REL); slogan to “Radio Moody,” adds // WDLM-FM-89.3.
 970 WZAM MI Ishpeming – Adds // W295CX-106.9; delete // W227CJ-93.3.
 980 KICA NM Clovis – Adds // KVOP-1090. (WH)
 1020 KDKA PA Pittsburgh – Adds // W261AX-100.1.
 1050 KLOH MN Pipestone – Format to FARM/C&W (ex-C&W).
 WAMN WV Green Valley – Slogan to “Willie 94.5,” adds // W233CL-94.5; delete Grp= Willie 94.5.
 1060 WXNC NC Monroe – Format to SS:MEX (ex-SS:OLD).

1130	WALQ	AL	Carrville – Format to AC/TK (ex-NWS/TLK); slogan to “Digital 1490 The Beast,” networks to MRN; adds // WIRB-1490.
1160	WSKW	ME	Skowhegan – Format to OLD (ex-CLR).
1170	KFOW	MN	Waseca – Format to FARM/TLK (ex-CLR); slogan to “Fox News Radio 1170 & 106.3,” networks to Fox/Li/AGt/WW1/DR/RER.
1180	KGOL	TX	Humble – Format to SS:MEX (ex-SS); slogan to “La Sauvecita 1180.”
1210	WMPS	TN	Bartlett – Slogan & Group to Grp= Sunny 1210.
1230	WMOU	NH	Berlin – Format to Rock (ex-AC); on air, was previously reported Silent. (TF)
1260	KROX	MN	Crookston – Slogan & Group to Grp= The Voice of the Valley.
1280	WSAT	NC	Salisbury – Slogan to “Memories Radio 103,” adds // W277DD-103.3; delete Grp= Memories 1280 & 1410.
1340	WYBC	CT	New Haven – Adds // W288DV-105.5. (FCC)
1400	WEST	PA	Easton – Group to Grp= La Mega 101.7 & 99.5; delete Grp= Mega 99.5.
	WGTM	SC	Georgetown – Format to OLD (ex-TLK); slogan to “Memories 107.5.”
	KEBE	TX	Jacksonville – Format to CLR (ex-NOS); slogan & Group to Grp= K-Hits-95.5 (ex-Grp= QX FM); delete networks.
1410	WEGO	NC	Concord – Slogan to “The Memories Channel 98.3,” adds // W252DI-98.3; delete Grp= Memories 1280 & 1410.
1420	WMYN	NC	Mayodan – Slogan & Group to Grp= Rockingham County Radio.
1430	WHAN	VA	Ashland – Format to VAR (ex-AOR); slogan & Group to Grp= Independent Music Radio.
	WKEX	VA	Blacksburg – Group to Grp= Classic Hits Z 101.3, 105.9 & AM 1430 (ex-Grp= The Pick 101.3 105.9).
1440	KTUV	AR	Little Rock – Format to SS:REL (ex-SS:MEX); slogan to “Radio Corazon.”
	KMAJ	KS	Topeka – Networks to Fox/Ru/WW1/JBo/RER. (WH)
	WKLV	VA	Blackstone – Slogan to “K 92.7.”
	WHIS	WV	Bluefield – Slogan to “News Talk 1440 & 97.3,” adds // W247BO-97.3.
1450	WBSR	FL	Pensacola – Format to SPT (ex-CCR); slogan to “The Fan,” networks to FSR; adds // W266AL-101.1; delete Grp= Wow 90.9.
	KJCV	WY	Jackson – Group to Grp= Bott Wyoming.
1460	WBOG	WI	Tomah – Slogan to “Bog Country 101.3 & 1460.”
1490	WIRB	AL	Level Plains – Format to AC/TLK (ex-TLK); slogan to “Digital 1490 The Beast,” networks to MRN; adds // WALQ-1130.
	KHTC	MT	Malmstrom AFB – Format to Rock (ex-NONE); adds // K282CE-104.3; correct city of license (from Malstrom AFB) in Log 41. (DY)
	WKDR	NH	Berlin – On air; was reported Silent. (TF)
	WCSS	NY	Amsterdam – Format to CLR (ex-OLD/TLK); slogan to “Your Classic Hits station,” networks to A.
	WBTA	NY	Batavia – Slogan & Group to Grp= Genesee County’s Own.
	WLOE	NC	Eden – Slogan & Group to Grp= Rockingham County Radio.
	KZEZ	UT	Santa Clara – Group to Grp= Timeless KZEZ 102.7 & 1490; delete Grp= KZEZ Group.
	WXTG	VA	Hampton – Slogan to “Groove 101.9,” adds // W270DA-101.9; delete Grp= 92.3 The Tide.
1530	WLCO	MI	Lapeer – Format to CLR (ex-C&W); slogan to “US 103.1,” adds // WQUS-103.1.
1580	KTLU	TX	Rusk – Slogan & Group to Grp= K-Hits-95.5.
1600	WHOL	PA	Allentown – Format to TLK (ex-SS:Tropical); networks to WW1; adds // W295CR-106.9; delete Grp= Mega 99.5.
1700	KKLF	TX	Richardson – Adds // K239DA-95.7. (FCC)

New Groups

Grp= Bott Wyoming – KJCV-1450, K233CZ-94.5, K298CS-107.5

Grp= Genesee County’s Own – WBTA-1490, W261CR-100.1, W291DI-106.1

Grp= K-Hits-95.5 – KOME-FM-95.5, KTLU-1580, KEBE-1400, K280CL-103.9, K284CT-104.7

Grp= La Mega 101.7 & 95.5 – WEST-1400, W269DY-101.7, W258BM-95.5

Grp= Rockingham County Radio – WMYN-1420, WLOE-1490, W223DJ-92.5, W248DG-97.5

Grp= Sunny 1210 – WMPS-1210, W276BH-103.1, W242CF-96.3

Grp= The Voice of the Valley – KROX-1260, K289CE-105.7, K221GU-92.1

Group Name Changes

Grp= 107.3 The Beat becomes Grp= WAMO-100



Grp = KZEE becomes Grp= Timeless KZEE 102.7 & 1490

Grp= The Pick 101.3 105.9 becomes Grp= Classic Hits Z 101.3, 105.9 & AM 1430

Group Changes

Grp= Independent Music Radio adds WHAN-1430 & W275BQ-102.9 Ashland

Grp= Sports 56 deletes W276BH-103.1 and W253DF-98.5

Grp= The Sports Animal adds K251CM-98.1 Woodward

Delete Groups

Grp= 92.3 The Tide

Grp= Mega 99.5

Grp= Memories 1280 & 1410

Grp= QX FM

Grp= WAMO 100

Grp= Willie 94.5

Grp= Wow 90.9



From Tim Noonan: "Following up on WFAW update, I listened to WFAW over the noon hour today and they did carry network news. It was the kind that doesn't identify itself, which to me is WW1. I thought that ceased, so I'm unsure what's going on, but I thought I'd let you know." Westwood One's News is gone, anyone know of a different network news with no identifier?

Thanks to Shawn Axelrod, Bill Hale, FCC Database (FCC), Tony Fitzherbert (TF), and David Yocis (DY).

From the *DX News* archives

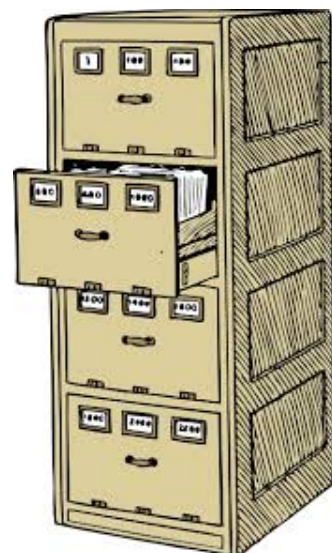
75 Years Ago – From the November 3, 1945 issue of *DX News*: New station CJSO-1400 Sorel, Quebec is scheduled to offer its first DX test on November 14; the frequency is expected to be clear during most of the scheduled 4:30-6:00 a.m. (Eastern) test. Hank Wilkinson (Burbank, Cal.) forwarded a letter from the Acting Chief of Central Pacific Operations in Honolulu: "As you must know from current news, the radio stations in Japan are operated under the direct control of the Military and State Department; therefore, I suggest you attempt to get verification of reception of Japanese stations at some future date. You can no doubt imagine there has been considerable confusion in taking over the facilities of Japan's broadcasting industry, and it is my personal opinion that you will have but little luck of securing desired acknowledgment."

50 Years Ago – From the November 7, 1970 issue of *DX News*: In an article entitled "Is BCB DX Doomed?" Gordon Nelson noted that the 11-year sunspot cycle should have peaked in 1968, but it has continued to remain high through 1969 and 1970. "[I]t would appear that we'll suffer yet another year of frequent and relatively intense auroral/geomagnetic activity, and a severe Midwinter Anomaly starting in a few weeks." New DDXD reported Richard Evans (Gary, Ind.) reported new station KCRL-780 Reno NV on Monday morning for state #48. According to Ric Heald, WLIB-1190 is silent due to an employee strike over the firing of a news reporter, opening up sunset DX on that channel.

25 Years Ago – From the October 30, 1995 issue of *DX News*: Several DXers reported hearing a station testing on 1660 kHz, presumably WJDM Elizabeth NJ, the first of the expanded band stations to reach the air. Jim Renfrew was back to IDXD after a week in Cappahayden, Newfoundland, where he heard nearly 90 countries in one week, including India 1566, Paraguay 920, and South Africa 846. Morris Sorensen has been hearing occasional Chinese-language programming from CKYC-1430 Toronto, signaling a possible format change. WPTR-1540 Albany NY was approved to give up its longtime callsign in favor of WDCD.

10 Years Ago – From the November 8, 2010 issue of *DX News*: Shawn Axelrod provided a list of tips for what to include in a reception report to a station. Wayne Heinen reported the new Cuban Radio Rebelde outlet on 1620 blowing away the domestics, as heard in Colorado.

All *DX News* editions from Volume 1 Issue 12 through Volume **86** are now available free to the public at the NRC web site: <http://nationalradioclub.org/DXNs/index.html>.



Domestic DX Digest – West

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Loggings of U.S. and Canadian stations by DXers in the Central, Mountain, Pacific, Alaska, and Hawaii-Aleutian time zones – All times are Eastern Local Time (ELT)

Please submit all reports in the format seen below. Send either within an email, or as an attachment in plain text or RTF. No Excel, Word or PDF documents, please. All times are Eastern Local Time (ELT)!! In some instances, minor editing may occur. Remember, this column reports DX Achievements and is not a platform for political or social commentary/remarks. Your cooperation is much appreciated. Reports older than 30 days may be excluded at the editor's discretion.

A great turnout for this early in the DX season! New to the Club? Let's hear from you.

Upcoming deadlines for DDXD-West: **Issue 4: November 6**; **Issue 5: November 20, 2020**.

