



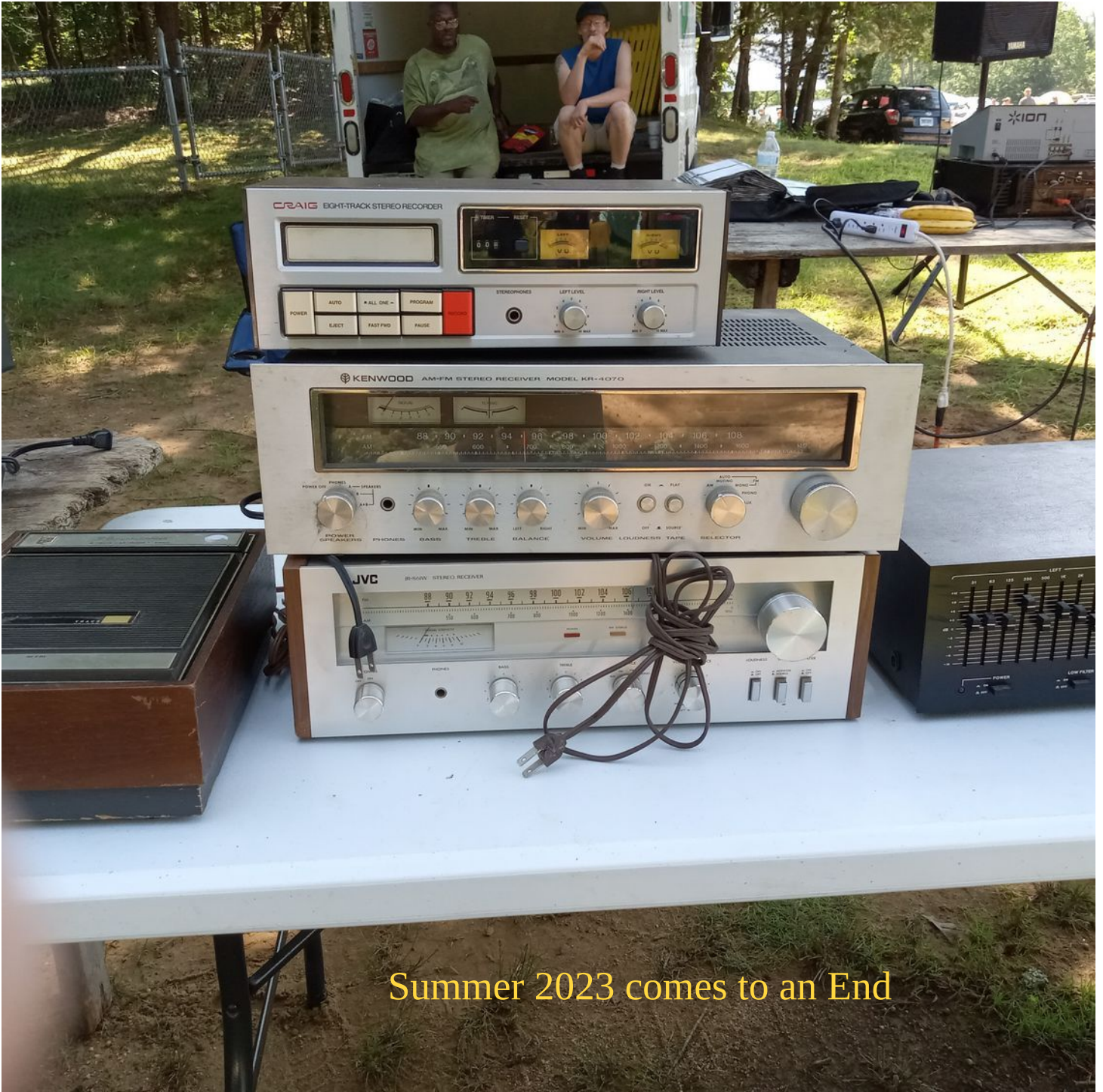
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Summer 2023 comes to an End



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It's not the end. It's just going to be different.

How many times during my 35 years in the office product industry have I seen a manager herd us into a meeting and start it with the words "embrace change, guys, embrace change". I hated to hear those words because I just knew that all of us were about to be screwed out of *something*. And sometimes we *were*, but sometimes that change turned out to be a good thing, more often than not.

