

DX News

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RIP: Legendary station owner, operator, and DJ Bob Bittner passed away on May 26. He was involved with WJIB and WBAS in Massachusetts and with WJTO, WLVP, and WLAM in Maine.

His broadcasting life was devoted to music featuring an easy mix of light rock oldies, classic country, crooners, and big bands. He had extraordinary knowledge of the material he played and also of the broadcasting business - the good and bad of it. His knowledge also extended into the technical side of things including an appreciation of how signals get from transmitter to receiver and, as many DXers do, he understood how receivers, antennas, terrain, salt water, weather, the ionosphere, and man-made interference can all play a part in the success or failure of a potential listening experience.

I met Bob Bittner either at one of the NH ham radio fleamarkets (HossTraders / NEAR-Fest) or along with other "Boston Radio Interest Group" notables such as Donna Halper and Dan Strassberg at a get-together held at Gary's Ice Cream in Chelmsford, MA back on 18 JUN 2011.

He will be greatly missed. – Mark Connelly.

More info:

<https://www.universalhub.com/2023/bob-bittner-easy-listening-king-am-band-dies>

<https://www.cbsnews.com/boston/news/bob-bittner-dies-wjib-cambridge>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/WJIB740>

From the Publications Center: Between increased costs for postage and printing, we have been forced to increase the prices for the NRC bound volumes (Antenna Reference Manuals, etc.). The new prices are already reflected on the club web site.

The final station updates for the 43rd Edition of the *NRC AM Log* can be found in this issue; the 44th Edition will be ready in August. Preorder details should be available next issue.

From the Publisher: The FCC web site continues to have some serious gaps as they continue to migrate to a new electronic filing system. We're doing our best to keep up in *AM Switch!*

From the Archives

75 Years Ago: From the July 3, 1948 issue of *DX News*: A comprehensive list of sunrise and sunset times for cities across the United States will begin to appear in this issue of *DX News*. A plug was made for the new *World Radio Handbook*, published in Denmark.

50 Years Ago: From July 11, 1973 issue of *DX News*: Michael Hardester published a review of the new portable Barlow Wadley XCR-30. Andy Rugg offered tips for safeguarding one's "DX treasures."

25 Years Ago: From the June 15, 1998 issue of *DX News*: A major aurora in the first week of May opened up much DX; the auroral zone was said to have reached into North Carolina.

10 Years Ago: From the July 8, 2013 issue of *DX News*: Niel Wolfish and Ken Alexander reported on a May DXpedition to Louisbourg, Nova Scotia.

All *DX News* back issues through *Volume 89* are available online at <https://nationalradioclub.org/dx-news-archives/>.

Volume 90 DXN Schedule

| No | D'dline | Print | 19 | Aug. 13 | Aug. 22 |
|----|---------|---------|----|----------|----------|
| 18 | July 9 | July 18 | 20 | Sept. 10 | Sept. 19 |

Membership Report

"Please renew me for another year." – Robert Pote

"Well, we finally got some good news about AM radio. Ford and its imitators bowed to nearly everybody by stating that they would not ban AM radios after all. At least this year." – Doug Beard

New Members: Welcome to Robert Wetherell, Orinda, CA; and Ryan Speer, Blacksburg, VA.

Renewing Members: Thanks for the ongoing support from James Bagge; Doug Beard; Michael Beu; Joseph Burke; Steve Chappell; Mike Clancy; John Connor; Lee Freshwater; Russell A. Lay; Hugh O'Riordan; Kirk P. Patterson; William Piva; Robert C. Pote; Paul Thomas; and Webster Williams.

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FCC and CRTC Decisions and Applications



CALL CHANGES

Call changes recognized in FCC databases:

- 840 KJFA NM **Belen** – Granted call change to KDNF (effective June 1).
- 1200 WYSN WV **Huntington** – Granted call change to WJOE (effective May 19).
- 1320 KSDT CA **Hemet** – Granted call change to KWQQ (effective June 4).
- 1360 KLYR AR **Clarksville** – Granted call change to KGMR (effective May 30).
- 1540 KDYN AR **Ozark** – Granted call change to KLYR (effective June 6).

Actions on requested call changes (not yet reflected in FCC databases):

- 910 WXJX PA **Apollo** – Applies for call change to WJFG (to be effective June 1).
- 990 WNTI PA **Somerset** – Granted call change to WGGI (was to be effective May 4).
- 1010 WTZA GA **Atlanta** – Granted call change to WXKG (was to be effective May 23).
- 1240 WIOV PA **Reading** – Granted call change to WRLD (was to be effective May 1).
- 1450 KZNU UT **Saint George** – Granted call change to KSGO (to be effective June 15).
- 1480 WCNS PA **Latrobe** – Applies for call change to WJFA (to be effective June 1).

STATIONS GOING DARK

- 730 KDBI ID **Boise** – License cancelled May 30 at licensee's request; silent since July 1, 2022.
- KEZX OR **Medford** – License cancelled May 22 at licensee's request; silent since Oct. 14, 2022.
- 1450 KBEN TX **Carrizo Springs** – License cancelled May 31 by the FCC; silent since Aug. 23, 2021 and has not responded to FCC inquiries.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS (CPs) FOR EXISTING STATIONS

CPs on the air:

- 1340 KQIS AR **Springdale** – Granted modification of license, CoL ex-Bethel Heights AR; no change to physical facilities.
- WLSG NC **Wilmington** – Granted license to cover CP with new site at 34-16-02/77-53-34, remaining U1 1000/1000.
- 1440 WLIM NY **Medford** – Granted license to cover CP with U1 1000/28, existing site.
- 1580 KWED TX **Seguin** – Granted license to cover CP with U1 1450/300, new site at 29-33-46/98-03-29.

CPs built, approaching final licensing (and probably being used on the air):

- 1150 WJEM GA **Valdosta** – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 2300/50, existing site.
- 1190 KREB AR **Gentry** – Applies for license to cover CP with D1 3000, new site (diplexed with KFFK-1390) at 36-24-41/94-27-03, CoL ex-Bentonville-Bella AR.
- 1380 KRKO WA **Everett** – Granted program test authority on CP to modify night pattern.
- 1390 KFFK AR **Decatur** – Applies for license to cover CP with D1 800, new site (diplexed with KREB-1190) at 36-24-41/94-27-03, CoL ex-Rogers AR.
- 1440 WMVB NJ **Millville** – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 460/46, adjust coordinates to 39-25-18/75-01-14 and granted program test authority.
- 1520 WIZZ MA **Greenfield** – Application dismissed for program test authority on CP with D1 1000 (ch 160), new site (diplexed with WHMQ-1240) at 42-35-20/72-37-05.
- 1600 WRSB NY **Brockport** – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 300/5, ex-1590 kHz, adjust coordinates to 43-11-45/77-57-07, and applies for program test authority.



CPs granted:

- 720 WGN IL **Chicago** – Granted CP with new tower at 42-00-43/88-02-02.

- 830 WQZQ TN **Goodlettsville** – Granted CP with U1 2500/3, new site (diplexed with WFCN-1200) at 36-12-30/86-52-21; change from original application which was to diplex with WYGI-1430 – which has now itself lost its licensed site (see below).
- 990 CBF-16 QC **Clova** – LPRT granted move to 95.1 MHz FM.
- 1040 WYSL NY **Avon** – Granted CP with U7 27000/500 (ch 10000), existing site; day power is increased and pattern modified, new day pattern will be used during critical hours but with lower power.
- 1080 KSCO CA **Santa Cruz** – Granted CP with U1 10000/28, adjust coordinates to 36-57-42/121-58-51.
- 1260 WSHU CT **Westport** – Granted CP with U1 690/72, new site (current STA site) at 41-07-41/73-23-26.
- 1480 WPFR IN **Terre Haute** – Granted CP with U1 244/30, adjust coordinates to 39-30-05/87-23-11.
- 1480 WNKW KY **Neon** – Granted CP with U1 1000/13, new site (tower of recently deleted WKVG-1000) at 37-09-59/82-37-13; not U1 1600/13 in Jenkins KY as in original application, will remain licensed to Neon KY.

Modification to previously issued CP granted:

- 1090 WILD MA **Boston** – Granted amendment to CP, now with D1 2600 (ch 1750), different new site (diplexed with WBIX-1260) at 42-16-30/71-02-32.

Applications for CP received:

- 590 CJCW NB **Sussex** – Applies to move to 92.9 MHz FM.
- 910 CKDQ AB **Drumheller** – Applies to move to 92.5 MHz FM.
- 940 CJGX SK **Yorkton** – Applies for CP with U1 50000/690.
- 1270 WACM MA **Springfield** – Applies for CP with U1 800/180, new site (diplexed with WSPR-1490) at 42-05-55/72-37-45.
- 1310 KKZI CA **Barstow** – Applies for CP with U1 1000/80, adjust coordinates to 34-54-51/117-01-04.
- 1320 WVNZ VA **Richmond** – Applies for CP with U1 350/8, CoL to Ashland VA, new site (diplexed with WHAN-1430) at 37-44-47/77-29-44; would replace existing CP to move to East Highland Park VA and a different new site.
- 1340 WQSC SC **Charleston** – Applies for CP with U1 600/600, new site (diplexed with WTMZ-910) at 32-52-20/79-58-36.
- 1370 KFRO TX **Longview** – Applies for CP with U1 2000/100, existing site; an increasingly rare application to increase (day) power.



SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY (STA)

STAs granted:

- 830 WKTX OH **Cortland** – Granted STA, D1 350, backup transmitter.
- 920 KSVA NM **Albuquerque** – Granted STA, U1 550/130, combiner at multi-station antenna site malfunction.
- 1150 KNMM NM **Albuquerque** – Granted STA, U1 550/105, combiner at multi-station antenna site malfunction.
- 1220 KZEE TX **Weatherford** – Granted STA, U1 400/50, highway built through antenna field tore up the ground system.
- 1270 KEPS TX **Eagle Pass** – Granted STA, U1 600/25, 100' LW at 28-42-50/100-27-52, has lost licensed site and needs to broadcast by June 30 to maintain license.
- 1300 WFFG FL **Marathon** – Granted STA, U1 250/250, silent station needs to broadcast.
- 1360 KBRL NE **McCook** – Granted STA, U1 1250/34, flooding in transmitter building.
- 1380 WWNT NC **Winston-Salem** – Granted STA, U1 100/100 from backup transmitter.
- 1390 KLTX CA **Long Beach** – Granted STA, U1 1250/1150 or U1 1250/1000 from one tower while KFRN-1280 is being diplexed into the KLTX antenna system.
- 1450 WFRA PA **Franklin** – Granted STA, U1 200/200, power module to be replaced.
- 1480 WRCK NY **Remsen** – Granted STA, D1 1680, power module failure.
- 1600 WLAA FL **Winter Garden** – Granted STA, D1 1000, tower at 28-34-08/81-31-09.
- 1600 KLGZ IA **Algona** – Granted STA, U4 1000/125, daytime pattern 24 hours.

Applications for STA received:

- 1280 KRVM OR **Eugene** – Notified the FCC it has been running reduced power (unspecified) since May 13 when vandals severed a transmission line.
- 1310 WYND FL **Deland** – Applies for STA, U1 2500/115 from backup transmitter, damage from Apr. 26-27 storms.

In addition, KCTA-1030 Corpus Christi TX had been operating at reduced power with transmitter problems for several months, but notified the FCC it's back to full power as of June 6.

Extensions of prior STAs granted (usually for an additional 6 months):

- 720 WHYF PA **Shiremanstown** – Granted STA extension, D1 2000, LW at 40-12-58/76-58-08.
- 900 WNMB SC **North Myrtle Beach** – Granted STA extension, U1 50/50, 61m LW at 33-50-05/78-47-03.
- 970 WFUN OH **Ashtabula** – Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
- 980 WDVH FL **Gainesville** – Granted STA extension, U1 250/166.
- 1080 KSCO CA **Santa Cruz** – Granted STA extension, U1 10000/28.
- 1110 WPMZ RI **East Providence** – Granted STA extension, D3 1000 and parameters at variance.
- 1200 WSML NC **Graham** – Granted STA extension, D1 10000.
- 1320 WDMJ MI **Marquette** – Granted STA extension, CP tower with reduced power.
- 1340 KBNW OR **Bend** – Granted STA extension, U1 1000/500, 100' LW at 44-03-32/121-17-57.
- KSGT WY **Jackson** – Granted STA extension, U1 500/500, 100' LW at 43-27-43/110-45-10.
- 1360 KWDJ CA **Ridgecrest** – Granted STA extension, U1 250/31.
- 1430 WTMN FL **Gainesville** – Granted STA extension, U1 1000/45.
- 1450 KQTE CA **Helendale** – Granted STA extension, U1 50/50, 170' LW at 34-45-54/117-14-19.
- KHIT NV **Reno** – Granted STA extension, reduced power (unspecified).
- 1520 KOKC OK **Oklahoma City** – Granted STA extension, U1 10000/10000, tower at 35-20-01/97-30-18.
- 1650 KFSW AR **Fort Smith** – Granted STA extension, U1 500/500.

Applications to extend previously granted STAs received from WAAX-570 Gadsden AL, WSJS-600 Winston-Salem NC, KILT-610 Houston TX, KTXV-890 Mabank TX, KAHI-950 Auburn CA, WORL-950 Orlando FL, KNEW-960 Oakland CA, WHYL-960 Carlisle PA, KTCT-1050 San Mateo CA, WKJK-1080 Louisville KY, KFAX-1100 San Francisco CA, WTJZ-1110 Norfolk VA, KWKY-1150 Des Moines IA, WGDL-1200 Lares PR, WREV-1220 Reidsville NC, KPOW-1260 Powell WY, WHGS-1270 Hampton SC, KHTW-1300 Lumberton TX, WENA-1330 Yauco PR, WWRF-1380 Lake Worth FL, KMYC-1410 Marysville CA, WOC-1420 Davenport IA, KGIM-1420 Aberdeen SD, KRIZ-1420 Renton WA, WPRD-1440 Winter Park FL, WXRQ-1460 Mount Pleasant TN, WYZE-1480 Atlanta GA, WBSG-1510 Lajas PR, KXPA-1540 Bellevue WA, WUSP-1550 Utica NY, WZUM-1550 Braddock PA, WFME-1560 New York NY, WSMN-1590 Nashua NH, and WLXE-1600 Rockville MD.

SILENT STATIONS

Stations notifying the FCC that they are silent:

- 830 WQZQ TN **Goodlettsville** – Silent June 2, has lost licensed site.
- 980 WTOT FL **Marianna** – Silent May 18, necessary equipment is being moved.
- 1110 WTOF AL **Bay Minette** – Silent (again) June 1, has now lost STA site as well.
- 1190 KNEK LA **Washington** – Silent May 2, significant transmitter problems.
- 1300 WFFG FL **Marathon** – Silent (again) May 26, longtime issues with getting power to remote island where transmitter is located and the prohibitive cost of carrying generator fuel to the island by boat.
- 1300 WMVO OH **Mount Vernon** – Silent May 11, ongoing issues with QRM to nearby tower.
- 1320 WENN AL **Birmingham** – Silent May 1, transmitter failure.
- 1380 WWNT NC **Winston-Salem** – Silent (again) June 9, new owners want to wait for noncommercial status.
- 1400 KJYE CO **Delta** – Silent May 26, waiting for transmitter parts.
- 1430 WYGI TN **Madison** – Silent June 7, needs to relocate to a new transmitter site.
- 1460 KARR WA **Kirkland** – Silent May 24, will go permanently silent when KBRO moves to 1480; is retaining license and may broadcast annually to maintain license as needed until KBRO's CP is completed.
- 1590 WABV SC **Abbeville** – Silent May 25, financial issues.

Formerly silent stations notifying the FCC that they are on the air:

- 920 KLMR CO **Lamar** – Silent since July 23 (2022); on air with STA May 8 (but using only U1 2500/125, not 5000/125 as authorized in the STA).
- 1010 WCKW LA **Garyville** – Silent since June 13 (2022); back on the air May 26.
- 1190 KREB AR **Bentonville-Bella** – Silent since Nov. 2021; on the air with CP facilities May 1, 2022 (but just notified the FCC on June 5, 2023).
- 1300 WFFG FL **Marathon** – Silent since June 1 (2022); on the air with STA May 15.
- 1340 KJMU OK **Sand Springs** – Silent since Jan. 8; on the air with U1 125/250 May 24.
- 1360 KNGN NE **McCook** – Silent since July 1 (2022); on the air May 22.

- 1380 **WWNT NC Winston-Salem** – Silent since June 3 (2022); on the air with STA May 15.
 1390 **KFFK AR Rogers** – Silent since Nov. 2021; on the air with CP facilities May 1, 2022 (but just notified the FCC on June 5, 2023).
 1400 **KITZ WA Silverdale** – Silent since June 3 (2022); on the air with STA May 30.
 1480 **WRCK NY Remsen** – Silent since June 1 (2022); on the air with STA May 29.
 1600 **WLAA FL Winter Garden** – Silent since Sept. 29 (2022); on the air with STA May 1.