--- REPORTERS ---

- SB-CA** Stephanie Battaglino Palm Desert, CA Rx: Winradio Excalibur w/ANC-4 Noise Canceler Ant: Wellbrook ALA 1530 LNP
- SB-UT** Sean Breazeal Stansbury Park, Utah Afedri SDR-Net with Wellbrook ALA 1530 LNP active loop on 15' pole. Audio at medievalcoinage.com/dx.
- SD-MN** Skip Dabelstein KØSBV Maple Grove, Minnesota Icom R75 and Drake SW8 Receivers; Ratzlaff Active Whip and Radio Plus Quantum Loop Antennas
- RD-CO1** Rick Dau at the intersection of U.S. 36 and U.S. 385 near Idalia, Colorado Boss AM/FM Stereo in 2004 Pontiac Sunfire [Idalia is near 'Hale,' Colorado! – Ed.]
- RD-CO2** Rick Dau Cheyenne Wells, Colorado Boss AM/FM Stereo in 2004 Pontiac Sunfire
- RD-CO3** Rick Dau on Colorado Highway 96 just outside Towner, Colorado Boss AM/FM Stereo in 2004 Pontiac Sunfire
- RD-KS1** Rick Dau on Kansas Highway 27 north of Tribune, Colorado Boss AM/FM Stereo in 2004 Pontiac Sunfire
- RD-KS2** Rick Dau on U.S. 40 just east of Hoxie, Kansas Boss AM/FM Stereo in 2004 Pontiac Sunfire
- KMD-MN** Kurt Decker Browerville, Minnesota Receiver: DX-390; Antenna: RS loop
- MF-CA** Martin Foltz Mission Viejo, California HQ-180A & 75 foot wire; Sony SRF-M37W
- KDF-IL** Karl D. Forth Chicago, Illinois Sangean, ATS-909, DT-200VX
- TK-FL** Terry Krueger Niceville, Florida IC-R75, NRD-535, ICF-7600GR, Active Loop, Random Wire
- JEL-MO** J.E. Lewis Kansas City, Missouri Honda Odyssey car radio
- MN-KY** Mike Newland Morgantown, Kentucky Icom IC-7300 + 750' unterminated long wire beverage
- JN-TX** James Niven Cedar Creek, Texas Receivers: ELAD S2, Perseus SDR and Drake R8; Antennas: DKAZ 120°; DKAZ 60° and DKAZ 310°
- HO-ID** Hugh O'Riordan Boise, Idaho Sangean ATS 909X + CCrane Twin Coil Ferrite Antenna
- JP-AB** Jon Pearkins Edmonton, Alberta Sangean PR-D15 barefoot
- DLR-NV** David Reitz Las Vegas, Nevada Tecsun PL880 and a Tecsun Loop
- JJR-MI** John J. Rieger L'Anse, Michigan Grundig Satellit 750 + Terk AM1000 loop; Sangean ATS-909X stock (The Terk loop can/does phase the Grundig antenna) **John muses:** "Every morning DX goes west about 0730 EDT for 45 minutes or so, then back to normal. The stations with no calls, no slogans, open carriers, etc. are un-real!!"
- JJR-WI** John J Rieger South Milwaukee, Wisconsin Icom IC-R75, MFJ-959B tuner/preamp, Kiwa loop, Sangean ATS-909X stock
- JNS-MN** John Sampson Grand Rapids, Minnesota Drake R8B with N:S and E:W long wire antennas; Motorola R-390-A with Kiwa Loop
- JW-CO** John Wilkins Wheat Ridge, Colorado Drake R-8, 4-foot box loop



--- STATION NEWS ---

1240 KNRV CA Monterey – 10/16 0201-0217 – BACK ON THE AIR with testing, I presume. Nice jingle ID noted near Top-of-Hour: “KMBY . . . Monterey” followed by an Elvis tune. Later, copied this announcement by a male, “. . . in about 45 days KMBY will open up a brand new radio station in northern California directly from Cannery Row” followed by vintage “Boss Radio, KMBY, 95.9” jingle ID, and another “KMBY” jingle id into the tune ‘Windy’ by The Association. Signal held up well against KJOP and KSMA. Listed at 1 kW at 370 miles. On Google Maps the antenna tower is literally on the beach on the shoreline behind Cannery Row. (SB-CA)

--- UNIDS (OR WHO-O-O ARE YOU? WHO, WHO?) ---

920 unID - 10/22 0739 – Very poor, with “. . . on 920 & 101.7FM” in mess. North Carolina? I doubt it, but . . . may never know. (JJR-MI) [There are three 920 and 101.7 (all translators) matches in the **WTFDA Database**: KFLB Odessa, Texas; KWAD Wadena, Minnesota; WPTL Canton, North Carolina. – Ed.]

930 unID - 10/20 0744 – Male discussing negotiations regarding additional corona virus relief followed by discussion about upcoming debate on Thursday 10/22. WKCT Bowling Green, Kentucky switching to daytime power at 0800 prevented hearing any Top-of-Hour ID. Poor reception. (MN-KY)

1600 unID - 10/21 1906 – Poor, with “News Talk 1600. WAAM is “Wham-Talk” (like “1180-Wham”). Lost. (JJR-MI)

--- DX LOGGINGS ---

550 KFVR ND Bismarck – 10/11 0715 – Poor, with ‘Feelin’ Stronger Every Day= by Chicago and a contest promo: “One grand in your hand, K-Fire 550.” No WSAU. (JJR-MI)

560 KMON MT Great Falls – 10/3 0559-0602 – Poor, popped up from the mix with the end of the song ‘Third Rate Romance= into ID: “KMON, Great Falls . . . Country Radio.” 5 kW at 980 miles. (SB-CA)

560 WHBQ TN Memphis – 10/11 0656 – Spots for ‘Jason's Deli’ (four locations, including Cordova and Olive Branch), ‘Mississippi Farm Bureau,’ and ‘Victory Auto Sales.’ ID including translator, into Fox Sports Radio. Local level. (TK-FL)

570 KNRS UT Salt Lake City – 10/3 0658-0703 – Poor, with fair peaks, mixing with KLAC. Spot for ‘Utah Pain & Rehab’ with an 801 area code number noted and checked on the web, into a ‘COVID stop the spread’ PSA, Top-of-Hour ID by male: “5-70 AM, KNRS, Salt Lake City.” Also “Talkradio 105.9” mention as well. 5 kW at 544 miles. (SB-CA)

580 KIDO ID nAMpa – 10/22 0735 – Poor; Fox News, “Kevin Miller in the Morning,’ Hannity in the PM on 107-5 and 580 KIDO.” (JJR-MI)

580 WCHS WV Charleston – 10/13 1957 – Poor, but atop. Very localized West Virginia talk concerning roads with potholes. Calls. (JJR-WI)

580 CHAH AB Edmonton – 10/20 0638 – Poor, with ETHnic programming in fade up over others. Assumed. (JJR-MI)

590 KID ID Idaho Falls – 10/3 0558-0601 – Fair, with clear Top-of-Hour ID: “KID, Idaho Falls, KIDJ, Sugar City, and KIDG, Pocatello . . . Fox News Radio” into Fox News. 1 kW at 717 miles. (SB-CA)

600 CKSP BC Vancouver – 10/2 0355-0405 – Running continuous modern South Asian (“Punjabi”) music with long Top of the Hour ID in English, then a shorter one in Punjabi by different male voices starting at 0402 mentioning the “Sher E Punjab” branding previously used on KRPI-1550. One of those rare nights where CJWW fades out completely for long periods of time, leaving KGEZ, but they disappeared, too. When CKSP faded up at 0400:30 and was all alone no matter which way the antenna was pointed, until after 0404:30 when I tuned out. No sign of them when they first started testing, but alerted to try again by last issue’s Publisher’s Note on their official launch 9/28. (JP-AB)

600 CKAT ON North Bay – 10/16 1946 – Poor, with “. . . in North Bay” in ad, “CKAT Weather: low minus 2; high Saturday: 7. Number One for Country, Country 600.” Alone, solid. (JJR-WI)

620 CKRM SK Regina – 10/22 0733 – Poor; “620 CKRM” jingle, in tight WTMJ null. Country music. (JJR-MI)

630 KHOW CO Denver – 9/27 1504 – Fair, with Colorado Rockies baseball pre-game show, interview with Rockies outfielder Charlie Blackmon conducted by play-by-play announcer Jack Corrigan. (RD-CO2)



- 630 CHED AB Edmonton – 10/12 0818 – Poor, with “CSSAlberta.ca” and “HopeStreet.ca” mentions. Alone, no WREY. (JJR-MI)
- 640 KFI CA Los Angeles – 10/10 0758 – Poor, with short promos for KFI hosts, show promo snippets, calls. Live ID and “K-F-I.” (JJR-MI)
- 640 WMFN IL Peotone – 10/16 2000 – Surfaced with lengthy announcement about license renewal. Station ID after that and into SS music. On top during the announcement, but rapidly faded to WOI. Was surprised to hear this one since I don’t think they put much signal this way. (JNS-MN)
- 640 KWPN OK Moore – 10/11 0731 – Poor, with ESPN chatter: ‘ESPN2,’ ‘ESPN app,’ etc. Through WOI. No KFI noted. Only ESPNer on 640. (JJR-MI)
- 640 CFMJ ON Richmond Hill – 10/20 0702 – Poor, with mentions of ‘Toronto’ and ‘Covid numbers.’ Global News. With WOI. Not in here much. (JJR-MI)
- 670 KHGZ AR Glenwood – 10/11 0732 – Charlie Pride, then Gail Davies Classic Country songs, liner with “Caddo Country 98.9” slogan into ‘A White Sportcoat (And A Pink Carnation)’ by Marty Robbins. Good, then rapid fade. (TK-FL)
- 680 WOGO WI Hallie – 10/14 0727 – Poor, with ‘Hugh Hewett Show,’ ad for ‘Harry’s Razors,’ then “WOGO Weather” with high of 55. Lost to CJOB. (JJR-WI)
- 690 KGGF KS Coffeerville – 10/20 0957 – Fox News with news about upcoming election, mention of “Mighty 690” then ID: “KGGF Coffeerville, Kansas.” Good signal. (MN-KY)
- 700 KHSE TX Wylie – 10/10 0746 – With Asian music. Poor, with very little WLW to null! (JJR-MI)
- 730 CHMJ BC Vancouver – 10/11 0807 – Poor, and alone! “AM 730, all traffic, all the time.” Gilmore and Port-Man Bridge mentions, and ‘cintas.ca’ ad. Long ago (1970) logged as Top 40 “73-CKLG.” Rare! (JJR-MI)
- 730 CKAC QC Montreal – 10/16 1942 – Poor, but all alone, with “Circulation Montreal” and FF traffic reports. (JJR-WI)
- 740 KCBS CA San Francisco – 10/10 0638 – With male saying “KCBS New time is 3:38,” then into San Francisco traffic details, followed by weather report. Mixing with two to three other stations. KCBS at Fair-to-Good level at times on top of the channel, fighting it out with Radio Reloj at times. New. (JN-TX)
- 740 KCBS CA San Francisco – 10/11 0805 – Very poor, with “This is CBS News,” ad (too weak to copy) and “KCBS Newstime” Rare. (JJR-MI)
- 740 WVLN IL Olney – 10/18 2011 – Poor, with CBS Sports. Steady under CFMZ. Assumed. (JJR-WI)
- 740 KNFL ND Fargo – 10/20 0933 – Poor, with “Party & Reese(?), here on the Fan.” Ad for ‘United Health Care. First time this season. (JJR-MI)
- 740 CBX AB Edmonton – 10/13 0808 – Poor – “Kathryn Harris, CBC News” on CBC Radio One. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- 770 KATL MT Miles City – 10/20 0811 – Very poor, BUT “. . . in Montana” made me stop! “KATL” jingle into ‘Roses’ by Saint Jhn. (JJR-MI)
- 770 WABC NY New York – 10/13 2021 – Fair-to-Good, and in the clear, with calls, PSA for ‘Breast Cancer Screening,’ and a New Jersey weight loss product. First time this season. (JEL-MO)
- 770 KTTH WA Seattle – 10/18 0218-0220 – Very poor, way under KKOB, CHRQ, and KCBC with a small portion of the ‘Ark Midnight with John B. Wells’ program. Discussion with caller was readable primarily because Wells’ very deep voice cut through the gaggle of stations. // stream. 5 kW at 993 miles. (SB-CA)
- 770 CHQR AB Calgary – 10/16 2140 – Talk of Calgary seniors and dealing with Covid 19. String of local ads. ID: “Charles Adler tonight on 770 CHQR.” (DLR-NV)
- 770 CHQR AB Calgary – 10/18 0220-0225 – Underneath KKOB and briefly even at peak, with ‘Those Old Radio Shows’ program of what sounded like a detective radio play of some sort. // stream and web schedule. 50 kW at 1,184 miles. (SB-CA)
- 790 WAYY WI Eau Claire – 10/13 2000 – Fair, over a number of unIDs, with calls, then mention of a whole bunch of FM frequencies. They run 5 kW days and 123 Watts nights, so which were they on since it was past their sunset? (JEL-MO) [WAYY’s licensed daytime operation during October is from 0815 – 1915. My guess . . . they were running 5 kW at the time you heard them – Ed.]
- 800 CHAB SK Moose Jaw – 10/12 0830 – “800 CHAB” ID, Creedence song, then “Rock ‘n’ Roll History Lesson” feature. 0834: ad for ‘Assiniboia Livestock Auction’ followed by more ads. Fair/good signal. (JW-CO)



