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NRC Log #45 Sold Out! The 45th edition of the kHz, with a program AM Radio Log is SOLD OUT! The deadline to produce the 46th edition will be August 1, and it will be here before you know it! Anyone wishing to help proof a geographical area in the USA or Canada, just let me know. PLEASE, be one of the DX News: The Rochester Times-Union ran an members who supports the accuracy of the *Log*, the hobby's premier publication, by contributing your updates. We do get updates from trade publications that we subscribe to, however, boots on the ground and BIC (<u>B</u>utt <u>I</u>n <u>C</u>hair) observations are what makes the AM Radio Log

The easiest way to proof the *Log* is for me to send a copy of a certain area's data to you for you to review and update, then you send it back to me. We can use either an Excel spreadsheet or a Word document. When you change a piece of data in a station's entry, simply change the font color to red so I will know what fields to update. Just let me know the area(s) you wish to proof and which format will work for you!

For snail mailers just drop me a note with the areas and I'll send a Log-type print out that can be annotated and returned via snail mail.

Email me at amlog@nationalradioclub.org or write NRC Log, P.O. Box 473251, Aurora, CO

The *Log* will once again hit the streets sometime in August. I am still researching the printing and keep your postage costs, so eye announcements when we're ready to take preorders... Wayne Heinen, Editor, AM Radio Log.

<u>From the Publisher</u>: Electronic subscribers – watch for a special DXtra News with baseball networks later this week. No room, full issue!

### From the Archives

90 Years Ago: From the April 10, 1935 issue of DX News: Station KFPM-1310, a 15-watt station in Greenville TX that had been heard by many DXers, has surrendered its license due conditions. 1310 was then economic "graveyard" frequency.

**75 Years Ago**: From the April 8, 1950 issue of DX News: Gene Allen in Vallejo CA reports a new station, ZM2AP "Apia Radio" in Samoa on 1420

in Polynesian except for an English sign-off at 0400 Eastern time, heard almost daily with QRM from WLKD in Sapporo, Japan.

**50 Years Ago**: From the April 7, 1975 issue of article entitled "WHAM's Far-Out Listeners," about the many reception reports (some well written, and some samples of bad ones included as well) received from Finland, Australia, and many other places.

**25 Years Ago**: From the April 17, 2000 issue of DX News: Members discussed WCCO-830's application for a CP for an auxiliary site (which they are now in 2025 moving to permanently); WRHC-1550 was cited by the FCC for operating from its CP site rather than its never-used licensed site (and it's still doing so to this day, although with repeated STAs).

**10 Years Ago**: From the March 23, 2015 issue of DX News: Plans are underway for a joint NRC-IRCA-WTFDA-Decalomania convention July 10-12 this year in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

All DX News back issues through <u>Volume 90</u> are available online at <u>https://nationalradioclub.org/dx-</u> news-archives/.

Membership Report

Members: Welcome to Christopher Crommett, Brookhaven, GA; Steve H. Forrest, Blaine, TN; Michael Meredith, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI; Edward Schuller, San Rafael, CA; Roger Terrill, Westfield Center, OH.

**Renewing Members**: Thanks for the ongoing support from David Aichelman; Tim Clampit; Richard L. Evans; Roger Gravelle; Bryne Hagstrom; Anthony Hart; Arthur Jackson; Johnson; Donald Moore; Robert Newberry; Eric G. Norberg; John Reed; Robert G. Stonier; Mark Taylor; Rene Tetro; Franklin Widmann; David M. Wurl.

### Volume 92 DXN Schedule

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| 14        | Apr. 27 | May 6        | 18 | July 27  | Aug. 5   |
| 15        | May 18  | May 27       | 19 | Aug. 24  | Sept. 2  |
| 16        | June 8  | June 17      | 20 | Sept. 14 | Sept. 23 |

### AM Switch

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NRC AM Log data mining provided by Shawn Axelrod and Bill Hale

### FCC and CRTC Decisions and Applications

### **CALL CHANGES**

Changes reflected in FCC/Industry Canada databases:

**800 WHOS AL Decatur** – Call change to WBHP (Mar. 31).

**1040 WNVI PR Moca** – Call change to WZNA (Mar. 26).

**1150 KWKY IA Des Moines** – Call change to KDLX (Apr. 1).

**1230 KZTQ NV Reno** – Call change to KBZZ (Mar. 24).

**1270 KBZZ NV Sparks** – Call change to KZTQ (Mar. 24); station is silent.

**1300 WTIL PR Mayagüez** – Call change to WOSO (Dec. 17, 2024, LMS update was delayed).

**1530 KGBT TX Harlingen** – Call change to KYWW (Mar. 11).

**1660 WTOU MI Kalamazoo** – Call change to WZOX (Apr. 2).

### Other FCC actions:

**1340 WSBM** AL Florence – Applies to change calls to WLVS (upon completion of sale of WLVS-FM-106.5 Clifton TN).

**1450 WCUM CT Bridgeport** – Application to change calls dismissed.

### **STATIONS GOING DARK**

**1060 KIJN TX Farwell** – License cancelled by the FCC Mar. 28.

**1110 WUPE MA Pittsfield** – License cancelled Mar. 27 at licensee's request.

**1370 WTAB NC Tabor City** – License cancelled Mar. 27 at licensee's request; silent since Mar. 10.

**1570 KUAU HI Haiku** – License cancelled by the FCC Mar. 26; silent since Feb. 24, 2024.

**1620 App NJ Toms River** – Longstanding application for new station CP finally dismissed.

### **CONSTRUCTION PERMITS (CPS) FOR EXISTING STATIONS**

CPs granted final approval and on the air:

**560** WNSR TN Brentwood – Granted license to cover CP with U1 1000/75, consolidated at current night site 36-08-28.2, 86-45-23.0.

**1410 KCAL** CA Redlands – Granted license to cover CP with U4 2000/4000, existing night site at 34-06-39.0, 117-09-14.1.

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

**1160** WPIE NY Trumansburg – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 5000/220, current site at 42-32-42.1, 76-42-36.6.

**1320 WBTL VA Ashland** – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 1000/8, current site (colocated with WHAN-1430) at 37-44-46.3, 77-29-43.4.

**1390 WWTM AL Mooresville** – Applies for license to cover CP, <u>ex-1400 kHz</u>, <u>CoL ex-Decatur AL</u>, with D1 350, new site at 34-40-20.8, 86-48-50.6.

**1430 KRGI** NE Grand Island – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 5000/21, current site at 40-52-17.0, 98-16-28.0.

**1450 KBPS OR Portland** – Files a proof of performance stating it's using U1 738/1000.

1540 WNWR PA Philadelphia – Applies for license to cover CP with U1 10000/7 (ch 1200), new site (co-located with WHAT-1340) at 40-00-05.4, 75-12-34.6.

**1550 WKBA VA Vinton** – Applies for license to cover CP with D1 1000, current site at 37-17-26.4, 79-55-21.7.

### CPs granted:

**1110** WTOF AL Bay Minette – Granted CP with D1 6800 (ch 2200), new site (co-located with WNSP-105.5) at 30-49-37.0, 87-51-50.0.

**1270 WACM MA Springfield** – Granted CP with U1 1000/350, new site 42-06-06.6, 72-37-20.9.

**1440 KRDZ CO Wray** – Granted CP with U1 1000/210, current site 40-04-54.8, 102-11-27.9.

**1450 WDXR KY Paducah** – Granted CP with U1 250/250, new site (co-located with WPAD-1560) at 37-03-08.2, 88-36-03.2.

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**1570 WUBG MA Methuen** – Granted CP with U1 1000/140, existing site 42-40-26.3, 71-11-24.2.

Applications for CP submitted:

- **700 WQVD MA Orange-Athol** Applies for CP with D1 2300, <u>CoL to Paxton MA</u>, new site at 42-18-11.0, 71-53-50.0 (correcting site from original application reported last issue).
- **1420 WEMB TN Erwin** Applies for CP with U1 5000/20, new site at 36-08-17.3, 82-23-00.4.
- **1590 WXRS GA Swainsboro** Applies for CP with U1 450/50, <u>CoL to Henderson GA</u>, new site 32-03-26.8, 81-18-00.0.

### SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY (STA)

STAs granted:

- **620** KTNO TX Plano Granted STA, U1 1250/1125, lost 3 of 5 towers in storms.
- 830 WACC FL Hialeah Granted STA, U4 4100/1000, night pattern 24 hours.
- **930 WMGR GA Bainbridge** Granted STA, D1 5000, night pattern is beyond fixing.
- **1110 KFAB** NE Omaha Granted STA, U1 50000/12500, antenna feed problems to night array (but back to licensed operations Mar. 26).
- 1140 WQII PR San Juan Granted STA, U1 2500/2500, pending tower repairs.
- 1190 WBMJ PR San Juan Granted STA, U4 2500/2500.
- **1260** KBSZ AZ Apache Junction Granted STA, U1 2500/50, diplexing issues.
- **1490 KZEZ UT Santa Clara** Granted STA, reduced power (using about U1 100/100).
- **1530 KZNX TX Creedmoor** Granted STA, U7 10000/36 (ch 1000), night operation from day/CH site with CH pattern; night site is not operational.

### Applications for STA received:

**1550** WLOR AL Huntsville – Applies for STA with 500 W (U1 500/44?), 160' LW 4 miles from licensed site (coordinates not specified); silent station needs to broadcast by 5/1.

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

- 580 KIDO ID Nampa Granted STA extension, U1 5000/1250.
- 620 WDAE FL Saint Petersburg Granted STA extension, U2 11200/11000, Cuba QRM.
- **630 KICH GU Agaña** Granted STA extension, U1 10000/10000, 390' drop wire on KSDA (SW) tower at 13-20-26.0, 144-39-04.0 E.
- **690 KPET TX Lamesa** Granted STA extension, U1 30/30.
- 910 WSRP NC Jacksonville Granted STA extension, U1 250/250.
- **920 KKLS SD Rapid City** Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
- 940 WINZ FL Miami Granted STA extension, U2 50000/25000, Cuba QRM.
- 970 WFUN OH Ashtabula Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
- **1100 WJZA GA Hapeville** Granted STA extension, D1 1000, WWWE-1310 tower at 33-46-22.4, 84-16-54.7.
- 1120 WKAJ NY Saint Johnsville Granted STA extension, U4 2000/400.
- **1230 WJBC IL Bloomington** Granted STA extension, U1 600/600.
- **1250** WSSP WI Milwaukee Granted STA extension, U4 1250/1250.
  - **WJIT PR Sabana** Granted STA extension, U1 100/100, whip at 18-24-23.6, 66-18-09.5.
- **1290** WVOW WV Logan Granted STA extension, U1 5000/250.
- **1320 KWQQ CA Hemet** Granted STA extension, U1 50/50, whip at 33-44-44.5, 116-59-58.5.
  - **KXRO WA Aberdeen** Granted STA extension, U1 5000/250.
- 1330 WBTM VA Danville Granted STA extension, U1 5000/250.
- **1360 KWWJ TX Baytown** Granted STA extension, parameters at variance.
- 1380 WELE FL Ormond Beach Granted STA extension, U4 5000/1000.
- **1390** KGNU CO Denver Granted STA extension, U1 3000/139.
- **1410 WSCW WV South Charleston** Granted STA extension, D1 200, slant wire at 38-22-36.3, 81-42-08.4.
- **1420 WEMB TN Erwin** Granted STA extension, U1 5000/20, slant wire on WXIS-103.9 tower at 36-08-17.3, 82-23-00.4.
  - WZWB WV Kenova Granted STA extension, U1 5000/125.
- 1430 KVVN CA Santa Clara Granted STA extension, U1 250/625.
- **1460 WVOX NY New Rochelle** Granted STA extension, U1 10/10, 75' rooftop LW at 40-54-38.9, 73-49-23.2.
  - **WKDV VA Manassas** Granted STA extension, now with U1 500/60 (CP powers), CP tower at 38-51-18.0, 77-22-27.0.
- **1490** WGCH CT Greenwich Granted STA extension, U1 300/300, whip at 41-01-27.4, 73-37-51.5.
- **1520** WRSJ PR San Juan Granted STA extension, U1 1000/1000.
- **1530** WCKY OH Cincinnati Granted STA extension, U1 50000/12500.
- **1560 WFME NY New York** Granted STA extension, U1 10000/10000 from WPAT-930/WNSW-1430 tower at 40-51-01.0, 74-11-01.0.

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- **1570** KCVR CA Lodi Granted STA extension, U1 10/10.
- **1590 KLIV CA San Jose** Granted STA extension, U1 1250/1250, KVVN-1430 tower at 37-19-48.0, 121-52-01.0.
- **1600 KTUB UT Centerville** Granted STA extension, U1 10/10, whip, but moving to 40-55-00.7, 111-53-39.3.

Applications to extend previously granted STAs received from WSJC-810 Magee MS, WWBA-820 Largo FL, KWUL-920 Saint Louis MO, WXKO-1150 Fort Valley GA, KVCU-1190 Boulder CO, WMID-1340 Atlantic City NJ, WEGA-1350 Vega Baja PR, KRDZ-1440 Wray CO, WTAL-1450 Tallahassee FL, WLUV-1520 Loves Park IL, and WULM-1600 Springfield OH.

#### Termination of STAs:

- 630 WLAP KY Lexington Back to licensed operations Mar. 4; previous STA is moot.
- **1240** WZQK MS Flowood Back to licensed operations Mar. 12; previous STA is moot.
- 1320 WENN AL Birmingham Back to licensed operations Apr. 1; previous STA is moot.
- **1340 KIKO AZ Apache Junction** Back to licensed operations Mar. 17; previous STA is moot.
- **1510 KGA WA Spokane** Back to licensed operations Feb. 15; previous STA is moot.

### **SILENT STATIONS**

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

- 630 KICH GU Agaña Silent since Apr. 12, 2024; on the air with STA Dec. 9, 2024.
- **1090 KVOP TX Plainview** Silent since Mar. 31, 2024; back on the air Mar. 30.
- 1150 WNLR VA Churchville Silent since Sept. 28, 2024; back on the air Mar. 22.
- 1170 WCTF CT Vernon Silent since Aug. 12, 2024; on the air with low power Apr. 1.
- 1230 KVOC WY Casper Silent since Apr. 1, 2024; back on the air Mar. 23.
- **1260 WGVM MS Greenville** Silent since Mar. 31, 2024; back on the air Mar. 27.
- **1360 KFFA AR Helena** Silent since Mar. 31, 2024; back on the air Mar. 27.
- 1400 KREW TX Plainview Silent since Mar. 31, 2024; back on the air Mar. 25.
- 1490 KZZN TX Litchfield Silent since May 31, 2024; back on the air Feb. 20.
- **1520 WINW OH Canton** Silent since Mar. 13, 2024; on the air with STA Mar. 11.
- 1550 KMRI UT West Valley City Silent since Mar. 3, 2024; on the air with CP Feb. 22.
- **1590 KDAV TX Lubbock** Silent since Mar. 31, 2024; back on the air Mar. 18.
- **1600 KTUB UT Centerville** Silent since Apr. 9, 2024; on the air with STA Apr. 1.

### Stations that have notified the FCC that they are silent:

- 750 KKNO LA Gretna Silent Aug. 23, 2024, transmitter problems.
- **880 WMDB TN Nashville** Silent Mar. 15, has lost licensed site.
- **920 WYMB SC Manning** Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
- 1070 WAPI AL Birmingham Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
- **1140 KPWB MO Piedmont** Silent Mar. 15, tornado damage to tower.
- **1150 WAYS SC Conway** Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
- 1160 WJLK NJ Lakewood Township Silent Mar. 6, economic conditions.
- **1220** WREV NC Reidsville Silent Feb. 17, ongoing technical issues.
- **1230** WSSO MS Starkville Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
  - **KVOC WY Casper** Silent (again) Mar. 25, damage to antenna.
- **1240 KLIK MO Jefferson City** Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- **1260 WFTW FL Fort Walton Beach** Silent Mar. 28, pending decisions on station future.
  - **WRIE** PA Erie Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- 1310 WOBM NJ Asbury Park Silent Mar. 6, economic conditions.
- 1320 WISW SC Columbia Silent Mar. 26, pending decisions on station future.
- **1330** KGRG WA Enumclaw Silent Mar. 21, equipment failure at transmitter site.
- 1340 KRMD LA Shreveport Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- 1440 WLWI AL Montgomery Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
  - **KPUR** TX Amarillo Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- 1450 KIKR TX Beaumont Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
- **1490 WLAW MI Whitehall** Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- **1510 KBED TX Nederland** Silent Mar. 7, pending decisions on station future.
- 1550 KMRI UT West Valley City Silent (again) Mar. 22; to comply with CP rules.
- 1560 WLZR FL Melbourne Silent Mar. 14, pending decisions on station future.
- 1570 WWCK MI Flint Silent Mar. 28, pending decisions on station future.
- 1700 KBGG IA Des Moines Silent Mar. 28, pending decisions on station future.

Please note that all of the stations noted above as silent "pending decisions on station future" are owned by Cumulus, which says it is deciding whether to change to formats or sell all of these stations.

### **COMMERCIAL/NONCOMMERCIAL STATUS**

- 1040 WSGH NC Lewisville Granted change to noncommercial status.
- **1490 WRKY PA Lancaster** Applies to change to noncommercial status upon completion of station sale.

### **COORDINATE CORRECTION**

- 930 WIZR NY Johnstown Granted license to cover CP to correct to 42-59-59.1, 74-21-25.2.
- 1580 WTAZ AL Oxford Applies for CP to correct to 33-35-29.5, 85-49-43.8 (day and night).