So the thing here is that I've wanted to give up publishing the VUD for a long time. Some of you know that. An opportunity came along in the winter in the form of a new WTFDA website made with Wordpress. Jon and Nick and Bryce worked on it and got it online. I already had my own Wordpress website (mikesdx.con) online for some months although using a different theme than that of our new site, which uses the Divi theme. I began to play with Divi, and I really got into it, to the extent that the result of my playing is what you see at wtfda.org.

The next step was figuring out what I could do instead of the VUD. I didn't want to quit the VUD cold turkey and leave the club with nothing. So over the past month or two I created a home page for WTFDA members, a page you need to log into in order to view it. What's there now will replace the VUD. It will be the VHF-UHF Online Digest, and I just have to say it, it's pretty darn good, especially for someone who knew nothing about Wordpress prior to January first.

The DX columns will be there soon. FM changes, TV info will be there soon. Right now there are some FM antennas that are being given away FREE plus a 7' parabolic. There is also info on the major midwest tropo event that some people didn't even know about including a list of all receptions over 600 miles that I know of, and there were many, even approaching 1000 miles. It was amazing.

Even if you don't like logging into a website, you owe it to yourself to try this one. I know some may not be happy but that's the chance you take when you make a change. This one is a big one, but consider the alternative.

I would like to end the pdf VUD by the end of December, if not sooner. The VUD Online is live right now. If you would like to register, go to wtfda.org and look for "login" at the upper right corner of the page. Click it and then choose register and register yourself. To protect the site from spammers, please wait until we approve you before you can enter the site. It might take a while. **Don't be impatient or try registering again please!**

The Wordpress site should keep the club going for a long time to come. The great thing, in my opinion, is that there are people in the WTFDA more knowledgeable with WP than me who could keep the thing going if I wasn't available to maintain it. But I'm not going anywhere, trust me, not yet and at least, not willingly. :-)



MERCHANDISE STORE



It's here! Now you can show off your club pride by ordering a WTFDA logo shirt from the brand new WTFDA Merchandise Store. We're proud to launch the store with a variety of 125 different shirt styles, notebooks for your logs, and unique wall clocks for your DX shack!



Even more products will be arriving soon, so make sure to check back often to see what's new. You will also be helping support the club as a portion of sales goes to the WTFDA.

The store can be found at <https://www.redbubble.com/people/wtfda/shop?artistUserName=wtfda>

Any questions, comments, or feedback can be directed to store@wtfda.org

FM Changes for September 2023

Data supplied by the FCC although some data obtained from internet sources and individuals.

This table contains facilities data plus format and/or slogan changes.