- 810 KGO CA San Francisco – 10/10 0258 – With public service announcement, then female comes on and says “This is The John Batchelor Show on KGO 810,” then dips into the jumble of about three other stations. Heard at Fair-to-Good level. NEW. (JN-TX)
- 810 KLVZ CO Brighton – 10/10 0301 – With male coming up out the jumble with “. . . KLVZ and KLVZ-HD 3, KLVZ-FM . . . 95.3 and streaming and at Legends953.com.” Fair signal. Noted another oldies station underneath with the Doors’ ‘Light my Fire.’ I am guessing KSWV New Mexico. New. (JN-TX)
- 820 WWBA FL Largo – 10/14 0672 – Poor, with “Bubba Army,” where they said “Bubba” easily 15 times in two minutes. (JJR-WI) [Sound off, Bubbas! – Ed.]
- 820 WBKK MN Wilton – 10/23 0755 – Poor, and assumed, with ‘EWTN Morning Glory.’ WBAP in back. (JJR-MI)
- 850 KOA CO Denver – 9/27 1400 – Good, with legal ID during Denver Broncos FB pregame show. (RD-CO1)
- 880 KRVN NE Lexington – 10/3 0658-0701 – Good, with ‘Eugenics’ spot and promo for a replay of Nebraska/Pacific football game from 1994 into ‘T&L Irrigation’ spot and Top-of-Hour ID by male: “8-80, KRVN, Lexington, Nebraska” into Fox News. 50 kW at 1,041 miles. (SB-CA)
- 890 KQLX ND Lisbon – 10/23 0854 – “. . . on Thunder 106-1 Fargo, 98-3 Jamestown and Ag News 890.” Poor, with WLS nulled. (JJR-MI)
- 900 CKBI SK Prince Albert – 10/10 0758 – Poor; live ID: “AM, FM 95.9, 92.5, Saskatchewan Country, CKBI.” Alone. (JJR-MI)
- 900 CKBI SK Prince Albert – 10/15 0805 – Poor, with ad for ‘Jiffy Lube,’ then “CKBI Sports” mentioning ‘Western Hockey League.’ Alone. (JJR-WI)
- 900 CKBI SK Prince Albert – 10/19 0225 – Poor, with Country music, ID: “This is (?) Country,” female voice “CKBI.” No sign of CHML. (KMD-MN)
- 910 KPOF CO Denver – 10/11 0800 – Very poor, with others gone. Live ID: “Colorado’s Point of Faith” into music. (JJR-MI)
- 910 WDOR WI Sturgeon Bay – 10/20 0828 – Poor, with “WDOR Sports,” an ad for ‘Rich Price, Medicare Insurance Agent,’ followed by newscast. (JJR-MI)
- 910 CKDQ AB Drumheller – 10/11 0820 – With “Real Country 910” and ad (weak) ending with ‘.ca,’ then “Real Country 910 CKDQ” contest promo. Weak, but alone. (JJR-MI)
- 930 KSDN SD Aberdeen – 10/10 0743 – Poor, with ‘HubCityRadio.com,’ ‘Dakota Events Center’ events (hi), time check, calls. (JJR-MI)
- 940 KPSZ IA Des Moines – 10/16 1926 – Weakly on top, with “Iowa’s Hope 940” announcement. Gone by 1930 (change to night pattern?), very difficult to hear up here due to directional pattern. Usual QRM this time of evening from CJGX. (JNS-MN)
- 960 KLAD OR Klamath Falls – 10/14 2335 – Fox Sports: ‘The Ben Maller Show,’ PSAs for ‘Aging and Disability Services of Oregon,’ ‘Become a High School Sports Official’ and ‘To Stop Texting While Driving.’ (DLR-NV)
- 960 CFAC AB Calgary – 10/23 0825 – “SportsNet 960 the Fan, Calgary, Alberta Canada.” Poor, but alone and steady. First time this season. (JJR-MI)
- 970 WDAY ND Fargo – 10/15 0744 – Poor, with North and South Dakota weather (windy), temperatures for Bismarck, ND and Winner, SD. // WDAY-TV newscast. (JJR-WI)
- 980 WYFN TN Nashville – 10/18 2022-2030 – With religion: Bible verses, singing, etc. // web. Poor, but no usual WONE. (JJR-WI)
- 980 CFPL ON London – 10/20 0650 – “980 CFPL,” “Global News Radio,” and ad for ‘London’s Floor.’ Poor, but atop. (JJR-MI)
- 980 CJME SK Regina – 10/16 0758 – Poor, with “Saskatchewan – a great place to live” in ad, then a Real Estate ad, calls. (JJR-MI)
- 1000 KOMO WA Seattle – 10/13 0801 – LOUD! with “Raining in Western Washington, 50 in Seattle” Male/Female anchors. Fair signal. (JJR-MI)
- 1010 KSIR CO Brush – 9/27 1753 – Fair, with Denver Broncos vs. Tampa Bay football // KOA-850. Was also still getting the game faintly on KNAB 104.1 out of Burlington, Colorado (a distance of approximately 100 miles). (RD-KS2)
- 1010 KSIR CO Brush – 10/10 0804 – Poor, with ABC News, ‘Colorado’s ????.org,’ ‘Napa,’ Rocket Mortgage with CBR in back. No calls. (JJR-MI)
- 1010 KSIR CO Brush – 10/15 0911 – Agricultural morning show with lady announcer, into weather followed by spot for ‘Pioneer Brand Sorghum, and a political ad for Governor Hickenlooper. (SD-MN)



- 1010 WHIN TN Gallatin – 10/15 0845 – ID: “100.7 FM WHIN 1010 AM with Murphy, Sam and Jodi,” then into promotional spot for “Octoberfest at the MACC Arts and Cultural Center.” (SD-MN)
- 1010 CBR AB Calgary – 10/12 0811 – Poor; “. . . around Calgary, a wrong way driver . . . a few hours ago. . . .” (JJR-MI)
- 1030 KTWO WY Casper – 10/23 0832 – Poor, with several news stories from Wyoming in newscast. First time this season. (JJR-MI)
- 1040 CKST BC Vancouver – 10/13 0804 – Fair! LOUD! “. . . going for the W” during football chatter on ESPN. No WHO! (JJR-MI)
- 1050 WTKA MI Ann Arbor – 10/17 0800 – Top-of-Hour ID: “Another end-to-end, this is WTKA Ann Arbor, The Ticket, a Cumulus Station.” (SB-MN)
- 1050 CJNB SK North Battleford – 10/16 0455 – Country music into Top-of-Hour ID: “This is 1050 CJNB North Battleford, 106.3 FM Meadow Lake, and on line at CJNB.com. This is Saskatchewan Country, CJNB” and into weather. (SD-MN)
- 1050 CJNB SK North Battleford – 10/19 0250 – Fair, with Country music, ID: “. . . you are country – CJNB.” (KMD-MN)
- 1060 WILB OH Canton – 10/14 0715 – Poor – “WILB beginning another day of broadcasting” (JJR-WI)
- 1060 KGFX SD Pierre – 10/22 0721 – Poor, with Cattle futures, Ag news, ad for Kohls’ and “KGFX 1060 AM, 107.1 FM.” Atop. (JJR-MI)
- 1060 CKMX AB Calgary – 10/12 0741 – Local ads, TV program notes, then back to comedy routine after a “Funny 1060 AM” ID. Good, with no sign of nearby KRCN. (JW-CO)
- 1060 CKMX AB Calgary – 10/16 0756 – Poor, with Comedy bits, each track, introduced. “Funny 1060” Atop. (JJR-WI)
- 1060 CKMX AB Calgary – 10/17 0535 – Good, with “Here at Funny 1060 we are about comedy,” routines by Ben Bailey, Hannibal Buress, Maria Bamford, ad for “Consolidated Credit – we help Canadians get out of debt,” ID: “Comedy 24/7 from 1060 AM – an iHeart station.” (KMD-MN)
- 1070 KNX CA Los Angeles – 10/12 0737 – Poor, though better 30 minutes later. Ad for ‘Pacific Premier Bank,’ then time check, calls. (JJR-MI)
- 1070 KNX CA Los Angeles – 10/18 0605 – ‘iHeart Media’ promo, man and woman with live local/regional news(someone is still live and local 24/7?), TV woman with local weather mentioning Orange County and fire danger status “. . . on KNX 1070 News Radio” ending tag. Mostly poor, with a little co-channel WNVY and WFRF. Always nice to hear California at this distance, as I always say. (TK-FL)
- 1070 WDIA TN Memphis – 10/14 0736 – Poor, with “WDIA – we love to know what our listeners think.” Atop. (JJR-WI)
- 1090 KTGO ND Tioga – 10/22 0812 – Poor, with “. . . auto deals at Williston Auto . . . ,” “. . . North Dakota governor” Alone! (JJR-MI)
- 1130 CKWX BC Vancouver – 10/9 0801 – “Traffic and weather together on the ones,” followed by local, national, and international news. Frequent IDs as “News 11-30” and mentions of website: ‘news1130.com.’ Fair, and not much QRM. (JW-CO)
- 1150 KSAL KS Salina – 10/14 0116 – Fair, with ‘Coast-to-Coast AM’ program, “KSAL News.” (KMD-MN)
- 1150 WCRK TN Morristown – 10/21 0539 – PSA for a ‘Pancake breakfast at Hillcrest Elementary School,’ then mention of “WCRK,” followed by Kim Wilde’s ‘Keep On Hanging On.’ Poor reception. (MN-KY)
- 1150 WEAQ WI Chippewa Falls – 10/22 0945 – Poor, through/over WHBY. “95-9 Jamz” between songs. Top 40. (JJR-MI)
- 1150 CJSL SK Estevan – 10/10 0736 – Poor, with chatter and an ad through WHBY. “CJ 1150 Birthday Club” and Country music. (JJR-MI)
- 1170 KBOB IA Davenport – 10/14 0133 – Poor, with ‘ESPN Sports Center All Night’ program, PSA for talking to your children about alcohol & drugs, ID: “ESPN 1170,” PSA for USMC, ID: AThis is Quad City Sports Radio – ESPN 1170 KBOB Davenport.” (KMD-MN)
- 1180 WGUE AR Turrell – 10/18 2058 – Mexican mariachi-type music into Top-of-Hour ID in English: “This is WGUE Turrell W257CY Memphis, K268DA Memphis broadcasting on 1180 kiloHertz.” Totally dominating the frequency – no way they are on reduced nighttime power. (SD-MN)
- 1220 KLDC CO Denver – 10/17 0831 – Out of religious broadcast, at fair level, with male with quick “KLDC, 1220 AM, on the web at kldc1220.com.” Pretty much all alone on the frequency. New. (JN-TX)