### NRC AM Log Updates

- **620 WAKY KY Louisville** Group to Grp= Kentuckiana's Classic Hits (ex-Grp= WAKY FM 103.5). (DXM)
- **630 WEJL PA Scranton** Networks to FSR/BetQL; Group to Grp= Sports Radio 94.1-100.5 (ex-Grp= ESPN Radio 100.5 96.1 630). (StIntel)
- 650 WNMT MN Nashwauk Slogan to "Northern Minnesota Talk." (StIntel)
- **670 WRJR VA Claremont** Networks to NPR. (DXM)
- 720 WJIB MA Cambridge (ex-740) (MD)
- **900 WJWL DE Georgetown** Group to Grp= La Raza 93.1 & 106.7 (ex-Grp= La Raza 100.3 & 106.7). (StIntel)
- **920 WBAA IN West Lafayette** Format to NWS/TLK (ex-NWS/Jazz); slogan to "WBAA News 105.9 FM." (DXMid)
  - **KWUL MO Saint Louis** Adds // K268CT-101.5; delete Grp= K-Wulf. (DXMid)
- 960 WQLA TN La Follette Slogan to "Rockin 800 Miles of Shoreline on Norris Lake." (StIntel)
- 980 KVLV NV Fallon Slogan to "Hot New Country & Your All Time Favorites." (StIntel)
- **1000 WKLF** AL Clanton Format to GOS/OLD (ex-GOS); slogan to "The Peach" when OLD. (EiB)
- **1050 WLON NC Lincolnton** Format to CLR (ex-OLD); adds // W298CK-107.5; delete Grp= The Boss 101.5. (AB)
- **1110** WMVX NH Salem Reported Silent 3/2025 (ex-SS:TLK/CHR). (TF)
- **1120** KMOX MO Saint Louis Slogan & Group to Grp= KMOX 104.1. (DXM)
- **1150 KDLX IA Des Moines** Format to SS:MEX (ex-REL), slogan to "La Ley," drops nets, adds // K233BT-94.5; delete Grp= Catholic Radio Iowa. (RI)
- **1180 WFYL PA King of Prussia** Format to REL (ex-TLK), drops nets. (StIntel)
- **1230 KBZZ NV Reno** Format to CLR (ex-AOR); Group to Grp= The Hog FM (ex-Grp= The Zone 96.1). (DXMid)/(WH)
- **1240 WFUZ PA Wilkes-Barre** Format to CLR (ex-Rock), slogan & Group to Grp= Rock 107. (StIntel)
  - **WGMN VA Roanoke** Networks to NPR. (DXM)
  - **WDNE WV Elkins** Format to NWS/TLK (ex-C&W). (StIntel)
- **1260 WMCH TN Church Hill** Format to REL (ex-GOS/REL); slogan to "The Old Fashion Way." (StIntel)
- **1270 KZTQ NV Sparks** Format (*still silent*); delete Grp= The Hog FM. (DXMid)(WH)
- **1320 WBTL VA Ashland** Format to SS:MEX (ex-UC:OLD); slogan to "La Pantera." (StIntel)
- **1330 WGFT OH Campbell** Format to SPT (ex-UC:AC); slogan to "ESPN Mahoning Valley," networks to ESPN. (RI)
- **1340 WGAA GA Cedartown** Networks to Fox/Gn. (TK)
  - **WMUN IN Muncie** Format to TLK/SPT (ex-SPT); networks to NIn. (DXMid)
- **1390 WOHS NC Shelby** Slogan to "The Boss 101.5," adds // W268CU-101.5; delete Grp= The Boss 101.5. (AB)
- **1400** WHUB TN Cookeville Format to CCR (ex-TLK), slogan to "Grace-FM," drops nets. (RI)
- **1420** WVJS KY Owensboro Group to Grp= 92.9 & 93.3 Greatest Hits (ex-Grp= WVJS 92.9 & 1420). (StIntel)
  - WNRS NY Herkimer Slogan & Group to Grp= El Zorro Radio Latino. (RI)
- **1430 WHAN VA Ashland** Networks to NPR. (DXM)
- **1450 WWKU KY Plum Springs** Format to Rock (ex-SPT), delete slogan and networks; slogan & Group to Grp= The Point 98.1 98.3 102.7. (RI)
  - WKAL NY Rome Format to SS:MEX (ex-TLK), drops nets; slogan & Group to Grp= El Zorro Radio Latino. (RI)
  - KBBS WY Buffalo Slogan to "Classic Hit Country." (StIntel)
- **1460** KLTC ND Dickinson Adds // K295BR-106.9. (NP)







**1490** WCCM MA Haverhill — Slogan to "Que Onda." (RI)

**1530 KYWW TX Harlingen** — Format to SS:Tejano (ex-SS:SPT); delete slogan, networks, and // KGBT-FM-98.5. (StIntel)

**1550 WQCD OH Delaware** — Format to SS:Tropical (ex-AOR), drops nets; slogan & Group to Grp= LaRaza 92.9 (ex-Grp= My 92.9). (RI)

**1580 WXGT OH Columbus** — Format to SS:Tropical (ex-OLD) drops nets; slogan & Group to Grp= LaRaza 92.9 (ex-Grp= My 92.9). (DXMid)

**1590 WNRN VA Richmond** — Networks to NPR. (DXM)

### **New Groups**

Grp= El Zorro Radio Latino – WNRS-1420, W277DR-103.3, WKAL-1450, W252DO-98.3 (RI)

Grp= KMOX 104.1 - KMOX-1120, WHHL-104.1, K254CR-98.7 (DXM)

Grp= Rock 107 – WFUZ-1240, WEZX-106.9, W288DF-105.5, WPZX-105.9, W297AF-107.3, W283BE-104.5, W274AO-102.7, W264CP-100.7, W241AZ-96.1, . WLGD-107.7, W295CV-106.9, W241BB-96.1 (StIntel)

Grp= Sports Radio 94.1-100.5 - WEJL-630, W231EB-94.1, W263AL-100.5

Grp= The Hog FM (*Revised-wh*) – KBZZ-1230 (ex-1270), K223AL-92.5, K245DC-96.9 (DXMid)(WH)

Grp= The Point 98.1 98.3 102.7 – WWKU-1450, W251BT-98.1, W252CV-98.3, W274CD-102.7 (RI)

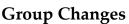
### **Group Name Change**

Grp= La Raza 100.3 & 106.7 becomes La Raza 93.1 & 106.7 (StIntel)

Grp= My 92.9 becomes LaRaza 92.9 (DXMid)(RI)

Grp= WAKY FM 103.5 becomes Grp= Kentuckiana's Classic Hits (DXM)

Grp= WVJS 92.9 & 1420 becomes Grp= 92.9 & 93.3 Greatest Hits (StIntel)



Grp= The Zone 96.1 drops K293CA-106.5 and adds K245DC-96.9 (StIntel)



### **Deleted Groups**

Grp= ESPN Radio 100.5 96.1 630 (StIntel)

Grp= The Boss 101.5 (AB)

Grp= Catholic Radio Iowa (RI)

Grp= K-Wulf (DXMid)

Grp= The Zone 96.1 (StIntel)

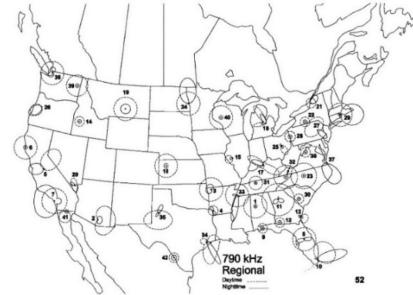
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### NRC Antenna Pattern Book 8th Edition

The 8th Editon of the NRC AM Station Antenna Pattern Book is now available. This all-new edition

was prepared by Bill Hale and accompanies the 2018 (39th Edition) of the National Radio Club's *AM Radio Log*. The book comes shrink wrapped in 8½ by 11 three hole punch format for placement in your own three ring binder. The book has maps covering 530 through 1700 kHz showing day and night patterns for U.S., Canadian, and selected Mexican and Caribbean stations.

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## Domestic DX Digest – West

Bill Hale, 6124 Roaring Springs Drive, North Richland Hills, TX 76180-5552, w\_r\_hale@sbcglobal.net Loggings of U.S. and Canadian stations by DXers in the Central, Mountain, Pacific,

Alaska and Hawaii-Aleutian Time Zones

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We have a belated correction to Tim Hall's Border Inn report seen in previous editions and in DXtra News. It seems I was amiss in either publishing the corrected item incorrectly a second time or not at all! It is hoped we have amended our transgression by featuring it below. [My bad-DY].

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 14: April 25; Issue 15: May 16. Join us!!

### --- REPORTERS ---

- ➤ EB-AL Eike Bierwirth Birmingham, Alabama Sony ICF-SW7600GR
- ➤SB-CA Stephanie Battaglino The Radio Hacienda, Palm Desert, California Equipment: Perseus with Jaguar Pro v11, Twin Wellbrook ALA 1530LNP loops, DXE NCC-2
- ➤SD-MN Carl "Skip" Dabelstein KØSBV Maple Grove, Minnesota Receivers: Icom R75 and Drake SW8; Antennae: 10' X 24' FLAG and Quantum Loop
- ➤BH-TX Bill Hale North Richland Hills, TX DX-398 barefoot
- ➤TRH-UT Tim Hall US 6/50 at the Nevada-Utah border, Utah Receiver: Perseus SDR-IQ v4.1/Lenovo W540 laptop with eSSD drive; Antennas: W6LVP Portable Loop, plus various Beverages on ground
- **➤ MJ-QRO Mike Jeziorski Juriquilla, Queretaro, Mexico** Receivers: Perseus and Kiwi SDRs; Antenna: W6LVP loop <mjeziorski@gmail.com>
- **TK-FL Terry Krueger Niceville, Florida** Receivers: IC-R75, NRD-535, ICF-7600GR, Tescun PL-360; Antennae: active loop, random fence-stapled wire, miscellaneous junk
- ➤TN-WI Tim Noonan Oak Creek, Wisconsin Kenwood R-1000 + Radio West Loop
- **▶JP-AB Jon Pearkins Edmonton, Alberta** Qodosen SR-286, Sangean PR-D15 and GE Superadio II; all barefoot on batteries with internal ferrite bar antennas
- **>JJR-MI John J Rieger** L'**Anse, Michigan** Grundig Satellit 750 / Terk AM1000 loop; Grundig S450-DLX stock; 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-BCS Matt Todd vacationing on the beach at Cabo, BCS, Mexico Receiver: Airspy HF+ Discovery; Antenna: Youloop on a painters pole stuck in the sand
- ➤JW-CO John Wilkins Wheat Ridge, Colorado Receiver: Drake R-8; Antenna: 4-foot box loop

### --- NOTES FROM CANADA ---

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Canada currently has a "caretaker government" federally, the term that the CRTC uses to describe the period between the announcement of a Federal Election and Election Day. The CRTC just announced that all upcoming hearings are postponed and will not be rescheduled until after election day, April 28.

A recent poll found that 78% of Canadians want to see the CBC continue to exist, which makes it difficult to understand why one of the two major contenders for Prime Minister will not change his position in favor of defunding the CBC.

Corus Radio, which owns major AM Talk stations CKNW-730 Vancouver BC, CHED-880 Edmonton AB, CHQR-770 Calgary AB, CJOB-630 Winnipeg MB and CFIQ-640 Richmond Hill ON, finally has enough good news to elevate its stock price, hopefully over the long term. Corus television programming, including cable channels, have been nominated for 45 Canadian Screen Awards. To avoid a sale of Corus to Quebecor, which would require a discounting of Corus' current debt, lenders have eased the borrowing and repayment terms of Corus debt, including the \$2 Billion paid to purchase the Global TV Network.

Humber College's Broadcasting – Radio program will end after the 2026 graduating class. It was founded in 1972 in Toronto by CHUM's Phil Stone.

- **QC** Montreal A recent station hire indicates that **CFQR** is very interested in reception reports and even has a dedicated Contact Form just for DX: <a href="https://www.cfqr600.com/about-us/dx-reports/">https://www.cfqr600.com/about-us/dx-reports/</a>
- 920 CKNX ON Wingham - Their application to flip to FM has triggered a CRTC "Call for comments on market capacity and the appropriateness of issuing a call for radio applications to serve Wingham, Ontario, and surrounding areas." AM-to-FM flips do not generally trigger one of these, but CKNX-FM applied to "use one of the last known FM frequencies available in this area." Owner Blackburn Media asked for "104.3 MHZ (channel 282B) with an average radiated power (ERP) of 16,700 Watts (maximum ERP of 28,000 Watts)." CKNX is already preparing for its 100th anniversary next year. They began in 1926 with the call letters 10BP. If you have any memorabilia, they would know like to https://cknx.ca/contests/2025/03/cknx-100th-anniversary/. CKNX conducted a DX Test back on Monday morning, November 27, 1967, that was heard far and wide.
- 980 CKGO BC New Westminster Left the air forever on March 11 somewhere between 1105 and 1950, based on Bruce Portzer's nightly SDR recordings.
- **ON Hamilton** Noted by a Rochester, New York DXer with much weaker than normal signal at night. The station's new owners appear to have finally corrected their six-tower night pattern to match what they licensed for: sending almost all their night-time 20 kW in a tight northern lobe.

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

- 670 KBOI ID Boise 4/1 0105-0112 Noted much weaker than normal, thanks to a hardware failure in the pattern change equipment, leaving them with 12.5 kW non-directional, instead of their usual North lobe at night that sends the equivalent of 100 kW+ towards me. WSCR Chicago was definitely there with Sports, but the mystery was a station playing solo piano quiet jazz, seemingly right hand-only piano playing. Best guess would be KLTT Commerce City, Colorado filling time in place of regularly scheduled 'Washington Watch.' Sadly, I slept through KBOI's scheduled silent period later in the night. (JP-AB)
- 1030 (KTWO) WY Casper 3/11 0158-0201 50 kW Open Carrier detected from before I tuned in until after I tuned out. (JP-AB)
- MT Kalispell 3/30 0658-0704 Until the deep fade at 0703, they sounded like they were back to 10 kW at night (but were not), which is not scheduled to happen until at least June. 'Stuck in the Middle' by Stealer's Wheel ended at 0659:30 with a malevoiced splitter: "We play your favorite songs from three decades: The 60s, 70s and 80s. KOFI" into 'Bend Me, Shape Me' by The American Breed. (JP-AB)
- 1260 (WFTW) FL Fort Walton Beach After seeing a report on *radioINSIGHT* that this one-time employer of mine, about 50 years ago, has signed OFF, I emailed Terry Krueger who lives near this victim of low ratings, unlimited entertainment venues and distant management with the news. Minutes later Terry replied: "Wow! Indeed, it's silent (just checked). This leaves only one AMer in Okaloosa County: WJSB 1050 Crestview. WFTW's FM translator is in zombie open carrier mode. Virtually every channel is open here. And WFTW was never audible nights despite close proximity. Their signal was always crappy, even daytime. If I wanted to listen, the translator was local level." [BH-TX]

Birmingham's WAYE-1220 was noticed off the air 03/06 – 03/20. WMMA-1480 was off only 03/06. WAPI-1070 was noticed off 03/10 and has been OFF ever since. [EB-AB]

### --- UNIDS ---

- 4/6 0802 – With Town Hall News, 'Relief Factor,' news followed by PSAs until 0813. Alone. My worst report ever! (JJR-MI)

980 unID – 3/11 0202 – Talk with antenna SSW, partially nulling CJME. Either KSPZ or KSVC, as definitely not CKGO's loop of "CKNW has moved to 730," even though they were reportedly still on the air. (JP-AB)

**1230 unID**- 3/8 0702 – Pretty sure this isn't something locally spurious, as never noted prior to this, and pointing almost E/W. Warbling, unstable gale force wind swooshing noise blob. Domestic? Or maybe at this time, could be a malfunctioning Mexican. **(TK-FL)** 

**1340 unID** – 3/22 0555 – 'Already Gone' by the Eagles, then faded, and back briefly with Beatles 'A Day In A Life' and gone. **(TK-FL)** 

**1600 unID** – 3/21 0700 – CBS News gongbong, into said news and immediately faded forever. (**TK-FL**)

### --- PIRATE ACTIVITY ---

**Album Rock Radio** from Southeast Birmingham, ex: **1710**, is testing new frequencies. Heard on **1610 on 03/13** @ **0933** with Chicago and Three Dog Night songs, and at **1320** with double ID by female robo-voice: "You're listening to Album Rock Radio." Still on low power as reception is already noise one mile from the QTH. Heard on **1630 on 03/18** @ **1348**, stronger with 60' wire. Heard on **1650 on 03/24** @ **1832** where they have stayed so far. Also heard on **03/31**, **04/01 and 04/02**. **(EB-AL)** 

### --- BORDER INN CORRECTION ---

1530 KZNX TX Creedmore – 10/26 0558 – Clobbering KFBK with regional Mexican music and "la raza" slogans, mentioning KTXX-FM 104.9 and translator on 95.1, and secondary slogan "la que manda en Austin." Earlier this evening, they gave a bizarre mis-ID as "XEZR, La Sonora de Margarita" before giving their legal ID, in which the announcer seemed to stumble while reading the AM calls. Listed 220 Watts nights, but they are clearly running their 10 kW day power all night again. 1117 miles. (TRH-UT)

### --- DX LOGGINGS ---

- **540 WXYG MN Sauk Rapids -3/23 0758** "Album Rock WXYG" into an unknown song followed by 'Radar Love' by Golden Earring 30 minutes later. **(JJR-MI)**
- 540 KNMX NM Las Vegas 3/23 0752 "K-New Mexico," SS, EE songs lost to WXYG. No CBK. (JJR-MI)
- **560 KBLU AZ Yuma 2/23 0000** Fair, with commercials, then TOH ID and FOX News. Other stations in there but no others understandable. **(MT-BCS)**
- 560 KZAC CA San Francisco 2/22 2356 Good, with ads, then TOH ID and into a college basketball game. SS station underneath. (MT-BCS)
- **KWTO** MO Springfield 3/9 0459+ Last few seconds of ID, hearing only ". . . and 93.3" into FOX News and back under ACI from KLIF-570. This is the only 560 with a '93.3' translator, so am assuming this was KWTO. New for me, as KLIF-570 splatters big time, all the time. (BH-TX)
- **560 KWTO MO Springfield 3/22 0724** "93-3 and AM 560 KWTO. Springfield's place to talk!" Alone, loud! **(JJR-MI)**
- **560 CFOS** ON Owen Sound 3/21 0753 "560CFOS.ca" mention, then ". . . soon to be 89.3 FM CFOS." Alone. Interesting. (JJR-MI)
- 570 KLAC CA Los Angeles 2/23 0000s 'Vick's Vaporcool' ad, then TOH ID, then FOX Sports update. Fair. (MT-BCS)
- **CA** Fresno 2/23 0000 Fair, with a Conservative talker, then TOH ID followed by FOX News. Top Story: 'Pope in critical condition.' Other stations in there, but not understandable. (MT-BCS)
- **600 KOGO CA San Diego 2/23 0000 –** Fair, in a big jumble, with KOGO the strongest with TOH ID and FOX News. There's an ESPN affiliate underneath, likely KROD, but I cannot confirm. **(MT-BCS)**
- 600 WBOB FL Jacksonville 4/1 0919 Something showed up in the splatter from local WAGG-610 today: commercials with catchy, but unhelpful area code 777. After that, they aired a full ID that I would expect at ToH, but I'll take it: "AM 600 WBOB Jacksonville 101.1 FM W266CX Fruit Cove, WBOB." Talk about Wisconsin voters. Another 50 kW daytimer, but the next day it wasn't there, so I'm glad I caught it. New, for Florida #40. (EB-AL)
- **600 WCHT MI Escanaba 3/20 0659** 'AMerica's First News' with "93-5" and ad for 'Menard's,' and a LID for AM and their FM translator into local news. (JJR-MI)
- **610 KAVL** CA Lancaster 2/23 0000 Very Poor in the noise, with "KAVL Lancaster, FOX Sports Radio," then FOX Sports Update. (MT-BCS)
- 620 KTAR AZ Phoenix –2/23 0000 Fair, with TOH ID under a much stronger SS station being completely overtaken shortly after ID, then becoming dominant a few minutes later. (MT-BCS)
- 630 KPLY NV Reno 2/23 0000 Fair, with FOX Sports promos followed by TOH ID, then FOX Sports update. (MT-BCS)