FCC silent list as of June 12, 2023 (96 stations)

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|-----|---------|------|---------|------|---------|------|-----------|
| 540 | WGOP-MD | | KICA-NM | | WFFG-FL | | WVCB-NC |
| | KNAK-UT | 1000 | WCCD-OH | | WMVO-OH | 1430 | WYGI-TN |
| 580 | KANA-MT | 1010 | KXPS-CA | | KDSO-OR | 1440 | WGMI-GA |
| 650 | WSRO-MA | | WHKT-VA | 1310 | KZYP-AR | | WIBU-IL |
| 690 | KCEE-AZ | 1080 | KWAI-HI | 1320 | WENN-AL | 1450 | KVBV-CO |
| | KRGS-CO | 1090 | KVOP-TX | 1330 | WYRD-SC | | WELY-MN |
| | WADS-CT | 1110 | WTOF-AL | 1340 | KPGE-AZ | 1460 | KARR-WA |
| 700 | WQVD-MA | | WJML-MI | | WKCB-KY | 1480 | KRXR-ID |
| 720 | KDWN-NV | 1140 | KXST-NV | | WVNR-VT | | WNKW-KY |
| 750 | WOUF-MI | | WXLZ-VA | | WKEY-VA | 1490 | KSVC-CA |
| | KAMA-TX | 1190 | KNEK-LA | | WXKX-WV | | WTVL-ME |
| 830 | WQZQ-TN | 1200 | KPSF-CA | 1350 | WELB-AL | | KFCR-SD |
| 850 | WKGE-PA | 1210 | WJNL-MI | | WZKO-FL | 1500 | WAKE-IN |
| 860 | KOSE-AR | 1220 | WSLM-IN | 1360 | WYOS-NY | 1520 | WVXN-WI |
| 920 | KQBU-TX | | KQMG-IA | 1370 | KWRM-CA | 1530 | KMAM-MO |
| | KFLB-TX | | KZEE-TX | 1380 | WWNT-NC | | KVOG-Guam |
| 940 | WINE-CT | 1230 | WXCF-VA | 1390 | KHOB-NM | 1540 | KZMP-TX |
| 950 | WYWY-KY | 1240 | KVRC-AR | 1400 | KJYE-CO | 1550 | WAZX-GA |
| 960 | KCGS-AR | | KRAL-WY | | WZHR-FL | | KRMI-UT |
| | WHAK-MI | 1270 | KEPS-TX | | KSPT-ID | 1560 | WCNW-OH |
| 970 | WCHN-NY | 1280 | KNBY-AR | | WJZN-ME | 1580 | KTLU-TX |
| | WWYO-WV | | WANS-SC | | KREW-TX | 1590 | WABV-SC |
| 980 | KDBV-CA | 1290 | KJEF-LA | 1410 | WZBR-MA | | KDAV-TX |
| | WTOT-FL | 1300 | KSMD-AR | | WEGO-NC | 1600 | KTUB-UT |

NON-COMMERCIAL STATUS

- 1030 **WKEG MI Sterling Heights** – Applies for noncommercial status.

NRC AM Log Updates

My thanks to Bruce Portzer for a healthy dose of Seattle area updates. As Bruce said to me, "Here are some items for the NRC Log. Basically, they're additions or corrections to last year's log that you may or may not already have covered." Why don't you check your locals and send in an update for the 44th Edition of the *AM Radio Log*?

This will be the last *Log* update portion of AM Switch until after the new *Log* comes out about August 1. Remember that your pesky local is the next DXer's DX catch!

- 670 **KMZQ NV Las Vegas** – Slogan to "Talk Radio Done Right." (DXM)
 710 **KIRO WA Seattle** – Slogan to "Seattle Sports." (BP)
 730 **KULE WA Ephrata** – Slogan & Group to Grp= La Estación de la Familia. (BP)
 760 **KMTL AR Sherwood** – Slogan & Group to Grp= La Raza. (StIntel)
 840 **KDNF NM Belen** – Format to C&W (ex-SS:HipHop), slogan to "Genuine Country," adds // KTRL-102.9; delete Grp= Fuego 102.9 (StIntel)
 910 **KVIS OK Miami** – Saw a report that says KVIS is now C&W from GOS/REL... anyone able to confirm or deny it? The website still has the "King's Vision" logo, but the steam doesn't work. (GH) did some checking and was unable to get any positive ID (WH)
 910 **WXJX PA Apollo** – Format to TLK (ex-OLD); slogan & Group to Grp= Pittsburgh's New Talk (ex-Grp= Westmoreland Gold). (RI)
 920 **KLMR CO Lamar** – Format to C&W/TLK (ex-NWS/TLK/SPTan), slogan to "The Country Giant," networks to A/C2C. (RI)
 940 **KIXZ TX Amarillo** – Networks to Fox/Tx/CMP/P/WW1/C2C. (WH)
 970 **KTTO WA Spokane** – Slogan & Group to Grp= Sacred Heart Radio. (BP)



- 1010 WORM TN Savannah – Format to C&W (ex-OLD), slogan to “101 the Worm,” adds // WORM-FM-101.7. (StIntel)
- WUKZ VA Marion – Slogan to “KZ 105.1 FM,” delete Grp= KZ 101. (StIntel)
- 1030 KMAS WA Shelton – Format to OLD (ex-NWS/TLK), delete slogan, networks to A. (BP)
- 1050 KBLE WA Seattle – Delete slogan; delete // K262CX-100.3; Group to Grp= Sacred Heart Radio. (BP)
- 1070 WFLI TN Lookout Mountain – Format to TLK (ex-OLD); networks to Fox/P. (RI)
- 1150 KKNW WA Seattle – Format to NWS/TLK/ETH (ex-NWS/TLK), delete slogan; networks to Nn. (BP)
- 1160 WCXI MI Fenton – Format to REL (ex-TLK), delete slogan, networks to OvC. (DXM)
- 1180 KLAY WA Lakewood – Slogan & Group to Grp= Sacred Heart Radio. (BP)
- 1190 WJPJ TN Humboldt – Format to SPT (ex-TLK), slogan to “Fox Sports Jackson 99.9,” networks to FSR; delete Grp= NewsTalk West Tennessee. (StIntel)
- 1220 WOTS FL Kissimmee – Slogan to “La Voz 1440.” (StIntel)
- 1230 KDZA CO Pueblo – Format to CLR (ex-AC/OLD); slogan to “101.9 The Lake.” (RI)
- WABN VA Abingdon – Networks to THN/Fox/SRN. (DXM)(WH)
- 1240 KBUP WA Olympia – Slogan & Group to Grp= Sacred Heart Radio. (BP)
- 1250 WKBL TN Covington – Format to CLR (ex-TLK), slogan to “Classic Hits KBL,” adds // W270DR-101.9; delete Grp= NewsTalk West Tennessee. (StIntel)
- 1330 KCKM TX Monahans – Delete // KTXO-94.7. (RI)
- WHNK VA Marion – Format to GOS (ex-CLR), slogan to “Praise n’ Glory Radio,” drops networks, adds // W223DE-92.5; delete Grp= KZ 101. (StIntel)
- 1350 WLOU KY Louisville – Format to UC (ex-UC:OLD); Group to Grp= 104.7 Jamz. (RI)
- 1360 KGMR AR Clarksville – Format to SS:MEX (ex-C&W); drops nets, slogan & Group to Grp= La Raza (ex-Grp= True Country 92.7). (StIntel)
- 1370 WXXI NY Rochester – Slogan to // WRUR-FM 88.5 at times, delete // W298CH-107.5; Group to Grp= WXXI News. (RI)
- 1400 WRJN WI Racine – Format to TLK (ex-OLD/TLK), networks to C; Group to Grp= WRJN Radio (ex-Grp= Oldies & Info). (DXMid)(TN)
- 1430 KBRC WA Mount Vernon – Format to CLR (ex-OLD); slogan to “Classic Rock.” (StIntel)
- 1450 KZNU UT Saint George – Networks to Fox/CMP/RA/SRN/P; slogan & Group to Grp= The Patriot Utah (ex-Grp= St George News Radio). (RI)
- KBKW WA Aberdeen – Slogan & Group to Grp= Sacred Heart Radio. (BP)
- WRCE WI Richland Center – Networks to A. (DXMid)
- 1470 KWRD TX Henderson – Slogan to “Our Country.” (StIntel)
- 1480 WCNS PA Latrobe – Format to TLK (ex-OLD); Group to Grp= Pittsburgh’s New Talk (ex-Grp= Westmoreland Gold). (RI)
- 1490 KEUN LA Eunice – Slogan to “Talk of the Cajun Prairie.” (DXN)
- WDLC NY Port Jervis – Networks to C. (DXN)
- WLCX WI La Crosse – Format to TLK (ex-OLD); networks to A. (DXMid)
- 1540 KDYN AR Ozark – Slogan to “True Country 92.7,” adds // KDYN-FM-92.7; delete Grp= True Country 92.7. (StIntel)
- KXPA WA Bellevue – Format to Brokered/ETH/NOS (ex-Brokered/ETH). (BP)
- 1550 KRZD MO Springfield – Format to AC/OLD (ex-Rock), slogan to “BobFM.” (DXMid)
- 1560 WMBH MO Joplin – Slogan to “SOMO Sports.” (RI)
- KVAN WA Burbank – Delete // K230BW-93.9; slogan & Group to Grp= La Estación de la Familia. (BP)
- 1600 WLUE KY Eminence – Format to UC (ex-CLR/C&W); slogan & Group to Grp= 104.7 Jamz. (RI)

New Groups

Grp= La Estación de la Familia – KULE-730, KVAN-1560, K230BW-93.9, K238CH-95.5 (BP)

Grp= La Raza – KMTL-760, KLYR-1360, K250CF-97.9 (StIntel)

Grp= Sacred Heart Radio – KTTO-970, K291CO-106.1, K278CU-103.5, KLAY-1180, K297CA-107.3, KBUP-1240, K284CG-104.7, KYTR-88.1, KBKO-88.3, KBLE-1050, K262CX-100.3 (BP)

Grp= WXXI News – WXXI-1370, WXXI-105.9, W298CH-107.5 (RI)

Group Changes

Grp= Valley News Talk adds K283AZ-104.5 Anchorage (FCC)

Grp= Westmoreland Gold becomes Grp= Pittsburgh’s New Talk (StIntel)

Group Name Changes

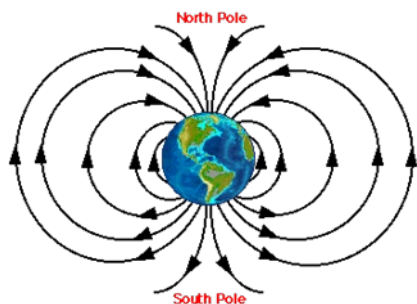
Grp= Oldies & Info becomes WRJN Radio (DXMid)
 Grp= St George News Radio becomes Grp= The Patriot Utah (RI)
 Grp= The Original Soul of Louisville becomes Grp= 104.7 Jamz (StIntel)

Delete Groups

Grp= Fuego 102.9 (StIntel)
 Grp= KZ 101 (StIntel)
 Grp= NewsTalk West Tennessee (StIntel)
 Grp= True Country 92.7 (StIntel)



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Geomagnetic Indices
 Geomagnetic Summary May 2023

Via Phil Bytheway – Tabulated from Geomagnetic Forecast
 E-mail status daily (K index at 0000 UTC)

| Date | Flux | A | K | Space Weather | 16 | 134 | 08 | 1.67 | moderate, R2 |
|------|------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|------|-----|----|------|------------------|
| 5/1 | 148 | 10 | 3.67 | moderate, R2 | 17 | 138 | 04 | 1.00 | no storms |
| 2 | 157 | 09 | 1.00 | no storms | 18 | 151 | 03 | 0.67 | moderate, R2 |
| 3 | 156 | 04 | 1.67 | moderate, R2 | 19 | 165 | 09 | 4.33 | minor, R1 |
| 4 | 162 | 06 | 2.00 | minor, R1 | 20 | 179 | 35 | 3.33 | moderate, G2, R2 |
| 5 | 162 | 04 | 1.33 | minor, R1 | 21 | 163 | 28 | 6.00 | moderate, G2, R1 |
| 6 | 152 | 30 | 2.00 | moderate, G2 | 22 | 162 | 21 | 4.00 | moderate, G2, R1 |
| 7 | 157 | 09 | 2.67 | minor, R1 | 23 | 155 | 12 | 3.67 | minor, R1 |
| 8 | 172 | 16 | 3.33 | minor, G1, R1, S1 | 24 | 164 | 12 | 3.00 | minor, R1 |
| 9 | 180 | 14 | 4.67 | moderate, G1, R2, S1 | 25 | 152 | 11 | 2.00 | minor, R1 |
| 10 | 170 | 26 | 3.00 | minor, G1, R1, S1 | 26 | 149 | 06 | 1.67 | minor, R1 |
| 11 | 163 | 09 | 2.67 | minor, R1, S1 | 27 | 157 | 04 | 2.00 | no storms |
| 12 | 149 | 19 | 2.67 | minor, G1 | 28 | 151 | 11 | 1.67 | minor, R1 |
| 13 | 144 | 13 | 4.33 | no storms | 29 | 154 | 04 | 1.67 | no storms |
| 14 | 140 | 08 | 2.33 | no storms | 30 | 162 | 05 | 2.00 | minor, R1 |
| 15 | 135 | 06 | 2.00 | no storms | 5/31 | 161 | 10 | 3.00 | minor, R1 |

Sx – Solar Radiation Storm Level / Gx – Geomagnetic Storm Level / Rx – Radio Blackouts Level.

Unreported Domestic Stations

One station was reported to DDXD for the first time this issue since at least Volume 67 (1999-2000), and like last time it's a Texas station, KFST-1060. Another Texas unreported target, unfortunately, has now closed its doors, KBEN-1450, so we'll reluctantly also take them off our list of currently licensed unreported stations.

The move of WASB-NY, however, from 1590 to 1600, means that we'll add the 1600 station to the unreported list. We understand that Jim Renfrew can see the WASB tower from his house, so we doubt it will stay unreported long. But for the moment we have just 206 stations remaining not reported to DDXD in this century.

The full list of unreported stations was last published in issue 89-18 – we'll run it again over the summer, but if you want an updated list sooner, just e-mail the publisher at NRCDXNews@gmail.com. Let's see if we can get another one knocked off the list next time!

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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. All times are Eastern Local Time (ELT)!! In some instances, minor editing may occur. Reports older than 30 days may be excluded at the editor's discretion. New members are especially encouraged to report!! Remember . . . if you want your email address published, include your "OK" with your report.
- RICK DAU was DXing on the davenport . . . er, ah . . . in Davenport and sends a sizeable report for this Issue. And MATT TODD travelled to the top of Minnesota to camp, but squeezed in some DXing. Thanks, Rick and Matt!!
- Thanks to all who take time to submit their latest loggings to the column. Much appreciated! Remember to give yourself credit (XX-XX) after each logging!

Please observe the following . . .

Upcoming deadlines for DDXD-West: Issue 18: July 7; Issue 19: August 11. Don't wait 'til the last minute to submit your reports.

--- REPORTERS ---

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| RA-CA | René Auvray Pomona, California Grundig Yacht Boy 400 |
| NB-WI | Neil Bartlett Mount Horeb, Wisconsin Xhdata D-109 |
| RD-IA | Rick Dau on the road in Davenport, Iowa Receivers: Sony ICF-2010; Antennae: Grundig AN-200, Quantum QX Pro loop [// 481 domestics, 497 overall] |
| RD-NE | Rick Dau South Omaha, Nebraska Receiver: Sony ICF-2010; Antenna: Quantum QX Pro loop |
| TK-FL | Terry Krueger Niceville, Florida Receivers: IC-R75, NRD-535, ICF-7600GR, Tescun PL-360; Antennae: active loops, random wire, misc. junk |
| JN-TX | James Niven Cedar Creek, Texas Receivers: ELAD S2, Perseus SDR with Jaguar Pro software, and Drake R8B; Antennas: DKAZ at 60°, DKAZ at 120°, DKAZ at 310° and Super KAZ at 10° < jniven@austin.rr.com > |
| JP-AB | Jon Pearkins Edmonton, Alberta CCRadio 2E and Sangean PR-D15, both barefoot on batteries |
| JJR-MI | John J Rieger L'Anse, Michigan Grundig Satellit 750 -Terk AM1000 loop, Sangean ATS-909X stock |
| JJR-WI | John J Rieger South Milwaukee, Wisconsin Icom IC-R75, MFJ-959B tuner/preamp, Kiwa loop, Sangean ATS-909X stock |
| MT-MN | Matt Todd (Hugo, Minnesota) DXing from Kabetogama, Minnesota (near the Canadian border) Airspy HF+ Discovery with a Youloop |
| RV-TX | Robert Vance El Paso, Texas Receivers: SDRplay SDRuno, WinRadio G33DDC; Antennae: various indoor and outdoor loops |
| JW-CO | John Wilkins Wheat Ridge, Colorado Receiver: Drake R-8; Antenna: 4-foot box loop |

--- NOTES FROM CANADA ---

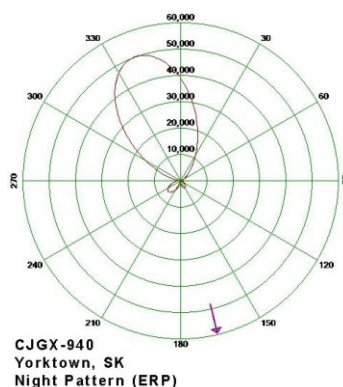
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All of the license renewals listed below include an additional requirement for those stations that play music: during each broadcast week, which does not include overnights (midnight to 6:00 AM), at least 5% of the music must be from Canadian emerging artists. An annual report to the CRTC is also required, detailing this category of music played during the year. There is also a requirement to report annually on Indigenous musical selections. Both of these music requirements are part of the Revised Commercial Radio Policy (December 2022).