- 1220 WLPO IL LaSalle – 10/15 0802 – Poor, with ad for farm equipment, time check and “Classic Hits 103.9 WLPO.” Alone. (JJR-WI)
- 1220 KLPW MO Union – 10/16 2358 – With Bob Dylan song, ‘Positivity 4th Street.’ Fair-to-Good signal for 126 Watts on top of the channel on the East DKAZ, with XEB nulled. At 0001 male with canned ID as: “KLPW.com, live . . . Broadcasting straight out of . . . ,” then into ‘Jackie Blue’ – Ozark Mountain Daredevils. New. (JN-TX)
- 1220 KDDR ND Oakes – 10/20 0926 – PSA for ‘North Dakota Game and Fish,’ and talk of common sense rules on how to ride school bus. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1220 KMVL TX Madisonville – 10/16 2003 – With commercial for ‘Monterrey Mushrooms’ and ‘Langley Dental’ in Madisonville, then back into baseball match. Fair-to-Good level, all alone on the frequency. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1220 CFAJ ON St. Catharines – 10/23 0729 – “1220 CFAJ” after the Beatles’ ‘I’m a Loser.’ Fair! . . . in all morning! (JJR-MI)
- 1230 WMPC MI Lapeer – 10/18 2113 – Poor, with slower religious music and program notes for shows @ :15. Steady! (JJR-WI)
- 1230 KTRF MN Thief River Falls – 10/22 0856 – Very poor, with “. . . in Thief River Falls” while chasing others. (JJR-MI)
- 1240 WTAX IL Springfield – 10/14 0746 – Poor; “Springfield’s weather . . . high: 53” cutting through others. (JJR-WI)
- 1240 KIUL KS Garden City – 9/27 1536 – Very good, with Kansas City Royals baseball. (RD-CO3)
- 1240 WATT MI Cadillac – 10/8 0100 – Good signal with ID, “All You Need to Know, FM 106, AM 1240 WATT” and into news. (KDF-IL)
- 1260 CFRN AB Edmonton – 10/19 0353 – Poor, with ESPN Radio, ID: “Sports Radio AM 1260,” “Edmonton’s number one source for online news,” ad for ‘(?) Electronics.’ (KMD-MN)
- 1270 WWVI MN Baxter – 10/22 0943 – Poor; ‘Glenn Beck’ promo, “Brainers Lakes” mention in ad, with WMKT gone. (JJR-MI)
- 1270 KNWC SD Sioux Falls – 10/21 1839 – Very poor; “Faith Radio 1270” with Gospel song. In with several others. (JJR-MI)
- 1280 CFMB QC Montreal – 10/16 0020 – Strong with offbeat 60s instrumental music, ID as “CFMB” and “The world’s best instrumental music.” May be using day pattern. Instrumental music from 60s heard here other nights since 10/8. Checked online and it’s still ethnic and Italian programming from their site most of the day, with instrumental music after 0000. (KDF-IL)
- 1290 KOIL NE Omaha – 10/14 0325 – Poor, with the ‘Jim Bohannon Show,’ ads for ‘Equitable Bank (402-827-8100)’ and ‘McGough Law Firm Trial Lawyers for those accused of crime,’ ID: “KOIL . . . 1290 Omaha.” (KMD-MN)
- 1290 KUMA OR Pendleton – 9/30 0130 – Weak, with agricultural news and crop reports. ID, then gone! (HO-ID)
- 1300 KROP CA Brawley – 10/8 0900 – Legal ID for “KGBA 100.1 FM and KROP.” Rough copy in QRM. (JW-CO)
- 1300 KPMI MN Bemidji – 10/22 0850 – Poor, with “Davy Crockett” by Fess Parker (1955!) and Roy Clark songs. “AM 1300 the Legends.” (JJR-MI)
- 1300 WXRL NY Lancaster – 10/18 2102 – With Live ID for AM and FM translator. Classic Country prior to, and after Live ID. Poor, but atop. (JJR-WI)
- 1310 KYUL KS Scott City – 9/27 1600 – Strong, with legal ID during Kansas City Royals Baseball. Station is still simulcasting KIUL-1240, at least during part of the broadcast day. (RD-KS1)
- 1310 WDTW MI Dearborn – 10/15 0845 – This popped in while listening to WIBA. “LaZeta” and lively SS. Poor signal. (JJR-WI)
- 1310 KGLB MN Glencoe -10/12 0800 – Country songs, ads, “Classic Hit Country 1310 KGLB” ID. Fair/good, giving nearby KFKA a run for its money. (JW-CO)
- 1310 KGLB MN Glencoe – 10/21 1909 – Poor, with Satellite-delivered Classic Country. Some WCCW and no WIBA. Assumed, as lost. (JJR-MI)
- 1320 WFHR WI Wisconsin Rapids – 10/15 1930-1935 – On top with ads and prelim to High School football. Local KOZY (transmitter is about 5 miles from me) totally phased with Quantum Phaser. (JNS-MN)
- 1330 WKTA IL Evanston – 10/8 0115 – Strong, with Russian program and music. On day rig but not heard at this time on later nights. (KDF-IL)
- 1330 WKTA IL Evanston – 10/16 0841 – Very poor-to-poor, over weak KPTY, no WHBL, with Euro-dance type music. Assumed. Rare! (JJR-WI)

- 1340 KCBL CA Fresno – 10/21 0259-0301 – Popped out of the mix with local KWCY nulled, with Top-of-Hour ID by male: “KCBL, Fresno . . . and the iHeart Radio app” followed by Fox Sports sounder. 1 kW at 284 miles. (SB-CA)
- 1340 KJOX WA Kennewick – 10/12 0300 – Talk about UFOs and ‘gel dropping.’ Quick mention of Kennewick and then gone. (HO-ID)
- 1350 WBML GA Warner Robins – 10/18 0430 – (Tunes by) Cheap Trick, REO Speedwagon and Van Halen, then local ad block ending with “Georgia’s Greatest Hits, the All New Fox FM” into Phil Collins. Parallel station stream, which was a solid five minutes AHEAD of the air signal. How does that happen? (TK-FL)
- 1350 KRNT IA Des Moines – 10/18 0103 – Fair, with “This is Sport Center All Night 1350 KRNT,” PSA for “Your vote is your voice,” and ads for ‘Alexander’s Photo in West Des Moines’ and ‘Northern Lights Pizza.’ ID: “1350 Des Moines’ Sports Leader.” (KMD-MN)
- 1360 WKMI MI Kalamazoo – 10/22 2134 – ID: “WKMI Kalamazoo, Michigan,” then fade out. Poor reception. (MN-KY)
- 1360 KKBK MN Bemidji – 10/22 0954 – Very poor, with “of Bemidji, Talk-Radio 1360 and 106.3.” ‘Weatherology.’ (JJR-MI)
- 1360 KRKK WY Rock Springs – 10/14 0159 – Oldies music into Top of Hour ID, with inclusion of ‘KRKK.com.’ (SD-MN)
- 1370 KXTL MT Butte – 10/16 0340-0342 – Briefly on top, before being totally drowned out by KSOP, with ID by female: “KXTL 13-70 and 94.7 on your FM dial” back into ‘Coast-to-Coast’ on . . . vampires – of course! 5 kW at 868 miles. (SB-CA)
- 1390 KRRZ ND Minot – 10/22 1040 – Very poor, with “I Heart” promo, “Classic Hits 1390 KRRZ” into Eddie Money song. (JJR-MI)
- 1400 WQXO MI Munising – 10/11 0842 – Very poor, through WCCY (which was running a Sunday morning talk show), with tunes from Tom Jones and Michael Jackson, and “97-7 WQXO – Good Time Oldies.” More 50s, 60s and 70s OLDies. (JJR-MI)
- 1410 KTNK CA Lompoc – 10/14 0045 – In and out, with Classic Country music, ‘Legend Radio’ program. Top-of-Hour ID: “KTNK AM 14-10 and FM 1 oh 3.7 Lompoc, California.” Verie back. (MF-CA)
- 1410 WHLN KY Harlan – 10/21 1910 – “In the Air Tonight” at 1912 followed by ID at 1916 but no copy. “Rain on Me” at 1916 by Lady Gaga, then clear ID: “WHLN Harlan, Kentucky” at 1920. Fair reception. (MN-KY)
- 1410 KLFD MN Litchfield – 10/22 0927 – Very poor, with “1410 and 95.9 KLFD” in station promo. With/over/under WIZM. Another Country song. (JJR-MI)
- 1410 KOOQ NE North Platte – 10/22 1038 – “70s, 80s, 90s . . . 98-1 – 1410.” Rod Stewart song. Very poor, no WIZM. (JJR-MI)
- 1420 KTAN AZ Sierra Vista – 10/22 2359 – Poor, with Rock music, “Thunder 98-1 Rocks” slogan mixing with KMOG and XEXX. New. (MF-CA)
- 1420 WHK OH Cleveland – 10/15 0828 – Poor, with ‘Dennis Praeger’ in fade-up, over KTOE. “1420 The Answer.” (JJR-WI)
- 1420 KGIM SD Aberdeen – 10/22 0910 – Poor, with ‘Dan Patrick’ trading with KTOE. Popped in, out, just as fast. (JJR-MI)
- 1440 KUHL CA Santa Maria – 10/21 2241 – ‘The Savage Nation’ program, “The Information Station, AM 14-40 and FM 1 oh 6-3 KUHL Santa Maria” at Top-of-Hour. (MF-CA)
- 1440 WGEM IL Quincy – 10/7 0746 – Poor in QRM, with weather and call letter ID. (JW-CO)
- 1440 WGEM IL Quincy – 10/18 2058 – “ESPN 1440 and 98.9.” Poor, with others, including one SS (nulled), then faded. (JJR-WI)
- 1460 KKAQ MN Thief River Falls – 10/23 0915 – “Real Country 1460 & 98.5.” No sign of KXNO. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1460 CJOY ON Guelph – 10/23 0845 – “1460 – CJOY. ‘Eye of the Tiger’” Good ol’ AM music radio. Poor, no KXNO. (JJR-MI)
- 1470 WMBD IL Peoria – 10/25 0459 – Ad for ‘Childers Eatery,’ then Fox News at 0500. ID: “WMBD Peoria, Illinois” at 0505. Good reception. (MN-KY)
- 1470 KWAY IA Waverly – 10/17 1600-1609 – Country music, news and a couple of local ads before fading. Only station audible on 1470 but just above noise level. Nice to have KMNQ off the air. When on, they blast in here day and night. (JNS-MN)
- 1470 WFNT MI Flint – 10/22 0824 – “. . . on 1470 WFNT” after ad. Very poor, in with others. (JJR-MI)
- 1480 KSDR SD Watertown – 10/11 0905 – Very poor, with PSA tagged: “. . . sd.gov.” NO CALLS into “Fishing-Hunting-Outdoors” show. Nothing on station’s website. Not even a link! . . . ‘https://www.gowatertown.net/.’ Yikes! (JJR-MI)