- 660 KTNN AZ Window Rock 2/23 0000 Fair, with TOH ID, then Country music. I think there might be another ID in there but it's pretty muddy. (MT-BCS)
- 670 KIRN CA Simi Valley 2/23 0000 Fair, with unID music, then TOH ID into news in English (listed as Iranian). (MT-BCS)
- 670 KBOI ID Boise 4/3 0235 Chased for years, and finally logged, with promo for 'Red Eye Radio,' "NewsTalk" slogan, and call ID. Their signal peak on 669.991 was an important clue. Fair and steady. Idaho #1 and state #37. (MJ-QRO)
- 670 KMZQ NV Las Vegas 2/23 0000 Fair, with local ad, then TOH ID followed by Town Hall News. A music station is at nearly equal strength. (MT-BCS)
- **680 KNBR CA San Francisco 2/23 0000** Fair, With San Jose Earthquake vs. Salt Lake MLS game. No ID heard, but only affiliate on frequency. A SS station playing Tropical-type music occasionally comes to the top. **(MT-BCS)**
- 680 KFEQ MO Saint Joseph 3/22 0729 " . . . here in Missouri" alone. Loud! No CFOB today! (JJR-MI)
- **680 WPTF** NC Raleigh 3/30 0746 'North Carolina' mentions. I only seem to hear this on Sundays. Go figure! No CJOB. (JJR-WI)
- 680 WOGO WI Hallie 3/25 0821 With a time check and "21 degrees" Talk of Eau Clare weather balloons and budget cuts. No CJOB. (JJR-MI)
- **690 WNZK MI Dearborn Heights 3/21 0746 –** 'Don't Let the Jonses Get You Down,' Temptations into R&B. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **690 KFXN MN Minneapolis 4/1 2058** Hmong singing. Woman with announcement. Hard to copy. Only fit. (**JJR-WI**)
- 700 CJLI AB Calgary 3/23 0758 Non-descript music, call letter ID, then more music. Rough copy with poor band conditions. (JW-CO)
- 710 KSPN CA Los Angeles 2/22 2358 Fair, with TOH ID then LA ads. Competing with several other stations, sometimes fading back but I'm unable to ID any others. (MT-BCS)
- 710 KNUS CO Denver 2/23 0003 Fair, with weather report from female presenter with Colorado sponsors, fading back fairly quickly. She mentions a call but it's unintelligible. Assumed. (MT-BCS)
- 720 WGN IL Chicago 2/23 0003 Fair, with ads, then station promo into news. Current temp is 30. Traffic report. Several mentions of "WGN." 1800 miles. (MT-BCS)
- **OR** Sweet Home 3/30 0706:30 Male-voiced splitter: "K-F-I-R wherever you are," rhyming the R with 'Are.' First time heard in years and suspect they were on day power as they were significantly stronger than KEX-1190 Portland at the same time. (JP-AB)
- 730 WZGV NC Cramerton 3/26 0759 Usual ads: 'ED treatment'; 'Debt relief.' Legal ID for the AM and their translator. "ESPN Charlotte." (JJR-WI)
- 730 WPIT PA Pittsburgh 3/29 0747 REL teaching including 'Focus on the Family.' No CKDM today. (JJR-WI)
- 740 KNFL ND Fargo 3/18 0837 Sports Talk with "Fan Network" and "Minnesota" mentions. Replacing CFZM. Heard again on 3/25 @ 0817 Ad for 'North Dakota Chrysler Dealers,' followed immediately by 'Northland Ford Dealers' (ouch!). Over WDGY. (JJR-MI)
- **750 KAMA TX El Paso 2/23 0006 –** Fair, AI translation of a liner gives me "KAMA 750 and 92.7." (MT-BCS)
- **750 KOAL UT Price 2/22 2358** Fair, fighting with SS music with local ads, then "You're listening to Utah Jazz basketball on KOAL 107.3 FM and 750 AM." **(MT-BCS)**

San Diego

- 760 KGB CA San Diego 2/23 0000 Fair, with 'Medicare Fraud' ad, then TOH ID followed by FOX Sports update. (MT-BCS)
- **770 WEW MO Saint Louis 4/1 2051 –** REL songs lost to WABC. Calls at 2057. Not heard in a while. **(JJR-WI)**
- **770 WTOR NY Youngstown 3/25 0756 –** Phone number 647-347-XX00. Alone, ETHnic. No WABC. **(JJR-MI)**
- 770 WAIS OH Buchtel 3/26 0750 When listening to talker (WVNN?), then CCM music imaging faded up. (JJR-WI)
- 780 WBBM IL Chicago 4/2 0300 Loud with TOH CBS News report, well over nulled KKOH. 42 kw @ 1,634 miles. New! Illinois #3 from the Hacienda. (SB-CA)
- 780 WJAG NE Norfolk 3/18 0832 With newscast and "105.9" mentions vs nulled WBBM. Logged again on 4/6 @ 0725 REL programming in WBBM's null. Program match: 'Principles for Living.' (JJR-MI)

- **780 KKOH NV Reno 02/23 0000** Fair, with ad for some garlic supplement, then TOH ID with a sung ID, then news. **(MT-BCS)**
- 790 WKRD KY Louisville 3/26 0800 "Sports Talk 790" into FOX Sports content. SS in earlier. Was chasing that. (JJR-WI)
- **790 KGHL MT Billings 3/21 0742** "KGHL, Juice Newton" song annpuncement, followed by either an ad or chatter as they faded. (**JJR-MI**)
- 800 WHOS AL Decatur 3/19 1340 Talk about men getting into fights. iHeart podcasts, WBHP ID. Ads and news at ToH, then ID: "This is 1230 WBHP Huntsville, 800 WHOS Decatur, an iHeart radio station." So while still legally WHOS, they are already getting ready to be WBHP at month end. Fair signal on 100' wire due north. (EB-AL)
- **800 WMGY AL Montgomery 3/26 1645 –** Talk and ID: "Praise 96.5 FM WMGY," with Gospel. Very weak under WHOS talk on 100' wire. **(EB-AL)**
- 800 WSVS VA Crewe 3/4 1755 Country music matching webstream. New, for Virginia #6. (EB-AL)
- **800 WHVU WV Huntington 3/19 0759** Ads for 'Pure Talk,' 'LifeLock' and 'Hims.com,' Legal ID, FOX News over another station with FOX News. (**JJR-WI**)
- 800 WPCA WI Waupaca 3/17 0822 "100.7 The Foundry Hot Rockin'! and it was! Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **820 CHAM ON Hamilton 3/25 0754 "**Your good time music station" (EE) into ETHnic. No calls of course. Unreal. **(JJR-MI)**
- 830 KLAA CA Orange 2/23 0000 Fair, with Angels broadcast ad, then TOH ID followed by SportsCenter. (MT-BCS)
- **830 WMMI MI Shepherd 3/20 0758** WCCO had faded out, then "Buck 92" jingle and C&W music. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- 840 KMPH CA Modesto 2/23 0002 Poor, in the jumble, with multiple "Relevant Radio" mentions. Only affiliate listed on frequency; assumed. (MT-BCS)
- **840 KTIC NE West Point 4/1 2047 –** Very Poor, with "98.3 Classic Country KTIC" way under WHAS. (JJR-WI)
- 850 KOA CO Denver 2/23 0000 Fair, with real estate ad, then TOH ID followed by news read live by a male presenter. (MT-BCS)
- 850 WKIX NC Raleigh 3/26 0738 Songs by Bee Gees and Neil Diamond. "Oldies 850" spoken between. (JJR-WI)
- **860 WDMG GA Douglas 3/13 0712 –** Mexi-tunes with frequent "La Que Buena" dropped between songs. **(TK-FL)**
- 860 KNUJ MN New Ulm 3/21 0854 Talk of area sports, the Minnesota Gophers, etc. (JJR-MI)
- 870 KRLA CA Glendale 2/23 0000 Fair, with ad for 'The Gold Show' on "The Answer" then a PSA and then TOH ID followed by SRN News. Time pips and some warbling are heard as well. (MT-BCS)
- **870 WKAR** MI East Lansing 4/6 0800 "... donate your car to WKAR" in passing. Alone. No KPRM yet, I guess. (JJR-MI) [Now for a "WKAR-S Kars for Kids" jingle! DY]
- **880 KKMC CA Gonzales 2/22 2358 –** Fair, AI translation indicates they're celebrating 18 years of Esne Radio. Assumed. **(MT-BCS)**
- 880 KRVN NE Lexington 2/23 0006 Fair, with end of news report, then weather update with female presenter mentioning 'KRVN.com' followed by an ID. SS station on top some of the time with a bad echo. (MT-BCS)
- **880 WRFD OH Columbus-Worthington 3/25 0800 –** Legal ID including ". . . the Word" into 'Dr. J. Vernon McGee.' THEIR website says "104.4 FM" hi! (JJR-MI)
- **880 WRFD OH Columbus-Worthington 3/7 1824** Sermon about Jesus and contradictions in the Bible. Finally, an ID: "104.5 The Word." Strong on car radio, but mixing with 'ESPN New York.' **(EB-AL)**
- **890 WYAM AL Hartselle 3/19 1345 –** Weak Mexican music under heavy splatter from WATV-900's music, improved by switching to LSB. ID: "Fiesta Mexicana," Spanish ads for a lawyer and a tax service, both with '256' phone numbers. Another **new one** produced by lunchbreak exercise hanging 100' wire due north in the woods. **Alabama #72. (EB-AL)**
- 890 KQLX ND Lisbon 3/21 0850 North Dakota Future Farmers of America (FFA) AgNews, with WLS nulled. (JJR-MI)
- 890 KDXU UT St. George 2/23 0005 Fair, with BYU basketball game and local ads. ID coming back from commercial (MT-BCS)

- 910 KGME AZ Phoenix 2/22 2358 Fair, with national ads then injury lawyer ad for 'Lerner and Rowe' with local phone number in Arizona, followed by iHeart promos, then dead air where TOH ID should be, or maybe it just faded down, followed by FOX Sports update. (MT-BCS)
- 910 KPOF CO Denver 3/11 0204 Long form interview of female by male announcer on early childhood caregivers from a religious perspective, all alone with strongest signal when antenna pointing South. Tentative, but only viable with Religious format. KCJB gradually faded up out of nowhere with C&W, soon blocking KPOF. (JP-AB)
- 910 WMOG MS Meridian 3/4 2025 Soul/Gospel music, weak and suffering from WATV-900 QRM, fading, and lightning noise. Nice ID: "Look no further Praise 95.9 FM, 910 AM is Meridian's own gospel station!" New, for Mississippi #12. (EB-AL)
- 910 WPFB OH Middleton 3/31 0755 Two women talking of 'Sacred Heart of Jesus,' through WFDF. Logged in 1979 with C&W music. (JJR-WI)
- 910 KJJQ SD Volga 3/16 0842 "State Farm Insurance here in Brookings," then "The Ranch-AM 910." (JJR-MI)
- 920 WBAA IN West Lafayette 3/15 0831 Report about antisemitism. Program ID: "Morning Edition" so it's NPR. Rare enough on AM to count as ID! Piece about Norwegian ski cheaters. Fair, with fading. New, for Indiana #14. (EB-AL)
- 920 KDHL MN Faribault 3/16 0757 Sunday morning REL programming. "AM 920 KDHL" and WMPL's Open Carrier. Also heard the next day @ 0820 "This Day in History on AM 920 KDHL." WMPL (30 miles away) barely in, but modulated, hi! (JJR-MI)
- 930 WFAT MI Battle Creek 3/18 0821 Talk of the Detroit Tigers into newscast: all Michigan headlines. No calls. (JJR-MI)
- 930 WSFZ MS Jackson 3/21 0838 'March Madness' basketball. ID: "Black Information Network. Jackson 9-30." Strong, but short appearance on caradio, mixing with WYBT and KWOC. New, for Mississippi #13. (EB-AL)
- 930 KSDN SD Aberdeen 3/22 0658 Very poor, but a clear "This is KSDN." With WBEN. (IJR-MI)
- 930 WLBL WI Auburndale 3/18 0819 While chasing others, Classical music faded in. Only fit. (JJR-MI)
- 940 WGRP PA Greenville 4/5 0735 Tuned in to hear "92.7 and WGRPradio.com," then 'We Can't Ever Be Friends' by Aarianna Grande. Alone! New! For #2553! (JJR-MI)
- 950 KOEL IA Oelwein 3/12 0843 "... the Best Country, AM 950 KOEL" after weather. No WWJ or WNTD allowing this. (JJR-WI)
- 950 KTTU TX Lubbock 4/2 0300 Good, and even with XEKAM, with TOH ID by Male: "100.7 The Score is KTTU, Lubbock and KTTU HD-2, New Deal-Lubbock" into sports headlines and ESPN's Sportscenter All Night. 500 Watts nights @ 835 miles. New! Texas #36 from the Hacienda. (SB-CA)
- 960 KKNT AZ Phoenix 2/23 0058 Caught the tail end of a travel show followed by a PSA and then a short ID followed by Townhall News. Mexican station with the anthem at a similar strength. Fair. (MT-BCS)
- 960 WFIR VA Roanoke 3/12 0805 "Roanoke Valley's Morning News on WFIR" Alone. (JJR-WI)
- **970 WTBF AL Troy 3/15 0818** Frequent announcement "970, 96.3, 94.7"; a PSA into sports talk. Only the second time logged. Very weak. 94.7 is WTBF-FM. **(EB-AL)**
- 970 KNWZ CA Coachella 2/23 0100 Poor, in a bit of a jumblei with a TOH ID giving multiple other IDs including KNWQ, then CBS News. (MT-BCS)
- 970 KQAQ MN Austin 3/15 0916 "Ave Maria Radio" mentions. Legal ID. Alone: no WDAY or WZAM, etc. (JJR-MI)
- 980 KFWB CA Los Angeles 2/23 0102 Good, with SS Ranchera music, then TOH ID in English, then back into more music. (MT-BCS)
- 980 WTEM DC Washington 3/10 1700 Legal ID just after CFPL's stronger ID, into sports betting. (TN-WI)
- 980 WDVH FL Gainesville 3/15 0803 Soul music. Studio chat about some celebrity having money/children/divorce issues. Ads for 'USPS,' 'Bank of America, and 'Always Pads.' ID: "WDVH Gainesville 94.1." Fair with fading. New, for Florida #38. (EB-AL)
- 980 WDYN GA Rossville 3/4 1355 Weak, fluttery signal, with music. Got a hint when "94.9" was mentioned and could match the WDYN webstream. Talk about 'Book of Jonah.' New, for Georgia #41. (EB-AL)
- 980 CFPL ON London 3/20 0729 "CFPL. This day in history." Possibly WONE in back. Checked in again on 4/5 @ 0732 Ads for 'Carey Truck Center, 'Classic Fire,' and 'Dunberry Homes,' ". . . with locations in Woodstock." (JJR-MI)

- **990 WEIS** AL Centre 3/4 1403 Several slogans/jingles in a row: "Today's best country"; "My Country Station"; and "Today's best country WEIS" with the callsign sung. Fair signal on N/S wire. (EB-AL)
- 1000 WKLF AL Clanton 3/26 1706 Oldies. Teaser heard three times: This is the Peach, [song snippet]," "95.5 and one thousand AM WKLF." Usually known as a Gospel station, and indeed heard the next day on 3/27 @ 1351 during lunchbreak with Gospel show: "America's Favorites," music by the Oldtime Preachers Quartet, slogan as "Your Christian Companion WKLF Clanton." An email from them clarified that they play OLDIES branded as "The Peach" daily from 2 pm to 5 am, and Gospel from 5 am to 2 pm. (EB-AL)
- **AL Huntsville 3/19 1410** Very weak Gospel music behind strong WKLF. Impossible to follow while WKLF plays music, but when WKLF is talking I can match the choir with WDJL's webstream. Tough one even with the very productive 100' wire. **New, for Alabama #73. (EB-AL)**
- **1000 WLNL NY Horseheads 3/22 0803** Town Hall News, then weather: ". . . it's 40 degrees on The Bell" said twice. WMVP nulled. (**JJR-MI**)
- **1000 KNWN WA Seattle 2/23 0100 –** Fair, at nearly equal strength with an unID Mexican station followed by ABC News. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1010 KCHJ CA Delano 2/23 0055** Fair, with liner with "El Gallito" branding and giving '93.7' FM frequency. (**MT-BCS**)
- 1010 KRNI IA Mason City 4/5 0819 Asking for 'Support for Iowa Public Radio' Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1010 WKJW NC Kings Mountain 3/12 0801** Southern-accented long-range weather for area into music. No calls noted. **(JJR-WI)**
- **AB** Calgary 2/23 0058 Fair, with end of program with CBC branding, then "This is CBC Radio One." Didn't have the usual CBC ID at one minute before the top of the hour. (MT-BCS)
- **1020 KTNQ CA Los Angeles 2/23 0100** Good, with SS commercials, then TOH ID partially in English and partially Spanish, then back to SS commercials. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1020 KCKN NM Roswell** 3/22 0751 SS RELigion clipping KDKA. Not heard much this season. (JJR-MI)
- **AZ** Cortaro 2/23 0100 Fair, in a bit of a jumble, coming up just before TOH with a PSA, then TOH ID and into CBS News. (MT-BCS)
- **1030 KBUF KS Holcomb 4/6 0720** "Ag Radio-KBUF" with weather: '80's on Tuesday.' Calls again. No WBZ. (**JJR-MI**)
- 1030 WBZ MA Boston 3/11 0158-0201 At least 90 seconds of iHeart Radio ads, including a separate one for the App, then legal ID on the hour. All alone, but only audible by nulling KTWO's Open Carrier. (JP-AB)
- 1040 WHBO FL Pinellas Park 3/29 0103 'Red Eye Radio' behind WHO talk was tentative, but seemed too strong for 430 nighttime Watts. But confirmed 3/29 @ 2355 when ads for wondrous medical products were followed by promo for "Your Morning News . . . on Newstalk 10-40 WHBO." Care must be taken to hear the full call to avoid confusion with WHO. New, for Florida #39. (EB-AL)
- 1040 WPBS GA Conyers 3/30 0737 Woman with Vietnamese programming with/under WHO. Have heard this much better. (JJR-WI)
- **1050 KLOH** MN Pipestone 3/22 0743 "Blazing 10-5-Oh" jingle. Volume of jock lower than C&W music. (JJR-MI)
- 1050 CHUM ON Toronto 3/28 0059 ESPN Radio talking about Auburn and Michigan games, but commercials all ending in "dot CA" gave it away. Quite strong in peaks, but fading and co-channel QRM from XEG. New, for Ontario #5. (EB-AL)
- **1060 KFIL MN Preston 3/21 0854 "KFIL Polka Show" . . . Polkas Monday** through Friday mornings not always on 103.1 FM. **(JJR-MI)**
- **1070 WNVY FL Cantonment 3/10 1958** Townhall News, "The Legal Edge," "International Gospel Hour." ID: "WNVY Cantonment.. with translator W283CU 104.5 FM," then Bible program. They said the CoL with a long O. Strong in the peaks, with WAPI off. **New, for Florida #36. (EB-AL)**
- 1070 WFRF FL Tallahassee 3/11 0645 Spanish Christian talk, "... ministerio ... gracias para su sintoniza," and music matching webstream. Heard again with strong signal on 03/13 @ 0700 with full ID, caught partially "WFRF.. 106.7 .. 101.7 .. WLTG 1430 WKNK 103.5 Está escuchando Radio Fe Tallahassee." "Noticias de Radio Fe." New, for Florida #37. (EB-AL)