- 590 CJCW NB Sussex – License renewed until August 31, 2030. Station is currently awaiting a July 6th CRTC hearing to face questions on its proposed move to FM.
- 600 CJWW SK Saskatoon – License renewed until August 31, 2030, along with sister station CKBL-FM.
- 630 CFCO ON Chatham – License renewed until August 31, 2030, along with simulcast CFCO-1-FM Chatham, and sister station CKUE-FM. If 90% of the station's music played (currently C&W) is pre-1981, only 30% Canadian Content is required.
- 700 CJLI AB Calgary – License renewed until August 31, 2030.

- 760 CFLD BC **Burns Lake** – License renewed until August 31, 2030.
- 770 CHQR AB **Calgary** – Applied to have its license revoked. Meanwhile, CFGQ-FM has applied to use the CHQR transmitter as a repeater on 770 kHz, and has also applied for a Specialty Format with more than 50% Spoken Word each broadcast week. CFGQ-FM has been simulcasting CHQR since January 9th. Call Letters for 770 will automatically change unless CFCQ-FM requests a call letter change to CHQR-FM.
- 840 CKBX BC **100 Mile House** – License renewed until August 31, 2030.
- 870 CKIR BC **Invermere** – License renewed until August 31, 2030. Station simulcasts CKGR-FM Golden, BC.
- 870 CFBV BC **Smithers** – License renewed until August 31, 2030.
- 880 CKLQ MB **Brandon** – The CRTC has approved the \$5.55 million purchase of CKLQ FM & AM and CKLF-FM by Pattison Media from locally-owned Westman Communications. Jimmy Pattison purchased his first radio station in the mid-1960s, CJOR-600 Vancouver, in partnership with Ralph Cunningham, owner of Cunningham Drugs.
- 920 CKNX ON **Wingham** – License renewed until August 31, 2030, along with sister station CKNX-FM.
- 930 CJCA AB **Edmonton** – License renewed until August 31, 2030 in a CRTC announcement dated the day after the station's 101st birthday. Although the station now broadcasts a mix of syndicated and Alberta-based religious programming, it is still licensed as a regular Commercial AM Radio Station.
- 940 CJGX SK **Yorkton** – Applied to switch to non-directional at night, requiring them to drop to 690 Watts, to match the effective power to the east and south, the deepest of the nulls in their current 10 kW night directional pattern. The station will remain 50 kW non-directional during the day. When asked by the CRTC to elaborate on their application, the station responded: "The night-time towers were inspected and found to be in unsatisfactory condition; should not be climbed for maintenance purposes and, should be considered unstable and not accessible. Risk of potential structure collapse was apparent. We estimate the cost of replacing the night-time tower array would be in excess of \$2.0 M. The proposed solution of reducing night-time power requires no new capital expense at CJGX. Given the reality of declining AM radio revenue, the construction of new towers for a sunset technology such as AM radio night-time directional pattern is not financially viable."
- 980 CKNW BC **New Westminster** – License renewed until August 31 2030. Conditions of the license that likely date back as much as 50 years have been retained. During any program where all music pre-dates 1956, only 2% Canadian content is required. If 90-99% of the music pre-dates 1956, then 10% Canadian content is required. Over an entire broadcast week, if at least 90% of the music pre-dates 1981, then only 30% Canadian content is required. Otherwise, the standard 35% Canadian content applies. The legendary Jack Cullen hosted 'Owl Prowl' weeknights on CKNW until 1999, focusing on music almost exclusively from the 1940s.
- 990 CBF-16 QC **Clova** – The CBC has been given approval to move this 40 Watt LPRT to FM with 139 watts.
- 1070 CHOK ON **Sarnia** – License renewed until August 31 2030, along with simulcast CHOK-1-FM Sarnia, and sister stations CFGX-FM and CHKS-FM. If 90% of the station's music played (currently C&W) is pre-1981, only 30% Canadian Content is required.
- 1140 CBJ-2 QC **Chapais** – This French-language CBC (ICI Radio-Canada Première) LPRT will be going off the air as soon as CBJ-FM-1 Chibougamau increases power and adequately covers Chapais.
- 1220 CFAJ ON **St. Catharines** – License renewed until August 31 2030.
- 1240 CFNI BC **Port Hardy** – License renewed until August 31 2030.
- 1400 CBMD QC **Chapais** – This English-language CBC (Radio One) LPRT will be going off the air as soon as CBVC-FM Chibougamau increases power and adequately covers Chapais.
- 1450 CHOU QC **Montreal** – Received retroactive approval for a 2019 ownership change that resulted from a divorce settlement. The CRTC recently learned of the change while reviewing another application by the same husband.



The Facebook page *Canadian Radio News* by Dan Sys provides much of the information for this column.

--- U.S. STATION NEWS ---

- 710 WNTM AL Mobile – 6/3 – Quick check while on the eastern shore of Mobile Bay mid-morning, **this one remains active with News-Talk**. Haven't heard it for quite some time from my panhandle Florida location. (TK-FL)
- 1290 WZTI WI Greenfield – 6/5 0717 – **Totally OFF** three days in a row, leaving only WIRL – "Freedom 95-9 and AM 1290". (JJR-WI)
- 1560 KTXZ TX West Lake Hills – 05/29 2100 – With ID by male: "Austin's Tejaño music station KOKE", then into more Tejaño. At 2103 male again mentions: "This is KOKE Pflugerville Austin, KTXZ West Lake Hills, Austin, K231CZ Austin". **Seems to carry KOKE 1600 programming now**. Good signal. Relog. (JN-TX)

--- UNID ---

- 940 unID – 06/02 2300 – 'Love the One You're With' by CS&N [Are you sure that wasn't by Stephen Stills or The Isley Brothers? – BH], then what sounded like French speaking, then Country-sounding music. CJGX might fit the country music but doesn't really match CSN. Maybe two stations? Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1210 unID WY? – 5/20 0103 – C&W strong and almost all alone, signalling a Southern Wyoming opening half an hour after an Aurora hit Edmonton. Otherwise Poor conditions. Originally assumed it was KRSV, as KHAT is running daytime-only with a CP, but later read reports of KHAT accidentally running all night with 10 kW. (JP-AB)
- 1330 unID - 6/4 2214-2240 – Spanish, lots of upbeat music with mostly female singers. Heard mention of 'Taco Bell'. Male announcer for ID, sounded like: "Radio Bolita". Dominated the channel. (NB-WI)

--- TIS/HAR ---

- 1630 (not) WQFS424 FL Loxley – 6/3 – I-10 Eastbound @ Mile Marker 47.4 coordinates: 30° 38' 42.9" N, 87° 42' 28.6" W. Observation: signage on the Interstate, but like all Florida I-10 Highway Advisory stations . . . **silence**. (TK-FL)

--- TENTATIVE ---

- 880 WCBS NY New York – 6/7 0500 – In a period of dead air (no KRVN), I caught a very weak CBS News sounder and the presumed start of the news. The NRC log lists WCBS New York as the only station that broadcasts CBS News on 880, and I'm asking if anyone else knows if another 880 station broadcasts CBS News. KJOZ faded up soon afterward and prevented any further reception. KRVN returned at 0505. (RV-TX)

--- DX LOGGINGS ---

- 540 KNMX NM Las Vegas – 4/23 2244 – Atop, with regional Mexican music, then ". . . KNMX, playing over five thousand different . . .", and ". . . New Mexico . . ." heard in a liner in English. Had to have been on the 5 kW day stick. No sign of KWMT. **New, for New Mexico #2 at this QTH**, and I still don't have KKOB-770 logged. (RD-IA)
- 540 WKFN TN Clarksville – 4/22 2118 – Fair, under CBK, with Austin Peay University baseball. Announcer into ad break: ". . . you're listening to Austin Peay Governors baseball . . .". Some digging on the internet revealed that WKFN airs Austin Peay's games. (RD-IA) [As an aside . . . 'Peay' is pronounced as 'pea' – BH]
- 550 WSAU WI Wausau – 06/03 0000 – TOH ID: "WSAU Wausau, WSAU FM ?? Stevens Point" then Fox News. Local noise degrading signal. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 570 WKBN OH Youngstown – 4/22 2241 – Weak, with Cleveland Guardians baseball about six seconds ahead of the signal from network flagship station WTAM-1100. (RD-IA)
- 570 WNAX SD Yankton – 6/5 0500 – Faded up with TOH ID: "This is WNAX, Yankton (unintelligible word), now dot.com.", time check, CBS News, before KLIF reasserted itself. **New one here**, and one I've been trying for for quite some time. First new station logged on this frequency in over nine years. (RV-TX)
- 590 KLBJ TX Austin – 6/2 0000 – Heard with ad for 'Comanche Oaks Homesites' into TOH ID for "Newsradio KLBJ" and FM- // -99.7, then Fox News. (RV-TX)
- 600 KSJB ND Jamestown – 06/03 0000 – TOH ID deep in the noise – "For over 85 years this is KSJB 600 AM, 100.1 FM and translator ??? Jamestown, North Dakota", then fades into the jumble of newscasts. Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 620 WHEN NY Syracuse – 4/23 0236 – Faint, but in there, with "Power 620" ID sandwiched in between Stevie Wonder's 'Isn't She Lovely' and 'GLU' by Usher. **New, for New York #12 here**. (RD-IA)



- 620 WTMJ WI Milwaukee – 06/03 0000 – Ad for 'Zander', then TOH ID into ABC News. Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 630 WREY MN St. Paul – 06/03 0000 – Mexican music, then TOH ID in Spanish. No English ID as I've heard in the past. Fair. (MT-MN) [I don't think that's 'legal'! I thought the rules say that an ID presented as their "Legal ID" must be in English. **Any comments?? – BH]**
- 650 KGAB WY Orchard Valley – 5/20 0115 – SSE antenna orientation and a huge opening into Southern Wyoming has me believing that a Coast-to-Coast custom ad for 'Lifeline' was KGAB. (JP-AB)
- 660 WBHR MN Sauk Rapids – 06/03 0002 – Two competing baseball broadcasts. Paused for ID. Cubs vs. Padres. Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 660 CFFR AB Calgary – 5/27 0556 – "... on your radio, mobile or TV, City News Calgary". Atop, but Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 680 KFEQ MO St. Joseph – 4/22 1959 – Fair, with legal ID: "KFEQ, St. Joseph . . . 95.3 . . .". Only slight splatter from WSCR-670. (RD-IA)
- 690 CKGM QC Montreal – 06/03 0000 – Ads for 'Montreal Holocaust Museum' and 'Montreal Alouettes', then fifteen seconds of dead air, then SportsCenter. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 730 KLOE KS Goodland – 5/25 0700 – With local weather and TOH ID: "This is KLOE, Fox Sports 7-30 Tri-State; a Rocking-M Media station", and into FOX Sports Radio. (RV-TX)
- 730 KYA MT Billings – 5/29 0551 – "The songs you love" (jingle) "Oldies Radio-K-Bear!", then 'Lay Lady Lay' by Bob Dylan. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 730 KKDA TX Grand Prairie – 4/23 0059 – Fair, with ". . . KKDA, Grand Prairie-Dallas-Fort Worth . . ." heard in legal ID in English. (RD-IA)
- 730 CKAC QC Montreal – 06/03 0002 – French-language programming; assumed. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 740 KVFC CO Cortez – 5/25 0702 – Rose up above the scrum long enough to give me the local weather for Cortez and area. **New one here.** (RV-TX)
- 770 KATL MT Miles City – 5/21 0603 – "KATL" jingle after a Kelly Clarkson song. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 770 WABC NY New York – 06/02 2359 – TOH ID: "This New York's talk leader, the crown jewel of talk radio", then News – Top Story: The Queens man who shot and killed a suspected mugger was in court today. Good. (MT-MN)
- 790 WQXI GA Atlanta – 06/07 0101 – With Korean talk and mentions of "Radio Korea", then time pips, male in English gives ID as: "You're listening to WQXI 7-90 Atlanta Georgia, W244EI-96.7." Fair signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 790 WKRD KY Louisville – 5/19 0602 – Fox Sports morning "2 Pros and a Cup of Joe". Alone and Assumed. (JJR-WI)
- 790 KGHL MT Billings – 5/29 0548 – Roy Clark song and "The Mighty 7-90 KGHL". Poor, but no KFGO, etc. (JJR-MI)
- 790 KFGO ND Fargo – 05/30 0459 – With male mentioning with what sounded like a promo: "June 22nd Ice Cream and Creamery . . . very our parking lot . . . 104 . . . KFGO . . . The mighty 7-90". Fair, but mixed in the jumble with other stations. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 790 KFGO ND Fargo – 06/03 0000 – TOH ID: "104.7 KFGO FM Hope, the Mighty 7-90, 7-90 KFGO Fargo" then CBS News. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 790 WMC TN Memphis – 4/22 2040 – Good, with a long promo for St. Louis Cardinals baseball ending with ". . . John Rooney and the Cardinals, all season long on 790 The Bet". **New, for Tennessee #9 at this location.** (RD-IA)
- 800 KQCV OK Oklahoma City – 5/22 0600 – Heard "Bott" mentioned in their Legal ID for the AM and translators into REL. Poor, but all alone. (JJR-MI)
- 800 KQCV OK Oklahoma City – 5/28 0700 – With Bott network promos, TOH ID, then more promos and program "Washington Watch". (RV-TX)
- 800 CJAD QC Montreal – 06/02 2358 – Fair, Lengthy Weather report for Montreal – low 13C tonight, then story about a baseball family. Fair. **First Time Log.** (MT-MN)
- 810 WSYW IN Indianapolis – 6/5 0702 – Hearing SS, was it Rockford, Michigan or . . . SS: "WSYW Indianapolis!"? A complete shocker, replacing WJJQ, which was in earlier! Not heard in years! Super rare! Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 810 WHB MO Kansas City – 5/29 0448 – Excellent on peaks, with ESPN spew when nulling WCKA, the perpetual power cheater. (TK-FL)
- 810 WJJQ WI Tomahawk – 6/5 0655 – With CBS Sports Radio. Weatherology tagged ". . . on WJJQ" with SS underneath. Very poor. (JJR-WI)



- 820 WBKK MN Wilton – 5/28 0544 – 'Mother Angelica', 'EWTN' and the Rosary. Assumed. All alone. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 820 WBKK MN Wilton – 06/03 0000 – TOH ID heard under CHAM: "AM 9–20 WBKK Wilton and FM 98.7 K254DJ Bemidji". Poor. (MT-MN)
- 830 KGLA LA Norco – 4/23 0224 – Weak-to-Fair under WCCO, with chatter in Spanish by male. Matched this up with audio from the KiwiSDR in Maurice, Louisiana to confirm this as KGLA. (RD-IA)
- 840 KJFA NM Belen – 5/21 0710 – With SS Regional Mexican music and frequent "Fuego 102-9" splitter IDs. (RV-TX)
- 850 KFUE MO Clayton – 05/21 2000 – Heard male with sign off announcement under KOA. With Fair signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 860 KKOW KS Pittsburg – 5/29 0506 – End of commercial, then man: "Classic Country, KKOW" into – of all things – real C&W. (TK-FL)
- 860 KFST TX Fort Stockton – 5/29 0358 – With call-letter and slogan ID under nulled local XEZOL, but couldn't catch what the slogan was. Only 200 miles down I-10, but it's the first I've ever heard them in the 14 years I've been DX-ing MW here. **New one here.** (RV-TX)
- 870 KPRM MN Park Rapids – 06/03 0000 – TOH ID then USA News. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 880 KLRG AR Sheridan – 5/30 0623 – Briefly bubbling up in the noise and Cuban co-channel, with Savoy Brown's 'Wang Dang Doodle' cover, a quick liner by man, then fade. Parallel station stream and song scroll display. **First time log.** (TK-FL)
- 880 WMEQ WI Menomonie – 6/4 0630 – Though heard "WMEQ & WMEQ.com" – Fox news. One might remember WMEQ on 1360 years ago. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 880 CKLQ MB Brandon – 06/02 2356 – County music, then lengthy station promo featuring female artists and the "Q Country" branding. TOH ID coming at 0402. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 900 WGOK AL Mobile – 4/23 2129 – Fair, under KFAL, with Black Gospel music, mention of call letters in a list of upcoming events around Mobile. Webstream about 12 seconds behind. (RD-IA)
- 900 WATK WI Antigo – 5/30 0645 – Ad for Wisconsin lottery, then mention of "Highway 64 in Antigo" and lost as quickly! Poor, with others in too. (JJR-MI)
- 910 KPOF CO Denver – 06/07 0500 – With male giving ID as: "AM 91, AM 91 is listener-supported is KPOF Denver . . . crystal clear HD and . . .". Fair signal over KBIM, in Spanish. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 910 KBIM NM Roswell – 05/17 0659 – With Spanish tunes by female. Then at 0701 male says: "K-B-I-M AM . . . Roswell, K229BV-93.7 FM Roswell, . . . Roswell", then back into more Spanish tunes. Good signal. No sign of KNAF at this time, who is pretty dominant on the frequency with my antenna looking northwest. They are operating on an STA with lower power at present, and could be off the air as well. **New, for New Mexico # 32.** (JN-TX)
- 910 KCJB ND Minot – 5/29 0546 – "910 KCJB, you're on the Third Shift". Poor. No usual WFDF. (JJR-MI)
- 930 KAFF AZ Flagstaff – 5/23 0710 – With C&W music with plenty of splitters for "Legends of Country" and "Legends 93-5". Call letters are typically pronounced as the word "calf". (RV-TX)
- 940 KYNO CA Fresno – 5/15 0731 – Oldies music, call letter IDs, "ky-no" slogans, program note for "Eye on Education" at 8:40 AM and 4:40 PM. Fair peaks with fading and QRM. (JW-CO)
- 940 WCPC MS Houston – 5/15 0628 – 'Grace to You' with John MacArthur (a REL) program, and calls at 06:30. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 940 KIXZ TX Amarillo – 4/24 0406 – Fair, with "Newstalk 940 KIXZ" ID, then into "Coast-To-Coast AM". No sign of KPSZ. **New, for Texas #15 at this QTH.** (RD-IA)
- 940 KIXZ TX Amarillo – 5/15 0659 – "News Talk 940 KIXZ, a Townsquare Media Station", followed by FOX News. Fair-to-Good signal. (JW-CO)
- 940 KIXZ TX Amarillo – 5/29 0602 – Fox News, followed by three PSAs, then "News Talk 940 KIXZ" said twice into "Texas In The Morning. Poor, but alone! (JJR-MI)
- 950 WORD SC Spartanburg – 5/28 0542 – Man: ". . . on The Fan, CBS Sports Radio 97 point 1". (TK-FL)
- 960 KLFN MT Baker – 5/27 0544 – "Old favorites, new favorites – Real Country". No calls! Their only affiliate on 960. Poor, but alone. (JJR-MI)
- 960 KGKL TX San Angelo – 5/10 0300 – With TOH ID: "KGKL San Angelo, ESPN 9-60. San Angelo's sports station. Online at espn960SanAngelo.com". Strangely enough, the local ID and non-network stuff was the only thing I heard. ESPN was not there but

the locally-inserted items were still present. Sports programming did eventually fade up five or six minutes later but I was not sure if it belonged to KGKL. (RV-TX)