- 1490 **KBKR** **OR Baker City – 10/1 1600** – Clear ID, local news and multiple mentions of ‘Grande Rhonde Hospital’ and ‘Baker City Downtown.’ Seems to be a simulcast from KLBM-1450 La Grande. Good signal for a while, then gone. KCID Caldwell off the air at that time. I have noticed that during the past few months many of the local low-power (stations) are off the air for a few hours a day. I think it's lack money. Even KBOI furloughed a few personnel, who have now returned. The smaller (market) stations are really struggling. **(HO-ID)**
- 1490 **WIGM** **WI Medford – 10/22 0843** – “. . . come to Spooky Hall in Medford, Hwy 54” Poor, in mess. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1500.15 +/- **KCLF** **LA New Roads – 10/18 0632** – Black Gospel into Ray Charles’ ‘What’d I Say (Part 1).’ Varying from 1500.05-1500.20 kHz. What's a week without someone else off-channel? Not to mention, not local SR-SS compliant. Parallel with Streema feed. **(TK-FL)**
- 1510 **KMSD** **SD Milbank – 10/22 1022** – Poor, with “9:22, Good Morning Milbank” No WRRD today. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1520 **KOKC** **OK Oklahoma City – 10/16 0659-0701** – Poor, underneath and then overwhelmed by KKZZ, with clear Top-of-Hour ID by male: “KOKC, Oklahoma City” into ‘CBS News on the Hour’ with a male anchor and with familiar Top-of-Hour ping and sounder. 50 kW at 1,076 miles. **(SB-CA)**
- 1530 **KQSC** **CO Colorado Springs – 10/16 0856** – Poor, well under, but persistent with a series of country tunes, with KFBK's morning drive program with local commercial by female noting “. . . admission is free” into male with clear mention of “Mountain Country . . . and now in Pueblo on 97-7.” Listed at 15 Watts nights, prior to their local sunrise, at 732 miles. **(SB-CA)**
- 1530 **WLCO** **MI Lapeer – 10/20 0856** – Poor, with songs by Deep Purple, The Doors and Ted Nugent. FINALLY, an ad with #810-410-81XX for “Weird Donuts between Maple and Hill, Flint” and “Classic Rock Channel 103-1.” Rare! **(JJR-MI)**
- 1550 **KICS** **NE Hastings – 10/22 0900** – Fair! Live ID for this // 1460 KXPB Kearney. Solid. But lost to CBEF. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1550 **KRPI** **WA Ferndale – 10/1 2307** – Still South Asian music, but reportedly has dropped the “Sher E Punjab” branding now that CKSP-600 has officially launched. About even signal strength with KKOY, which is unusual. **(JP-AB)**
- 1570 **KAKK** **MN Walker – 10/20 0634** – Poor, with detailed weather and temperatures for Walker, Grand Rapids and Park Rapids. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1580 **WIOL** **GA Columbus – 10/7 0712** – Presumed the one, pending an actual ID or local ads. Been hearing someone with “Columbus’s New Hits 104.5” slogan or sometimes just “The New Hits 104.5.” Otherwise, airing syndicated ‘Kidd Kraddick’ and AMore of the Kidd Kraddick Morning Show. . . 104.5, Home of the . . . 104.5.” W283DF would be the translator, and ex-CBS Sports if so. Lots of co-channel, mostly dominant WVOK’s Oldies and WLIJ’s Country/Bluegrass. Nothing on the WIOL website or streaming to indicate the flip and FM channel change. **(TK-FL)** Program web site <https://www.kiddnation.com/where-to-listen/> says WIOL 104.5 is an affiliate. – DY
- 1580 **KWLO** **UT Springville – 10/16 0835-0843** – Poor-to-Fair, underneath KBLA and mixing with KQFN, with Partridge Family tune followed by “Utah's Goat plays the best music of all time” by male into ‘The Locomotion’ by Little Eva and Eddie Money’s ‘Baby Hold On.’ Listed at 380 Watts nights at 514 miles. **(SB-CA)**
- 1590 **WNTS** **IN Beech Grove – 10/15 0753** – Poor, in fade up, with ‘La Pantera,’ tiger growl and SS music. With KGFK. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1590 **KMIC** **TX Houston – 10/18 0744** – Contemporary Spanish Christian vocals, parallel station stream. Briefly in well, then overwhelmed by channel hash. **(TK-FL)**
- 1590 **WPVL** **WI Platteville – 10/14 0820** – “. . . your Queen Bee Radio Stations” with how to advertise. PSA for ‘Postal Inspector of Wisconsin.’ Poor, but through others. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1600 **KXEW** **AZ South Tucson – 10/16 0245-0252** – Poor, with a few fair peaks under loud KYBC's oldies and KIVA's ‘Coast-to-Coast,’ with Tejano music. // iHeart stream. 1 kW at 329 miles. **(SB-CA)**
- 1600 **KLZG** **IA Algona – 10/17 1700** – Surfaced briefly with a nice station ID followed by a Country song. All alone on but back in the mud during the song. No sign of KPMP, Watertown, who usually dominates 1600 here day and night. Seems as though KPMP is temporarily off the air. **(JNS-MN)**



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Loggings of U.S. and Canadian stations by DXers in the Eastern & Atlantic time zones

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REPORTERS

- LB-NY** Linda Brodsky, Malverne – Sangean PR-D5, SDRPlay RSPDx with WJST-X decoder and You Loop
- BB-VA** Bill Brown, Richmond – SDRPlay RSPdx, amplified 5 meter loop, Quantum Loop 3.0
- BC-NH** Bruce Conti, Nashua – Excalibur SDR, variable termination 50 x 75-ft SuperLoop at 60° northeast.
- HJH-PA** Harry Hayes, Wilkes-Barre – Grundig S350, ALA-1530 loop
- KK-VA** Kraig Krist, Manassas – Winradio G33DDC SDR, Wellbrook ALA-1530S+ Imperium Loop
- GS-VA** George Santulli, Lovettsville – Drake R8B, Wellbrook 1530 ALA loop mounted outside on a pole with rotator.
- PS-ON** Paul Snider, London – Elad FDM-S2, Wellbrook ALA 1530 LN loop, MFJ-1020C tuner
- JW-PA** Jim Weber, Oyster Point – Grundig S350, Sony ICF2010
- NjW-ON** Niel Wolfish, Toronto – WinRadio Excalibur G31DDC + Wellbrook Loop
- DY-VA** David Yocis, Mount Vernon – SDRplay RSPdx, Wellbrook ALA1530LN
- MKB-ON** Mike Brooker, Toronto – Grundig YB-400PE, XHDATA D-808, Sony SRF-39FP, C Crane Skywave, Panasonic RF-2200

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DX TESTS

- 1360 WNJC NJ** Washington Township – 10/18 0300 – Sweep tones over and under WDRC. Also noted many of the FT-8 transmissions using a newly acquired SDR receiver (RSPDx with You Loop) with the WSJT-X decoder software. **(LB-NY)**

UNID

- 1530 unID --** – 10/7 1725 – In WCKY and WCTR mix noted promo for “Sean Hannity on News Talk 15-30 and 103.3 FM.” Leaning towards WOBX Wanchese, NC as an ad in the mix was noted mentioning area code 252. Looked online and unable to find program line up for either WOBX or WZTE Union City, PA which is also a Hannity affiliate. **(KK-VA)**

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- 1710 ---- MA** Springfield – 10/24 2100 – Fair, over unID dance music station; national park info. **(BC-NH)**

LOGGINGS

- 540 WFLF FL** Pine Hills – 10/15 2230 – Numerous local ads and PSA’s. ID as “WFLA News Center.” Fair and mostly alone with a loud rumble on the channel. **(HJH-PA)**
- +++** - 10/21 0559 – Fair; instrumental national anthem by the Orlando Philharmonic. **(BC-NH)**
- CBT NL** Grand Falls-Windsor – 10/24 2059 – Good, over WFLF; “This is CBC Radio One, 1400 AM in Gander,” and CBC promos. **(BC-NH)**
- CBK SK** Regina – 10/21 0734 – Over WGR-550 slop, “You’re listening to CBC Radio One, -5 [degrees C] in Regina” into local news. **(MKB-ON)**
- 550 WIOZ NC** Pinehurst – 10/18 2100 – C&W music, ID by man: “It’s 9:00. Time for the news on WIOZ AM Pinehurst,” several seconds of silence, to CBS news, over WGR. **(DY-VA)**
- 560 WVOC SC** Columbia – 10/21 2134 – Ads for Wealth Education Group and “No Excuses South Carolina” ID as “103.5 and 560 WVOC.” Strong signal. **(HJH-PA)**
- 580 CFRA ON** Ottawa – 10/14 2120 – ID as “News Talk 580.” Discussion about Covid regulations in Ottawa. Good signal. **(HJH-PA)**
- 590 VOXM NL** St. John’s – 10/24 2300 – Under WEZE *The Word*; “Coward of the County” by Kenny Rogers, parallel 650 CKGA. **(BC-NH)**

- 600 WMT IA **Cedar Rapids** – 10/15 0715 – In like ton of bricks with local sports, promo for Vikings football on “News Radio 600 WMT.” (MKB-ON)
- WSJS NC **Winston-Salem** – 10/20 2300 – Ad for North Carolina National Guard. Multi-station ID at ToH. Good. (HJH-PA)
- 640 CBN NL **St. John’s** – 10/24 2059 – Good; “This is CBC Radio One, 640 AM in St. John’s,” and CBC promos. (BC-NH)
- 650 CKGA NL **Gander** – 10/24 2300 – Over/under WSM Grand Ol’ Opry promo; “Coward of the County” by Kenny Rogers, parallel 590 VOCM. (BC-NH)
- CKOM SK **Saskatoon** – 10/15 0035 – Nulling WSM as best as I could, heard English speaking announcer mentioning “the voice of local news.” Wrote WNMT and KGAB who were suspects, but neither uses this slogan. Wrote to CKOM and they came right back with an audio clip of this exact phrase. Later checked my tape recording and did hear “K-O-M the voice of local news.” New and unexpected for sure. (GS-VA)
- 680 WCBM MD **Baltimore** – 10/14 2129 – With WPTF going off for a few hours, dominating with plenty of IDs, an ad for a year’s worth emergency food supply from mypatriotssupply.com, COVID information and into a discussion of the Barrett confirmation hearing. At 2129, a Spanish language station took over for a moment but I couldn’t catch an ID. WCBM was back at 2132 with the same ad for emergency food supply, an ad for an ED treatment and then into the Bob Sexton Show at “Talk radio 680.” (LB-NY)
- WRKO MA **Boston** – 10/15 0052 – Popped up with “WRKO” ID, then WCBM took over and continued to dominate past 0100. (LB-NY)
- WDBC MI **Escanaba** – 10/15 0026 – Briefly heard slower music in the mix with CFTR/CJOB/WNZK, clearly heard WDBC ID at 0028, more music then receded into the mix. Poor briefly. WPTF off for the evening. (PS-ON)
- CJOB MB **Winnipeg** – 10/15 0015 – Taking advantage of WPTF going off for some maintenance was rewarded with a weather report and numerous IDs from CJOB in Winnipeg. At first, thought it was Toronto because of the mention of minus 2 temperature, but then heard the -2 temp was at CJOB studios in downtown Winnipeg. (GS-VA)
- CFTR ON **Toronto** – 10/14 2359 – Dominating for a while with mentions of Ontario, Toronto, an ad for a tankless water heater, mention of cancer treatment, the Toronto bus system and COVID. (LB-NY)
- 710 WNTM AL **Mobile** – 10/7 0558 – Local spot for Mobile Bay Coins & Fine Jewelry, I-Heart Radio promo, and “News Radio 710 WNTM Mobile, 99.9 WMXC (?) Mobile “ ID. Fox news at 0700 and then faded below the Mexican anthem (which I assume was XEMP). No sign of usual WOR-New York. (NjW-ON)
- WYJV TN **Smyrna** – 10/8 0700 – Screaming preacher in Spanish. ID by a young girl that mentions an FM frequency at 0702. Mixing with one of the Mexican stations playing the Mexican national anthem (which all stations in Mexico are required to air at 0700 ET). (NjW-ON)
- 720 WRZN FL **Hernando** – 10/12 0658 – Under WGN-Chicago with the end of Moving Forward with Dr. Stephen Rummage. (NjW-ON)
- 730 WZGV NC **Cramerton** – 10/8 0659 – Local ad for Glenway Premium Pub in Belmont. ID: “730 The Game, ESPN Charlotte, WZGV Cramerton” (NjW-ON)
- 750 CBGY NL **Bonavista Bay** – 10/24 2059 – Fair, over WSB; “This is CBC Radio One, 1400 AM in Gander,” and CBC promos. (BC-NH)
- 760 WCIS NC **Morganton** – 10/15 1938 – Religious programs over muddled WJR, on past local sunset. Daytimer, should have been off the air? (BB-VA)
- 790 WETB TN **Johnson City** – 10/11 0659 – End of religious program. ID as “East Tennessee’s best, 790 WETB, Johnson City – Tri Cities” into another religious program from Bristol, TN with Dr. Hill. (NjW-ON)
- +++ - 10/22 2006 – Religious program, “WETB 790” ID. Only 72 watts, 285 miles from home. (BB-VA)
- WAYY WI **Eau Claire** – 10/24 0700 – Over usual WAEB with “WAYY Eau Claire...Sports Talk 105.1” ToH ID into ABC news. Also noted Twitter promo for [@SportsTalk1051](https://twitter.com/SportsTalk1051) at 0705. (MKB-ON)
- 820 WVSG OH **Columbus** – 10/22 0140 – Catholic Radio programming, loop E- W, this station and WBAP normally blocked by local WJFN. (BB-VA)
- WBAP TX **Fort Worth** – 10/22 0130 – “Red Eye Radio” loop E-W, local WJFN (WNTW) off the air for a couple of days. (BB-VA)