- **1070 KVKK MN Verndale 3/20 0645** Catholic chatter on Lent. No WTSO yet. KNX a memory? hi. (JJR-MI)
- 1070 KHMO MO Hannibal 3/12 0834 ". . . from the KHMO Weather Center . . ." and "36 degrees" into 'Red Eye Radio.' No WTSO. Heard again on 4/1 @ 2034 "1070 KHMO" into Cardinals baseball. No WTSO. (JJR-WI)
- 1070 WNCT NC Greenville 3/12 0330 Barry White song. Slogan: "Shaggin' [xx] Network." Soul music. Partial IDs "... blues.com" and "Beach... Blues Network." Fair in peaks but struggling in the multi-station mix. New, for North Carolina #16. (EB-AL)
- **1080 WKAC** AL Athens 3/19 1403 AP News, Tide ad, sung "WKAC" jingle, weather forecast: "colder tomorrow," ". . . weather service on WKAC." Unprecedented strong signal produced by 100' wire. (EB-AL)
- 1080 KRLD TX Dallas 3/13 0908 News: 'Airport delays,' 'TSA wait times,' "8:08 at News Radio 1080 KRLD." Alone. (JJR-MI)
- 1080 KRLD TX Dallas 2/23 0105 Fair, with male reading news and weather report with several mentions of "KRLD." Splatter from an adjacent channel is causing issues. (MT-BCS)
- **1090 WHGG TN Kingsport** 3/5 1728 Cheesy music. ID: "97.3 Love FM." Weak, but in the clear. New, for Tennessee #50! (EB-AL)
- 1100 KFNX AZ Cave Creek 2/23 0100 Fair, with BYU vs. Arizona Basketball game with local ads, then TOH ID coming back from commercial. (MT-BCS)
- 1100 KFAX CA San Francisco 3/8 0758 Program note for "Destined for Victory," followed by legal ID: "Northern California's place for Christian talk . . . KFAX San Francisco" followed by a one-minute version of SRN News. Fair signal, with very little QRM from closer stations. (JW-CO)
- 1100 WZFG MN Dilworth 3/25 0910 "Red River" and "Fargo" mentions. WTAM had faded and no WISS. (JJR-MI)
- 1110 KWVE CA Pasadena 2/23 0105 Fair, with end of the 'Ryan Reeve' or maybe 'Reece' show, then male announcer with "AM 1110 and FM 107.9 K–Wave." Then faded behind a station with the Mexican Anthem. Still audible underneath at the TOH ID but hard to hear. (MT-BCS)
- 1110 KFAB NE Omaha 3/25 0640 Talk about power outage and government 'signal' messages. Sport: ". . . here in Omaha." Very strong at times, thanks to 12.5 kW non-dir STA, but mostly underneath WBT. Obliterated by WTIS signing on at 0651, same great circle. (EB-AL)
- 1130 KSDO CA San Diego 2/23 0100 Fair, with SS programming sounding like commercials, then SS/ English TOH ID. (MT-BCS)
- 1130 KWKH LA Shreveport 3/13 0905 Alone, with 'The Tiger' slogan, possible a part of their Legal ID into FOX Sports. Good to the South today. (JJR-MI)
- 1130 WBBR NY New York 3/13 1844 'Investing & Faith,' Bloomberg podcast, 'Bloomberg Money Minute,' ID as "Bloomberg Radio." Strong, with fading. Mixing with WALQ. (EB-AL)
- 1140 KXRB SD Sioux Falls 3/5 0759 Blizzard warning, followed by news headlines and ads. Legal ID at 0805 for 'AM 1140 and KXRB-FM' (FM licensed to Brandon, South Dakota), into C&W. "Sioux Falls' home for Real Country variety." Fair overall. (JW-CO)
- 1140 KXRB SD Sioux Falls 3/25 0908 'KXRB' jingle between two C&W songs. (JJR-MI)
- 1150 KEIB CA Los Angeles 2/23 0100 Poor, in quite a jumble playing 'All Right Now' by Free into TOH ID with "Its all right on the Patriot, KEIB Los Angeles" . (MT-BCS)
- 1150 KASM MN Albany 3/22 0724 All alone and Steady, with calls and usual Polka Music. (JJR-MI)
- 1150 WAVO SC Rock Hill 3/13 1847 Cheesy music. "... here on Light FM... top 5 Christian songs." Talk about the lunar eclipse tonight. Another 'Light FM' ID, music matching webstream. Fair, with fading on 100' wire and mixing with WMST. New, for South Carolina #14. (EB-AL)
- 1160 WYLL IL Chicago 3/13 1901 "Your 1160 forecast." "Visit 1160hope.com" (which is their website). "Church service Sunday mornings at Belmont Bible Church." Strong on 100' wire. New, for Illinois #17. (EB-AL)
- 1160 WCRT TN Donelson 3/12 0830 'Bott Radio Network' mention. Over WYLL, only 90 miles away! (JJR-WI)
- 1160 KSL UT Salt Lake City 2/23 0056 Fair, with TOH ID, then BYU basketball post-game show with an interview with the head coach then local ads. (MT-BCS)

- 1170 KFOW MN Waseca 3/22 0933 ". . . on the Fan, your Sports Leader," with mention of 'Minnesota Golden Gophers' and 'Wild' times on radio. Logged once more on 4/1 2132 'FOX Sports Radio.' Only fit on 1170. No usual WWVA. (JJR-MI)
- 1180 KERN CA Wasco-Greenacres 2/23 0058 Fair, with ad for 'Monorail' abruptly cutting to a newscast then what seems like dead air in which a Mexican station is present, then SRN News at TOH, with no ID heard. Local commercials referencing 'Kern County' after the news. (MT-BCS)
- 1180 WZQZ GA Trion 3/21 1338 Ads with 706 area code for event at local Walmart, Silver Pest Control, vehicle maintenance in Summerville. Slogan: "... Country 99.1 and 11-80 WZQZ." Fair signal on 100' NNE wire; only second-time log. (EB-AL)
- 1180 KYES MN Rockland 3/22 0921 Rosary being said. No sign of co-owned KVKK. (JJR-MI)
- 1190 KKOJ MN Jackson 3/24 0945 'Linder Farm Network,' ad for 'Adams Lawn Service,' phone 507-534-XXXX into C&W music. No WOWO. NEW! Off my Most Wanted List! (JJR-MI)
- 1190 WSDQ TN Dunlap 3/21 1321 Very, very weak, with Country music behind religious talker WAFS. Ads with alarm sounds made it pretty easy to match the webstream. WAFS was weak, but WSDQ was weaker, both on 100′ NNE wire during lunchbreak. New, for Tennessee #51. (EB-AL)
- **1200 KYAA CA Soquel 2/23 0100 Fair**, with TOH ID, then Relevant Radio News Top Story: 'The Pope in critical condition.' There's another station in the background I can hear in silences of KYAA, but cannot ID it. **(MT-BCS)**
- 1200 WRTO IL Chicago 3/13 1909 Spanish Sports talk: "... partido de ayer," etc., matching webstream. Quite strong with fading on 100' wire. Second new Chicago station within 10 minutes, making this Illinois #18. (EB-AL)
- 1210 KPRZ CA San Marcos-Poway 2/23 0058 Fair, with ad for 'Salem News Channel' then TOH ID rolled into a promo for their 'Impact Hotline,' then more religious and station promos. (MT-BCS)
- 1210 WJNL MI Kingsley 3/16 0750 "Wine Country Radio" between C&W songs. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1210 KGYN OK Guymon** 3/7 0705 Talk about a representative. Program alert " . . . right here on KGYN." Fair in the peaks. **(EB-AL)**
- **1220 WSLM IN Salem 3/6 1931 –** Country music, double ID: "My Country My Country." Fair in the peaks, mixing with WCPH & WFKN. **Also heard on 03/10 @ 2253** with Country song "I'm Not OK," then same double ID. New, thanks to WAYE being off, **for Indiana #13. (EB-AL)**
- **1220 WFKN KY Franklin 3/6 1935** ID amidst music: "Ninety-[two] three WFKN." Weak under WCPH/WSLM mix. **(EB-AL)**
- **MO Union 3/10 2235 –** News about the Canadian Prime Minister. iHeart awards. NBC News Radio. A Kinks song "All Day . . .," matching webstream. Weak. **New, for Missouri #5. (EB-AL)**
- **1220 WDYT** NC Kings Mountain 3/7 0743 Spanish Bible talk took over this channel at daybreak, "la palabra del senor," "texto original de la Biblia." ID heard at **0811**: "Cadena Radial Nueva Vida." Weak with fading, mostly in the clear with WAYE off. New, for North Carolina #15. (EB-AL)
- **TN** Etowah 3/6 1933 Weather sponsored by 'Southern Sweets Bakery' on . . . Avenue in Etowah Tennessee. ID: "Now let's get back to the sounds of our generation on Homegrown 12-20 WCPH." Fair in the peaks with WAYE off, mixing with WSLM and WFKN. Heard again on 3/7: "Greatest Hits of all times, this is WCPH 95.5" . (EB-AL)
- **1220 WCPH TN Etowah** 3/8 0648 'It's A Heartache' by Bonnie Tyler, then male with "Homegrown 1230" liner. Bill Withers' 'Lean On Me,' etc. briefly in amongst the pileup of junk. (**TK-FL**)
- 1230 WTBC AL Tuscaloosa 3/26 1733 With talk, and ads mentioning 'Tuscaloosa' several times . . . also 'Medicare.' Rock intro to talk program. Weak. I had to listen in USB because of QRM from WAYE-1220 (back on air since 3/20). New, for Alabama #75. (EB-AL)
- **1230 KSLO LA Opelousas** 3/8 0734 Surely the source of EWTN droning Catholic woman at this post-sunrise hour and pointing E/W, with the other EWTN WDWR, Pensacola, Florida present on the prepetually high side (1230.08). **First time log. (TK-FL)**
- **1230 WTKG MI Grand Rapids 3/18 0922 –** Broke through easily 3-4 stations., with 'I Heart promos and "AM 1230 WTKG." A Shocker! (**JJR-MI**)

- **1230 WFER** MI Iron River 3/16 0747 "97-9 WFER" between C&W songs. Despite closeness, not common! (JJR-MI)
- 1240 KJAA AZ Globe 2/23 0100 Very Poor, with music which I can't tell if its Oldies or Gospel, then TOH ID with FM frequency and call and website then more music. (MT-BCS)
- **1240 WSBC IL Chicago 3/18 0914** Polish crept in bit by bit. Still in 8 minutes later. I can hear my mother (hi). **(JJR-MI)**
- **1240 WJON MN St. Cloud 3/18 0906** Calls after a PSA invoking "Minnesota," and fighting an unknown talker. (JJR-MI)
- **1250 WZOB AL Fort Payne 3/26 1743** Country music matching webstream. Fair signal, but completely unusable due to WYDE-1260's IBOC noise. But listening in LSB helps some. **(EB-AL)**
- 1250 WJMK MI Bridgeport 3/15 0824 MeTV-FM music: 'You Little Trust Maker' by the Tymes. Alone! Also heard on 4/5 @ 0811 with "MeTV-FM music" after 'No Matter What' by Badfinger. No WSSP. (JJR-MI)
- 1260 KKGO CA Beverly Hills 2/23 0100 Poor, Popping out of the noise with "The best music is always on go country gold." TOH ID comes a few minutes later, but the music is largely losing out to XEL. (MT-BCS)
- 1260 WPNW MI Zeeland 3/18 0905 Legal ID for AM and FX mention of 96.5. "Joy Worship." (JJR-MI)
- **1260 WLAK WI Amery 3/16 0834** "From 1941, Dinah Shore on the Music of the Stars" (Civic Media feed). Alone. (**JJR-MI**)
- 1270 WGSV AL Guntersville 3/26 1752 Sean Hannity talk. Local sports, ads. 1759: ID ending in "Guntersville Alabama." Very weak on 100' wire even after I adjusted its bearing exactly towards WGSV. Had to listen in USB due to WYDE-1260's IBOC QRM. New, for Alabama #76. (EB-AL)
- **1270 WXYT MI Detroit 4/5 0809 –** Host talking of CBS and betting, etc. Mostly when he was on, hi. **(JJR-MI)**
- **1270 WWWI MN Baxter 3/22 0918** "Want to do Willmar sports? R and J Broadcasting is hiring." Alone. (**JJR-MI**)
- **1270 WLBR PA Lebanon 3/13 0800** PSA for teachers and call ID into "Talk of the Town" program. **(TN-WI)**
- 1280 KXTK CA Arroyo Grande 2/23 0100 Poor, not terribly audible in the jumble, but coming up just before TOH to catch the ID then Sports Center All Night. (MT-BCS)
- **1280 KCNI** NE Broken Bow -3/15 0747 "KCNI Pure Country 96.3 FM, George Strait . . . ." Alone. NEW! (JJR-MI)
- 1280 CFMB QC Montréal 3/20 0715 FF singing and 'CFMB' jingle. Usually, heard this only on SSS, if then. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1290 WBTG** AL Sheffield 3/25 1344 Oldies, including "Please Mr Postman." ID: "WB . . . . " Songs matching webstream. Weak and underneath semi-local WYEA on 100' NW wire. (EB-AL)
- **1290 KCUB AZ Tucson 2/23 0100** Very Poor, in a bit of a jumble here and can really only pull out the TOH ID: "(Cat sound) Wildcats radio 12–90 KCUB Tucson." **(MT-BCS)**
- **1290 KKDD CA San Bernardino 2/23 0100** Very Poor, in a big jumble with the TOH ID, but I can only hear the "Bringing Christ to the World" part. Not strong enough to hear ID. In and out with Relevant Radio content for ten minutes. Only RR affiliate on the frequency; assumed. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1290 WNBF** NY Binghamton 3/14 0816 "92.1" and "News Radio 1290 WNBF" mentions noted. Alone and atop. Been a while. (JJR-MI)
- **1290 WHKY NC Hickory 3/13 0832** Ad for 'Hickory Farms,' then "WHKY has been a member of this community since . . . . " (**JJR-MI**)
- **1290 WZTI WI Greenfield** 3/18 0847 Ad for 'Upside Gas,' an app to save money. "Not valid in Wisconsin" ouch! (JJR-MI) [As long as it's not 'Corner Gas,' hi! BH]
- 1300 WBSA AL Boaz 3/27 1413 Traditional Country music, weak behind a WNQM sermon. Woman talking and clearly said "WBSA" twice. Slow Gospel music. I moved my lunch break 100′ wire so it points straight at Boaz, still very weak but happy about this new station in the log, #77 from Alabama after one year of AM-DXing here! (EB-AL)
- 1300 KROP CA Brawley 2/23 0100 Fair, with TOH ID including two FM stations, then "Today's Creation Moment." Sounded like there might be an Asian-language station (KAZN?) in there as well and a SS one, too. (MT-BCS)

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- 1300 KAZN CA Pasadena 2/23 0102 Poor, with KROP doing their "Creation Moment," then KAZN pops out just enough to catch "KAZN Pasadena" in English. It sounds like the ID continues but is not understandable. (MT-BCS)
- **1300 KBRL NE McCook 3/12 0730 –** Nebraska PSAs and area ads, then Call Letter ID and back to 'Dave Ramsey' at **0734**. Fair. **(JW-CO)**
- **1300 WJMO OH Cleveland 3/14 0902 –** SS with "Fuego" mentions by woman. Replaced WOOD. Not heard in decades! (JJR-MI)
- 1310 WJUS AL Marion 3/18 1338 Choir singing "I Pray for You." Sunday broadcast on 1310 AM 94.3 FM. "The best of the best on the all-new 1310 AM 94.3 FM . . . queen of Gospel on your Praise Station, WJUS." Fair signal, but splatter from WENN-1320. (EB-AL)
- **AZ** Mesa 2/23 0100 Very Poor, under a yet to be IDed Mexican station, with the TOH ID. Unable to hear call letters but made out the partial translator call with "275CP" and frequency "102.9." This was followed by
- **1310 WPCH GA West Point 3/10 0208 FOX Sports spew, parallel** way-delayed station stream. 1000/25 Watts. **(TK-FL)**

the Relevant Radio sounder. (MT-BCS)

- **1310 WTLC IN Indianapolis 3/31 0822** Black GOSpel music over/under WIBA. After song, into chatter. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1310 KTCK TX Dallas 3/15 0900 AM/FM legal ID at 0900:30, mixing with several others. (JW-CO)
- 1320 KWHN AR Fort Smith 3/12 0900 'iHeart Radio' promos, then legal ID at about 0900:45. Fair at best, with usual sunrise fading and QRM. (JW-CO)
- **1320 WKAN IL Kankakee 3/29 0629** "Star Radio" (the owner) mentions. Who-da thunk!? Thought it was a slogan! Not common, but no WILS, etc. **(JJR-WI)**
- 1320 KOZY MN Grand Rapids 3/17 0839 Time, and calls in morning chatter. No usual WILS. Logged again on 4/6 @0826 Calls, followed by a Petula Clark song vs. WDMJ. (Both are OLDies.) Possible a weak WILS. (JJR-MI)
- **1320 WMSR TN Manchester 3/30 2031** Ads for 'Miracle Motors' in Manchester followed by 'Attorney ???' in Manchester. (**JJR-WI**)
- 1330 KWKW CA Los Angeles 2/23 0101 Fair, with males speaking Spanish talking about soccer, then TOH ID with English ID. (MT-BCS)
- 1330 KNSS KS Wichita 3/13 0848 A detailed news item concerning a pedestrian hit by a car, then "7:48 at KNSS." Alone and steady. (JJR-MI)
- 1340 WWFL FL Clermont 3/22 0802 Mostly dominating the channel overnights, with Mexitunes, and frequent "La Mejor" sweeps. (TK-FL)
- 1340 WGAA GA Cedartown 3/21 1305 Country/pop songs, ID: "The big double A, WGAA." Cheesy music. "You're listening to the Gospel Show, the Big Double A!" Weak and unstable with 100' wire at lunchbreak, this time pointing NNE. Interestingly, I heard WFEB from 29 miles away when NOT grounding that wire, but WGAA (no WFEB at all) when grounding it (with my finger). The 'magic touch.' New, for Georgia #42. (EB-AL)
- **1340 WGAA GA Cedartown 3/22 0557** Jamie Fricke's 'Always Have, Always Will' and later, "You're listening to Cedartown's . . . 106 point 1 . . . WGAA" followed by FOX News on the hour. **(TK-FL)**
- **1340 WOKS GA Columbus 3/22 0701** Male liner: "Classic R&B . . . on 94 point 1 . . . WOKS." (TK-FL)
- **1340 WMUN IN Muncie 3/15 0830** Weather warning/tones: "Thunder storms. Winds 40-50 miles per hour." Then "The Talk of Muncie . . . WMUN." Alone. A Shocker! **(JJR-MI)**
- 1340 WLEW MI Bad Axe 3/20 0830 "The Thumbs Hottest Country 94.1 WHST and 1340 WLEW" between songs. (JJR-MI)
- 1360 KPXQ AZ Glendale 3/7 0858 Station promos, then mentions of website 'faithtalk1360.com' and "listener supported." Heard one ID as "KPXQ Phoenix." Not sure if a proper legal ID followed. "Insight for Living" was up next. Fair signal, mixing with KHNC. (JW-CO)
- **MN Bemidji** 3/21 0930 "... in Bagley" ... "coming March 17th" (a bit late, hi!). No WTAQ, KRWC fade. (JJR-MI)
- 1360 KRWC MN Buffalo 3/21 0924 ". . . in Buffalo" said twice. No WTAQ made this possible. Really rare! (JJR-MI)
- 1360 WVRQ WI Viroqua 3/31 0734 'C C Rider' by the Animals and calls. Fades. WTAQ on top. (JJR-WI)