AB	CFBR-FM	100.3	Edmonton	Rock: '100.3 The Bear'
AK	KHOQ	88.5	Homer	initial calls
AK	KQSO	88.9	Soldotna	initial calls
AK	KETB	89.1	Ketchikan	initial calls
AK	KXHO	89.7	Homer	initial calls
AK	KLUI	89.9	Unalakleet	400w/-24m, 63-52-20/160-47-26
AK	KVKO	92.1	Kodiak	initial calls
AK	KQKO	94.1	Kodiak	initial calls
AK	NEW	94.3	Kiana	99w-V/-45m, 66-58-29/160-25-34
AK	KSCM	94.3	Scammon Bay	New station signs on with Religious Teaching
AK	KSCM	94.3	Scammon Bay	New station signs on with Religious Teaching
AK	KVGR	94.5	Kiana	initial calls
AK	KZFB	95.1	Fairbanks	initial calls
AK	KQFB	98.9	Fairbanks	initial calls
AL	W241CB	96.1	Dothan	99watts, 31-14-37/85-25-11
AL	WVOK-FM	97.9	Ohatchee	2.2k/330m, 33-37-20/85-52-19, change ERP and HAAT
AL	WQSB	105.1	Albertville	2.55k/312m, 34-09-31/86-02-45
AL	W286DV	105.1	Florence	Hot AC: 'My 101.5' (WMXV 101.5); ex: W284DO 104.7 // WVNA-FM 105.5
AL	WVNA-FM	105.5	Muscle Shoals	1.9k/175m, 34-40-38/87-43-02
AR	KUAR	89.1	Little Rock	News/Talk: 'Little Rock Public Radio' (includes K233AD 94.5)
AR	KCVC-FM	90.1	Cherry Valley	Returns to the air with Religious Teaching: 'Bott Radio Network'
AR	KLRE	90.5	Little Rock	Classical: 'Little Rock Public Radio'
AR	K276CO	103.1	Fayetteville	140w, 36-08-50/94-11-14
AZ	KUUA-FM	89.1	St. Johns	50k/241m, 34-16-14/109-34-30
AZ	KBMH	90.3	Holbrook	Silent 8/14/23, lack of support and selling station
AZ	KUPD	97.9	Tempe	Rock: '98 KUPD'
AZ	K251BC	98.1	Kayenta	Religious Teaching: 'The Voice of Hope' (KPGX 103.5)
AZ	KRPB	99.5	Morristown	Silent 8/16/23; suspended operations
AZ	KRJV-LP	101.5	Yuma	Spanish Religious Teaching: 'Radio Nuevo Amanecer 101.5 FM'
AZ	K296GT	107.1	Mount Lemmon	change primary to KNST 790
AZ	K296GT	107.7	Mt. Lemmon	News/Talk: 'AM 790 KNST NewsTalk Radio' (KNST-790)
CA	KDUP-FM	88.1	Cedarville	Oldies: 'KDUP 88.1 FM'
CA	KDKL	88.3	Coalinga	change calls from KDKW
CA	K205BN	88.9	Los Gatos	change primary to KLRK-HD2
CA	KDNT	89.5	Los Banos	initial calls
CA	K208GJ	89.5	Santa Cruz	News/Talk: 'NPR For The Monterey Bay Area' (KAZU 90.3); move from 89.3 as K207CN

CA	K208GE	89.5	Monterey	Variety: 'KSQD 89.5 - 89.7 - 90.7' (KSQD 90.7 via KSQT 89.7)
CA	KBPK	90.1	Buena Park	License surrendered by licensee
CA	KLXY	90.5	Woodlake	700w/785m, 36-17-16/118-50-23
CA	KLXY	90.5	Woodlake	Soft Contemporary Christian: 'Air1'
CA	KJLV	91.9	Los Gatos	change calls from KLRK
CA	KVMX-FM	92.1	Placerville	Ranchera: 'La Ranchera' [KVMX-890 (K284CM 104.7)]
CA	KREV	92.7	Alameda	Classic Hip-Hop: '92.7 The Hustle'
CA	K235AF	95.5	Santa Rosa	format to: AAA, '95.9 the Krush' (KRSH 95.9)
CA	KCAQ-FM5	95.8	Santa Paula	license canceled
CA	KCAQ-FM5	95.9	Santa Paula	Silent 8/18/23 interfering with primary KCAQ
CA	K247CL	97.3	Indio	change primary to KXLB-HD4
CA	KLQS-LP	97.5	San Fernando	change COL from Agua Dulcle
CA	KWAI	97.7	Los Altos	change calls from KJLV
CA	K271BP	102.1	Carmel	change primary to KYAA 1200, Format to Rel Teaching 'Relevant Radio'
CA	K272GD	102.3	South Fresno	100w, 36-50-16/119-48-24; change primary to KXEX 1550
CA	K281BL	104.1	Coyote	250w-V, 37-19-22/121-45-19
CA	KWOH-LP	104.3	Biola	change calls from KJOI-LP, which moves to DTV in Bakersfield
CA	K283CY	104.5	Fresno	250w, 36-33-11/119-45-13
CA	K284CM	104.7	Sacramento	Ranchera: 'La Ranchera' (KVMX-890) [KVMX-FM 92.1]
CA	KSAC-FM	105.5	Dunnigan	Regional Mexican: 'La Ranchera 92.1 FM, 104.7 FM & 890 AM [KVMX
CA	K290CJ	105.9	Soledad	change primary to KDKL 88.3
CA	K294CS	106.7	Fallbrook	Silent 8/21/23 transmitter failure
CA	KIST-FM	107.7	Carpenteria	Regional Mexican: '107.7 Radio Bronco'
CA	KQRU-LP	107.9	Santa Clarita	89w/32m, 34-23-45/118-29-36
CO	K214FO	90.7	Buena Vista	10w, 38-44-44/106-11-55
CO	K282CH	104.3	Colorado Springs	230w, 38-48-36/104-53-56
DE	W226CW	93.1	Georgetown	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza 93.1 & 106.7' (WJWL-900)
DE	W294CH	106.7	Georgetown	250w, 38-39-16/75-36-39
DE	W294CH	106.7	Georgetown	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza 93.1 & 106.7' (WJWL-900)
FL	WBGY	90.3	Everglades City	change COL from Naples
FL	WLXS	91.3	Labelle	initial calls
FL	W217BL	91.3	Jacksonville	Silent 8/22/23 transmitter failure
FL	WMXR-LP	92.7	Miami	21w/64m, 25-44-07/80-18-28
FL	WTKP	93.5	Port St. Joe	Licence cancelled, off over a year
FL	W229AH	93.7	Eastport	Silent 8/22/23 transmitter failure
FL	W245BF	96.9	North Miami	Variety: 'The Roar' (WRGP 88.1)
FL	W253DI	98.5	Daytona Beach	change freq from 99.9 (W260DO)
FL	W258CN	99.5	Jacksonville	Urban AC: 'Hot 99.5' (WOKV-FM HD2)
FL	WQPD	100.1	Lake City	Classic Country: 'Q 100.1'; call change from WWFN-FM
FL	W276DV	103.1	Miami	99watts, 25-44-07/80-18-28
FL	WHJX	106.5	Ponte Vedra Beach	6k/100m, 30-16-36/81-33-57
FL	WHJX	106.5	Ponte Vedra Beach	Adult R&B: 'Hot 106.5'; call change from WXXJ
FL	W298AV	107.5	Nokomis	250w, 27-04-35/82-19-24, coord change
GA	W226BY	93.1	Toccoa	250w, 34-36-36/83-22-14