- 830 WKTX OH Cortland – 10/24 1853 – Over talk station (presumably WCCO) with urban gospel songs, “keep it locked on the Drum” slogan. (MKB-ON)
- 850 WKVL TN Maryville – 10/8 0700 – Faded up over WKNR-Cleveland with ID “WKVL 850 AM Maryville and WKVL 100.9 FM Maryville.” (NjW-ON)
- 900 WCPA PA Clearfield – 10/16 1851 – Friday night high school football: “Battlin’ Bisons football on Passport Radio,” list of sponsors in Clearfield, Philipsburg, and other central PA towns. (DY-VA)
- 910 WSUI IA Iowa City – 10/11 0700 – Iowa Public Radio Business Sponsorship Program promo. ID that also mentions KRNI in Mason City. (NjW-ON)
- 930 WHLM PA Bloomsburg – 10/16 1827 – Start of Friday High School football game of the week on “Sports HLM,” good. (DY-VA)
- 960 WKVX OH Wooster – 10/17 2200 – Promo, “The best music around from the 60s, 70s, and 80s, plus sports, news, and weather, all on AM 960 WKVX Wooster,” mostly alone. (DY-VA)
- 990 CBY NL Corner Brook – 10/24 2259 – Over/under *R.Guamá* Cuba; “This is CBC Radio One, 100.3 FM in St. Anthony.” (BC-NH)
- 1000 WRTG NC Garner – 10/16 1902 – Mexican music, bilingual ID: “WRTG One Thousand AM Raleigh, WLLM 1370 AM Clinton, WREV 1220 AM Reidsville, WSRP 910 AM Jacksonville, WLLQ 1530 AM Durham . . . La Grande MFA(?), la . . . cadena más importante de North Carolina,” good and alone. (DY-VA)
- 1010 WHIN TN Gallatin – 10/19 0713 – Pop music, ID by woman for “the new 101.7 and 10-10 AM WHIN,” good and atop. (DY-VA)
- 1040 WCHR NJ Flemington – 10/17 1959 – Promo for “hopeinacrisis.com” loop N-S, no WHO yet. (BB-VA)
- 1050 WVXX VA Norfolk – 10/11 2158 – SS ads, then poses the question we are all asking: “¿Qué estación escuchar? ‘La Selecta’ W277DF, WVXX Norfolk-Hampton Roads, esta es ciento tres punto tres FM, WRJR, Claremont, Virginia, La Raza, La Raza,” good over WEPN. (DY-VA)
- 1070 KNX CA Los Angeles – 10/12 0658 – Over CHOK-Sarnia with local ads for Video & Audio Center in Century City and Santa Monica and Tom Brown Lending. ToH ID and CBS news. (NjW-ON)
- WNCT NC Greenville – 10/17 1925 – Oldies “Groove Me Baby” rising over WINA Charlottesville UVA football postgame, both giving way to WFNI Indy “93.5 The Fan” MLB baseball. (BB-VA)
- 1080 WWNL PA Pittsburgh – 10/12 0700 – Creaming usual WTIC with “WWNL . . . Radio that changes the way you live” ToH ID into Friendship with God program. (MKB-ON)
- WKBY VA Chatham – 10/16 1841* – Good with full-data signoff announcement by male over instrumental SSB, overtaken by WWNL before the announcement was complete. (DY-VA)
- 1120 WKAJ NY Saint Johnsville – 10/16 0137 – “We are The Outlaw, 1120 AM” slogan, C&W oldies “San Antone” Charlie Pride, 0206 “Western Montgomery County.” No KMOX. WUST DC Black Information Network dominant during daylight hours. (BB-VA)
- 1140 WBXR AL Hazel Green – 10/9 *0700 – Sign on announcement: “WBXR Hazel Green-Fayetteville-Huntsville” mentioning a translator on 101.3 FM into Turning Point with Dr. David Jeremiah. (NjW-ON)
- WCJW NY Warsaw – 10/16 1830* – “CJ Country” signoff announcement with FMs to tune to in various counties, fair with WRVA. Not heard in quite a while. (DY-VA)
- CBI NS Sydney – 10/24 2259 – Good; “This is CBC Radio One, 92.1 FM in Glace Bay,” and CBC promos. (BC-NH)
- 1170 WFDL WI Waupun – 10/4 0700 – Out of Marvin Gaye’s “What’s Going On” with ToH ID that mentions their slogan “The Source,” FM 93.7 in Fond Du Lac and FM 103.3 in Waupun. (NjW-ON)
- 1230 WHUC NY Hudson – 10/16 1957 – Briefly over the din with C&W, “This is Country 107-3 WRWD.” 302 miles. (DY-VA)
- 1240 WSNJ NJ Bridgeton – 10/16 1847 – Liner: “You have the power to . . . on Pop 99.9, the power of positivity.” (DY-VA)
- 1300 WGDJ NY Rensselaer – 10/23 0530 – ID on the half hour with mention of sister station 98.7. (JW-PA)
- 1320 WATR CT Waterbury – 10/16 2000 – Station promo: “The nation’s top talkers are on WATR 1320 AM, your radio station for news talk and your favorite oldies, 1320 AM WATR Waterbury,” good and atop. (DY-VA)

- 1330 WYRD SC **Greenville** – 10/23 0215 – “Spartanburg ESPN Upstate” slogan, ESPN sports talk, adjacent to local 1340 WHAP filtered out by amazing RSPdx. **(BB-VA)**
- 1340 WGRV TN **Greeneville** – 10/19 0600 – “Wherever you are, WGRV.com, 99.5 FM, 1340 AM is WGRV Greeneville, Tennessee,” to TownHall news, rising up just in time in the mix. 360 miles. **(DY-VA)**
- 1350 CIRF ON **Brampton** – 10/25 0005 – South Asian music. Really blasting in tonight obliterating usual WARF. Good to fair. // to radiohumsafar.com stream. First time I’ve heard them. **(PS-ON)**
- 1360 WWOW OH **Conneaut** – 10/25 0206 – Clear ID: “Ladies and gentlemen, you are listening to 1360 AM, WWOW,” then Billy Joel “Piano Man.” Persistent signal with N/S radio orientation. **(JW-PA)**
- 1370 WLJW MI **Cadillac** – 10/21 2353 – Religious program, caught part of ToH ID “. . . 104.1 (WLJN – W281CG) Traverse City . . .,” into Washington Watch program. Fair at times to very poor with WSPD and KDTH. First time heard at this location. **(PS-ON)**
- WGHN MI **Grand Haven** – 10/19 2300 – Caught part of ToH ID where I thought I heard Grand Haven, but definitely heard 94.9 mention. “Hungry” by Paul Revere & The Raiders, “Grand Haven’s oldies 94.9” slogan at 2306, more oldies. Poor occasionally to very poor with WSPD and unknown standards station. // to wghn.com stream. **(PS-ON)**
- 1410 WNGL AL **Mobile** – 10/9 0700 – In mess with “this is Archangel Radio, WNGL” and Catholic programming. **(NjW-ON)**
 +++ – 10/20 2146 – Religious talk, mentions of Catholic Radio/EWTN, Archangel Radio pledge drive promo at 2158, ToH ID: “This is Archangel Radio WNGL, 1410 AM and 94.5 FM, Mobile.” Fair to very poor fighting with WHLN (fair to poor) and WING. // to Simple Radio stream. **(PS-ON)**
- WPCC SC **Clinton** – 10/20 0700 – Slightly garbled “WPCC” call sign ID on the hour, no other info noted. **(JW-PA)**
- 1440 WZYX TN **Cowan** – 10/18 2100 – C&W music, ID by man: “You’re listening to WZYX The Eagle, 1440 AM, 94.5, 95.3 FM, around the world wzyxradio.net, WZYX Radio, Cowan, Tennessee,” to Fox news, good and atop. **(DY-VA)**
- 1450 WLEC OH **Sandusky** – 10/14 0732 – Over graveyard jumble with “WLEC news time is 7:32” into local news mentioning Ohio Governor Mike De Wine. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1490 WLPA PA **Lancaster** – 10/2 0600 – ToH ID: “WONN-FM..WLPA Lancaster, ESPN Radio for Central Pennsylvania, ESPN Radio 92.5 and 92.7.” **(NjW-ON)**
- 1520 WARR NC **Warrenton** – 10/7 1728 – In mix of WWKB, other singing and religious talk with motorcycle engine revving sounds and station promo: “Well, hello there. It’s the ‘Drive Thru Theater’ . . . all the way around on the new WARR . . . and the new 103.5 FM on ‘Drive Thru Theater.’” **(KK-VA)**
- 1540 WYNC NC **Yanceyville** – 10/7 1842 – In multi-station mix (WACA, KXEL, WTXY, CHIN and Bahamas Radio Network ZNS-1) with ID by female: “WYNC coming to you. Music with a message.” **(KK-VA)**
- 1550 WKTF GA **Vienna** – 10/16 1957 – End of first quarter high school football game, Cougars lead 6-0, ID: “We’re the Crossroads, the all new WKTF AM 1550, home of conference sports . . . freestyle, and the crossroads of classic country and classic rock.” **(DY-VA)**
- 1580 WMYC OH **Columbus** – 10/19 2133 – “My 92.9” ID with slogan “70’s and more.” Ads for Mike’s Roofing and R&R Tire Express in Delaware, OH. Ex-WVKO. Very strong signal. **(HJH-PA)**
 +++ – 10/12 2242 – Pevnar 13 ad, weather, music by The Cure, Peaches & Herb, Sammy Hagar, “My 92.9” slogan at 2253, “WMYC Columbus...My 92.9” at 2256. Good at times to very poor with CKDO. // to my929.net stream. **(PS-ON)**
- 1590 WCGO IL **Evanston** – 10/17 2200 – “Smart Talk on WCGO and W240EH” ID, clear in the jumble. **(DY-VA)**
- 1600 WKKX WV **Wheeling** – 10/19 0612 – Local ad for Doan Ford (per Google, just over the river in Ohio), promo for “The Watch Dog” fading in and out of WWRL. **(DY-VA)**
- 1620 WNRP FL **Gulf Breeze** – 10/12 2308 – News read by female announcer, local ads for law firm, Chevy, Publix and Pete Moore Chevrolet (Pensacola), more news with mentions of Pensacola. Poor to very poor. // to Tune In stream. **(PS-ON)**