- **1370 KWRM CA Corona 2/23 0100** Poor, in the jumble with nothing really audible, then popping out for the TOH ID: "KWRM AM 13–70 Corona, Roland Heights," then fading back into the abyss. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1370 KSUM MN Fairmont 3/17 0913** Calls, then C&W music. Nothing from KWTL. Don't hear WCCN much, BTW. (JJR-MI)
- **1380 WRAB** AL Arab 3/25 1356 Country music. Legal ID: "A Fun . . . Station we are Fun Country 107.1 and 1380 AM WRAB" into more country. Very weak and fading on 100' wire. New, for Alabama #74. This town's name is pronounced with a long first A. At only 67 miles, I wonder why it took so long to catch them. (EB-AL)
- **1380 WAOK GA Atlanta 3/12 0858 Talk of 'Black community suicides,' then Legal ID. In with others. Logged 6-11-71. (JJR-WI)**
- **1380 WMJR KY Nicholasville 3/12 0815** Rosary being recited. Out of nowhere, while chasing others. Only fit here. **(JJR-WI)**
- **MN Brainerd 3/30 0800 –** Legal ID as "KLIZ-AM . . ." and the translator into FOX Sports. Alone, atop. (JJR-WI)
- **SD** Rapid City 3/12 0800 ". . . approaching seven o'clock, for Western South Dakota and Rapid City . . ." followed by a Legal ID into CBS News. (JJR-WI)
- 1380 KHEY TX El Paso 02/23 0100 Fair, audible in a brief moment of dead air from the dominant XECO, with "El Paso's Home for FOX Sports." (MT-BCS)
- 1390 KLTX CA Long Beach 02/23 0100 Fair, sounding like a commercial, then a TOH ID in partial English and Spanish. (MT-BCS)
- 1390 WLCM MI Holt 4/5 0800 "1390 WLCM Holt, an Ave Maria radio station." Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1400 KCYK AZ Yuma 2/23 0100** Fair, with end of a Country song, then TOH ID which is simply "AM 1400 KCYK Yuma" then back to music. **(MT-BCS)**
- **TX Perryton 3/20 0059** A real surprise as it came up over the mess briefly with C&W music and TOH ID: "The Home of Your Country, KEYE Perryton." **New! Texas #56. (SD-MN)**
- **1410 KLFD MN Litchfield 3/21 0917** Ad for 'Thrivent Financial' in Litchfield, then lost minutes later to usual WIZM. (**JJR-MI**)
- **1410 WDOE** NY Dunkirk 3/22 0826 Alone, with "WDOE weather: snow a possibility. High 46." "101-5 and 1410 WDOE," playing Classic Hits. (JJR-MI)
- **1420 WHK OH Cleveland 3/12 0814 "**AM 1420-the Answer" followed by Hugh Hewitt in an ad, then Salem talk-chatter. **(JJR-WI)**
- **1430 KMRB CA San Gabriel 2/23 0059** Fair, with Asian language programming, then a fully English ID. (**MT-BCS**)
- **1430 KBRK SD Brookings 3/22 0939** "Sports Bar and Grill in Brookings" followed by a real estate ad ". . . in Brookings." Alone. **(JJR-MI)**
- **1440 KCHE IA Cherokee** 3/11 0815 "Iowa" mentions a few times in newscast. Finally, "This is Radio Iowa." No WROK. **In again on 3/16 @ 0854** With calls into 'Show And Tell' by Al Wilson. Would fade minutes later. (**JJR-WI**)
- **1440 KCHE IA Cherokee 3/22 1000 –** Songs by the BeeGees and Mermaids (NOS), then Legal ID including "92.1." Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1440 WMAX MI Bay City 3/15 0958 –** Relevant Radio in, alone, for over two hours. Legal ID given. No KEXB today, hi. **(JJR-MI)**
- **1440 WEBR** NY Niagara Falls 3/22 0823 Alone, with "105.3 and 1440 WEBR," followed by Jim Croce's 'I've Got a Name.' Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1440 KEXB TX University Park 3/13 0901 –** Legal ID as "University Park-Dallas" into Relevant Radio News. Alone. **(JJR-MI)**
- **AZ** Tucson 2/23 0100 Poor, deep in the noise, with "This is Tucson's Sports Station, FOX Sports 14–50," then FOX Sports update and quickly disappearing. (MT-BCS)
- **1450 KFSD CA Escondido 2/23 0059** Poor, with several EWTN promos. No actual ID heard, so assumed as it's the only listed affiliate that's likely. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1450 WRLL IL Cicero 3/30 2020 SS** programming. Only fit in this area. Rare. For whatever reason, this is quite rare here! (**JJR-WI**)
- 1450 KMRY IA Cedar Rapids 3/22 0907 With a Very Weak ". . . on KMRY" upon tuning in followed by Classic Hits. Not heard in a while. (IJR-MI)
- **1450 KMMS MT Bozeman 3/23 0859** Three-station legal ID (KPRK-1340, KMMS-1450, and an FMer), followed by FOX News. Rough in the usual mix. **(JW-CO)** [That FMer would probably be K236CY 95.1, their translator **BH**]

- **1460 WKAM IN Goshen 3/13 0820 –** SS singing, "LaRaza" slogan. Very weak, with KXNO trying to pop in. **Logged again on 3/20 @ 0817 –** ". . . en Elkhart" in SS in ad. This replaced CJOY. No KXNO. **(JJR-MI)**
- **MO St. Charles 3/13 0859 –** Multi-station legal ID for two AM and three (?) FM stations; the EWTN program "Catholic Connections" followed. On top briefly. (**JW-CO**)
- **1460 WBNS OH Columbus 4/5 0752** "ESPN Columbus (fade) and FM HD-2." Not heard in years! **(JJR-MI)**
- **TX** Missouri City 3/16 0730 Heard several times this week pre-sunrise around this time with an Islamic-sounding program; noted at other times with south Asian music and talk. Definitely fits KBRZ, but am still waiting for a decent ID before counting it. (JW-CO)
- 1460 CJOY ON Guelph 3/20 0817 "CJOY" jingle, then song by Journey. No KXNO. (JJR-MI)
- 1470 WBFC KY Stanton 3/19 0837 "99.9 Mountain Gospel Radio." Logged 11-24-12. It's been a while! Alone. (JJR-WI)
- **1480 KPHX AZ Phoenix 2/23 0100** Fair, with light SS music, then English TOH ID into what sounded like commercials. **(MT-BCS)**
- **1480 WIOS** MI Tawas City-East Tawas 3/15 0837 Local "Tawas-East Tawas" mentions. Alone. Steady. Rare. (JJR-MI)
- **1480 KKCQ MN Fosston 3/1 0900 –** CDT time check and ABC News, then Minnesota news at **0905** followed by area birthdays. Fair, in the mix. **(JW-CO)**
- **1480** WHBC OH Canton 3/31 0814 Very Poor, with "... here on WHBC" and that was it. Once more common. (JJR-WI)
- **1480 KHQN UT Spanish Fork** 3/23 **1022** Reggae-style music with "Hare Krishna" lyrics, making this one of the more bizarre things I've heard lately. **(JW-CO)**
- **AL Decatur** 3/18 1400 Weak signal with hiphop squeezed between splatter from WMMA-1480 and WQCR-1500. But enough boost by 60′ wire to make out the ID: "Wild 94.7" and the 'Ed Lover Experience,' one of WIEZ's listed hosts. More hiphop. **New, making it Alabama** #71. **(EB-AL)**
- 1490 KIBM NE Omaha 3/29 0832 'Yellow River' by Christie (1970) syndicated show // stream. "Boomer Radio." (JJR-WI)
- 1490 WGEZ WI Beloit 3/29 0722 C&W music followed by chatter on the artist. "Iron Country." While close, not common. (JJR-WI)
- 1490 WLCX WI La Crosse 3/29 0805 Promo: ". . . weekdays four to six on 1490 The Eagle," over an unID OLDies station. (JJR-WI)
- **TX** Sherman 3/9 0848 Man saying "America's best music . . . on The Memory Maker" and into more Nostalgia tunes. Fair at best, in KSTP null. (JW-CO)
- **MO Independence** 3/8 0500 Popped up out of the TOH mashup with a clear ESPN mention. KCTE is only ESPN on the frequency, and as has been confirmed by several Midwest DXers, who has not been adhering to their daytime-only status. Day power listed at 10 kw @ 1,268 miles. New! Missouri #5 from the Hacienda. (SB-CA)
- **MO Independence** 3/13 0635 Presumed the one, a daytimer cheating at 10 kW with ESPN spew, parallel delayed station stream. Poor, with WLAC barely nulled. Thanks Glenn Hauser tip. First-time Log. (TK-FL)
- 1510 WLAC

  TN Nashville 3/8 0500 TOH ID by male "WLAC, Nashville" popped up out of the jumble of IDs for KSFN's Radio Lazer, KFNN, and KGA. Even heard an ESPN mention KCTE on waaay past their bedtime. 50 kw @ 1,676 miles. New! Tennessee #1 from the Hacienda! (SB-CA)
- 1520 KVEN CA Port Hueneme 2/23 0100 Fair, with same TuDn broadcast noted on other frequencies, then TOH ID in English. (MT-BCS)
- **1520 WKVI IN Knox 4/6 0739 "...** from the Weather Center at 1520 WKVI... high: 41. Now 39, overcast." Alone. (**JJR-MI**)
- **1520 KOLM MN Rochester 3/21 0800 –** Legal ID, then "CBS Sports Radio" jingle. (WMPL uses it too, though it's Audacy.) **(JJR-MI)**
- 1520 WPAY OH Rossford 3/15 0904 'Courage Under Fire' promo, Father Rocky, 'RELevant Radio promos. Alone. Only fit. **Again in on 4/5 @ 0750** 'Relevant Radio's' "The words of Jesus." Still in an hour later. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1520 KZOY SD Sioux Falls 3/22 0858** 'Der Komisar' by After the Fire (1981) and a Legal ID. First time this season. **(JJR-MI)**
- **1520 WZBU WI New Holstein 3/16 0824 '**Music of the Stars' on Sunday Morning programming. Alone. **(JJR-MI)**

- **1530 KFBK CA Sacramento 2/23 0103** Fair, going up and down with XEUR coming up at the end of ABC News, with a liner and local news and traffic. **(MT-BCS)**
- 1530 WLIQ IL Quincy 3/31 0057 A real surprise as the NRC Log shows this as Daytime Only. It was over WCKY all morning with Classic C&W music with ID as: "Classic Country Kick AM 1530" followed by weather forecast. New! For Illinois #72. (SD-MN) [The Log also says: "psra 250 CH 290 No PSSA," and their website indicates they have a mobile app. So, someone/something forgot to turn the AM to "OFF." Ohhh, the FCC also indicates that WLIQ DOES have a PSSA of from 3 to 290 Watts, depending on the month BH]
- **1530 WLCO MI Lapeer 3/16 0848 –** No WCKY allowed "The Best Music, Bridge 96-7" between instrumentals to sneak through. (**JJR-MI**)
- 1540 KMPC CA Los Angeles 2/23 0100 Fair, sounding like a promo in Korean, and then an English ID followed by about 45 seconds of what sounded like lullaby music, then a male speaking Korean. (MT-BCS)
- 1550 KZDG CA San Francisco 2/23 0102 Fair, with Hip–Hop type music in an Indian type of language, then TOH ID into commercials. (MT-BCS)
- **TN** Bristol 3/17 1928 Bluegrass, then detailed ID: "Hi, this is Les Bopper with the Oldtime Preachers' Quartet. You're listening to WIGN 92.1 FM 15-50 AM and worldwide on 1550AMbluegrass.com, Bristol Virginia/Tennessee." Strong today, with fading. (EB-AL)
- **1550 WMRE WV Charles Town 3/14 0848 Mention of the 'I Heart' app followed by Dan Patrick and FOX Sports promos. NO CALLS! Only fit, though. (<b>JJR-MI**)
- **1560 KNZR CA Bakersfield 2/23 0100** Fair, with ad for a 'health share' thing, then TOH ID into FOX News. (**MT-BCS**)
- **MN Blue Earth 3/15 0947 "KBEW** and Country 98 are giving you a chance to win!" promo. Alone. (JJR-MI)
- **1560 WGLB WI Elm Grove 3/14 0845 –** Chatter with Milwaukee references given. Alone. Not in much here. (JJR-MI)
- **1570 WWCK MI Flint 3/22 0857 –** Very poor, but "K107.3" or "K1073.com" heard into a 70s tune. (JJR-MI)
- 1580 KQFN AZ Tempe 2/23 0100 Fair, underneath a station
  I have not yet IDed, with an ad for the 'Phoenix NASCAR' weekend followed by TOH ID. (MT-BCS)
- 1580 KBLA CA Santa Monica 2/23 0101 Fair, competing with KQFN, with TOH ID then "Four things you should know with BIN News." (MT-BCS)
- 1580 WHLY IN South Bend 3/31 0809 "LaRaza" with SS, fighting others. Heard while chasing an unID C&W station. (JJR-WI)
- 1580 WWSJ MI Saint Johns 3/17 0830 Black GOS music popping in, replacing CKDO. Only fit here. (JJR-MI)
- **1580 CKDO ON Oshawa 3/16 0900** "… now on FM at 95.9 HD3" into news. Never heard that at all! (Usually 107.7). (**JJR-MI**)
- 1590 KVTA CA Ventura 02/23 0057 Poor, playing 'The Car Show' with host giving phone number matching to that, programming matches website, fades down for TOH and unable to hear ID. FOX News after TOH. No local commercials. Assumed. (MT-BCS)
- 1590 WNTS IN Beech Grove 3/30 0722 "La Pantera" in well for over an hour! Some WGCO with SS, too! (JJR-WI)
- **1590 WHLX MI Marine City 3/20 0814** "WHLX, The Hills" with Americana/C&W music trying to creep in. With others. (**JJR-MI**)
- **1590 WAKR OH Akron 3/29 0754 –** "Best from 70s, 80s, 90s . . . 93-5 WAKR." (JJR-WI)
- 1600 WZNZ FL Atlantic Beach 3/21 2324 Not so 'Relevant Radio' Catholic babbletalk. (TK-FL)
- 1600 WKWF FL Key West 3/22 0533 Popping up, on and off in the stew, with traditional jazz instrumentals, parallel station stream. First time I can recall hearing this one here in Northwest Florida though it was a regular even daytime in former Clearwater. Thanks WAOS, for dropping illegal 20 kW day power overnights on 1600 . . . finally. (TK-FL)
- **1600 KLEB LA Golden Meadow 3/18 0535** A mix of old C&W and indigenous Cajun vocals. First time in ages at night here, thanks to WAOS for once apparently on closer to their 67 Watts night power vs. forever cheating 20 kW. Probably not for long. **(TK-FL)**
- **1600 KATZ** MO St. Louis 3/29 0802 Hallelujah 1600 and GOS music. About even with WZZW. KGYM nowhere. (JJR-WI)

- **1600 WTZQ NC Hendersonville 3/21 1044 –** Ads including 'The Council For Aging' in Henderson County. Woman sweep: "From Classic Country to Rock 'N Roll . . . FM 95.3 and 1600. . . . " **(TK-FL)**
- **1600 WUCT TN Algood 3/21 0710** "This Morning, America's First News With Gordon Deal" blather. Local break with mention of '94.1 FM' then back to Gordon. **(TK-FL)**
- **WZZW** WV Milton 3/19 0826 'Turning Point' contact information, then promos with show times. "Pure Radio." No KGYM. In one week later at 0800 Legal ID into 'Dr. David Jerimah' and no usual KGYM. (JJR-WI)
- **1600 WZZW WV Milton 3/29 0802** With 'Dr. David Jerimiah' about even with KATZ. KGYM in earlier . . . now nowhere. (JJR-WI)
- **1630 KKGM TX Fort Worth 2/23 0104** Very Poor, deep in the noise with a female presenter mentioning the Black Information Network. Gone after that. There's someone under playing Pop music in there too, with an English speaking DJ but I can't get enough to ID. Maybe KCJJ? **(MT-BCS)**
- 1640 KDIA CA Vallejo 2/23 0100 Fair, with promo for "The Voice of Truth Broadcast" with a KDIA mention, then TOH ID followed by an ad for a health care exchange. (MT-BCS)
- **1660 KBRE CA Merced 2/23 0057** Poor, Tom Petty "Runnin Down a Dream," then a liner with "Right here on the Bear 105–7" into a Rock song I'm not familiar with, but that sounds like Ozzy. **(MT-BCS)**
- 1670 KHPY CA Moreno Valley 2/23 0100 Fair, with Spanish language programming and some music. AI Translation indicates the speaking is of a religious nature. AI translation has an ad for a convention on March 15–16 which is advertised on their website. No ID heard in English and I couldn't find any hint of one in my AI Translations. No Mexican anthem. Assumed, based on format and similar advertising to website. (MT-BCS)
- **1680 WTTM NJ Lindenwold 3/30 0750 –** ETHnic programming cutting through an Open Carrier. My guess . . . WPRR. (**JJR-WI**)
- **1690 WMLB GA Avondale Estates 3/29 0751 –** Legal ID at **0759**: "Freedom 1690." No WVON! Alone. **(JJR-WI)**

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Report your verifications to me at the above address. Next deadline: 5/16/25 1 PM PLT pb

- ON, Owen Sound. Prepared card in six weeks, signed by Peter McKeown, GM, no return address, but sent to 270 9th Street East, Box 280, Owen Sound ON N4K 5P5. Nice to get, but a little disappointed because I wrote a nice letter about their switching off their AM operations soon, and how I had listened to them for many years. (JR-NY)
- 1440 CKJR AB, Wetaskiwin. PPC 4-1/2 months after 2nd follow-up, delayed undoubtedly by the postal strike. V/s Tamara Konrad, Business Manager. Address: Stingray Radio, 2394 W Edmonton Mall, 8882-170 St, Edmonton AB T5T 4M2. (JW-CO)
- 1410 KLFD MN, Litchfield. Prepared card in 20 days, from Steve Gretsch (no title), 234 N Sibley, Litchfield MN 55355. Even if this was using 500 watt day power, it's a great catch from Minnesota on a channel that is usually jammed by WPOP (and others), an even better catch with listed night power of 45 watts. But, of course, the signer left the power space on the card blank. (JR-NY)
- MO, Independence. PPC in 14 days; V/s illegible. Sent to 6721 W 121st Street, Leawood MO 66209. The address on the return envelope was the same except the city was given as Overland Park. (JW-CO)

Thanks to these reporters! – pb

Jim Renfrew – Clarendon NY (JR-NY) John Wilkins – Wheat Ridge CO (JW-CO)



## Domestic DX Digest – East

Mike Brooker, 99 Wychrest Avenue, Toronto ON M6G 3X8 (Canada), <u>patria1818@yahoo.com</u> *Loggings of U.S. and Canadian stations by DXers in the Eastern and Atlantic Time Zones*All times are <u>Eastern Local Time</u> (ELT)

### **REPORTERS**

**LB-NY** Linda Brodsky, Malverne – RSPDxR2, Airspy HF Discovery, indoor 3 foot amplified loop

**BC-NH** Bruce Conti, Nashua – WiNRADiO Excalibur, Mini DXP-5 broadband phasing unit, SDR# Co-Channel Canceller, SuperLoop antennas at 60° and 180°, double Delta at 60°.