- 970 WDAY ND Fargo – 06/02 2300 – Promo for the 'Coffee Club' rolled into the TOH ID, then ABC News. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 970 WDUL WI Superior – 5/27 0626 – "Hot 98" after a Rhianna song. Poor, but over WDAY and WZAM, and on top in minutes. (JJR-MI)
- 980 KOKA LA Shreveport – 4/24 0030 – Good, with Black Gospel music and liner: ". . . heart of the local church, 980, 93.3, KOKA . . .". **New, for Louisiana #8 here.** (RD-IA)
- 980 KMIN NM Grants – 5/15 0715 – C&W music, "K-mine Country" slogans, area ads, call letter IDs. On top at times with a fair signal. (JW-CO)
- 980 WONE OH Dayton – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID: "Your radio home for Miami Redhawks football, WONE The Bird" then Fox Sports update. Poor. **First Time Log.** (MT-MN)
- 980 KDSJ SD Deadwood – 5/15 0701 – Out of a Moody Blues song with legal ID at 0701:05: ". . . KDSJ Deadwood, 980 AM and on K278AM Spearfish 103.5 FM – Black Hills Gold Hits KDSJ, a Riverfront Broadcasting station" then back to music. Fair signal, mixing with others. (JW-CO)
- 980 KDSJ SD Deadwood – 5/22 0555 – "Black Hills Gold Hits-980 AM – 103-5 FM" with songs by Nicolette Larson and Lou Rawls. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 980 CFPL ON London – 4/22 2159 – Over/under WONE, with ad for cochlear implants offered at a local hospital in London. **New, for Ontario #19 at this location.** (RD-IA)
- 1000 KKIM NM Albuquerque – 5/21 0800 – Caught at change to daytime power, under nulled local XEFV, with TOH ID: "KKIM Albuquerque" followed by REL program "Issues Today". (RV-TX)
- 1010 KSIR CO Brush – 4/23 0024 – Weak, but in there, with Colorado Avalanche hockey. **New, for Colorado #6 at this QTH.** (RD-IA)
- 1010 WHIN TN Gallatin – 5/19 0629 – Very Poor, with "100.7 WHIN" after a 90s song. No CFRB all morning. (JJR-WI)
- 1020 KOKP OK Perry – 5/26 0500 – Heard under partially-nulled KCKN with TOH ID and into Fox Sports Radio. **New one here.** (RV-TX)
- 1030 WONQ FL Oviedo – 05/18 0004 – With Romantica Spanish vocals under XEQR. Female mentions: ". . . La Grande". Fair signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1030 KBUF KS Holcomb – 5/20 0613 -"Your Ag Leader-KBUF" between C&W songs. Poor, though alone. **In again a week later on 5/28 @ 0541** – With calls into 'Don't Rock the Jukebox' by Alan Jackson. Poor, but no WBZ at all. (JJR-MI) (JJR-MI)
- 1030 WGSF TN Memphis – 5/30 0501 -With Regional Mexican tunes. Male at 0503 with English ID as ". . . WGSF . . . diez treinta . . . diez treinta . . .". Fair signal over WBZ. **New, for Tennessee # 39.** (JN-TX)
- 1040 WHO IA Des Moines – 5/13 2352 – First time ever heard all alone, with strong signal and no sign of CKST, or any other Vancouver or Seattle stations on other frequencies, though they gradually started coming in about 10 minutes later. (JP-AB)
- 1050 WTKA MI Ann Arbor – 4/23 0615 – Good, with mention of ". . . attorneys in Detroit and Ann Arbor" in a 'Cordell & Cordell' ad. **New, for Michigan #19 here.** (RD-IA)
- 1050 KLOH MN Pipestone – 5/27 0601 – "KLOH 10-5-Oh Pipestone" after a C&W song. Hoping for better. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1060 WIXC FL Titusville – 6/5 0518 – Fair, with Fox Sports Radio promo. (TK-FL)
- 1070 KNX CA Los Angeles – 5/20 0610 – "KNX reached out to . . ." and "tells KNX", while chasing others. Very Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1090 WKBZ MI Muskegon – 4/16 0741 – Mention of "I Heart app", then "News Talk 1090 WKBZ" into talk. Not common. Poor, but alone. (JJR-MI)
- 1100 KWWN NV Las Vegas – 5/25 1141 – Caught competing with XETGO with local ads (one was 'Aaron Taylor – The Real Estate Guy'). **New one here.** (RV-TX)
- 1110 WGNZ OH Fairborn – 5/15 0550 – "Southern Gospel Radio, Good News Radio", over KFAB. Poor, but out of nowhere. (JJR-WI)
- 1120 KANN UT Roy – 6/1 0056-0100 – "In Touch" ended with donations from S.O.S. A religious song (similar to Top 40 music) was played. Call ID. Back into music. Some QRM, reception good. **First time in Pomona.** (RA-CA)
- 1140 WVHF MI Kentwood – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID with multiple calls difficult to make out in the noise, then EWTN promo into 'Call to Communion'. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1150 KSAL KS Salina – 06/02 2300 – ToH ID way down in the noise: "?? Sports Authority, Sports Radio 1150 KSAL", then gone. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1150 WIMA OH Lima – 6/4 0704 – Ohio news items, generic weather forecast. Finally, "WIMA on the I Heart app". Poor – no WHBY. (JJR-WI)

- 1170 KYET AZ Golden Valley – 5/16 0837 – With drug supplement ad followed by ID: "KYET, Cactus Country, AM Stereo, 11-70", then C&W music. Splitter ID: "This is the country you remember, 11-70, KYET" at 0847. (RV-TX)
- 1170 KBOB IA Davenport – 06/02 2300 – 'Underage Drinking' PSA, then "It's the Quad Cities sports leader, ESPN 1170", then White Sox post-game show. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1180 KYES MN Rockville – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID: "On your way to church, a ball game or just cleaning up after dinner, join us for conversations weeknights at six, here on 1180 KYES Rockville – Saint Cloud", then station promo for supporting the station sponsors. WHAM ID heard underneath. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1180 KLPF TX Midland – 6/4 0700 – With network promo and TOH ID: "Thank you for listening to KLPF, Midland-Odessa, here on the Guadalupe Radio Network. Radio for your soul" followed by the program 'The World Over'. (RV-TX)
- 1200 WMUZ MI Taylor – 06/02 2300 – Woman reading lengthy promo for various religious programs, then TOH ID. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1200 KFNW ND West Fargo – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID fighting with, and mostly under, another religious broadcaster. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1210 WDAO OH Dayton – 6/4 0641 – Sunday Morning GOS from a church ". . . here in Dayton". Poor, though replacing WPHT. (JJR-WI)
- 1210 WPHT PA Philadelphia – 06/02 2300 – Ad for 'Dogs and Cats Rule', then TOH ID into CBS News. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1210 KMIA WA Auburn-Federal Way – 5/28 0142-0148 – Mostly peaking CCRadio-2E's signal strength display with long male/female Spanish splitters between every second Spanish contemporary religious vocal song. Each splitter ending with male saying "Radio Amor". Mostly un-nullable, though CFYM was heard briefly in best null of KMIA. Undoubtedly on 27,500 Watt day power, as never heard here on 220 Watt night power, even when listening during sunset power drop. (JP-AB)
- 1230 WFER MI Iron River – 5/22 0623 – "97-9 WFER" out of nowhere, while chasing others. Close, but not heard much. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1230 WKLK MN Cloquet – 5/23 0626 – Very poor, tho clear "WKLK" into 'Time in a Bottle' by Jim Croce. Chasing others. (JJR-MI)
- 1230 KGHS MN International Falls – 5/29 0628 – "KGHS AM 1230 and 95.3 FM", then songs by Roy Orbison and Sly & the Family Stone. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1230 KTRF MN Thief River Falls – 06/02 2300 – Signal came up just in time for announcer to talk about the Twins post-game show, then TOH ID: "12-30 AM and 93.3 FM KTRF", then fade. Poor. **First Logging.** (MT-MN)
- 1230 KLVT TX Levelland – 5/16 0630 – With financial program promo ". . . on the Best of the West, on KLVT, Levelland", then into some agricultural news. (RV-TX)
- 1230 KWTX TX Waco – 5/11 0700 – Faded up with program promo: ". . . on News-Talk 12-30, The Talk of Waco", then back out. (RV-TX)
- 1240 KWAK AR Stuttgart – 05/14 0741 – With oldies. Male gives ID as ". . . Oldies 102.7 and 96.1 and KWAK AM 12-40", then back into more music. Fair signal, on top of the jumble at this time. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1240 WTAX IL Springfield – 6/2 0624 – "News Radio 93-9 and AM 1240 WTAX" with Talk. Poor, though alone. (JJR-WI)
- 1240 WMFG MN Hibbing – 5/24 0654 – "AM 1240 WMFG" with a softer 60s song. Easily has been using same voice for decades! Very Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1240 WJON MN St. Cloud – 06/02 2300 – Twins post-game, then TOH ID: "Twins Baseball on WJON". Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1240 WOMT WI Manitowoc – 4/23 0338 – Rising up out of the muck with an ad for an upcoming benefit for the 'Collins Volunteer Fire Department', a 920 Area Code phone number given out, then "If you have an upcoming event that you'd like to have mentioned on WOMT . . .". **New, for Wisconsin #44 at this location**, and one of the few Wisconsin Graveyarders that have eluded me during all those years that I DXed from Iowa City back in the 1990s. (RD-IA)
- 1250 WSSP WI Milwaukee – 06/02 2300 – Milwaukee ads, cut abruptly to TOH ID, then the "JR Sports Brief". Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1260 KMZT CA Beverly Hills – 5/4 0800 – Classical music to Legal ID at 0802:45 for the AM and two FMs. Also gave website. Back to music after the ID. Long fades but on top at times. (JW-CO)
- 1260 KDLF IA Boone – 4/16 0736 – SS "LaReina", then lost to others by 0738. Poor/Rare! (JJR-MI)



- 1260 KBRH LA **Baton Rouge** – 4/22 2348 – Fair, under WSDZ, with distorted audio in liner: "Playing the . . . hits, KBRH, Baton Rouge . . ." (RD-IA)
- 1260 WOCO WI **Oconto** – 6/3 0703 – 'Heartaches by the Number' by Guy Mitchell, then polkas. Still in at 0724. Calls given. Rare! (JJR-WI)
- 1270 WWCA IN **Gary** – 6/8 0740 – 'Relevant Radio' app into an interview. Gary's 1370 WLTH not in. WMKT in yesterday. Poor, though alone. (JJR-WI)
- 1270 WWWI MN **Baxter** – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID competing with another station. Hard to tell which is which. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1270 KR XO OK **Claremore** – 4/23 0651 – Good, with mention of "Ritmo Cientosiete Punto Nueve" by female in liner, then into Spanish Tropical music. Was unsure about this until checking Tim Tromp's Canada/U.S. AM Station search engine (amdxe.com/ambc), which pointed right to KR XO. **New, for Oklahoma #9 at this QTH.** (RD-IA)
- 1270 KNWC SD **Sioux Falls** – 06/02 2300 – 'My Faith Radio' promo, then TOH ID. Poor, competing with WWWI. (MT-MN)
- 1290 WIRL IL **Peoria** – 6/3 0630 – TALK, then NO CALLS! into FOX News @ 0630, followed by an ad ending as: ". . . with three Peoria locations". Local WZTI off. With 19 stations logged on 1290, I'm not hoping for much, much less in May. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1290 WCBL KY **Benton** – 4/22 2026 – Fair, under WIRL, with the Moody Blues' 'Nights In White Satin', a brief weather forecast, and snippets of liner: ". . . get in touch with the roots of rock 'n' roll . . . WCBL . . . 99.1 . . .". Both WCBL and WIRL were noted later in the evening with St. Louis Cardinals baseball, so perhaps WCBL-1290's simulcast of 99.1 is fulltime? (RD-IA)
- 1290 WHIO OH **Dayton** – 06/02 2300 – Promo for the "WHIO Payroll" Contest, then weather and local news. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1290 WK LJ WI **Sparta** – 6/4 0700 – Poor, with Legal ID for their FM translator and then the AM plus "ESPN LaCrosse". In for over an hour! Local WZTI off for a second day in a row! (JJR-WI)
- 1300 KGLO IA **Mason City** – 6/3 0657 – Weather ". . . on AM 1300 KGLO". With music vs usual talk. WZTI off, lessening splash. Poor, but no WOOD. (JJR-WI)
- 1300 WOOD MI **Grand Rapids** – 06/02 2300 – Ad for 'Varsity Lincoln' in Novi, Michigan, then Tigers post-game show, then more Michigan ads. TOH ID at 2305. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1310 KNOX ND **Grand Forks** – 06/02 2301 – Twins post-game show then TOH ID. Fighting with WIBA. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1310 WIBA WI **Madison** – 06/02 2300 – Promo for a show "Weekdays two to five on WIBA". Faded for TOH ID, then came up for Fox News. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1320 WDMJ MI **Marquette** – 5/24 0631 – Mentions of "Chocolay Township", "US 41 and Harvey", and "Michigan" in an auto crash story. Very Poor, trading with WILS. After they had a transmitter fire in 2020, I wrote them. Their response: "1 kW right now". (JJR-MI) ("This is news. There was a transmitter fire at WDMJ in 2020. They are not at full power yet. '1 kW for now'. I thought they adjusted their pattern years ago. Maybe I'm wrong". – JJR)
- 1320 KOZY MN **Grand Rapids** – 06/02 2301 – Twins post-game show, then TOH ID: "This is Byron Buxton. Your home for Twins baseball, 13–20 KOZY Grand Rapids". Good. (MT-MN)
- 1320 KSIV MO **Clayton** – 6/2 0717 – REL // stream. Alone, replacing WILS which was in earlier. Very Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1320 KELO SD **Sioux Falls** – 5/13 2357 – All alone, with good signal, running a re-run of a 1990s Coast to Coast hour, talking about Y2K issues. No sign of often un-nullable CHMB. (JP-AB)
- 1320 KELO SD **Sioux Falls** – 5/29 0705 – Mentions of South Dakota and Governor Kristi Noem. Poor, in fade up, then lost to WFHR. No WILS at all. (JJR-MI)
- 1330 WKTA IL **Evanston** – 4/23 0500 – Good, with legal ID: "AM 1330 WKTA, Evanston – Chicago . . .", then into Regional Mexican music. **New, for Illinois #71 here.** (RD-IA)
- 1330 WNIX MS **Greenville** – 4/22 2033 – Fair, with mention of ". . . from the Talk of the Delta, WNIX . . ." heard in weather forecast from meteorologist Paul Trombley. **New, for Mississppi #6 at this location.** (RD-IA)
- 1340 WLEW MI **Bad Axe** – 4/16 0747 – C&W fading in/out. Finally, at TOH, Legal ID for "94.1 WHST Pigeon and 1340 WLEW Bad Axe" into local newscast. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1340 KDLM MN **Detroit Lakes** – 5/22 0643 – Very poor, but "KDLM in Detroit Lakes is hiring . . ." ?? Then an ad for a bakery and into OLDies. (JJR-MI)