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TRANS-ATLANTIC DX

- 531 **ALGERIA** *Jil FM*, F'kirina Wilaya d'Oum El Bouaghi OCT 18 0458 – Fair; choral marching band national anthem parallel 549 kHz. [Conti-NH] OCT 19 2139 – Pop music, no doubt *Jil FM*, parallel 549 kHz, 600 kW each, common carriers in Oklahoma. [Hauser-ME] OCT 24 0558 – Fair; national anthem. [Conti-NH]
- 549 **ALGERIA** *Jil FM*, Sidi Hamadouche OCT 25 0458 – In 550 WDEV and WGR interference; choral marching band national anthem. [Conti-NH]
- 558 **IRAN** *IRIB R.Iran* synchros OCT 24 0100 – Under Spain; instrumental music parallel 585 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 558 **SPAIN** *RNE5 A Coruña//San Sebastián//Valencia* OCT 18 0200 – Fair; servicios informativos parallel 585 and 684 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 585 **IRAN** *IRIB R.Farhang*, Tehran OCT 24 0000 – Fair, surprised to find this instead of Spain; announcements with flute interludes. At 0100 over Spain; more announcements interspersed with flute music. [Conti-NH]
- 594 **SAUDI ARABIA** *SBC R.Riyadh*, Duba OCT 24 0300 – Good, now 20 dB stronger than adjacent 596 Morocco. [Conti-NH]
- 596 **MOROCCO** *SNRT Oujda* OCT 24 0200 – Solid s7 signal, easily 10 dB stronger than adjacent 594 Saudi Arabia but as usual under modulated. [Conti-NH]
- 603 **ROMANIA** *R.România Actualitati*, Botosani//Oradea OCT 24 0000 – Poor; hora exacta and time marker into news. [Conti-NH]
- 657 **IRAN** *IRIB R.Iran*, Kiashahr OCT 24 0100 – Fair, over Spain; instrumental music through the hour. [Conti-NH]
- 666 **PORTUGAL** *RDP Antena 1* synchros OCT 23 2300 – Poor; distinctive *RDP* time marker heard through lightning noise. [Conti-NH]
- 684 **SPAIN** *RNE1 Sevilla* OCT 12 0612 – Among 9-kHz TA carrier search, this one is strong enough and far enough from 10-kHz adjacents to pull some Castilian audio. WRTH lists as 600 kW and 200 kW. A bit off frequency causing a het with something else: 50 kW Tunisia the only likely and seemingly too close to Seville superpower; any directional arrays? MWoffsets shows RNE normally only -1 Hz low but sometimes +70-74 Hz high. [Hauser-OK]
- 693 **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC Radio 5*, Droitwich et al. OCT 16 2300 – Fair; canned ID, "This is BBC Radio Five Live," and BBC news at midnight with lead story about coronavirus. OCT 18 0400 – Good; "You're listening to BBC local radio and BBC Radio Five Live," into news, "BBC news at 5 o'clock..." [Conti-NH]
- 702 **IRAN** *VOIRI* Kiashahr OCT 18 0158 – Good; announcement with Iran or Tehran and Islam mentions, Persian guitar music. OCT 24 0100 – Fair; choral national anthem, then Koran. [Conti-NH]
- 774 **EGYPT** *ERTU Abis* OCT 24 0000 – Over/under Spain; Middle Eastern orchestra music. [Conti-NH]
- 810 **SCOTLAND** *BBC R.Scotland*, Burghead//Redmoss//Westerglen OCT 24 0100 – Under WGY; ID for BBC local radio, Five Live, and BBC Radio Scotland, time check into BBC news parallel 693 and 882 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 864 **EGYPT** *ERTU Santah* OCT 18 0100 – Good; Koran through the hour. [Conti-NH]
- 882 **UNITED KINGDOM** *BBC R.Wales*, Washford et al. OCT 24 0100 – Fair; ID for BBC local radio, Five Live, and BBC Radio Scotland, time check into BBC news parallel 693 and 810 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 954 **SPAIN** *Onda Cero*, Madrid OCT 17 0200 – Fair; time marker, "Noticias de Onda Cero." [Conti-NH]
- 1089 **UNITED KINGDOM** *TalkSport* synchros OCT 17 0000 – Fair; promo, "On TalkSport in association with Nationwide Building Society..." and canned ID into news from the Sky News Centre, parallel WEPN splattered 1053 kHz. OCT 18 0258 – Good; coronavirus PSA in ad string, "Wash hands, cover face..." and news on the hour, "From the Sky News Centre at 4." OCT 25 0300 – Good; canned ID, "This is TalkSport," and news, "From the Sky News Centre at 3," as the UK turned back the clock to standard time tonight. [Conti-NH]



BBC Scotland

- 1152 **ROMANIA** *R.România Actualitati*, Cluj OCT 18 0158 – Over/under Spain; choral national anthem. OCT 25 0258 – Fair, over/under Spain; choral national anthem, an hour later now as Europe turned back the clock to standard time tonight. [Conti-NH]
- 1179 **CANARY ISLANDS//SPAIN** *SER* synchros OCT 19 2224 – Castilian announcement; two in Iberia, one in Canarias. Also another language mixing, probably 400 kW Romania. [Hauser-ME]
- 1179 **ROMANIA** *R.România Actualitati*, Galbeni//Vascau OCT 25 0258 – Fair; choral national anthem parallel 1152 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1188 **IRAN** *IRIB R.Payam*, Tehran OCT 19 2220 – Strumming at S7, Payam ID in passing, i.e. 300 kW from Iran; and not the only other possibility, 400 kW Hungary. [Hauser-ME]
- 1215 **UNITED KINGDOM** *Absolute Radio* synchros OCT 16 2300 – Fair; end of ad string, sounder, “50 years of musical history, Absolute Radio,” and “My Generation” by The Who. OCT 24 2200 – Good; “For What It’s Worth (Stop, Hey What’s That Sound)” by The Buffalo Springfield, “Through the Decades, Absolute Radio,” and “Me and Julio Down by the Schoolyard” by Paul Simon. [Conti-NH]
- 1305 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros OCT 19 2136 – Good signal in Castilian; four *RNE5* synchros of 20, 20, 10 and 25 kW listed. I often have JBA carrier(s) in Oklahoma. [Hauser-ME]
- 1314 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros OCT 19 2135 – Castilian among the co-channel interference; three *RNE5* synchros listed at 20, 10 and 10 kW. [Hauser-ME]
- 1377 unID OCT 2133 – Intriguing low-audible-het between weak carriers. Major signal should be the megawatt *TWR* in Armenia at 1377.0002 kHz. Only likely offsets are two 50 kW from Iran on .914 and .97 per mwoffsets. [Hauser-ME]
- 1386 **LITHUANIA** *R.Baltic Waves*, Viesintos OCT 17 0359 – Poor to fair; NHK program in English, “And that wraps up this edition of... until then, sayonara.” Listed as NHK World in Russian at this time. 0400 time marker and start of Radio Poland broadcast. OCT 18 0400 – Fading up to good level; “Radio Poland, external service.” [Conti-NH]
- 1413 **MOLDOVA** *Vesti FM*, Grigoriopol OCT 16 2300 – Fair; touchtone sounder, time marker, another touchtone sounder, and fanfare into news. [Conti-NH]
- 1413 **SPAIN** *RNE5* synchros OCT 19 2132 – Castilian; has 3 outlets, 5, 10, 20 kW. [Hauser-ME]
- 1467 **FRANCE** *TWR Roumoules* OCT 19 2131 – Middle Eastern music, S9+5, presumably *TWR*, but no language details in WRTH. A 50 kW Saudi is also on 1467 kHz. [Hauser-ME] Language is Kayble until 2145 start of Arabic program per www.twr.org program schedule and mwlist.
- 1503 **SPAIN** *RNE5 La Línea de Concepción//Piñeira* OCT 19 2119 – Castilian; 2130 characteristic half-hour time signal and RNE ID. Two outlets, 5 and 2 kW. [Hauser-ME]
- 1512 **SAUDI ARABIA** *SBC R.Quran*, Jeddah OCT 19 2118 – Arabic, only one megawatt from Jeddah, Quran program via Khumra site, somewhat east of Mecca. [Hauser-ME]
- 1521 **SAUDI ARABIA** *SBC R.Riyadh*, Duba OCT 17 2228 – Good; telephone talk, audio cut at 2231, then carrier off. OCT 18 2230 – Good; open carrier, off at 2230:57. [Conti-NH] OCT 19 2103 – The 2-megawatt Riyadh program via Duba, S5-S7. Now closes circa 2230, so tough to get into deep North America. When it ran all-night, at least a het against 1520 KOKC was common in Oklahoma. But at midwinter I even had it, I think, around local noon, as reported at that time. [Hauser-ME] OCT 21 2225 – Solid s9; telephone talk, off at 2231 UTC. [Conti-NH]
- 1530 **ROMANIA** *R.România Actualitati*, Radauti OCT 19 2200 – 6-pip time signal, very unlikely from any North American station; probably one of two 15 kW from Romania, otherwise 3 kW from Madeira. In fact at 2219 recheck, Romanian conversation, not Portuguese. [Hauser-ME] Per WRTH and mwlist, *R.România Constanta* is off the air at this time, so this is *Actualitati*.
- 1548 **KUWAIT** *R.Sawa*, Kuwait City OCT 16 2300 – Good; canned Sawa ID by woman, Middle Eastern pop music. Co-channel *Gold* London must have corrected its antenna pattern, no longer received here. [Conti-NH]
- 1575 unID OCT 18 0100 – Solid s9, seemed to be an open carrier. OCT 23 0000 – Strong open carrier again. [Conti-NH]
- 1633 unID OCT 17 0600 – Poor; talk with distorted audio. Dutch pirate *Radio Barcelona* is often reported on 1633 in this time period. [Conti-NH]

Transatlantic carrier search: OCT 12 0610-0620: 558, 585(2), 612, 621, 639(2), *684(2), 693(2), 747, 774(2), 837(2), 846(TP), 882, 936, 999, 1026, 1035, 1044, *1053, 1089, 1098, 1107(2), 1116, 1125(2), 1134(2), 1152, 1215 kHz. OCT 13 0610 – 576, 621, 774(2), 855, 882, 936, 1044, 1089, 1098, 1107, 1116(2), 1125, 1134(2), 1305, 1503(2). OCT 15 0546 – 558, 576, 603, 612, 621, 639, 684*, 693, 738, 747, 774(2), 837, 855(2), 882, 891, 936, 1017, 1044(2), 1053*, 1089, 1098(2), 1107(2), 1116(2), 1152, 1215(2), 1305(2), 1422, 1503, 1584 kHz. OCT 17 0621 – 576(2), 585, 612, 621, 657, 684, 711, 774(2), 846(TP), 1044, 1089, 1098, 1107, 1125, 1215, 1305, 1413 kHz. *Strongest; in the case of 684 also audio. (2) = at least two carriers beating,

at widely varying pitches/rates. If I had the time, could count them and compare to possible sources at mwoffsets. Sometime I may also make educated guesses about each carrier. Despite this rather long list, if I were to immediately rescan and/or do it in 1 kHz/LSB instead of USB offset, would come up with some others which were temporarily obscured by music splash and/or random fading the first time. [Hauser-OK]