**TF-NH Tony Fitzherbert, Campton** – C. Crane CC Radio 2E, Terk Advantage Loop

HJH-PA Harry Hayes, Wilkes-Barre – C Crane Skywave, Tecsun PL-390, Kiwa Pocket loop

JI-IN Jeff Imel, Fishers – AFE822x SDR, Linrad, Beverage on Ground antennas pointing 70 140, and 270 degrees, Loop on Ground, Wellbrook Loop

JK-WV Joe Kremer, Fairmont – Kenwood TS-890, Yaesu FTdx10, 122' Terminated Tilted Folded Dipole

**KK-VA** Kraig Krist, Manassas – Winradio G33DDC SDR, Wellbrook ALA1530S+ Imperium Loop antenna

**RAL-NC** Russ Lay, Nags Head – AirSpy Discovery HF+, Eton Elite 750, Qodosen DX-286, YouLoop or Internal Loop antennas

**FS-NH** Frank Smith, Milford – Flex 8400 SDR, Power SDR 3.6.1, Icom 7300, HQ-180, 43' Zero Five vertical, MLA-30 loop.

**RKS-NC** Rick Shaftan, Rodanthe – RSP Duo, Wellbrook A1A antenna.

JW-PA Jim Weber, Oyster Point – Grundig S350

LW-NY Leslie Wood, East Meadow – C Crane 2E, Tescun AN 100 loop

MKB-ON Mike Brooker, Toronto – Grundig YB-400PE, XHDATA D-808 and D-109, Sihuadon R-108, C Crane Skywave, Tecsun PL-330, Qodosen SR-286, Panasonic RF-2200

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### **STATION NEWS**

1110 WMVX NH Salem – Silent and has not been heard from in the past month. WMVX was last airing Spanish programming for the large Hispanic population in nearby Lowell, Lawrence, and Haverhill, MA. Before that it was an adult contemporary station, and in its time as WNNW, aired motivational talk. Under other call signs it formatted big band music, a nostalgia format, conservative talk, and Spanish stuff. Most recently it was carrying the WCCM-1490 Spanish talk "Impacto" feed as Costa – Eagle radio, the owner was trying to unload 1490 in Haverhill. This ill fated station began its life in 1977 as WVNH (Voice of New Hampshire), whose 5000 watt directional daytime only signal (from four towers) was east, out to sea. It covered little of the Granite State. Anyway, now it is covering none of the Granite State. (TF-NH)

### **UNID**

**1270 unID** -- 3/27 1903 – Male "92.7... Warner-Robbins...Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, Iowa. WYYZ 1490 Jasper... W273CT 102.5..." WYYZ is Classic C&W. What am I hearing? 1270 seemed just about as bad as a graveyard frequency. **(KK-VA)** 

**unID** -- 3/27 2001 – Female "... 102.5..." Is this KYSJ or WBOJ? Difficult to know as someone is off frequency causing a het/noise. Het/noise goes away at 2009. I believe this happened when WMPM went to night power. **(KK-VA)** 

### **LOGGINGS**

**540 WFLF FL Pine Hills** – 2/28 0156 – iHeart Radio IDs and promos, local ID, Fox News. **(RAL-NC)** 

550 WAYR FL Fleming Island – 2/20 0352 – "Praise the Lord, WAYR" ID and usual gospel programming. (RAL-NC)

580 WHP PA Harrisburg – 3/21 0727 – "Who else can say they've been top-rated every decade since 1925? News Radio WHP 560" slogan. Fox News, Sports: Capitals downed Flyers 3-2 last night. (JK-WV)

- CFRA ON Ottawa 3/21 0705 Over CJCL-590 slop with eastern Ontario news, sounding like simulcast of local CTV TV channel, "News Talk 580 CFRA" ID. (MKB-ON)
- **600 WCVP NC Murphy** 4/1 0600 Mention of "On WCVP" and into news. In state, from the other end of US 64. (**RKS-NC**)
- 610 WIOD FL Miami 2/19 0451 "WIOD" call letter ID, ABC news on hour. (RAL-NC)
- 630 WPRO RI Providence 3/26 2355 In the clear with talk program, "You're listening to CBS Eye on the World with John Batchelor." Ads for Optimum Tax Relief and Active Liver Tablets from NewNordicUSA.com. ToH ID rapidly spoken: "WEAN, Wakefield-Peacedale" Then slowly: "from the Paul Masse One Price Studios, this is WPRO Providence, a Cumulus Media station." (LB-NY)
- **680 WISR PA Butler** 3/11 2120 Pittsburgh Penguins vs. Vegas Golden Knights on Penguins Radio Network. Battling with WPTF. (JK-WV)
- **720 WJIB MA Cambridge** 4/2 1719 Started broadcasting on new frequency 3/25. Good level in southern NH with ID "WJIB Best variety and no commercials!" **(FS-NH)** 
  - +++ 3/24 1000 Good; easy listening instrumental, "You're on Jib, WJIB Cambridge-Boston, now AM 720, FM 101-3, the memories are in the music," ex-740 kHz. (BC-NH)
- **740 WNOP KY Newport** 3/18 0600 Poor with CFZM cancelled; prayer by man ending with Sacred Heart Catholic Radio mention, then woman with WNOP Newport ID. New log. (BC-NH)
- **760 WLCC FL Brandon** 3/30 0100 Over/under unID gospel music; multi-station ID, "...WLCC Brandon," and SRN news. **(BC-NH)** 
  - WEFL FL Tequesta 3/18 0601 Poor; female a capella Star Spangled Banner in Spanish. Also noted 3/26 0601 Fair; "WEFL AM Tequesta..." ID in Spanish, female a capella Star Spangled Banner in Spanish which is broadcast every weekday morning at this time. (BC-NH)
- **790 WAEB PA Allentown** 3/22 1958 Ad for a financial group, promo for the Lehigh Valley Auto Show on the Lehigh University Campus, fast ID for WAEB, promo for the iHeart Radio app, into Fox News. Unusual because the station's night signal, from five in-line towers, is directional south. **(TF-NH)**
- **810 WCKA AL Jacksonville** 2/21 0800 ToH ID: "Today's real country and yesterday's favorites this is Real Country WCKA 94.3 and 97.1..." into C&W songs. Nulled out local WSYW, Indianapolis with Linrad Diversity Reception. **(JI-IN)**
- 850 KOA CO Denver 4/1 0300 Poor with local WEEI cancelled; promo for college basketball on iHeart radio, ID mentioned Colorado's news and 94.1 FM, ABC news. (BC-NH)
- 910 WTWD FL Plant City 4/4 0732 Turning Point program with David Jeremiah. Format change. (RKS-NC)
  - WTOS ME Bangor 2/15 1913 Four days after being inaudible under WAAF, it was armchair copy with frequent "WTOS, The Mountain of Pure Rock" ID's. A hard rock AM station! (FS-NH)
  - WRKL NY New City 3/20 2108 Strong, steady signal with hymns, praying, and preaching, all in Spanish. Nice for a 200 watt night signal. Turning out to be a regular here now with the station's non directional STA. (TF-NH)
  - **WFJX VA Roanoke** 4/4 0735 "Fox Radio 910 and 104.3" slogan and Fox news. **(RKS-NC)**
- **920 WGKA GA Atlanta** 2/23 1800 ToH ID: "AM 920 the Answer" into talk show. Nulled out WBAA, Lafayette, IN (5 kw) using Linrad's Diversity Reception. **(JI-IN)**
- 930 WYFQ NC Charlotte 2/28 0040 BBN programming, // to national livestream. (RAL-NC)
- 940 WINE CT Brookfield 3/21 1845 Portuguese programming, mixed with CFNV, the same program was on WBIX-1260, at 1900, a mention of "Nossa Radio" and nice ID for WBIX-Boston, WINE-Brookfield, WFTL-Fort Lauderdale and WRLZ, St. Cloud (also in Florida). Interesting fate for several struggling radio stations. WINE's reduced signal really got out this evening! (TF-NH)
- 950 WORD SC Spartanburg 2/21 0800 ToH ID: "The Fan Upstate" into sports talk with emphasis on sports betting (BetQL/ISN). Nulled out local 1 kw WXLW Indianapolis with Linrad Diversity Reception. (JI-IN)
- 960 WATS PA Sayre 3/23 1910 Classic (old) country music, WATS airs country music on weekends and conservative talk on weekdays, signal abruptly lost at 1915 when power was reduced to 50 watts, no sign of usual WELI. (TF-NH)
- 970 WNIV GA Atlanta 4/2 2007 Usual religious talk // online. (RKS-NC) WMPW VA Danville 4/4 0728 "1982" by Randy Travis // online. (RKS-NC)

- 980 WOFX NY Troy 3/16 0659 Ad for National Bank of America, mention of NCAA tournament games on "95.9 Fox Sports." (LW-NY)
- 990 WNRV VA Narrows-Pearisburg 4/3 0817 Assortment of Bluegrass tunes // online. (RKS-NC)
- **1030 WTHQ WV Point Pleasant** 4/1 0100 Daytimer up all night, poor through 1020 KDKA splatter with local WBZ cancelled; "WTHQ 94.1 FM, 1030 AM, The Eagle, Pleasant Point... a Total Media Group station," and Fox news. New log. **(BC-NH)**
- **1040 WSGH NC Lewisville** 2/20 2100 ToH ID: "Spirit FM." ID includes all the stations in the Spirit FM network. Contemporary Christian music programming. Nulled out WHO (50 kw Des Moines, IA) using Linrad Diversity Reception. **(JI-IN)**
- **1080 WQOS FL** Coral Gables 3/25 2100 Poor, over/under *R.Cadena Habana* Cuba with WTIC cancelled; *Relevant Radio* ID, "Always loud and clear on your smart speaker..." (BC-NH)
  - WOKT KY Cannonsburg 3/30 0558 Fair, over Cuba with WTIC cancelled; promo for Walk FM app, ID for AM and FM, "...online at Walk FM dot org," and Walk FM jingle. (BC-NH)
- **1100 WCGA GA Woodbine** 3/6 1745 In WTAM and WHLI mix with male "... right away... Call WCGA right here... on news talk..." **(KK-VA)** 
  - WHLI NY Hempstead 3/6 1755 In WTAM/WCGA mix with end of Chicago song then male DJ: "Chicago at Long Island's new 104.7 WHLI..." (KK-VA)

1100 am

The Hits of a Lifetime

+++ - 3/15 2359 – Daytimer up all night, over WTAM; "Inside 11 great songs in a row from the new 104.7 WHLI," and "On Broadway" by George Benson. 4/5 2359 – Fair, up all night again, "From the heart of Nassau County... Connoisseur Media's 1100 WHLI and W284DG Hempstead,

fun favorites from the '60s and '70s, Long Island's new 104.7 WHLI." (BC-NH)

- **1110 WPMZ RI East Providence** 3/6 1728 In multi-station mix (WBT, UNID other talk and C&W songs) with Spanish singing/music, "102 1 FM..." mention in EE. Only Spanish on AM 1110 with FM 102.1 I find is WPMZ. At 1735, male in SS with "Poder 1110" slogan. New station for me. **(KK-VA)**
- **1120 KMOX MO St. Louis** 3/13 0615 In with Major League & Minor leagues report of Cardinals' spring training. National news at 0620. Usual booming signal from mid-west. **(LW-NY)** 
  - WKAJ NY St. Johnsville 3/28 2000 Over WBNW; "WKAJ 1120 AM, W250CX 97.9 FM St. Johnsville, New York, WCSS 1490 AM, W295CZ 106.9 FM Amsterdam, New York..." and Townhall news. (BC-NH)
  - **WSME** NC Camp LeJeune 3/6 1739 In WUST, KMOX and UNID Fox Sports mix with male "... right here on Freedom 97.1 and 1120 AM WSME..." (KK-VA)
- **1130 WFNB IN Brazil** 2/16 1600 ToH ID: "The Fan Base 106.9 and 99.5 and AM 1130" and "WFNB Brazil, Terre Haute" into Fox Sports Network programming. **(JI-IN)** 
  - WPYB NC Benson 3/6 1811\* In multi-station mix (WBBR, WDFN, WEDI, WCLW and UNID Spanish talk) with end of song, male DJ: "If it ain't got class it ain't... WPYB." Sign-off announcement at 1814: "And this concludes another broadcast day on WPYB..." (KK-VA)
  - WCLW NC Eden 3/6 1818 Presumed in multi-station mix (see above) with Gospel singing, male host/DJ: "... thousand watts of pure southern Gospel power..." (KK-VA)
  - **WEDI OH Eaton** 3/6 1753 In multi-station mix with station promo: "Country roads... Eaton Ohio with real... at 105.5, 106.7...and 100.3..." New station for me. 250 watts! **(KK-VA)**
- **1140 WCJW NY Warsaw** 3/11 1915\* Out of C&W song with s/off announcement: "WCJW now leaves the air... (list of FM freq's)...this is Western New York's CJ Country." WRVA then took over. **(MKB-ON)**
- **1150 WMRD CT Middletown** 3/13 1859 In multi-station mix (WGBR, UNID religious talk and Spanish talk) with ToH ID: "1420 AM, 97.3 FM, 1150 AM, 103.7 FM. WLIS, Old Saybrook, New London, WMRD Middletown, Hartford." **(KK-VA)** 
  - **WMST KY Mt. Sterling** 3/9 1900 Two ID's in a row, "106.9 FM and 1150 AM WMST." (HJH-PA)
  - WGBR NC Goldsboro 3/13 1855 In multi-station mix (see above) with FM-only ID: "Goldsboro's greatest hits all day. You're listening to FM 98 3 WGBR." (KK-VA)

- **1160 WCFO GA East Point** 3/13 1928 In multi-station mix (WMET, WCVX, WCRT, WYLL, UNID classic rock songs and sports talk) with male "Hi, I'm... and you're listening to Atlanta Catholic Radio AM 1160 the Quest." **(KK-VA)** 
  - WYLL IL Chicago 3/13 2001 In multi-station mix (see above) with female "Hope for your life, AM 1160...Online at1160hope.com." (KK-VA)
  - WCVX KY Florence 3/13 1926 In multi-station mix with station promo: "Insight for Living. Weekdays at 8 AM right here on Christian talk 1160." (KK-VA)
  - **WMET MD Gaithersburg** 4/3 0359 Up out of the noise with ToH ID: "Boldly proclaiming the truth of our Catholic faith, WMET 1160 AM Gaithersburg-Washington, part of the Guadeloupe Faith Radio Network, Radio for your good." NEW. **(LB-NY)**
  - WCRT TN Donelson 3/13 1957 In multi-station mix with near-ToH ID: "Serving Nashville Tennessee with the power of God's word 24 hours a day at 1150 AM, this is Bott Radio Network, WCRT... and also on FM at 89.1 and 107.1 in Nashville." (KK-VA)
- **1170 WDEK SC Lexington** 3/29 2359 Fair with WWVA cancelled; "WDEK W239DA Lexington-Colombia... 1170 AM and 95.7 FM, Columbia's Praise," R&B gospel music. **(BC-NH)**
- MS Pearl 4/1 2006 Caught weak callsign ID under Cuba and 1179 het. (RKS-NC)
  WSKP RI Hope Valley 3/13 1857 Oldies mixing with WHAM, other talk and R. Rebelde: "Sad Songs Say So Much" by Elton John followed at 1900 by America's "Sister Golden Hair." At 1929 male DJ/host: "Back in the day... sounded so good with Cool Radio 104.3... greatest hits of all time." Another "the greatest hits of the 60's, 70's and 80's. Cool Radio" slogan at 2005. (KK-VA)
- **1200 WXKS MA Newton** 3/21 1906 In multi-station mix (see above) with station promo mentioning "... Boston's home for conservative talk..." **(KK-VA)** 
  - WXIT NC Blowing Rock 3/21 1937 in multi-station mix with station promo by female: "The best new music is part of what we do... 95 3 and 107 5 the Pulse." (KK-VA)
  - **WRKK PA Hughesville** 3/12 1952 Good copy with Navy vs American University Patriot League basketball game. **(FS-NH)** 
    - +++ 3/21 1900 In multi-station mix (WXKS, WXIT and UNID basketball game) with male "...Rock 94 9 FM..." slogan. **(KK-VA)**
- WOAI TX San Antonio 2/21 0336 News, "WOAI" ID, George Noorey show. (RAL-NC)
   1210 WNMA FL Miami Springs 3/7 1820 "Radio Mundo" slogan, Spanish talk format. Matched to stream. Nulled out WPHT Philadelphia with Linrad
  - Diversity Mode. (JI-IN)

    WJNL MI Kingsley 2/27 0830 "Wine Country Radio" slogan, C&W songs. Recent flip
  - to Country. (JI-IN)
    WDAO OH Dayton 3/21 1908 Mixing with WPHT and Spanish talk, quickly fades in, enough over WPHT, to hear "This is WDAO." New station for me. (KK-VA)
  - WMPS TN Bartlett 2/26 1858 "Sunny 103" slogan, Adult Standards format. (JI-IN)
- **1230 WFAY** NC Fayetteville 3/21 1914 Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess, FM-only "Carolina country 100.1 WFAY" ID into C&W song. At 1917 female DJ with station promo: "Want to be the first to hear the best new country? Absolutely! Carolina Country 100.1 WFAY." (KK-VA)
  - WCRO PA Johnstown 3/21 1900 Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess, male "Cool 102.9 WCRO Johnstown" FM-only ToH ID. (KK-VA)
- **1240 WJIM** MI Lansing 2/24 1854 ID as "1240 WJIM the Big Talker" into usual news-talk format. (JI-IN)
  - WJTN NY Jamestown 3/22 2026 Promo for Jamestown Lakers playing in Amherst. Loud above jumble during "Radio Retro Oldies" show. (HJH-PA)
  - WJNC NC Jacksonville 3/10 0248 Presumed with Red Eye Radio program. Faded before ToH. (RAL-NC)
  - WGMN VA Roanoke 3/21 1918 Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess, female with mentions of "WNRN" and "World Cafe." "World Cafe" is on NPR. ID as "Listener supported independent music radio, WGMN Roanoke..." at 1958. (KK-VA)
  - WTON VA Staunton 3/21 1830 Mixing with usual graveyard mix/mess, station promo: "Lars Larson now. Joe Thomas in the morning at 6 on the new WTON 1240 AM, 101 1 and 98.9 FM." New station for me. (KK-VA)
  - WOBT WI Rhinelander 2/23 1800 ToH ID: "WOBT 101.3 the Game" into Fox Sports Network. Linrad Diversity Reception to null out 750 watt WHBU Anderson, IN seven miles away. (JI-IN)