- 1340 KWKC TX Abilene – 05/28 0000 – With male giving ID as: "The country's biggest names in Sport are on Fox Sports Abilene, KWKC Abilene 13-40 AM and KTJK HD3 Abilene 101.7 FM". Fair-to-Good signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1350 WCMP MN Pine City – 4/22 2300 – Fair, with mention of "106.5" in legal ID, then weather forecast from Weatherology meteorologist Megan Mulford, then liner: "Where real country begins, Anthem Country", then into Willie Nelson's 'If You've Got The Money I've Got The Time'. **New, for Minnesota #22 at this QTH.** (RD-IA)
- 1360 KPXQ AZ Glendale – 5/15 0700 – With TOH ID: "Connecting Faith and Life, Faith Talk 13-60, KPXQ, Glendale-Phoenix" then into REL talk program. (RV-TX)
- 1360 WLBK IL DeKalb – 6/9 0145 – Very good with recorded male ID: "WLBK". (NB-WI)
- 1360 WKMI MI Kalamazoo – 5/30 0630 – "Talk Radio AM 1360" into news. Poor, with WTAQ in back. (JJR-MI)
- 1360 KKBj MN Bemidji – 06/02 2300 – 'Infowars' store ad, then ad for DTN(?) cut abruptly, then several seconds of dead air then into Infowars. No ID heard in 15 minutes around the top of the hour. Assumed based on signal strength same programming on at same time on their stream on a different day. Good. (MT-MN)
- 1360 KACT TX Andrews – 5/25 0720 – Faded up with a national ad and ID: "You're listening to The DJV Show on KACT AM, Newstalk 13-60, Andrews", then back into the talk show. (RV-TX)
- 1360 KKTX TX Corpus Christi – 5/12 0800 – With TOH ID: "Newsradio 13-60 KKTX Corpus Christi, an iHeart Radio Station . . ." into FOX News. (RV-TX)
- 1360 WVRQ WI Viroqua – 6/7 0727 – 'Reach Out in the Darkness' by Friend & Lover (1968) and calls. WTAQ and WLBK in weak. Very Poor (JJR-WI)
- 1360 KRKK WY Rock Springs – 5/20 0105-0111 – Very strong signal playing 'Girl Watcher' by The O'Kaysions, with antenna SSE, initially with no sign of KKMO. Male-voiced splitter at 0106 "Unforgettable Memories, KRKK, AM 13-60 and 103.5 FM" into 'Don't Cry Out Loud' by Melissa Manchester, with no splitter before 'New York, New York' by Frank Sinatra. (JP-AB)
- 1360 KRKK WY Rock Springs – 5/20 0732 – "Turn it up! 1360 K R K K and 103.5 FM" after 'Colour My World' by Chicago. Almost wrote it off as (oldies) WVRQ ! Taped, and wrote station. Glad I stuck around! Poor. **NEW! for #2532.** (JJR-MI)
- 1370 KWTL ND Grand Forks – 06/02 2300 – No discernible signal, then TOH ID pops out: "You're listening to Real Presence Radio, AM 13-70 KWTL Grand Forks, East Grand Forks, FM 92.5 . . .", then faded into a jumble of different stations. Very Poor. **First Time Log.** (MT-MN)
- 1380 WKJG IN Fort Wayne – 06/02 2300 – 'Veterans' PSA, then TOH ID: "13-80 The Fan and 100.9 FM. Let us know what you think and don't miss out on the biggest in Fort Wayne Sports", then White Sox baseball promo into White Sox post-game. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1380 WPYR LA Baton Rouge – 05/30 0500 – With male giving ID as: ". . . Catholic Media Radio is 13-80 WPYR, 105.9 WPYR-LP, K286CS 105.1 Baton Rouge . . .". Fair-to-Good signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1380 KLIZ MN Brainerd – 06/02 2300 – Weather report, then TOH ID under WKJG: "KLIZ AM Brainerd-Baxter". KLIZ and WKJG both go by 'The Fan' and IDed within seconds of each other. Kinda weird. Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1380 KXFN MO St. Louis – 6/9 0106-0121 – Fair, with choral music and short scripture readings. Caught in WKJG null. (NB-WI)
- 1380 KKRX OK Lawton – 5/5 0759 – Legal ID: "All sports all the time KKRX Lawton, a Mollman Media Radio Station" followed by a different voice with IDs for KREF-1400 and K257DA 99.3 The Ref'. Area ads followed. (JW-CO)
- 1380 KOTA SD Rapid City – 5/20 0600 – "KOTA Rapid City, News Radio" noted while chasing an unID. Very poor, though clear. (JJR-MI)
- 1390 WLCM MI Holt – 5/20 0623 – "Lansing's Best! Victory 1390 WLCM". Alone, in passing. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1390 WLCM MI Holt – 06/02 2259 – "Prove the Bible", then program information mentioning WLCM call. Faded into the jumble before TOH ID. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1400 WGIL IL Galesburg – 6/6 0617 – WRJN's Open Carrier led to ". . . point seven, WGIL" into TALK programming. Very Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1400 WLJN MI Elmwood Township – 5/22 0608 – REL (Grace to You) talk of Sabbath. Very poor, but cutting easily through WCCY. (JJR-MI)
- 1400 WCCY MI Houghton – 6/6 0643 – With Maroon 5's 'Memories', then "Houghton's Hit Music Leader, 99-3 The Lift!" WRJN had Open Carrier! Very Poor. (JJR-WI)

- 1400 WSAM MI Saginaw – 5/27 0648 – Ads for 'MichiganBrand.net' and 'Securiity Credit Union (nearby Flint) through WCCY. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1400 WQYQ MI St. Joseph – 4/23 0535 – Briefly atop, with ID: ". . . The New QYQ, the only alternative", then into Billie Eilish's 'Therefore I Am'. **New, for Michigan #18 from here.** (RD-IA)
- 1400 WKNW MI Sault Saint Marie – 6/6 0625 – With ". . . News Talk 1400 WKNW" into TALK. Very Poor, with WRJN on Open Carrier! (JJR-WI)
- 1400 KSIM MO Sikeston – 5/7 2328 – Fair, with EAS tones at the beginning of storm warnings for Scott, Cape Girardeau, and Stoddard Counties in southeast Missouri. My thanks for the tip on this one go out to Sherwood, Arkansas DXer Ethan Hester, who had heard the same station giving out NWS warnings earlier. **New, for Missouri #76, my 20th logging on 1400 and 117th graveyard logging from this QTH.** (RD-NE)
- 1400 WMAN OH Mansfield – 6/6 0649 – With 'I-Heart' mention and "Richland County" in fade-up. Only fit! Assumed. Not new. Very Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1400 WATW WI Ashland – 5/27 0649 – "101.3 FM, 1400 AM The Bay" after two C&W songs. Very Poor, but easily through WCCY. Rare. (JJR-MI)
- 1400 WBIZ WI Eau Claire – 4/16 0722 – Fox Sports fare, including "98-7 The Fan" said twice. C&W in too (WATW?) through WCCY. Very Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1410 WHLN KY Harlan – 4/23 2211 – Fair, in WOC splash, with Wham's 'Careless Whisper' and 'The Best Day Of My Life' by American Authors; confirmed via webstream. Thank to DXers Jeff Imel (Fishers, Indiana) and Justin Wolffing (Minneapolis, Minnesota) for tipping me off to this. Definitely running the 5 kW day power at the time. **New for Kentucky #15 at this location.** (RD-IA)
- 1410 KLFD MN Litchfield – 06/02 2302 – Male announcer talking about a ride going to Hinckley and coming back the next day, then "In our local funeral announcements on KLFD". Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1410 KRWB MN Roseau – 06/02 2300 – Station playing Tears for Fears' 'Shout', then KRWB suddenly comes to the top for "14-10 KRWB AM Roseau and translated on . . .". Faded back out. Very Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1410 KOOQ NE North Platte – 5/14 0000-0023 – Probably on 5 kW day power, with momentary fadeouts every second or so, initially all alone until CFTE started to fade in. Could only make out "O" in call letters near top of hour and a very clear "FM 98.1" (their FM translator frequency) at 0022:30 after weather, mentioning temperatures in the 50s and extro "I'm Meterologist . . .". Also mentioned "70s Saturday Night", but music appeared to omit Disco and the first half of the 1970s, with songs noted by Fleetwood Mac, Supertramp and Electric Light Orchestra. Traces of another station under them, with CFTE completely nulled, starting at 0020, with male talk, but too weak to make out any words. News/Talk WIZM is the most likely as there was none of the characteristic speech patterns of an all-sports station. (JP-AB)
- 1420 KTOE MN Mankato – 06/02 2300 – Twins post-game, then TOH ID: "Information Radio News is 14-20 KTOE Mankato". Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1430 KCLK WA Asotin – 5/21 0400 – Dominant, with Legal ID interrupting otherwise continuous Fox Sports Radio. Male announcing both KCLK and K297BZ FM translator call letters. Presume the Spanish under them was KMES. (JP-AB)
- 1440 KFOO CA Riverside – 6/4 0724 – In periodically with BIN news and information programming, several "BIN 14-40" splitter IDs, and "Riverside BIN 14-40" slogan during ads and promos around the Bottom-of-the-Hour. (RV-TX)
- 1440 WMAX MI Bay City – 06/02 2300 – Difficult to understand, but sounded like a news brief, then TOH ID: "This is Bishop ?? of the diocese of Saginaw, you're listening to your vocation station, 14-40 WMAX Bay City, Saginaw – Midland", then an 'EWTN' promo. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1440 KYCR MN Golden Valley – 6/4 0641 – "Salem" mentions including "1280 the Patriot", "Freedom 1570", "Biz 1440" and "980 the Mission". No WNFL. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1450 WHTC MI Holland – 5/23 0611 – Poor, Detroit Tigers wrap-up, WHTC.com into sports. Heard up here way more than in South Milwaukee (where it's just across Lake Michigan! Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1450 WNBY MI Newberry – 5/23 0619 – "I'm meteorologist Karl Bohnak for 1450 WNBY" into statistics for the area. Poor. (JJR-MI)
- 1450 KBMW MN Breckenridge – 06/02 2300 – Twins post-game, then TOH ID: "AM 14-50 KBMW Breckenridge-Wahpeton, and FM 94.3 K232FH Breckenridge, powered by Vision Ford Lincoln". Fair. (MT-MN)



- 1450 KYLS MO **Fredericktown** – 5/7 2258 – Briefly atop with EAS tones, a mention of ". . . the National Weather Service in Paducah . . .". Details for storm warnings for Bollinger, Cape Girardeau, and Stoddard Counties in southeast Missouri, then quickly back into the soup. Relog here, but not heard here since 10/14/2013. **(RD-NE)**
- 1450 WLEC OH **Sandusky** – 5/23 0026 – Briefly in, with a clear ID of: ". . . 93.5 WLEC", then into Bob Dylan's 'Like A Rolling Stone'. Confirmed by matching up the audio from the station's website. **New! 689 miles from here. My first-ever graveyard logging from Ohio at this location, and one of my best graveyard catches of all time. My 118th graveyard logging at this QTH.** **(RD-NE)**
- 1450 KIKR TX **Beaumont** – 05/27 0459 – With male mentioning in the ID as: ". . . 15-10 KBED . . . 14-50 . . . we are Sports Radio Beaumont, a Cumulus station". Poor-to-Fair signal, slightly on top of the jumble. Relog. **(JN-TX)**
- 1450 KCTI TX **Gonzales** – 06/01 – Noted back on the air as of 0500 after being silent for a few days. Heard usual NPR programming with BBC News. Good signal. Relog. **(JN-TX)**
- 1450 WDLB WI **Marshfield** – 5/29 0658 – A very quick "WDLB Marshfield" between songs by Irene Cara and Jay & The Americans. Poor. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1460 KKAQ MN **Thief River Falls** – 06/02 2302 – Country music, then TOH: "KKAQ Thief River Falls, Minnesota with translator K253CL", then fade. Poor. **(MT-MN)**
- 1470 KWAY IA **Waverly** – 5/24 0644 – "K-Way Country 1470 and the New 96.3" followed by weather. Trading with WIBD. Poor. **(JJR-MI)**
- 1470 KDHN TX **Dimmitt** – 5/16 0650 – Faded up with promo: ". . . only on Dimmitt's #1 music station, KDHN Radio, 102.7 FM and 14-70 AM". **(RV-TX)**
- 1480 WDYS IL **Somonauk** – 5/15 0614 – "Woody Country 101-5 FM and AM 1480" in fade-up. Not common. Poor. **(JJR-WI)** **Heard again on 6/4 @ 0753** – "Woody Radio 101.5 and AM 1480" between C&W songs. Might have been in earlier, though faded at proper times, hi. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1480 KKCQ MN **Fosston** – 06/02 2300 – Ad for 'Brit Box' then TOH ID: "The News and Information Station, 14–80 AM and 99–7 FM KKCQ Fosston", then ABC News. Top Story: Debt ceiling deal reached. Poor. **(MT-MN)**
- 1490 WDAN IL **Danville** – 4/22 2316 – Briefly atop, with St. Louis Cardinals BB, play-by-play by John Rooney. Only 1490 shown on this year's Cardinals station list. **New, for Illinois #70 at this QTH.** **(RD-IA)**
- 1490 KTOP KS **Topeka** – 6/6 0649 – "CBS Sport Radio" mention. 'Indeed' ad, "Sports Radio 1490 KTOP". Not new, but nice! Very Poor. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1490 WLAW MI **Whitehall** – 6/3 0711 -Mention of "99.1" and "Nash Icon, the very best country for the Lakeshore – Nash Icon". Poor-to-Very Poor, but atop. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1490 KXRA MN **Alexandria** – 06/02 2300 – Ad for 'The Rotary', then TOH ID: "KXRA Alexandria is on 14–90 AM, also 100.3 FM Douglas county, and 105.7 FM Midvale(?) [105.7 W289CL is at Glenwood – BH], then USA Radio News. Faded before able to hear much of it. Poor. **First Time Log.** **(MT-MN)**
- 1510 KBED TX **Nederland** – 06/04 0800 – On top of the frequency, with ID by male as: ". . . for the most sports talk, 15-10 KIKR Beaumont, 14-50 KBED Nederland. we're Sport Radio Beaumont, a Cumulus station". Fair signal. Relog. **(JN-TX)**
- 1520 WWKB NY **Buffalo** – 06/02 2300 – TOH ID: "The Bet 15–20, you're listening to The Bet 15–20 WWKB Buffalo, presented by Bet MGM . . . Buffalo's home for wagertainment". Fair. **(MT-MN)**
- 1540 KEDA TX **San Antonio** – 4/24 0312 – With Tejaño music; confirmed via webstream. Weak-to-Fair, in KXEL null. **(RD-IA)**
- 1550 WRHC FL **Coral Gables** – 05/11 2059 – With male and female in Spanish mentions: "La Poderosa 6-70 AM", then male in English with rapid ID as "WWFE W276DV Miami, WRHC Coral Gables, WMYM W254DT Kendall". Fair signal, on top of the channel. **New, for Florida #64.** **(JN-TX)**
- 1550 WAMA FL **Tampa** – 05/11 0359 – With male in Spanish "W-A-M-A Clearwater, Saint Petersburg . . . 107.7 FM . . . La Raza, La Ley". Fair-to-Good signal. Relog. **(JN-TX)**
- 1550 WCVL IN **Crawfordsville** – 4/23 2107 – Fair, with "1550 AM . . . 92 FM . . . Crawfordsville . . ." heard in liner between Fleetwood Mac's 'Hold Me' and 'The Heart Of Rock And Roll' by Huey Lewis and the News. **New, for Indiana #19 here.** **(RD-IA)**
- 1550 KMAD OK **Madill** – 05/29 2100 – With male saying: "This is the (not readable) . . . Broadcasting Networks", then female with "Faith Family 3ABN Radio, KMAD Madill 15-50 AM K254DQ Madill 98.7", then back into programming. Fair signal. Relog. **(JN-TX)**