PAN-AMERICAN DX

- 539.83 **NICARAGUA** *R.Corporación*, Managua OCT 9 0131 – News talk with male announcer. Peaking to fair signal. [Beu-TX]
- 550 **HONDURAS** HRXT, *ABC Radio*, Tegucigalpa OCT 10 1115 – News talk format with male announcer, followed by attention signal (three ascending notes). Fair signal. [Beu-TX]
- 570 **COLOMBIA** HJND *R.Nacional*, Bogotá OCT 10 0603 – Lively music, male mentions “Radio Nacional de Colombia” at fair to good level over WTBN, then back into music. Relog. [Niven-TX]
- 710 **MEXICO** XEDP Cd. Cuauhtémoc, Chih. OCT 10 1220 – Lively Mexican vocals, then at 1223 male with canned slogan as *La Ranchera de Cuauhtémoc*; fair to good signal, mixed with KGNC. New. [Niven-TX]
- 720 **NICARAGUA** *R.Católica*, Managua OCT 10 0315 – Catholic religious service; peaking to good signal. [Beu-TX]
- 770 **COLOMBIA** HJJX, *RCN*, Bogotá OCT 9 0241 – News talk with male announcer; good signal. [Beu-TX]
- 810 **BAHAMAS** ZNS3 Freeport OCT 11 0900 – “Radio Bahamas” ID by woman announcer, followed by gospel music. The morning before at 1023, station was playing reggae/urban music. Good steady signal over WHB the last two days. Haven’t logged this station since early 2019. [Beu-TX]
- 810 **COLOMBIA** HJCY *Caracol Radio*, Bogotá OCT 10 0500 – Male mentioned *Caracol Radio*; nice signal with another station playing instrumental music. There was also another station with Mexican national anthem noted. Interesting there was no sign of *Radio Red* or KVTY this evening as they both dominant the frequency here in central Texas. Relog. [Niven-TX] OCT 10 1016 – News talk with man and woman announcers; fair signal. [Beu-TX]
- 950 **CUBA** *R.Reloj*, Arroyo Arenas//Camagüey-Isábel Hortensia//Santiago de Cuba-Frente OCT 25 0159 – Through WIBX; RR code and clock. [Conti-NH]
- 990 **CUBA** *R.Guamá*, Pinar del Río-Politécnico OCT 25 0259 – Over/under CBY; promo, “...de Radio Guamá, la señal sonora de la familia pinareña.” [Conti-NH]
- 1220 **MEXICO** XESAL Saltillo, Coah. OCT 17 1201 – Mexican national anthem, male with canned ID call letters and “Radio Universidad Agraria” at 1202; fair signal. Relog. [Niven-TX]
- 1620 **U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS** WDHP Frederiksted OCT 18 0415 – Urban style music, maybe an ID at 0416, more music. Poor to mostly very poor with interference from *R.Rebelde*. No ID heard, but definitely parallel to Tune In stream. [Snider-ON]



TRANS-PACIFIC DX

- 693 **JAPAN** JOAB, *NHK2*, Tokyo OCT 15 1119 – Male in Japanese speaking with a female, Japanese and English lessons noted with musical tunes in between Japanese/English words. New. [Niven-TX] OCT 18 1000 – Clear NHK time marker, otherwise poor through 690 CKGM interference. [Conti-NH]
- 747 **JAPAN** JOIB, *NHK2*, Sapporo OCT 9 1218 – English language lesson program with male and female announcers. Signal peaked at local sunrise to good readable level. Received on terminated Delta antenna aimed northeast. [Beu-TX] OCT 10 0900 – Japanese male talking, weak to fair at times, peaking to quite readable at times, then dips into the co-channel splash from 750 kHz. Relog. [Niven-TX] OCT 18 0959 – Fair, interference from 740 CFZM; announcement by woman over Japanese flute music bed, NHK time marker on the hour, parallel 693 and 774 kHz. Audio clip www.bamlog.com/747nhk-japan.mp3. [Conti-NH]
- 756 **SOUTH KOREA** 756 AM, Yeoncheon OCT 23 1000 – Carrier observed with 693, 747, 774, 819, and 828 also observed. Initially presumed JOGK Japan, but there have been a few reports this week by fellow DX'ers of clandestine 756 AM Yeoncheon, South Korea, 100 kW, which Mauno Ritola at RealDX/mwoffsets confirmed is now on 24 hours. [Conti-NH]
- 774 **JAPAN** JOUB, *NHK2*, Akita OCT 18 0900 – Poor; NHK time marker breaking through noise floor. At 0958 a much improved signal, interference from 770 WABC; man and woman in Japanese, then announcement by woman over Japanese flute music bed, NHK time marker on the hour. [Conti-NH]

- 972 **SOUTH KOREA** HLCA Dangjin OCT 18 1000 – Loud het against 970 WBGG ESPN; presumed HLCA with 1500 kW. Measured 972.000 kHz as listed. OCT 23 1000 – Carrier observed. [Conti-NH]
- 981 **TAIWAN** *Voice of Kuanghua*, Hsinfeng OCT 18 1000 – Het against 980 WCAP; presumed this 250 kW signal. Measured 980.999 kHz as listed. [Conti-NH]
- 1206 **CHINA** *Yanbian RGD*, Longjing OCT 18 1000 – Measured 1205.963 kHz, this the only signal listed with such a low offset, 200 kW. A much weaker signal observed at 1206 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- 1566 **SOUTH KOREA** HLAZ Jeju OCT 18 1000 – Poor, interference primarily from 1570 CJLV; bits of music breaking through, most certainly HLAZ. Measured 1566.999 kHz as listed. [Conti-NH]



Transpacific carrier search: OCT 18 1000 – In addition to the identified TP's, unID signals observed on 558, 594, 648, 666, 819, 828, 837, 846, 945, 1017, 1035, 1062, 1071, 1107, 1116, 1134, 1143, 1287, and 1557 kHz. [Conti-NH] OCT 22 1155-1203 – As I am rarely awake before sunrise here, while westcoasters have been reporting superb East Asian DX; 558, 567(2), 693, 702(2), 738(2), 747(2), 774, 819(2), 828, 846(2), 972(*strongest with some music at 1159, no time signal at 1200 = South Korea), 1044, 1098, 1107, 1206(off-frequency: mwoffsets shows 1205.96 Yanbian RGD Korean News General, Yanji/Longjing, China), 1611 kHz. [Hauser-OK]

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

GERMANY: Two of the antenna masts from *Europe 1* in Felsberg (183 kHz) are now history. They were taken down on October 20. [Christian Ghibaudo, mediumwave.info]

MEXICO: Reports are coming out of Mexico that 1310 XEQRMD Queretaro is testing with *W Radio* programming. [Tim Hall, NRC Facebook group]

NEW ZEALAND: RNZ 918 AM, Newstalk ZB 1053 AM, Coast 1359 AM moving off-air. In mid-November RNZ will be decommissioning its aging AM radio transmitter site at Bell Block. The transmitter serves some areas north of New Plymouth and some areas south and southwest of the city. Radio listeners on AM frequencies served by the site will need to retune to alternative frequencies to continue receiving RNZ National, as well as Newstalk ZB and Coast Radio. Listeners to RNZ National on 918 AM will need to retune to their local 101.2 FM frequency or choose alternative ways of listening via the RNZ website www.rnz.co.nz and app, www.iheartradio.co.nz or on the iHeartRadio app, and Freeview channel 50/SKY Channel 421. Some RNZ listeners may still be able to receive an AM signal by retuning to 567 AM. Listeners to Newstalk ZB on 1053 AM will need to re-tune to 96.4 FM or listen on the iHeartRadio app. Listeners to Coast on 1359 AM will need to re-tune to 106 FM or listen on the iHeartRadio app. [Taranaki Civil Defence Emergency Management via Bryan Clark, DXing.info Facebook group]



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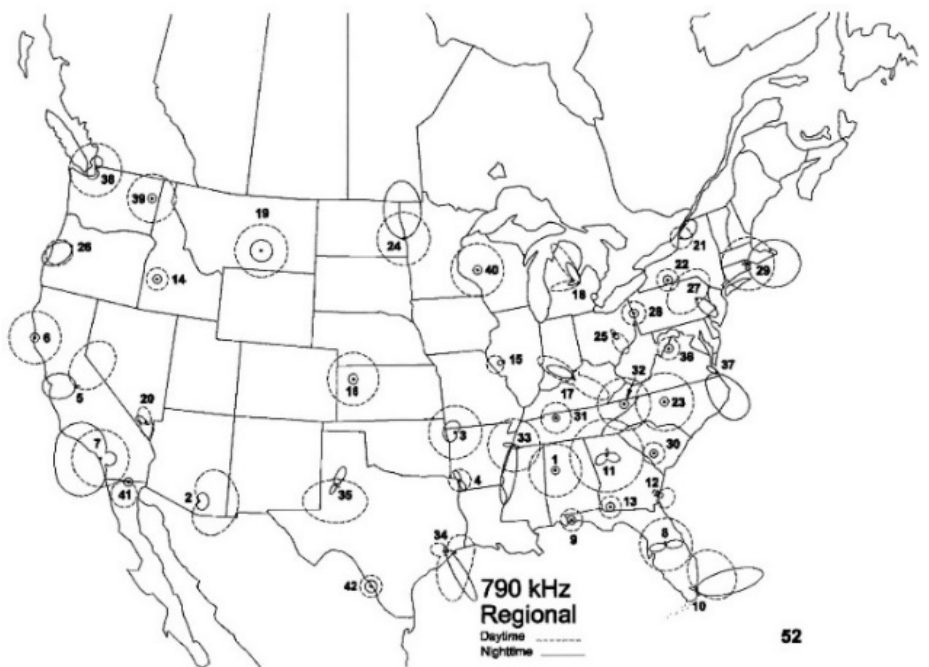
Here it is October 25 at 4PM snowing and 17 degrees! Winter is here. Gradually working my way through my September tapes and have gotten through 0200 September 11. I'm now up to 280 from 208 in the logbook for the season. I'm in the process of redoing my shack and everything will be shifting around, so it's been hit and miss. Here are the highlights of what didn't hit last year's log. 9/7 0600 KTNZ-1010 Amarillo "Catholic Radio on the High Plains" multi-station ID. 9/9 KXRB-1140 0359 out of C&W "KXRB 1140 AM Sioux Falls" This was a needed call change from KSOO. Also 9/9 KBZZ-1270 Henderson NV 0500 "Oldies 92.5" to Jefferson Airplane song, 0500 from Willmar MN "KDJS & K289CO AM 1590 and FM 105.7" to Fox News. This was needed for a tape for the collection. The 9/9 0700 "AM 1400 KODI Cody" to Fox News, 0700 "AM 1060 KGFX Pierre and rebroadcasting on K296FI..." to ABC News and finally "KBJM AM 1400 Lemmon...Your source for Lemmon area news & weather 24 hours a day and 7 days a week" to USA Radio News for a new one! 09/10 2200 1490 "KDRO Sedalia" up briefly with then on to 1450 2300 "NewsTalk KOBE" from Las Cruces NM. 09/11 0000 "KZZN Littlefield" and my stopping point at 0200 1550 "KYAL Sapulpa..." multi station ID "The Sports Animal". I have a few more tapes that were made on dates where WNJC-1360 was testing. After I'm through with the shack I'll run those and see if I have any FT8 decodes. I've been spending some time creating backups of all the content and pages at nationalradioclub.org. We're backing everything to a NAS drive in the shack and Dropbox. I still have a variety of audio features to add to the site but for now that will stay on the back burner until I get myself organized! After the shack the next project is finishing the MLA (Magnetic Loop Antenna) project. Hope everyone is staying safe and enjoying DX! 73

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Unreported Domestic Stations

No new stations were reported to DDXD this issue for the first time since at least Volume 67 (1999-2000). The closest we came is KTNK-1410, which was last reported (as KTNE) in volume 67 issue 29. We still have 280 full-power AM stations in the United States and Canada that have not been reported to DDXD at all during this time. The full list was printed in issue #1. Can you log and report one for next time?

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