- **1250 WYYC PA York** 3/28 2000 Fair; International Gospel Hour, "AM 1250 WYYC York and translator W251CE York at 98.1 FM." **(BC-NH)** 
  - WTMA SC Charleston 3/27 1858 In multi-station mix (WRCW, WPGP, WGHB, UNID singing and Gospel singing) with Mark Levin Show, "Information when you need it is on 1250 WTMA and wtma.com, 'The Big Talker." (KK-VA)
- **1260 WQOF DC Washington** 3/15 1900 Fair with WBIX cancelled; "Always loud and clear on your smart speaker... listener supported WQOF Washington, Relevant Radio 1260 AM." (BC-NH)
  - **WSUA FL Miami** 2/28 2100 Radio Caracol Spanish language news and talk format. Used Linrad to null out WNDE, Indianapolis. **(JI-IN)** 
    - +++ 2/21 0325 Spanish talk, clear "Radio Miami America" slogan ID. (RAL-NC)
  - WBIX MA Boston 3/11 0459 After nulling competing stations on a crowded frequency, noted a youth chorus singing religious music. Signal generally weak with occasional peaks, but was able to compare with internet site audio. "Nossa" slogans after the hour, particularly around 0509. (JW-PA)
    - +++ 4/4 0155 Very poor in noise with vocal music in presumed Portuguese, parts of ToH ID by man in EE: "You are listening to WBIX . . ." followed by list of other Nossa Radio stations of which I was only able to hear "WFLL 1400" and "WRLZ" after running the recording through Audacity. (LB-NY)
  - WPJF SC Greenville 2/19 0500 "Radio Vida" slogan and "WPJF AM 1260 Greenville...W225AZ 92.5 FM Greenville" EE and SS ToH ID into Spanish language religious programming. (JI-IN)
  - WWVT VA Christiansburg 2/26 2100 ToH ID: "This is listener supported public radio WVTF...and ...WVTF.org" into NPR programming. (JI-IN)
- **1270 WBOJ GA Columbus** 4/1 0518 "Greatest Hits of the 60s, 70s and 80s, Boomer 102.5" slogan. (**RKS-NC**)
  - WLBR PA Lebanon 3/7 0615 In with Stevie Wonder song, "99.7 Wilbur Radio" slogan. (LW-NY)
- 1280 WYAL NC Scotland Neck 3/27 1921 Gospel songs in mix with WHVR and UNIDs (classic rock songs and Spanish singing), "You're listening to WYAL 1280 Scotland Neck, North Carolina. The station where you are loved." (KK-VA)
- **1290 WTKS GA Savannah** 3/27 1924 In multi-station mix (WDZÝ, WJCV, WHIO, WHKY and UNID classic rock songs) with Mark Levin Show and promo for same: "Mister Hand Grenade in a necktie, Mark Levin on News Radio 97.7 and 1290 WTKS Savannah." **(KK-VA)** 
  - WNBF NY Binghamton 3/22 0559 Suspected WNBF in the clear with Red Eye trucking ads and promos up to the hour. "News Radio 1290," then garbled call sign. Signal faded almost immediately but was able to match to webpage audio, although much delayed. (JW-PA)
  - **WDZY VA Colonial Heights** 3/22 2157 Coming in well with sermon by Pastor Keith Manley up to the hour with a call sign ID at 2200. Another sermon on the Book of Malachi followed. **(JW-PA)** 
    - +++ 3/2 2115 Preaching and praying, the program was "Turning Point, Weekend Edition" with Dr. David Jeremiah preaching and selling the Jeremiah Study Bible, at ToH, "This is Virginia's strongest faith station, WDZY, Colonial Heights, now on 103.3, in Richmond," way over usual WKBK, abruptly gone, probably to its 41 watts night signal (kind of late for the power drop?), new station for me. (TF-NH)
- **1300 WNEA GA Newnan** 4/1 0830 // online with "AM 1300 WNEA" ID. **(RKS-NC)**
- 1320 WDER NH Derry 4/3 0555 Alone and clearly audible in noise. At end of a program, male voice said: "Stay tuned for Real Life Radio following the six o'clock news on 1320 and 92 point 1 FM WDER." Then, less clear, another male "...WDER Christian... Radio," mention of website and radio app and weekend programming. "We are Life Changing Radio" talk about importance of community. Only my second NH station, other being WFEA on 1370 which is a regular here. NEW. (LB-NY)
  - +++ 3/22 1900 In with SRN News, "Life Changing Radio" programming, "1320 WDER" ID. Nice signal. (LW-NY)
- **1330 WKTA IL Evanston** 3/31 2000 "AM 1330 WKTA Evanston-North...and FM 95.9 W240BE Evanston" ToH ID. (**RKS-NC**)
  - WHBL WI Sheboygan 4/1 0400 Nice ID at this time; mention of 101.5. Noted earlier at 0306, but not as clear. (JW-PA)

- +++ 3/12 0300 Fox News, a couple of "1330, 101.5 WHBL" IDs heard. Sweet catch, my father's hometown. (JK-WV)
- 1340 WKSN NY Jamestown 3/15 0708 Over in-state rival WLVL with station promo "...right here on WKSN" into "We'll have Manhattan" and AC/nostalgia songs. (MKB-ON)
  - WALL NY Middletown 2/23 1915 ID for "WALL Radio," briefly atop frequency with weather from "World famous meteorologist Mike Keefe," local ad for a business on Route 102 in Middletown and in Monticello, before signal faded away under usual WYBC. (TF-NH)
  - WTRN PA Tyrone 3/25 2206 Oyster Point regular WTRN getting blotted out by a number of stations. Snatches of "Tuesday Afternoon" by the Moodys sneaking through; matched to station webpage audio. (JW-PA)
- **1350 WRNY NY Rome** 3/2 2025 ESPN Sports feed under Fox Sports on WOYK, weak signal mixed with an unidentified country music station. **(TF-NH)** 
  - **WOYK PA York** 3/2 2005 Fox Sports feed, atop frequency (as usual here at night) with ID, plus ID for "WTKT, Fox Sports 1460, Harrisburg," the two stations must be simulcasting. **(TF-NH)**
- 1360 WDRC CT Hartford 2/22 2000 "WDRC Hartford" ToH ID into Fox News. (JI-IN)
  - WSAI OH Cincinnati 3/10 1910 Over other talkers with local Home Depot ad including tie-in with Cincinnati Reds home opener, "Fox Sports 1360" slogan into Fox Sports talk. (MKB-ON)
- **1370 WGCL IN Bloomington** 4/1 0734 ID mentioning "On WGCL...Bloomington's West Side" into Indiana local news. **(RKS-NC)** 
  - WLID NY Patchogue 3/15 1900 Over/under others with local WFEA cancelled; Radio Cantico Nuevo multi-station ID. New log. (BC-NH)
  - WXXI NY Rochester 2/22 2000 "WXXI" ToH ID into NPR programming. Nulled out WSPD, Toledo with Linrad Diversity Reception. (JI-IN)
    - +++ 3/19 2100 Although not dominant, clear call sign recitation at this time in the car. Station is heard frequently; at 0606 this AM on the Grundig. (JW-PA)
- **1380 WFNW CT Naugatuck** 4/1 1902 Usual Portuguese programming. **(RKS-NC)** 
  - **KLIZ MN Brainerd** 3/22 0700 Out of Turbo Tax ad, "1380 AM KLIZ Brainerd" ToH ID into Fox Sports. Another one in the post-CKPC mix. (**MKB-ON**)
- **1390 WRIV NY Riverhead** 3/16 1920 Atop frequency with "WRIV is a good place to work. Call 727-1390...WRIV is an equal opportunity employer," followed by ad for Amtrak, complete with train whistles, and into Frank Sinatra music, soon lost to WEOK. **(TF-NH)**
- **1400 WWIN MD Baltimore** 2/26 1859 Atop frequency with woman announcer doing commercial about degree programs at "UMBC" (University of Maryland Baltimore County) and then gone. New station for me. **(TF-NH)** 
  - **WMAN OH Mansfield** 3/30 0630 Man announcing ID at this time; slightly garbled but mentioning Ohio, then ID for sister station WMAN-FM from Fredericktown in the clear. Disappeared as fast as it popped up from a nowhere jumble, just enabling the station identification. (JW-PA)
- WCOS SC Columbia 3/24 2055 Local ad for Instaclean Exteriors at 467-6545. (RKS-NC)
- **1410 WLSH PA Lansford** 3/25 1913 Over other talkers with "your official WLSH AccuWeather" local forecast. **(MKB-ON)** 
  - WRTZ VA Roanoke 3/29 2050 Station coming in weakly under a couple others. Was able to check // programming with website audio. The Byrds "Turn! Turn! Turn!" right after. (JW-PA)
- **1420 WKCW VA Warrenton** 3/29 1838 Slogan, "WKCW, Always Playing a Better Song." Ending song "A Girl Like You" by 3 Dog Night and into a Rick Astley song. Strong and alone. **(HJH-PA)**
- **1430 WKOX MA Everett** 3/20 1858 Spanish programming, ID for the AM and FM members of the station's group, mixed with usual WENE, WKOX is seldom heard here. **(TF-NH)** 
  - WKEX VA Blacksburg 3/9 1719 "Classic Hits 101.3 and 105.9" slogan into Oldies. Nulled out local 5 kw WXNT using Linrad X+Y Diversity Reception. (JI-IN)
- 1440 WAJR WV Morgantown 4/4 0155 On top with good signal. Ads for Big Lou Life Insurance ("Big Lou's like you, he's on meds too"), Tropical Smoothie Cafe offer of \$5 off Acai bowl on April 6 with coupon from app and Wayfair "the best kept secret for all things renovation." ToH ID: "One oh four, five FM and 1440 AM WAJR Morgantown and WVRC... (last word unintelligible, sounded like "victory")" followed by 3 musical notes and "we're proud to..." NEW. (LB-NY)

- **1450 WCTC** NJ New Brunswick 2/26 1903 Pregame show before NY Knicks v. Philadelphia 76'ers, awful rendition of the Star Spangled Banner before start of game. (TF-NH)
  - WENI NY Corning 3/20 1925 Presumed in multi-station mix with "this is Bigfoot Country Legends" slogan and C&W songs. (MKB-ON)
  - **WWHK SC** Myrtle Beach 3/25 1944 "105.5 Hank FM" slogan. (RKS-NC)
- **1460 WBMS** MA Brockton 3/23 1925 Woman repeatedly screaming and laughing in Spanish for "Momma" with an occasional "Hallelujah" tossed in, lost abruptly at 1930 when the station dropped power to its 30 watts night signal, leaving WOPG. **(TF-NH)** 
  - WHIC NY Rochester 4/1 0700 "The Station of the Cross" slogan and usual EWTN Catholic programming. (RKS-NC)
  - **WGMM PA** Tunkhannock 3/23 1900 Oldies, ID for WGMF, WGMA, WGMM, and FM translators at the ToH, and into a "Classic Edition" of American Top 40 with Casey Casem. (TF-NH)
- 1470 WMBD IL Peoria 3/12 2327 Slogan "... Voice for Almost 100 Years" and ID. (HJH-PA)
  - WWBG NC Greensboro 3/12 2330 Repeating WTOB-980 Winston-Salem. Had obscure mix of oldies like "Sit With the Guru" by Strawberry Alarm Clock and "Wake-Up Wake-Up" by the Grass Roots. Into a Fox News report at this time. (HJH-PA)
    - +++ 3/31 2157 The Beatles with "Day Tripper," Bob Seger's "Old Time Rock and Roll," and "Midnight at the Oasis," by Maria Muldaur. "AM 1470 WWBG Greensboro, 96.7 FM W244EM Winston-Salem" ID. (JK-WV)
- **1480 WLEA**NY Hornell 3/13 1908 Over other talkers, simulcasting WYSL-1040 with right wing talk "...on the Voice of Liberty WYSL." Per <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WLEA">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WLEA</a> WLEA planned to go silent in Nov. 2024, but reached a deal with WYSL in Avon, NY to stay on the air. (MKB-ON)
  - WJFG PA Latrobe 3/11 1948 Penguins promos and South West Pennsylvania mentions. (RKS-NC)
- **1490 WRLA GA West Point** 3/25 0745 Local weather: "The WTRP and WRLA weather center. I'm Bill Bennett. A fire weather watch is in effect for Northeast Georgia this afternoon. Sunny. High around 79 with gusty winds up to 25 miles per hour. Tonight rain showers after 1 AM partly cloudy with a low around 51. Currently it is 42 degrees with clear skies. This is Bill Bennett with the WTRB and WRLA weather center." **(RKS-NC)** 
  - WCCM MA Haverhill 3/12 1916 Spanish rock music, atop the mush and mixing with usually heard here WINQ. (TF-NH)
  - WSVM NC Valdese 3/18 1913 FM-only "96.5 WSVM" ID. (RKS-NC)
- **1500 WLQV MI Detroit** 3/1 1940 Preaching, mixed with and under WFED, too late for WFIF with the same format, WLQV's directional signal, now from nine towers (evidently the station's notable 12 tower behemoth is gone), is rarely heard here. **(TF-NH)**
- **1520 WCHE PA** West Chester 3/15 1658 Good with WWKB cancelled; "Hey, this is Lauren Beachy and you're listening to WCHE 95.3 FM and online at 9 5 3 WCHE dot com," and "Never Never Gonna Give You Up" by Barry White. Lauren Beachy is a news reporter at WNCT-TV and former WCHE host. (BC-NH)
- **1540 WSIV** NY East Syracuse 3/14 1921 Battling KXEL after local CHIN s/off with ad for Medi-Share, "106.3 FM, 1540 AM the Voice" slogan. (MKB-ON)
  - **WULT VA Sandston** 3/27 1948 Virginia Lottery ad (in English) then into Spanish programming. Might have been day power. (**RKS-NC**)
- **1560 WFME NY New York** 3/27 1957 Open the Bible program. "Hear the Word. Family Radio WFME New York" slogan (JK-WV)
- **1580 WNYG NY Patchogue** 3/1 1925 Preaching or lecturing in Spanish, weak signal with fades, 500 watts directional out over the Atlantic Ocean. **(TF-NH)** 
  - +++ 3/25 0659 "Radio Cantico Nuevo" slogan with call letter IDs. (RKS-NC)
  - **CKDO ON Oshawa** 3/26 0615 Dominant on frequency with mention of Beach Boys in concert in Oshawa area into oldies. **(LW-NY)**
- **1600 WCPK VA Chesapeake** 3/28 2200 "This is WCPK 1600 AM Chesapeake and ... FM ...." ID. "Then into Spanish "Esta es..." ID followed by songs in SS. Weak in mix with just 23 watts. (**JK-WV**)
- **1670 WMGE GA Dry Branch-Macon** 2/22 0522 BIN talk on history of Blacks in Las Vegas, full ID on half hour. **(RAL-NC)**

+++ - 3/18 0610 – "BIN 1670 and on iheart radio app" "Black News First" program. "Macon's BIN 1670" slogan. (JK-WV)

### **FCC Silent Station List**

These 116 stations are listed as silent in the FCC's LMS as of April 7, 2025:

| nese 110 | stations are liste | a as si | ient in the FCC's i |      | s of April 7, 2025: |      |                |
|----------|--------------------|---------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|----------------|
| 540      | WGOP-MD            | 1110    | WTOF-AL             | 1300 | WRDZ-IL             |      | <b>WQNT-SC</b> |
| 560      | KZAC-CA            |         | WOMN-LA             | 1310 | WOBM-NJ             |      | KIKR-TX        |
| 567      | KGUM-Guam          |         | WWMN-MI             | 1320 | WISW-SC             | 1480 | KLMS-NE        |
| 590      | WARM-PA            | 1130    | WECR-NC             | 1330 | WHGM-MD             | 1490 | KOWL-CA        |
| 620      | WZON-ME            | 1140    | KPWB-MO             |      | WTRX-MI             |      | WLAW-MI        |
| 670      | WYLS-AL            |         | WHNQ-VA             |      | KGRG-WA             |      | WANG-MS        |
| 690      | KEII-ID            | 1150    | WONG-MS             | 1340 | KRMD-LA             |      | KFCR-SD        |
|          | WVCY-WI            |         | WAYS-SC             |      | KXEQ-NV             |      | KVWC-TX        |
| 750      | KKNO-LA            | 1160    | WJLK-NJ             |      | WQSC-SC             | 1500 | WPSO-FL        |
| 780      | WEZR-ME            | 1170    | KBOB-IA             |      | KAND-TX             |      | WQMS-MS        |
| 790      | KURM-AR            | 1200    | KPSF-CA             |      | WMON-WV             | 1510 | KBED-TX        |
| 800      | WJAT-GA            | 1210    | KQEQ-CA             | 1350 | KRLC-ID             | 1520 | WTRI-MD        |
|          | WPEL-PA            | 1220    | WREV-NC             |      | KCOX-TX             | 1530 | WWDX-TN        |
| 850      | WAXB-CT            |         | WENC-NC             | 1360 | KWDJ-CA             |      | WFIC-VA        |
| 860      | WAEC-GA            | 1230    | WSSO-MS             |      | WIBK-IL             | 1540 | KREA-HI        |
| 870      | WQRX-AL            |         | KLCB-MT             |      | KUIK-OR             | 1550 | WLOR-AL        |
| 880      | WAPC-AL            |         | KCOH-TX             | 1370 | WGHN-MI             |      | WCLY-NC        |
|          | WMDB-TN            |         | KVOC-WY             | 1400 | KRLN-CO             |      | KMRI-UT        |
| 900      | KCLW-TX            | 1240    | WCEM-MD             |      | WJZN-ME             |      | KKOV-WA        |
| 910      | WTMZ-SC            |         | KLIK-MO             |      | WTSL-NH             | 1560 | WLZR-FL        |
| 920      | WYMB-SC            |         | KRAL-WY             |      | KEBE-TX             |      | WRIN-IN        |
|          | KQBU-TX            | 1250    | WYKM-WV             |      | KITZ-WA             | 1570 | WWCK-MI        |
|          | KGTK-WA            | 1260    | WFTW-FL             |      | WRON-WV             |      | KAKK-MN        |
| 950      | WHVW-NY            |         | KNBL-ID             |      | WIDA-PR             |      | KTAT-OK        |
| 960      | WFGL-MA            |         | WRIE-PA             |      | WYIS-GA             | 1600 | WPOM-FL        |
| 1010     | KXPS-CA            | 1270    | KZTQ-NV             | 1440 | WLWI-AL             |      | KTUB-UT        |
| 1060     | KDYL-UT            |         | WDLA-NY             |      | KPUR-TX             | 1640 | WTNI-MS        |
| 1070     | WAPI-AL            |         | WCGC-NC             | 1450 | KVBV-CO             |      | KDZR-OR        |
| 1080     | WFTD-GA            | 1280    | KSLI-TX             |      | WELY-MN             | 1700 | KBGG-IA        |
|          |                    |         |                     |      |                     |      |                |

Of these, it is clear that KVWC-1490 has been listed erroneously for months, and that KTUB-1600's recent return to the air just hasn't been reflected in the list yet. Other stations are known to be silent but have not notified the FCC as required by regulations.

Five of these stations – KRLC-1350, KVBV-1450, WTRI-1520, KREA-1540, and KTAT-1570 – have been silent for more than one year and – unless there has been some mistake and the stations have been on the air without notifying the FCC – their licenses will be cancelled automatically.