- 1550 CBEF ON Windsor – 4/22 2102 – Atop, with chatter in French between man and woman. I'm counting this as CBEF simply because I can't think of another station in North America on 1550 with a format in French. (RD-IA)
- 1550 CBEF ON Windsor – 06/02 2300 – French programming. Assumed. Same ID/Interval signal as CJBC which is listed as the same network. Good. (MT-MN)
- 1560 KZQQ TX Abilene – 5/23 0630 – Mixing with KGOW with local ad ('Arrow Auto Accessories') and PSA for local fire departments, then 'The Lone Star Farm and Ranch Report'. (RV-TX)
- 1560 KZQQ TX Abilene – 05/28 0200 – With male mentioning: "...newstalk1560.com...", under KGOW with Vietnamese programming. No call letters heard, but male with CBS News was noted under strong KGOW. At 0234 female mentions: "... News talk 15-60 Abilene". Poor signal. Have been after this one for a while now, and finally got enough to add to the logbook. **New. Texas #267.** Noted again on 06/04 with top of the hour ID as: "... Abilene, News Talk 15-60 the Talk of the Town". Over KGOW. (JN-TX)
- 1560 KVAN WA Burbank – 5/11 0101 – End of Legal ID "... BW Radio" marks the first time that I can ever remember hearing a station announce the call letters of its FM Translator: K230BW in this case. Went straight into Spanish-language Contemporary Christian music. Initially strong and all alone, which is usual here, despite their 700 Watts, because of their broad directional lobe which points right at Edmonton. Faded out soon after to Fox programming, undoubtedly on KNZR. (JP-AB)
- 1580 WCCF FL Punta Gorda – 05/11 0100 – With male giving ID as: "We're News Radio 1580 AM WCCF Punta Gorda and FM 100.9 W265EA Punta Gorda", then in to FOX News bulletin. On top of the channel at this time with good signal. Relog. (JN-TX)
- 1580 KOKB OK Blackwell – 5/23 0600 – Faded up with multiple station promos using "Sportstalk With an Orange Flavor" and "Triple-Play Sports Radio" followed by TOH ID, then back to FOX Sports Radio. (RV-TX)
- 1580 WMDX WI Columbus – 5/29 0649 – Heard 'CivicMedia.us' app on Twitter, Facebook. "Max Radio Weather". Fair! Loud! With no CKDO. (JJR-MI)
- 1580 CKDO ON Oshawa – 06/02 2300 – UNID Classic Hits type music, then TOH ID: "In addition to your mobile device, we're also on your radio. This is CKDO at 107.7 FM and 15-80 AM playing the greatest hits of all time, CKDO", then commercials and fade. Good. (MT-MN)
- 1590 WCGO IL Evanston – 06/02 2300 – Partial TOH ID: "95-9 FM Evanston-Chicago", then nothing further that was intelligible. Poor. (MT-MN)
- 1590 KMIC TX Houston – 4/24 0058 – Fair and alone, with Spanish Religious music, "Radio Aleluya" ID heard at 0058 before station went into a long string ID; webstream about four seconds behind. **New, for Texas #12 at this location.** (RD-IA)
- 1590 WPVL WI Platteville – 6/7 0725 – With ESPN that faded in over possible WCGO. In/Up/Out as fast. Lousy conditions, making WPVL the only fit. Very Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1600 WAAM MI Ann Arbor – 6/2 0634 – 'Michigan' references and temperatures. No calls heard during the 'Steve Gruber Michigan' morning show, where WAAM is the only affiliate. No KGYM, which was not in all morning. Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1600 WAAM MI Ann Arbor – 06/02 2300 – "The musical side of WAAM (pronounced like "wham") right here. 1600 AM, 92.7 FM, WAAM Radio" then "W-A-A-M Ann Arbor, our first amendment at work. Real public radio unbiased open and honest" then Townhall News. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1600 KATZ MO Saint Louis – 6/2 0707 – With Black Gospel cutting through. "Hallelujah 1600". No KGYM all morning. Very Poor. (JJR-WI)
- 1640 KZLS OK Enid – 4/23 0016 – Fair, under WSJP, with brief "Fox Sports" liner, then into St. Louis Cardinals baseball postgame show. Threw me for a loop at first until I saw that KZLS simulcasts Cards affiliate KCRC-1390. (RD-IA)
- 1650 KBJD CO Denver – 4/24 0244 – Weak-to-Fair, with Christian music in Spanish. Confirmed by checking with the KiwiSDR from Lakewood, Colorado. **New, for Colorado #7 at this QTH.** (RD-IA)
- 1650 KCNZ IA Cedar Falls – 5/13 2355 – Likely the male talk heard during an Iowa/Nebraska/ South Dakota DX opening (WHO-1040, KXEL-1540, KELO-1320, KOOQ-1410) when no other signal could be heard from 1610 to 1700, with KBGG-1700 conspicuous by its absence. (JP-AB)
- 1650 CINA ON Mississauga – 06/02 2300 – Asian-type music, then "Seena Radio" jingle into more music. Poor. (MT-MN)



- 1660 WTOU MI Kalamazoo – 06/02 2300 – Some sort of piano music, then TOH ID into 'California Love' by 2Pac. Fair. (MT-MN)
- 1660 KRZI TX Waco – 4/24 0226 – Atop, with ESPN Radio programming. Several sports stations are currently on 1660, but this is the only one with ESPN. (RD-IA)
- 1680 KNTS WA Seattle – 6/9 0429-0435 – Forgetting they had dropped their Mexican format, was surprised to hear anything but Spanish with antenna SW on 1680, until I finally checked KKOL-1300 and confirmed KNTS simulcasting KKOL with conservative News (0430) and phone-in talk by female announcer. Some deep fades in mediocre conditions. (JP-AB)
- 1690 WMLB GA Avondale Estates – 4/23 0008 – Over/under WVON and WPTX, with Todd Starnes' syndicated talk program; confirmed via WMLB's weekend program schedule and the webstream, which was running about 15 seconds behind. **New, for Georgia #4 here.** (RD-IA)

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1240 kHz

| Station | State | City | DXer | DX Location | Miles |
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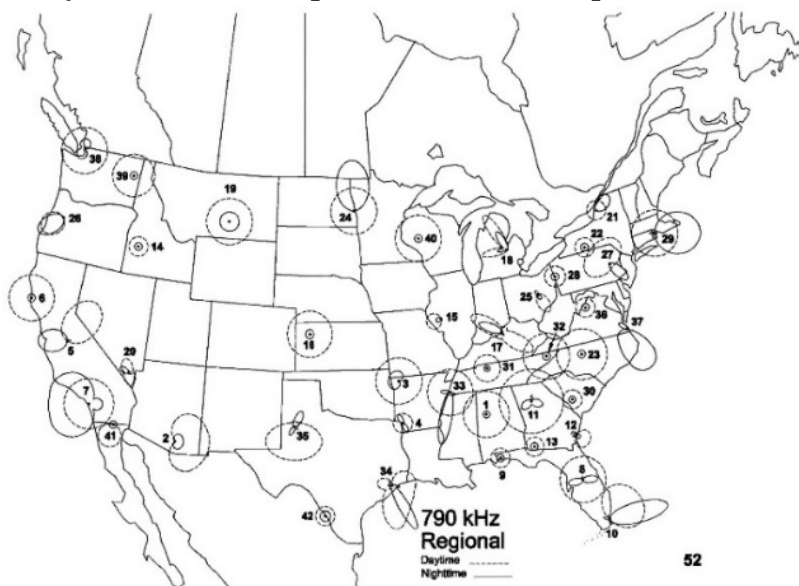
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Loggings of U.S. and Canadian stations by DXers in the Eastern & Atlantic time zones

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REPORTERS

- BC-NH** **Bruce Conti, Nashua** – Excalibur SDR, terminated SuperLoop antennas at 60° and 180°, terminated double Delta at 60°.
- KDF-IN** **Karl D. Forth, Indianapolis** – Honda Accord car radio
- KK-VA** **Kraig Krist, Manassas** – Winradio G33DDC SDR, Wellbrook ALA-1530S+ Imperium Loop.
- RWK-CT** **Rick Kenneally, Wilton** – Perseus SDR + SDR Console, 950' South Beverage-on-ground, 400' East terminated wire.
- JW-PA** **Jim Weber, Oyster Point** – Grundig S350
- MKB-ON** **Mike Brooker, Toronto** – Grundig YB-400PE, XHDATA D-808 and D-109, Sihudon R-108, C Crane Skywave, Tecsun PL-330, Panasonic RF-2200
- MKB-NYC** **Mike Brooker, New York** – XHDATA D-109

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UNID

- 1600 unID** -- - 4/24 2016 – Someone here with an open carrier and every 20 seconds playing a short descending electronic trill followed by a man saying “Escuchen por internal”. WCPK? (**RWK-CT**)

LOGGINGS

- 1710 WQFD689** **NJ Hudson County** – 6/2 0935 – Fair-good signal in Washington Square with local traffic, Covid vaccine info, many mentions of Hudson County. (**MKB-NYC**)

LOGGINGS

- 640 WNNZ MA Westfield** – 5/27 0000 – Poor; NEPM dot org and NEPM News Network ID with 12 o'clock time check. Very unusual to receive at night. (**BC-NH**)
- 940 WKGM VA Smithfield** – 6/11 0000 – Over CFNV; spot for Joy FM supporter Albemarle Pool Supply in Albemarle, North Carolina. (**BC-NH**)
- 1070 WFNI IN Indianapolis** – 5/21 1545 – Good signals on low-power transmitter as we drove through Indy on I-65 northbound, signal faded by the time we got to Whitestown, where the new large apartment buildings are already standing on WFNI's old transmitter site. (**KDF-IN**)
- WKOK PA Sunbury** – 5/9 2000 – Mixing with WINA, UNID singing, rock & roll songs, baseball game and Fox Sports Radio (I don't believe this is the same station with the baseball game.) with male “This is new radio 1070 WKOK Sunbury” ToH ID into CBS news. Then Mark Levin show. (**KK-VA**)
- WINA VA Charlottesville** – 5/9 2104 – In multi-station mix (see WKOK above) with female “News radio 98.9 and 1070 WINA news update” said so quickly I had to replay several times to understand! (**KK-VA**)
- +++ - 4/24 0000 – Battling 1080 slop with end of program “When Radio Was”, then “From the [something] studios, WINA Charlottesville, Virginia, a Charlottesville Radio Group station” then CBS News. New. (**RWK-CT**)
- 1080 WKGX NC Lenoir** – 5/9 2024 – In multi-station mix (WTIC, WALD and UNID Spanish singing) with “The greatest hits of all time. Classic hits 104 5 and 99 5” station promo. (**KK-VA**)
- WALD SC Johnsonville** – 5/9 2058 – In multi-station mix with male “... WALD 1080 AM Johnsonville, WARQ HD3 Columbia. This is the Worship and Word Network... a Glory Communications station” near-ToH ID. (**KK-VA**)
- 1090 WKFI OH Wilmington** – 5/9 2023 – Mixing with WBAL, WCZZ, oldies and other singing, male “This is WKFI...” ID. (**KK-VA**)



- WCZZ SC **Greenwood** – 5/9 2046 – Mixing with WBAL, WKFI, oldies and other singing, “Greenwood’s rhythm and blues 1090 AM and 102.7 FM” station promo. **(KK-VA)**
- 1150 WNLR VA **Churchville** – 5/18 2005 – In multi-station mix (CKOC, WDEL, WAVO, UNID rock & roll songs) with “New life radio WNLR” ID. 2015 sign off, but doesn’t actually go to lower power until 2020 EDT. City name, “Churchville”, seems appropriate for the station broadcast format. **(KK-VA)** *I wonder if they’re twinned with Christchurch, New Zealand. Mike.*
- 1160 WOBM NJ **Lakewood Township** – 5/18 2146 – In multi-station mix (WMET, WCCS, WYDU and more talk) with male “96.7 and 104.1” slogan. **(KK-VA)**
- WCCS PA **Homer City** – 5/18 2055 – In multi-station mix with CBS Sports Radio, promo for “the First Commonwealth community calendar is on the air and now it’s online too. That’s great news for WCCS listeners...” Station promo at 2057: “At home, in your car or at work now you’re able to hear news talk WCCS on 101.1 FM and AM 1160 online streaming live...” **(KK-VA)**
- 1190 WIXE NC **Monroe** – 5/18 2059 – Mixing with WTSD and more talk, ToH ID: “You’re listening to 93.1 FM and 1190 AM WIXE Monroe and W266CD Monroe.” **(KK-VA)**
- 1210 WANB PA **Waynesburg** – 5/25 2024 – Mixing with WPHT, ID as “...WANB real country.” **(KK-VA)**
- 1230 WGUY ME **Veazie** – 5/20 2000 – Fair; “The legendary songs of the ‘60s and ‘70s are always on The Legend WGUY Veazie-Brewer-Bangor and beyond, 1230 AM and 96.1 FM, it’s the legendary WGUY.” **(BC-NH)**
- WCBT NC **Roanoke Rapids** – 5/25 2125 – Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess including WFAV, WCRO, WCMC, singing, more talk and preaching. Station promo: “Take us where ever you go WCBT AM 1230 FM 102.7 the best in Southern soul...” **(KK-VA)**
- WBLQ RI **Westerly** – 5/20 0502 – Fair; “W276DF Westerly, WBLQ Westerly,” and “WBLQ Local News” leading with weather. **(BC-NH)**
- 1240 WJNC NC **Jacksonville** – 5/25 2017 – Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess including WRTA, WDNE, rock and roll songs, another station with oldies and a station off frequency causing a het, male “Broadcasting from ...this is ‘Go Mix’...” **(KK-VA)**
- WRTA PA **Altoona** – 5/28 0400 – Call sign ID and news at the top of the hour. Competing with a station broadcasting American Standards but with no discernable ID. **(JW-PA)**
- WSKI VT **Montpelier** – 5/21 0001 – Poor to fair; “WSKI Montpelier, WWMP Waterbury-Plattsburg... Rock 103.3.” **(BC-NH)**
- WDNE WV **Elkins** – 5/25 2114 – Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess including WRTA, WJNC, rock and roll songs, another station with oldies and a station off frequency causing a het, male “Your source for news, sports and weather, 99.9 FM and 1240 AM WDNE”. **(KK-VA)**
- 1250 WMTR NJ **Morristown** – 6/2 0945 – Out of Simon & Garfunkel’s “Sound of Silence” with “we are Classic Oldies WMTR” ID into “Walk Away Renee” by the Left Banke. Fair daytime signal in Washington Square. **(MKB-NYC)**
- 1260 WSUA FL **Miami** – 4/23 2200 – Under WSHU with Spanish talk, then several mentions of “America Radio” at the top of hour. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WCCR OH **Cleveland** – 5/19 2100 – Alone on frequency, “Listener-supported The Rock, 1260 AM Cleveland Catholic Radio” into EWTN news. **(MKB-ON)**
- 1270 WIWA FL **Eatonville** – 4/24 0059 – End of religious program promising to address “the use and abuse of alcohol” next week, followed by very clear “WIWA, Eatonville” ID and mention of “The Shepherd”, then SRN News. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WPMH VA **Newport News** – 4/23 2259 – Good with ad for Veteran Car Donation Program, ad for church group, and top of hour ID “You’re listening to the Lighthouse” then Turning Point. Fighting off-frequency WACM. Relog for calls. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1280 WSUX DE **Seaford** – 4/23 2201 – Assumed on day power pushing through WADO-NY with rapid talking young woman at top of hour mentioning ZMX and Seaford, DE. Eventually a deep voiced guy gave the call letters. Relog for calls and format update. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1290 WJNO FL **West Palm Beach** – 4/24 0600 – Weak but alone on auroral morning with ad for Discover Card, then man “Alexa, play Newsradio 12-90 WJNO” woman’s voice answered “That’s very smart of you”, full ToH ID, Fox News. Assumed day power. New. **(RWK-CT)**

- 1320 **WLQY** FL **Hollywood** – 4/25 0100 – Heard several times with Haitian French, but finally got English “WLQY Hollywood, Miami” ID buried deep under stations in CT, ON, MD, NC and others. Better ID 2 hours later. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WCOG** NC **Greensboro** – 4/24 0101 – Wavering in and out with Neil Diamond’s “Heartlight”, then man: “105.3 is W287GD Greensboro”, a “13-20 WCOG” station ID and CBS News. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1340 **WYBC** CT **New Haven** – 5/27 0500 – Over/under others; “This is WSHU Public Radio on 1260 WSHU AM Westport... 91.1 WSHU-FM HD2 Fairfield... and WSHU dot org, your station for NPR news,” then BBC World Service. **(BC-NH)**
- WBNC** NH **Conway** – 5/27 0402 – Briefly over WSTJ rock; promo, “...on Easy 95.3” and Easy 95.3 jingle. **(BC-NH)**
- WMID** NJ **Atlantic City** – 5/28 0502 – Fair; “WCMC Wildwood, WEZW Wildwood Crest, powered by a million watts of memories and broadcasting from Wildwood, the doo-wop capital of the world, welcome to the oldies but goodies station...” and Classic Oldies WMID jingle/ID. **(BC-NH)**
- WSTJ** VT **St. Johnsbury** – 5/26 2202 – Poor; “You’re listening to The Notch...” **(BC-NH)**
- 1370 **WQLL** MD **Pikesville** – 4/23 2300 – Good with ad for getting internet services to underprivileged people, then ID “13-70 AM WQLL Pikesville, the Black Information Network” then return to news. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WJIP** NY **Ellenville** – 4/23 1900 – Alone with ad for Vet-to-Vet then recorded ID by man: “WJIP Ellenville...from the ... Furniture studio this is Newsradio 14-50 and 13-70, WKIP, Poughkeepsie” into Fox News. Relog for calls. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1380 **WKDM** NY **New York** – 4/23 1800 – Spanish talk by men, lion’s roar sound effect and promo for noticias, then woman with English ID: “WKDM, New York”, then return to SS discussing “mucho dinero”. Someone playing music deep underneath. Relog to update call letters. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1390 **WSPO** SC **Charleston** – 4/25 0200 – Presumed with GOS on several nights but always losing to WZHF-MD. Finally up for part of an ID: “... and WXST ... a Charleston Radio Group station, we are Heaven 100.1.” New. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1400 **WVAE** ME **Biddeford** – 5/26 2002 – Faded up; “Soft and refreshing music on The Bay, WBAE Portland and WVAE Biddeford, a Portland Radio Group station, 107-1 and 93-5 The Bay.” **(BC-NH)**
- WHTB** MA **Fall River** – 5/27 2102 – In briefly; Voz do Emigrante ID in Portuguese. **(BC-NH)**
- WHMP** MA **Northampton** – 5/19 2000 – Caught part of ID through the jumble; “WHMP... WRSI HD2 Turners Falls... a Northampton Radio Group station.” **(BC-NH)**
- WRAK** PA **Williamsport** – 5/17 0038 – Nice clear ID; “WRAK Williamsport”. **(JW-PA)**
- 1410 **WHTG** NJ **Eatontown** – 6/9 2059 – Spotty reception of fadey signal across the 9 PM break with 1410 and 100.7 mentions. Gerry & the Pacemakers “Don’t Let the Sun Catch You Crying” then “Saturday in the Park” by Chicago heard and confirmed on station web page. Active frequency this evening. **(JW-PA)**
- WRTZ** VA **Roanoke** – 4/24 0000 – Very weird. WPOP was alone but subdued by aurora when this popped in strong with just a recorded ID: “True Oldies WRTZ Roanoke” and nothing else. The nighttime power should be 72 watts. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1420 **WACK** NY **Newark** – 6/11 0100 – “WACK” call sign ID at this time, no other info. **(JW-PA)**
- 1440 **WWCL** FL **Lehigh Acres** – 4/24 0100 – Deep under mush but with distinctive many-station parallel ID punctuated with laser blaster notes, then extended Radio Vision Cristiana jingle, then snippets of Spanish. // WWRV-1330. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WFNY** NY **Gloversville** – 4/23 1800 – Buried under Barry Manilow on in-state rival WLIM with part of ToH ID: “... AM 1440 Gloversville... Amsterdam, FM 94.1 in the town of... This is W231CF ... broadcasting from the ... Airport in Edinburgh on 93.1, we are W226CO...” New. **(RWK-CT)**
- WKLV** VA **Blackstone** – 4/23 2252 – Completely buried in mush. Only rose up for a recorded ID by clear-voiced man: “WKLV 1440 ... 92.7”. New. **(RWK-CT)**
- 1450 **WPNO** ME **South Paris** – 5/29 0400 – Fair; Red Eye Radio, “WPNO South Paris, WEZR Rumford, this is Oxford County’s talk radio, 96-9 and 98-3 The Patriot,” and Fox news. **(BC-NH)**
- WPGG** NJ **Atlantic City** – 6/4 0400 – Through the jumble; “95.5 FM and 1450 AM WPGG...” **(BC-NH)**
- WLEJ** PA **State College** – 5/31 2105 – FM-only 103.7 and 104.3 IDs then into a country song. **(JW-PA)**