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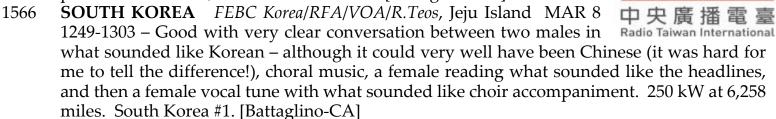
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### TRANS-PACIFIC DX

**TAIWAN** *R.Taiwan International Chinese Channel*, Kouhu MAR 10 1225-1240 – Fair, with brief better peaks; man and woman conversing in Chinese. Signal was weak, but steady throughout the monitoring period. 300 kW at 7,005 miles. Taiwan #1. [Battaglino-CA]





- **CUBA** *R.Encyclopedia*, Villa María MAR 27 0355 Alone in noise with easy listening instrumental music. Only Cuban left at 0955 UTC. MAR 28 0555 Poor but only Cuban audible. [Brodsky-NY]
- CUBA *R.Rebelde*, Pinar del Río MAR 26 0621 Wobbling against 550.0 stations; actually more like wind whining at varying pitches. Local device could infect thus, but others have also noted wobbler on 550. Right now not heard on any other spots as previously: 650, 870, 1040 kHz. [Hauser-OK]
- **CUBA** *R.Reloj*, Santa Clara MAR 27 0655 On top of local WMCA. Usual format of ticking clock, man and woman giving news with time pip between items. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Musical Nacional,* La Julia MAR 27 1058 Alone in noise with flute music. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Rebelde*, Colón MAR 27 1055 Wiped out local WSNR for a moment then receded into mess of several carriers. Reappeared for a moment at 0305 with music. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, Guanabacoa//Las Tunas MAR 26 0755 Strong in noise with Cuban music, top of the hour ID: "Radio Progreso, cadena nacional... desde la Habana Cuba. MAR 27 0455 Poor but audible. At 0755 alone and strong with Cuban music, 0758 female with program information; music resumed. 0759 male and female with announcement followed by male with Radio Progreso, cadena nacional ID. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, Ciego de Avila APR 6 0400 Poor; classic ID with music of "Arabesque No. 1" by Isao Tomita, parallel 640 kHz. Also heard wobbling, but unable to determine if it was from *R.Progreso*, co-channel *R.Rebelde*, or both. [Conti-NH]
- **CUBA** unID MAR 12 0702 Very occasional JBA whooping under WSM. There are a Progreso and a Rebelde on 650 kHz. [Hauser-OK]
- **DOMINICAN REPUBLIC** HIAT *R.Universal*, Santo Domingo MAR 19 0400 Fair with WSM cancelled; bachata "Centavito" by Romeo Santos, not parallel 640 *R.Progreso* or 670 *R.Rebelde*, so based on the music presume Dominican Rep. [Conti-NH]
- MEXICO XEFZ, ABC Deportes, Monterrey, NL MAR 17 0431 "Nuevo León en La Hora Nacional," so it's the regional/stateish cutaway from the "national" hour, ergo on this frequency it's XEFZ. Quick check of some other NLs, sounds similar but can't make parallel, 1050 XEG, 1140 XEMR. MAR 23 0319 "ABC Deportes, 660 AM y 92.1 FM; sabemos cómo se juega." XEFZ at the Mountain King again, dominating from south with K index at 4, preceded by classic rock in English, i.e. music, not sports, and followed by "Can't take my eyes off of you." [Hauser-OK]
- MEXICO XECPR R.Chan Santa Cruz, Felipe Carrillo Puerto, Q.Roo MAR 30 0559 Poor with WFAN cancelled; "El Loco" by Los Pasteles Verdes, R.Chan Santa Cruz ID by woman, then heard choral national anthem but not sure if it was from the same station. [Conti-NH]
- **CUBA** *R.Rebelde*, multiple locations MAR 27 0455 Stronger than 640 kHz. 0555 still strong. Cuban music. 0959 news (las noticias). 1055 continues to be strongest Cuban on lower part of BCB. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, Santa Clara MAR 27 0455 Alone. Man and woman with news. Definitely Cuba but unable to pinpoint which station. 1155 playing same music as 640 *R.Progreso*. [Brodsky-NY]

- **CUBA** *R.Rebelde*, multiple locations MAR 27 0855 Faint with local WOR cancelled. Top of the hour ID heard "Radio Rebelde, la Habana," with characteristic 3 note sounder repeated 3 times. New. [Brodsky-NY]
- COLOMBIA HJAJ, RCN, Barranquilla APR 6 0200 Under WJR, over WLCC and XEABC; sounders, time pips, woman "En Colombia..." parallel 1000 HJAQ. [Conti-NH]
- MEXICO XEERG Ojo de Agua, NL MAR 25 0647 Heavy distortion interfering with KQCV, previously traced to XEERG. Usually audible at night, but worse than usual now. APR 6 0645 Very heavy distortion interference to KQCV and anything else. Will this ever get fixed or demolished? Such incompetence! [Hauser-OK]
- 810.59 unID MAR 20 0640 JBA carrier again hetting 810.00 WHB. What is it? APR 6 0644 JBA carrier aside 810 WHB. Still hearing this mystery though not every night. I challenge anyone to ID it or at least DF/triangulate source. [Hauser-OK]
  - **CUBA** *R.Progreso*, San Germán APR 6 0400 Fair with local WGHM cancelled; classic ID with music of "Arabesque No. 1" by Isao Tomita, parallel 640 and 650 kHz. [Conti-NH]
  - **CUBA** *R.Metropolitana*, Villa María MAR 27 0858 Suddenly appeared with good signal. 0459 Cuban music in background. Woman and man alternating, "tres horas de música," mentions of Havana. Woman: "Metropolitana, la radio de casa." New. [Brodsky-NY]
  - **CUBA** *R.Reloj*, multiple locations MAR 27 0855 Giving WKDN a good fight. Best heard in LSB mode. Ticking clock/woman with news. Time announced between news items. Heard one ID by woman, "Radio Reloj... desde la capital Cubana." New. [Brodsky-NY]
  - **CUBA** unID MAR 27 0855 Under WTEM. [Brodsky-NY]
- **CUBA** *R.Granma*, Media Luna MAR 31 0100 Fair; canned hourly ID, "...transmite Radio Granma, Manzanillo, Cuba," and xylophone signature. [Conti-NH]
- **CUBA** *R.Mayabeque*, Güines MAR 14 0714 Whooper under WHO only spot heard at the moment, not even under 870 WWL. MAR 28 0639 Wobbler below WHO. No others at the moment, like 550, 650, 870 kHz. [Hauser-OK] APR 6 0400 Weak wobble through WCHR. [Conti-NH]
- unID MAR 28 0642 JBA carrier hetting whatever's left on 1060 without New Orleans. Not a 9/kHz plan frequency, which would be 1062 kHz. Suspect Cuba, like the 1-kHz-off 1141 often heard but not right now. [Hauser-OK]
- **CUBA** *R.Guamá*, Guane APR 6 0400 Fair; choral national anthem, signature melodic chimes. [Conti-NH]
- CUBA R.Cadena Habana, Villa María MAR 23 1000 Poor with WTIC cancelled; choral national anthem, then repeating 4-note sounders like an interval signal. MAR 29 0400 Fair; repeating sounders, choral national anthem. APR 1 0359 Fair; repeating sounders, choral national anthem. [Conti-NH]
- **CUBA** *R.Angulo*, Holguín MAR 22 0400 Poor with WBT cancelled; choral national anthem, canned ID and chimes. MAR 29 0359 Poor, over XERED with WBT cancelled; choral national anthem, single set of chimes. APR 6 0359 Fair; choral national anthem, doorbell chimes, announcement with time check. [Conti-NH]
- MEXICO XERED *Radio Red*, México, CMDX MAR 29 0400 Poor to fair fade in over Cuba; "Estás escuchando XERED, 1110 AM, Radio Red..." Thanks to Mike Westfall in RealDX group for help with ID. [Conti-NH]
- **VENEZUELA** YVRL *R.Ideal*, Maiquetía MAR 21 1000 Poor, with WBBR cancelled; choral national anthem. Measured 1129.996 kHz which matches mwlist offset, versus VYKQ *R.Popular* listed at 1129.901 kHz. MAR 29 0400 Poor; choral national anthem. Measured offset frequency 1129.996 kHz. [Conti-NH]
- **CUBA** unID MAR 29 1120 Carrier observed 47 minutes past receiver sunrise, as much as 17 db above noise floor, while monitoring during solar eclipse. Still there at 1148 UTC, 5 to 10 dB above noise floor, and at 1152 UTC fading out. [Conti-NH]
- **USA** *R.Martí*, Marathon FL APR 4 0408 Trying to detect whether *R.Martí* be on from Marathon FL, checking three south Florida SDRs, music from *R.Rebelde* dominates parallel 5025, but there is interference from something on 1180 kHz. *R.Martí* is so directional that even in Miami area it's hard to hear. Around Tulsa there is also 1170 KOTV IBOC noise peaking 1183 kHz. [Hauser-OK]
- unID MAR 23 0335 Spanish music from north/south, while English from east/west. Probably one of the two Spanish Texans KTAE or KLDS, but there are also four Mexicans led by XEL in CDMX. [Hauser-OK]
- **ECUADOR** HCO034 *R.Monumental*, Quito MAR 26 0400 Good; rockola song "Corazón Solitario" by Juanita Burbano, Ecuador artist from Quito. [Conti-NH]
- 1549.82 **MEXICO** XEREL Morelia, Mich. MAR 12 0649 Still JBA carrier hetting 1550 stations, presumed XEREL. MAR 13 0507 Into Querétaro SDR, songs in English from some U.S. station, but also het on low side JBA, and JBV on the waterfall when enlarged. Much too

weak to pull any mod from it even by LSB tuning. By 0557 it's a bit louder and sharper. At 0611 direct, same het/signal JBA on 1549.82. MAR 19 0200 – JBA carrier again aside the 1550.00 stations. MAR 24 0651 – Still detectable off-frequency carrier hetting 1550.0 stations. MAR 25 0626 – JBA carrier still perceived hetting 1550 stations. MAR 28 0610 – Finally compare the off-frequency het to my keyboard = F# below Cmiddle, 185 Hz per <a href="https://homes.luddy.indiana.edu/donbyrd/Teach/MusicalPitchesTable.htm">https://homes.luddy.indiana.edu/donbyrd/Teach/MusicalPitchesTable.htm</a>. Previous estimates were 1549.82 but I could tell it was not 0.820 precisely. APR 1 0700 – Still hearing that 1549.82 or .83 het against 1550 stations, presumed XEREL. [Hauser-OK]

#### **INTERNATIONAL NEWS**

**COLOMBIA**: Desde este lunes 31 de marzo, las emisoras de RTVC actualizarán las frecuencias en Medellín y Cali para incrementar su alcance y la convergencia con la televisión pública, para la realización de contenidos musicales, transmisiones en vivo y para el fortalecimiento del Sistema de Medios Públicos. *Radio Nacional de Colombia* se escuchará en Medellín en la frecuencia 99.9 FM y en Cali en la 94.5 FM; así mismo, *Radiónica* transmitirá en Medellín por la frecuencia **550 AM** (HJHF) y en Cali en la **580 AM** (HJHP). [www.radionica.rocks]

**USA**: 1180 *R.Martí*, Marathon in the Florida Keys, was previously reported gone, but Terry L. Krueger in the FL panhandle reported, MAR 18 1744 – "David Crawford, Indian River City, FL confirms Radio Martí 1180 kHz Boot Key (Marathon), FL is still on the air." MAR 22 1109 – "It remains on air from the Sister Creek Island 1180 kHz 100 kW Florida site." But is it really new/current program content? [Hauser-OK]

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Linda Brodsky, Malverne NY; Airspy HF Discovery, indoor amplfied loop. All recorded in mp3 format.

Bruce Conti WPC1CAT, Nashua NH; WiNRADiO Excalibur, Mini DXP-5 broadband phasing unit, SDR# Co-Channel Canceller, SuperLoop antennas 60° northeast and 180° south, double Delta 60° northeast.

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, IC-R75 with ~100-ft east/west long wire.

## GRAVEYARD DX: UPDATE

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#### 1450 kHz

| Station State | e City | DXer     | DX Location | <u>Miles</u> |
|---------------|--------|----------|-------------|--------------|
| WHRY WI       | Hurley | Rick Dau | Oakland, IA | 440          |

### **Total Stations Heard**

| <u>DXer</u>          | DX Location        | <u>1230</u> | <u>1240</u> | <u>1340</u> | <u>1400</u> | <u>1450</u> | <u>1490</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Tim Hall – US 6/50 a | t NV/UT Border, UT | 43          | 41          | 39          | 47          | 45          | 42          | 257          |
| Rick Dau - Oakland   | , IA               | 11          | 10          | 11          | 15          | 15          | 11          | 73           |

Note: GYDXA records are undergoing a periodic membership audit. Per club policy, records held by DXers who have left the club will be vacated (this does not apply to members who have passed away; their records are merely flagged with the traditional radio acronym "SK"). Once this task is complete (probably in a month or two), we will update the GYDXA web pages. Canadian DXers are especially encouraged to check for vacated records, as it appears a substantial number of Canadian records will be vacated as a result of the audit.



### Musings of the Members

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Non-electronic submissions: Send to Publisher (see AM Switch for address)
Next deadline: **April 25, 2025** 

### David Harden KJ4CMY, Warner Robins GA

Receivers: Icom IC-7100 and a Qoseden DX-286. Antenna Chameleon TD Lite about 25 feet in the air.

1340 was the last MW frequency I needed in order to log a station on every AM frequency. On March 10, I had a nearly positive ID when I heard "BIN News." Checking on the internet, I found a BIN station on 1340 in Dayton, Ohio and one in Augusta, Georgia. It turned out it was the Augusta station. Now I have achieved my goal, at least one station on every AM frequency! It was hard work, but it was worth the effort. Now it is time to revisit other frequencies for second, third and fourth stations.

A couple days ago, I was tuning up the dial and found a strong station on 1470 and heard WRGA, Rome Georgia, another new station, the second on this frequency. I may not have the benefit of all the directional antennas that others have, but I still can do very well. On with more DX!

### Jon Pearkins, Edmonton AB

A bunch of us 12-year-old DXers first met at our Vancouver area school's Hobby Show 60 years ago. One of us, Ted Wendland, just passed away on March 21, still DXing right up to the end. He had also amassed 20,000-plus collections each of Radio Stickers and 45 rpm records.

Ted and I had radio careers that started very similarly but ended very differently. We were both first on air at a local 5-watt pirate CFAY-1357.25, which was once heard in Seattle. Our first paid radio jobs were at competing local AM/FM clusters as Board Operators who also ran Automation machines: Ted at CKNW/CFMI-FM and me at CHQM AM & FM. Ted continued in Radio as a career until a mass layoff at CKNW/CFMI in the late 1990s, working mostly as Music Directors with stops at CJJC Langley BC and CHQR Calgary AB. I went to university and worked in Computing for a third of a century. In retirement, both of us focused on Western Canada broadcast history, working together on several projects. Ted lived in Keremeos BC for the past few years after spending all but a few years of his life in Greater Vancouver. I've lived in Edmonton since 1975.

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Please see my full original, complete, unedited, uncondensed and undeleted MWDX reports for: Week of March 9-16, 2025:

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/domestic lw mwdx to enid ok/111737202: 407 HRU, 420 FQ, 550 KTRS+, 650 WSM+, 770 WABC/KKOB, 780 WBBM, 780 KSPI, 1120 KETU, 690 KGGF, 860 KKOW, 810.57v unID, 1030 KCWJ/KCTA, 1040 WHO+, 1460 KXNO/KBRZ, 1510 KCTE/WLAC, 1550 unID+, 1680 KRJO, 1700 KBGG, 1860 WA0RCR, 2598 VCP, 2749 VCO.

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/international mwdx to enid/111737833: 391 DDP, 650 Cuba+, 1040 Cuba+, 1323v AM Italia, 1549.82 XEREL+.

#### Week of March 17-23, 2025:

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/domestic lw mwdx to enid ok/111864295: 359 GGF, 365 AA, 382 YPL, 660 KEYZ, 730 KQPN, 770 KKOB, 810.59 unID, 810 WHB, 900 KPYN, 1030 KCWJ/KCTA, 1150 KSAL+, 1180 Martí, 1210 KGYN, 1260 KTAE/KLDS?, 1270 KFLC, 1280 KYRO, 1330 unID, 1510 KCTE/WLAC, 1530 KZNX, 1650 CINA/KSVE?, 1710+ Ivan's pirate, 1860 WA0RCR.

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/domestic lw mwdx to enid ok/111864295: 660 XEFZ, 810.59 unID, 1180 Martí, 1260 XEL?, 1323v AM Italia, 1549.82 XEREL, 1710+ Ivan's pirate.

### Week of March 24-30, 2025:

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/domestic lw mwdx to enid ok/111991736: 344 JL, 245 FS, 267 HET, 392 FMZ, 600 WMT/KTBB?, 790 KGHL/KFGO/WSGW, 800 KQCV+, 1040 WHO+, 1061-unID, 1290 KUOA, 1420 KBHS, 1530 unID/WCKY, 1650 KSVE, 1670 VDJR, 1860 WA0RCR.

https://groups.io/g/IRCA/topic/international mwdx to enid/111991830: 550 Cuba, 800 XEERG, 1040 Cuba, 1061 CMGW?, 1323v AM Italia, 1549.815 XEREL.

They also are included in my all-band weekly roundups, primarily SW:

https://www.worldofradio.com/Hauserlogs.html

Until the next, Best of DX and 73 de Glenn

### Martin Foltz, Sarasota FL

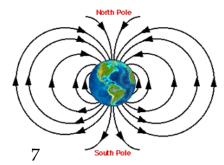
Veries: none. So far this year I've heard 11 new stations. Last year I added 41 stations to the log. I haven't been very active lately but have sent several follow up reports including 3 new states. Does anyone else track counties heard? I do it for my home state. Here in FL there are 67 counties with MW station in 52.

So far I've heard 37. For the 15 unheard there are 10 with only 1 station, 3 with only 2 stations and 2 with 3 stations. I've seen that Radio Marti is back on. I've never heard them here but the Cubans sure are loud. Martin.

### Linda Brodsky, Malverne NY

Going over some recent overnight IQ recordings, I noted a major opening here to Cuba on 3/27. While it's not that unusual to find several strong R. Rebelde and R. Progreso outlets on various frequencies below 700kHz, rarely do others show up above that and rarely do they remain dominant for as long as they did that night. I also added a few new domestics to my logbook, including WDER 1320, only my second station from NH, WFEA being a consistent pest here on 1370. Check the International and Domestic DX East columns for all my recent catches.

It seems to me that there is an increasing number of stations with a religious format, often belonging to the Relevant Radio or SRN networks. Add those to the many stations that have joined ESPN, FOX News etc. and there is little left to distinguish one station from another. I used to enjoy actually listening to programming, especially when it reflected the character of a locale, but with everything so homogenized, I have little patience for that anymore. The ability to make TOH IQ recordings means I don't have to listen to the same programs ad nauseam



### Geomagnetic Indices

**Geomagnetic Summary March 2025** 

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

| Date | Flux | A  | K    | Space Weather    | 16   | 186 | 10        | 2.67 | no storms        |
|------|------|----|------|------------------|------|-----|-----------|------|------------------|
| 3/1  | 145  | 19 | 3.00 | no storms        | 17   | 204 | 16        | 3.00 | minor, R1        |
| 2    | 140  | 06 | 0.67 | no storms        | 18   | 184 | 12        | 2.33 | no storms        |
| 3    | 145  | 05 | 1.33 | no storms        | 19   | 180 | 23        | 3.33 | minor, G1, R1    |
| 4    | 160  | 11 | 4.33 | no storms        | 20   | 170 | 06        | 2.00 | no storms        |
| 5    | 157  | 13 | 2.33 | minor, R1        | 21   | 165 | 25        | 5.33 | minor, G1, R1    |
| 6    | 150  | 07 | 1.67 | no storms        | 22   | 178 | 33        | 4.67 | moderate, G2     |
| 7    | 147  | 10 | 1.33 | no storms        | 23   | 168 | 10        | 1.33 | no storms        |
| 8    | 148  | 21 | 4.67 | minor, G1        | 24   | 156 | 19        | 1.67 | no storms        |
| 9    | 148  | 35 | 3.33 | moderate, G2     | 25   | 156 | 15        | 3.33 | no storms        |
| 10   | 149  | 10 | 2.33 | no storms        | 26   | 152 | <b>46</b> | 4.67 | moderate, G2, R1 |
| 11   | 161  | 10 | 2.67 | minor, R1        | 27   | 170 | 33        | 3.67 | minor, G1, R1    |
| 12   | 160  | 32 | 5.00 | minor, G1        | 28   | 160 | 16        | 3.67 | strong, R3       |
| 13   | 175  | 42 | 4.33 | minor, G1        | 29   | 157 | 09        | 1.00 | minor, R1        |
| 14   | 180  | 24 | 3.67 | moderate, G2, R1 | 30   | 171 | 06        | 1.00 | minor, R1        |
| 15   | 178  | 18 | 1.33 | no storms        | 3/31 | 172 | 06        | 1.00 | minor, R1, S1    |
|      |      |    |      |                  |      |     |           |      |                  |

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

### Unreported Stations

One station was reported to DDXD in this issue for the first time since at least Volume 67 (1999-2000) – WMPW-970. Several others were reported for the first time since volumes 68-70, so a lot of



good DX this issue! We are now down to 156 currently licensed, full-power AM stations in the United States and Canada which have not been reported to DDXD during this time. The last full list was published in issue 91-18 in July and will appear electronically shortly in the upcoming *DXtra News*.

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