- WWRI RI West Warwick** – 5/20 2000 – Fair; “This is WWRI West Warwick-Warwick-Coventry, Classic Rock I-105.5 and 1450 AM, a DiPonti Communications station.” (BC-NH)
- WREL VA Lexington** – 4/24 0001 – Rising out of graveyard morass with “WREL... Lexington, the Big Dawg.” Good enough for me! New. (RWK-CT)
- 1460 WOPG NY Albany** – 4/23 1859 – Good but still below in-state rival WVOX with “This is Bishop Ed and you’re listening to WOPG 14-60 AM, WOPG FM 89.9. Words of peace and goodness” then program with woman talking about the spirit world. Better an hour later. Relog for calls. (RWK-CT)
- 1470 WBOM CT Meriden** – 4/23 0000 – Fair but not great in early evening with R&B, then “The new 102.5 is Hartford’s R&B and throwback station ... Full Power Radio.” Fighting persistent static. Relog for calls. (RWK-CT)
- WMGG FL Egypt Lake** – 4/24 0559 – Slipped in a quick “WMGG Egypt...” in a momentary pause in the audio from WBOM. Replaced by WWNN-FL a few minutes later. New. (RWK-CT)
- WWBG NC Greensboro** – 4/24 2300 – Absolutely blasting in at top of hour with “She’s Not You” by Elvis, AM/FM ID by man, “Ladies & Gentlemen, the greatest music of all time”, station ID for WTOB (//WTOB-980 Winston-Salem), then “Soul Man” by Sam & Dave. New. (RWK-CT)
- 1480 WPWC VA Dumfries-Triangle** – 4/23 2101 – Rising strong past WZRC with “El Ray Te Mando Lllamar” by Danny Berrios, then ID in EE: “This is WPWC 14-80 AM 5000 watts serving Dumfries-Triangle, Virginia” then repeated in Spanish, followed by ads in SS. New. (RWK-CT)
- 1490 WUVR NH Lebanon** – 6/10 2200 – Under WCCM; promo/ID, “...now on News/Talk 98.9 and 1490 WUVR Lebanon.” (BC-NH)
- WKNY NY Kingston** – 5/27 0100 – Poor through WINQ; Radio Kingston WKNY ID. (BC-NH)
- WDLC NY Port Jervis** – 6/11 0459 – Poor; iHeart promo, “...on air at 95-3 and 107-7.” (BC-NH)
- WINQ VT Brattleboro** – 4/23 2000 – Just barely audible with a sharp-voiced announcer cutting through the mush with “...WINQ Brattleboro, a Monadnock Broadcasting Group Station”. New. (RWK-CT)
- +++ - 5/28 0000 – Fair; “WINQ-FM and HD1 Winchester, WINQ Brattleboro, a Monadnock Broadcasting Group station, WINQ-FM and HD1 Winchester, WINQ Brattleboro, Winq Country.” (BC-NH)
- WFAD VT Middlebury** – 5/26 2100 – Faded in; multi-station ID included W226CU 101.1 Middlebury and WHYD 88.9 Hyde Park-Morrisville, then “Light Word of the Day.” Website www.thelightradio.net lists FM network along with public files including WFAD. (BC-NH)
- 1550 WAMA FL Tampa** – 4/24 0000 – Very good on top of 3 closer REL stations, playing accordion-heavy music, then Spanish ID: “WAMA...La Ley 107.7 FM ... laleyradio.com... de la rasa ...”, then more accordion music. New. (RWK-CT)
- 1590 WAUB NY Auburn** – 5/25 2059 – Fighting WAKR et al with local weather “on Finger Lakes News Radio”. (MKB-ON)
- WHPY NC Clayton** – 4/25 1900 – Mixing with WFTH-VA with “...Fellowship Christian Radio...15-90 AM Clayton, North Carolina” then music. New. (RWK-CT)
- WYSR NC High Point** – 4/23 2300 – In mix with WARV and others, with slow female vocals then slowly enunciated in accented English: “15-80 AM WYSR” then more mellow music. New. (RWK-CT)
- 1600 WCPK VA Chesapeake** – 4/23 2310 – Good rising up from under WWRL-NY with folky Spanish music and “Esta es Hosana Radio” every 10-20 minutes. Calls in accented English at top of hour. 23 watts – really? New. (RWK-CT)

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PAN-AMERICAN DX

- 540 **MEXICO** XEWA *Los 40*, San Luis Potosí, SLP JUN 6 0959 – Techno music, "Los Cuarenta" then Hot AC vocals, slogan several more times. I thought this was being reported as having gone silent, but here it is. Surely not the other *Los 40* at 1.5 kW from Monterrey. [Krueger-FL]
- 570 **CUBA** *R.Reloj*, Santa Clara MAY 31 0505 – Through the mix with Spanish talk, clock ticks, and the typical Morse code "RR" every minute, but little else due to KLIF and others. [Vance-TX]
- 600 **MEXICO** XEHW Chametla, Sin. MAY 30 1015 – Under partially-nulled local KROD; grupera music and frequent "La Mejor Pachanga" splitter ID's. [Vance-TX]
- 690 **MEXICO** XEMA Fresnillo, Zac. MAY 23 1040 – Under nulled local KTSM; banda music and frequent "La Mejor FM" splitter ID's by an exaggerated deep-throated male. Full ID for FM side (107.9 XHEMA), but did not hear a reference to the AM side. Lately, this has been frequently under KTSM. [Vance-TX]
- 750 **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, Palmira APR 24 0400 – ID heard deep under WSB, but later the aurora suppressed WSB leaving Progreso alone on frequency. New. [Kenneally-CT]
- 820 **MEXICO** XEABCA Mexicali, BC APR 19 0700 – Mixing under WBAP; variety of Spanish music genres, full top of the hour ID for both AM and FM (XHABCA) sides followed by Mexican national anthem and plenty of "Ke Buena" splitter ID's. The 2022-2023 IRCA Mexican Log indicates a "Radio Cañon" slogan while reportedly silent XEBM was associated with the "Ke Buena" slogan, but now XEABCA does not appear to be Radio Cañon. [Vance-TX]
- 1060 **CUBA** *Radio 26*, Jovellanos, Matanzas JUN 5 0912 – Fair with nice traditional Cuban folk music, ID. [Krueger-FL]
- 1500 **PERU** *R.Santa Rosa*, San Miguel APR 24 0359 – On tip from Mike Westfall, checked 1500 to find *R.Santa Rosa* clobbering WFED with a low het due to a ~126Hz offset. Great top of hour IDs at 0400 and 0500 including "Radio Santa Rosa, primer emisora Católica." Mixed sermons/prayer/music across the hour. New. (I freakin' love SDRs.) [Kenneally-CT]
- 1520 **PUERTO RICO** WRSJ San Juan APR 24 0702 – Aurora knocked down WWKB just after top of hour allowing this to barely sneak through. Slow ballad, then talk by man that included "WRSJ San Juan" into more danceable music. New. [Kenneally-CT]
- 1530 **MEXICO** XEUR Cd. México, CDMX MAY 10 0500 – Popped up from the mix with top of the hour ID, followed by tropical music. [Vance-TX]
- 1530 **PUERTO RICO** WUPR *Exitos 1530*, Utado APR 24 0512 – Fighting a stubborn WCKY that didn't want to surrender to the aurora, with trumpet heavy song then heavily produced recorded ID by woman that included clear "Exitos 1530." New. [Kenneally-CT]
- 1530 unID APR 24 0703 – Someone here with horribly distorted audio. I don't see any Cubans on frequency, but this rivals the worst of the Cubans. Just woman's voice talking and sounding like the teacher in a Charlie Brown cartoon. [Kenneally-CT]
- 1560 **PUERTO RICO** WBYM Bayamon APR 25 0022 – Mostly muttering or music under WFME. But this time it rose up enough to hear with music, then IDs by man mentioning "pura palabra" a couple times, then more music. New. [Kenneally-CT]
- 1570 **PERU** OCU4J *Bethel Radio*, Lima APR 24 0359 – During major aurora, WUBG was suppressed and the stations in NY were gone. No sign of either of the La Rasas in Florida. I heard Spanish talk by a woman mentioning la música, then a little horn fanfare and a man announced "Esta es Historia Preferida." This was followed by talk including what sounded like a radio drama with sometimes emotional dialog. Station faded for much of the hour, then was back at 0100 with another Historia Preferida. Also, mention of a 101 frequency and a URL ending in .pe. I found the program listed in the *Bethel Radio* website and recorded the same program intro from the livestream. New. [Kenneally-CT]
- 1670.05 **MEXICO** XEFCR *Focus Radio*, Reynosa, Tamps. JUN 4 0948 – Woman canned slogan, slow and mid-tempo Spanish ballads. Remains off-frequency, making it fairly easy to hear even with WMGE pest. [Krueger-FL]

TRANS-PACIFIC DX

846 **KIRIBATI** *R.Kiribati*, London, Christmas Island – No logs of JBA carrier since May 2, not making it in summer noise conditions. [Hauser-OK]

CONTRIBUTORS

Glenn Hauser, Enid OK; NRD-545 with ALA-330S or north/south not very long wire, DX-398 or PL-880 with internal antenna only, sometimes IC-R75 with ~100-ft east/west long wire.

Rick Kenneally, Wilton CT; Perseus SDR + SDR-Console, Drake R8B, Sony 2010, 950-ft south BOG, 400-ft east wire on ground, Radio Plus Quantum Phaser.

Terry L. Krueger, Niceville FL; IC-R75, NRD-535, ICF-7600GR, Tescun PL-360, active loops, random wire, misc. junk.

Robert Vance, El Paso TX; SDRPlay RSPduo, WinRadio G33DDC, various indoor and outdoor loop antennas.

73 and Good DX!



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Jim Weber, Oyster Point PA

It's unclear to me why a prior issue (May 02) of the DX News came in a USPS "We Care" envelope which I've gotten when the mailed item was chewed up. The magazine looked perfectly fine to me. Generally hitting the hay right after sunset, I've been checking late night Top of the Hour IDs when I should be sleeping. Hopefully, diminishing returns will curtail this unhealthy behavior! The sparse results were three new stations in March; only one in April. New stations in 2023 were picked up on 930, 990, 1320, 1370, 2 on 1400, 1440, 1450, 1590, and 1700. The trusty S350 is still working OK with minor selector knob scratchiness.

I've been reading some of the scare notices about eliminating MW on the car radios. Not sure I'm comfortable with this. I've always checked A/M/W across the band when test driving a potential new car; particularly to see if there is engine noise bleeding through. This behavior always drove the car salesmen bonkers. I had a Ford Contour that had a horrible problem with engine static noise; they had to install some kind of arrestor to mitigate it. When charging the cell phone in the car, the band is useless and Sirius is usually the choice.

On a celestial note, I haven't seen any auroras but there might have been only one opportunity to do so in Lancaster this year. I can't say I've noticed anything hugely different on the AM frequencies I inhabit. There seems to have been more mush lately, that is all. I hope everyone has a relaxing summer.

Rick Kenneally, Wilton CT woodlandview@yahoo.com

As mentioned in my last musing, on April 23-24 the K-index shot up to 7-8 and provided the first good aurora since I installed the new south-pointed Beverage through the swamp behind our house. In the early evening of 4/23 the band got very noisy, with very low signal levels. But as night rolled in, the band became interesting. This is my first experience of a night like this with an SDR (Perseus + SDR Console). The ability to record everything and to carefully review each frequency is just amazing. New loggings so far include 18 new domestics and 15 new Latin Americans including Colombia on 640, 680, & 980; Cuba on 590 & 930; Dominican Republic on 590; Venezuela on 1039.6; Puerto Rico on 1300, 1520, 1530 & 1560; and two new countries.

The first new country was Radio Católica on 720 for my first Nicaragua logging from Connecticut. This was a target identified during the recent trip to Turks & Caicos – a good strong signal with distinctive programming. But the big news and most unexpected was 1470 Megamix in Lima, Peru! Around midnight Eastern the usual collection of oldies-playing domestics on 1470 faded away, even Florida. A station rose up playing modern-sounding Latin pop and dance music, with many many "Megamix!" IDs between each song. It was up for ~10 minutes, faded away for 25, then came back again for another 10 minutes or so. Mwlist.com said this was a 25kW station in Peru! But I couldn't believe it until I found a couple YouTube recordings of it and its live stream and they matched what I was hearing. For good measure, I put a note onto the IRCA groups.io list, and Mark Connelly asked some good questions. But it turned out that it was indeed Peru – one of the most memorable loggings of my DXing career. And, it was only the beginning

There was an UnID on 1570 at about the same time with audio in and out for over an hour. Mostly a man and woman trading off talking, and at some points what sounded like an emotional radio drama. Near the top of hour at 0400 and 0500z was what sounded like the announcement of the beginning of a program – a man said “Esta es Historia Federida” or something similar. I looked through all the likely stations on 1570 - domestic and foreign - and listened to their livestreams at the same midnight timeslot. Nothing sounded remotely similar. However the original reception was on a Sunday night. So as a last resort, I listened again last Sunday night to the livestreams from the most likely 5-6 stations (just playing them all at the same time on different browser tabs so they mixed together) and voila! Bethel Radio 1570 in Lima, Peru, played what sounded like a radio drama. When I found their detailed program guide, there it was: “Historia Preferida” at 23:00 Lima time. And thanks to Chuck Hutton who pointed out a “.pe” URL mentioned in the recording as well. Peru #2!

Mike Westfall then mentioned on the IRCA email list his impressive reception of Radio Santa Rosa on 1500 in Peru. I hadn’t listened much to 1500 because WFED is so strong. But when I checked the recording, there it was – Radio Santa Rosa, Lima – off frequency on about 1500.126 kHz. Peru #3. So that confirmed this was some freakish opening from Peru to Connecticut. Reception reports have been emailed to all 3, but I doubt any publicly listed email address will bear fruit. We’ll see.

Continued reviews of the April aurora recordings did turn up a nice mid-band opening to southern Florida and Cuba around 06:00 on 4/26. R. Reloj on 950 has never been more than a faint Morse “rr” buried under many domestics, but this time it was way on top and almost alone on the channel. Other new additions were Cubans 910 – R. Metropolitana and 1020 – R. Artemisa – both very strong, and some new Floridians: 990 WTLN in Orlando, 1030 WONQ in Oviedo, and 1070 WKII in Solana.

In other news – very happy to receive veries from the WNJC, WCGA, WWKY and WMST DX tests. A hearty thank you to Les Rayburn and the CPC Team! Also, thank you to Guy Atkins for continued guidance on SDR usage, and to Nick Hall-Patch for antenna tips that have me planning a new EWE antenna this summer to get some reception to the west for next season.

Good DX! Rick

Rick Dau, South Omaha NE

I'm rather surprised to see that it's been over a year and a half since I last mused. Age is 58, still single, and still employed as a route driver at a local O'Reilly Auto Parts “superhub” store in west Omaha. DX on the MW band here has been very slow in 2023. Just 3 new loggings, WIRL-1290 (with KOIL off) at sunset on January 12, then two graveyard stations in May, KSIM-1400 in Missouri and WLEC-1450 in Ohio (THAT one was a shock at 689 miles – easily one of my best graveyard loggings ever). Equipment for MW DXing here consists of a Sony ICF-2010, paired with either a Grundig AN-200 passive antenna or a Quantum QX Pro loop. Totals on MW from south Omaha are 1030 domestics, 1083 overall. I also still have a running logbook on MW in Davenport, Iowa, and roadtrips to there in April and June of last year plus March and April of this year have boosted my totals from 348 overall heard to 497 overall, with 481 of those being domestics. I'm now actively involved in the new #mwdx and #fmdx chatrooms on Slack.com, created, respectively, by Don Moman and Loyd Van Horn as worthy successors to the BCB and TVFM Loggers on the now-defunct dxworld.com website that went belly-up in January 2021. These chatrooms on Slack are invite-only, however, so if you would like to participate, please e-mail me at drummer1965us@hotmail.com, and I can have Slack send you an invite which you would then accept by clicking on the “Accept” button to get started chatting with other DXers. Simple as that.

I am in need of hardcopies of DX News Volume 61 (1993-94). One issue in particular, the one dated 6/20/1994, as that one is missing from the NRC archives online (so Wayne, obviously, is also in need of anyone who has that one so he can scan it). I'm interested in the 6/20/1994 issue as the FM DX Digest column in that issue was one of several columns in the early 1990s that contained E-skip loggings of mine that I heard while I was living in Iowa City. I am not expecting anyone, of course, to part with just one issue (unless you really want to), so that's why I am in need of paper copies of all of Volume 61. [I've got the issue you need, Rick, and it's on the way to Wayne for scanning! – DY]

In addition, I'm still on the lookout for these:

- NRC Nighttime Antenna Pattern Book - 3rd Edition, which would have come out before 1988
- Bumperstickers from - WXVI-1600 (Alabama), KSIR-1010 (Colorado), WCIL-1020 and WGIL-1400 (Illinois), WCVL-1550/WIMC-103.9 (Indiana), WOC-1420 (Iowa), WSGW-790 (Michigan), KDHL-920 (Minnesota), KBOA-830 (Missouri), KATL-770 (Montana), WIMA-1150 (Ohio), KOKK-1210 (South Dakota), WIVK-990 (Tennessee), WWQM-106.3, WPRE-980, and WNNO-900 (NOT 990!) (Wisconsin), and CKX-1150 (Manitoba)
- Coverage maps from - WCAZ-990, WGEM-1440 and WRHL-1060 (Illinois), KXIC-800 and KWLO-1330 (Iowa), WHFB-1060, WKAR-870, and WSGW- 790 (Michigan), KLIZ-1380 and KWOA-730 (Minnesota), KCHI-1010 and KCMO-810 (Missouri), KAMI-1580 (Nebraska),

KCKN-1020 (New Mexico), KOKK-1210, KYNT-1450, and WNAX-570 (South Dakota), WSM-650 (Tennessee), KCAR-1350 and KHYM-1060 (Texas), and WWVA-1170 (West Virginia)

- Plus a blue-and-yellow early 1990s keychain from WDAS-1480 (Pennsylvania) and blue and red advertising rate cards from WIMS-1420 (Indiana).

Please feel free to contact me at the e-mail address above if you can help with any of these, or if you'd like to get onto the aforementioned DX chatrooms on Slack. See you in these pages next time. 73 de RWD.

Martin Foltz, Sarasota FL

Veries from Les/CPC, WBOB, WWKY, WMST, WCGA, KJJR, WDFB. Thanks guys. My local 1110 WTIS has been running day power many evenings, Spanish programming with La Mega slogan. No DX to report. Not much listening and nothing interesting heard.

We bought our retirement home in the south side of Sarasota. I should have room for an antenna on the 1.75 acre lot. The back yard faces east if I remember correctly. Closes in mid-July. After that I've decided to look for a Drake R-8. 73's and happy summer. Martin

Linda Brodsky, Malverne NY

I received eQSLs for the WCGA 1100 and WDFB 1170 tests. Love the EKKO stamp design! Thanks to Les Rayburn and the NRC/IRCA CPC Committee for the tests they arranged this past year, the time they spent reviewing reports and for the beautifully designed QSLs.

I haven't found time to go through the IQ recordings I made in Colorado in early May and suspect I might find some new catches in there. The NY scene has been uninspiring and since there have been several unanticipated and numerous thunderstorms, I haven't left the SDRs connected overnight. The few times I checked on the Sangean and C.Crane, WBZ 1030 was the only out of state station with a consistently strong signal. The lower end of the band was a mess of static, stations in mid-band like CKLW 800 and even usually strong stations on the upper end like WPTX 1690 barely made an appearance. Here's hoping the band opens up again. 73.

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| Station | State | City | DXer | DX Location | Miles |
|---------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| WFMH | AL | Cullman | Russ Johnson | Lexington, NC | 392 |
| WJOI | AL | Florence | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 525 |
| WXOR | AL | Florence | Charles Reh | Leamington, ON | 572 |
| WMRK | AL | Selma | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 1077 |
| WMRK | AL | Selma | Steve Francis (SK) | Alcoa, TN | 290 |
| WFEB | AL | Sylacauga | Steve Francis (SK) | Alcoa, TN | 222 |
| AFRN | AK | Ft. Yukon | Frank Merrill | Nenana, AK | 178 |
| KIKO | AZ | Apache Junction | Tim Hall | US 6/50 at NV/UT Border, UT | 416 |
| KIKO | AZ | Miami | Wayne Heinen | Colorado Springs, CO | 532 |
| KPGE | AZ | Page | Phil Bytheway | Seattle, WA | 924 |
| KENT | AZ | Prescott | Don Kaskey (SK) | Sacramento, CA | 562 |
| KBTA | AR | Batesville | Phil Bytheway | Seattle, WA | 1769 |
| KZNG | AR | Hot Springs | Wayne Heinen | Colorado Springs, CO | 717 |
| KCAT | AR | Pine Bluff | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 1154 |
| KBRS | AR | Springdale | Charles Reh | Leamington, ON | 738 |
| KBRS | AR | Springdale | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 682 |
| KATA | CA | Arcata | Carl Dabelstein | Lihue, HI | 2433 |
| KATA | CA | Arcata | Phil Bytheway | Seattle, WA | 475 |
| KWXY | CA | Cathedral City | John Sampson | Cupertino, CA | 396 |
| KCBL | CA | Fresno | Richard E. Wood (SK) | Hilo, HI | 2434 |
| KCBL | CA | Fresno | Tim Hall | Crescent City, CA | 416 |
| KVGC | CA | Jackson | Tim Hall | Chula Vista, CA | 449 |

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| KOMY | CA | La Selva Beach | Richard E. Wood (SK) | Hilo, HI | 2325 |
| KAVC | CA | Mojave | Tim Hall | Burney, CA | 735 |
| KSFE | CA | Needles | John Johnson | Billings, MT | 821 |
| KEWE | CA | Oroville | Richard E. Wood (SK) | Hilo, HI | 2415 |
| KPYV | CA | Oroville | Tim Hall | West Glacier, MT | 725 |
| KATY | CA | San Luis Obispo | Frank Merrill | Nenana, AK | 2347 |
| KGLW | CA | San Luis Obispo | Carl Dabelstein | Phoenix, AZ | 504 |
| KIST | CA | Santa Barbara | Richard E. Wood (SK) | Hilo, HI | 2390 |
| KIST | CA | Santa Barbara | Tim Hall | Crescent City, CA | 564 |
| KOMY | CA | Watsonville | Tim Hall | Chula Vista, CA | 408 |
| KDCO | CO | Denver | Tim Hall | US 6/50 at NV/UT Border, UT | 484 |
| KWSL | CO | Grand Junction | Carl Dabelstein | Omaha, NE | 686 |
| KVRH | CO | Salida | Wayne Heinen | Aurora, CO | 102 |
| WYBC | CT | New Haven | Russ Johnson | Lexington, NC | 567 |
| WYBC | CT | New Haven | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 316 |
| WOOK | DC | Washington | Andy Rugg (SK) | Montreal, QC | 488 |
| WOOK | DC | Washington | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 401 |
| WTAN | FL | Clearwater | Mike Jeziorski | Juriquilla, QRO | 1219 |
| WTAN | FL | Clearwater | Neil Kazaross | Barrington, IL | 1026 |
| WWFL | FL | Clermont | Shawn Axelrod | Orlando, FL | 17 |
| WROD | FL | Daytona Beach | Andy Rugg (SK) | Montreal, QC | 1197 |
| WROD | FL | Daytona Beach | Marc DeLorenzo | Hyannis, MA | 1051 |
| WZAZ | FL | Jacksonville | Don Trelford (SK) | Runaway Bay, JMC | 868 |
| WDSR | FL | Lake City | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 1116 |
| WPBR | FL | Lantana | John Sampson | Winston-Salem, NC | 435 |
| WTYS | FL | Marianna | Ernie Wesolowski | Omaha, NE | 953 |
| WPBR | FL | Palm Beach | Ernie Cooper (SK) | Provincetown, MA | 1198 |
| WITS | FL | Sebring | Russ Johnson | Lexington, NC | 576 |
| WFSH | FL | Valparaiso | Steve Francis (SK) | Alcoa, TN | 393 |
| WGAU | GA | Athens | Russ Edmunds | Parsippany, NJ | 691 |
| WBBQ | GA | Atlanta | Carl Dabelstein | Lincoln, NE | 831 |
| WBBQ | GA | Augusta | Russ Edmunds | Parsippany, NJ | 661 |
| WGAA | GA | Cedartown | Steve Francis (SK) | Alcoa, TN | 138 |
| WOKS | GA | Columbus | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 1019 |
| WOKS | GA | Columbus | Russ Edmunds | Blue Bell, PA | 758 |
| WBBT | GA | Lyons | Kraig Krist | Manassas, VA | 526 |
| WALH | GA | Mountain City | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 465 |
| WTIF | GA | Tifton | Ron Schiller (SK) | Monmouth Beach, NJ | 811 |
| KSKI | ID | Hailey | Mike Hardester | Modesto, CA | 537 |
| KSGR | ID | Nampa | Tim Hall | Chula Vista, CA | 756 |
| KTIK | ID | Nampa | Shawn Axelrod | Winnipeg, MB | 1004 |
| KACH | ID | Preston | Phil Bytheway | Seattle, WA | 637 |
| KXQZ | ID | Wendell | Tim Hall | Chula Vista CA | 708 |
| WSOY | IL | Decatur | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 768 |
| WHPI | IL | Herrin | Shawn Axelrod | Winnipeg, MB | 913 |
| WJPF | IL | Herrin | George Santulli | Cranford, NJ | 810 |
| WJOL | IL | Joliet | Shawn Axelrod | Winnipeg, MB | 714 |
| WJOL | IL | Joliet | Carl Dabelstein | Lincoln, NE | 450 |
| WBIW | IN | Bedford | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 707 |
| WBIW | IN | Bedford | Steve Francis (SK) | Alcoa, TN | 257 |
| WTRC | IN | Elkhart | Denis Picard | Trois-Rivières-Ouest, QC | 737 |
| WTRC | IN | Elkhart | George Santulli | Cranford, NJ | 605 |
| WLBC | IN | Muncie | Carl Dabelstein | Lincoln, NE | 595 |
| WXFN | IN | Muncie | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 605 |
| KROS | IA | Clinton | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 760 |
| KROS | IA | Clinton | Carl Dabelstein | Lincoln, NE | 343 |
| KROS | IA | Clinton | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 343 |
| KLIL | IA | Estherville | Ernie Wesolowski | Omaha, NE | 165 |
| KGGS | KS | Garden City | Tim Hall | Jackpot, NV | 777 |
| KFKF | KS | Kansas City | Shawn Axelrod | Winnipeg, MB | 714 |
| KNHN | KS | Kansas City | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 612 |
| KSEK | KS | Pittsburg | Shawn Axelrod | Winnipeg, MB | 858 |

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| KSEK | KS | Pittsburg | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 662 |
| WCMJ | KY | Ashland | Joe Fela (SK) | Newark, NJ | 477 |
| WCMJ | KY | Ashland | Jeff Falconer (SK) | Clinton, ON | 362 |
| WBGJ | KY | Bowling Green | Carl Dabelstein | Omaha, NE | 596 |
| WBGJ | KY | Bowling Green | Ernie Wesolowski | Omaha, NE | 596 |
| WBGJ | KY | Bowling Green | Jeff Falconer (SK) | Clinton, ON | 525 |
| WKCB | KY | Hindman | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 668 |
| WNBS | KY | Murray | George Santulli | Cranford, NJ | 809 |
| WEKY | KY | Richmond | Ron Schiller (SK) | Monmouth Beach, NJ | 583 |
| KRMD | LA | Shreveport | Frank Wheeler (SK) | Erie, PA | 1005 |
| WFAU | ME | Augusta | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 304 |
| WFAU | ME | Augusta | John Sampson | Freehold, NJ | 362 |
| WNZS | ME | Veazie | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 349 |
| WGAW | MA | Gardner | Kraig Krist | Manassas, VA | 392 |
| WGAW | MA | Gardner | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 269 |
| WNBH | MA | New Bedford | Russ Edmunds | Blue Bell, PA | 249 |
| WBRK | MA | Pittsfield | Niel Wolfish | Murray Harbour, North PEI | 585 |
| WBRK | MA | Pittsfield | Russ Edmunds | Blue Bell, PA | 192 |
| WLEW | MI | Bad Axe | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 372 |
| WLEW | MI | Bad Axe | John J. Varljen, Jr. | Ashville, PA | 323 |
| WBBL | MI | Grand Rapids | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 579 |
| WLAV | MI | Grand Rapids | Bruce Conti | West Warwick, RI | 763 |
| WCSR | MI | Hillsdale | George Santulli | Cranford, NJ | 575 |
| WCSR | MI | Hillsdale | Jeff Falconer (SK) | Clinton, ON | 196 |
| WMTE | MI | Manistee | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 522 |
| WMTE | MI | Manistee | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 226 |
| WAGN | MI | Menominee | Ron Schiller (SK) | Monmouth Beach, NJ | 766 |
| WAGN | MI | Menominee | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 575 |
| WMBN | MI | Petoskey | Shawn Axelrod | Valhalla Beach, MB | 665 |
| WMBN | MI | Petoskey | Russ Edmunds | Blue Bell, PA | 609 |
| WEXL | MI | Royal Oak | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 416 |
| WEXL | MI | Royal Oak | Kraig Krist | Manassas, VA | 393 |
| KQBR | MN | Brainerd | Don Trelford (SK) | Runaway Bay, JMC | 2159 |
| KVBR | MN | Brainerd | Barry McLarnon | Ottawa, ON | 886 |
| KVBR | MN | Brainerd | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 619 |
| KDLM | MN | Detroit Lakes | Andy Rugg (SK) | Waterloo, ON | 781 |
| KDLM | MN | Detroit Lakes | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 705 |
| WEVE | MN | Eveleth | Morris Sorensen (SK) | Leaf Rapids, MB | 710 |
| WEVE | MN | Eveleth | Carl Dabelstein | Omaha, NE | 459 |
| KROC | MN | Rochester | Niel Wolfish | Toronto, ON | 650 |
| KROC | MN | Rochester | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 482 |
| KWLM | MN | Willmar | Neil Kazaross | Barrington, IL | 401 |
| WAML | MS | Laurel | Ernie Wesolowski | Omaha, NE | 767 |
| KXEO | MO | Mexico | Andy Rugg (SK) | Montreal, QC | 1028 |
| KXEO | MO | Mexico | Russ Edmunds | Parsippany, NJ | 929 |
| KLID | MO | Poplar Bluff | Charles Reh | Leamington, ON | 552 |
| KLID | MO | Poplar Bluff | Gary Siegel | Toledo, OH | 498 |
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Update on AM Radios in Cars: On May 23 Ford announced that it was reversing its previous decision to drop AM radio from its 2024 models. According to the AP, "CEO Jim Farley wrote in social media postings that the company is reversing a decision to scrub the band after speaking with government policy leaders who are concerned about keeping emergency alerts that often are sounded on AM stations." Ford will also provide a software update to restore the AM band to radios in two 2023 electronic vehicle models from which it had been dropped.

"Ford's reversal reflects an overdue realization about the importance of AM radio, but too many automakers are still going the wrong direction," Sen. Ed Markey (D-MA) said in a written statement. He said Congress should still pass the "AM for Every Vehicle Act" to keep access to the band.

The AP story continued: "The Federal Communications Commission and National Association of Broadcasters praised the legislation, which is also backed by Sen. Ted Cruz, R-Texas, Rep. Josh Gottheimer, D-N.J., Rep. Tom Kean, Jr., R-N.J., Rep. Marie Gluesenkamp Perez, D-Wash., among others.

"But the Alliance for Automotive Innovation, a U.S. trade group that represents major automakers including Ford and BMW, criticized the bill, calling the AM radio mandate unnecessary.

"According to the National Association of Broadcasters and Nielsen data, more than 80 million people in the U.S. listen to AM radio every month."



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