GA	W257BS	99.3	Bainbridge	Country (WMGR-930)
GA	W272DM	102.3	Griffin	News/Talk (WKEU-1450)
GA	W281BS	104.1	Hartwell	Country: '980 and FM 104 WKLY' (WKLY-980)
GA	WZBN	105.5	Camilla	Gospel Music: 'Praise 105'
GA	WGSW	106.9	Americus	Gospel: 'Rejoice 106.9'
HI	K273DN	102.5	Kahului	99w, 20-42-08/156-21-44
HI	K291CZ	106.1	Wailuku	250w, 20-42-08/156-21-44
IA	K225BP	92.9	Des Moines	Silent 8/18/23 transmitter failure
IA	KVPJ	92.9	Rockford	Initial calls (VCY America)
IA	KDHK	100.5	Decorah	Rock: '100.5 Hawk Rawk'
IA	KVIK	104.7	Decorah	Classic Hits: 'The Viking 104.7'
IA	KVPG	103.9	Dunkerton	initial calls
ID	KBXC	89.7	Challis	initial calls
ID	KBSC	91.9	Cambridge	initial calls
ID	K226CT	93.1	Lewiston	Silent 8/31/23; parent is silent (KRLC-1350)
ID	KXCD	93.5	Fairfield	Silent 8/3/23 with technical issues
ID	K245HN	96.9	Moscow	Contemporary Christian: 'Positive Life Radio'; ex: K237CO 95.3 (KUCC 88.1)
ID	K246DC	97.1	Kimberly	Change freq from 93.5 (K228FL)
ID	K248BZ	97.5	Kimberly	(Bilingual) CHR: 'Mega 97.5' (KXTA 99.1 HD3)
ID	KXTA-FM	99.1	Gooding	Regional Mexican: 'La Perrona 99.1' (K221FT 92.1 & K246DC 97.1)
ID	K263BX	100.7	Rupert	Classic Rock: 'Balanced Rock 100.5' (KKRK-970)
ID	KDAD	103.7	Victor	Country: '103.7 The Range'
ID	K284CY	104.7	Meridian	Spanish Religious Teaching (KYWN-890)
ID	K287BT	105.3	Sandpoint	Returns to the air with Adult Alternative: 'Progressive Radio 95.3' (KPNP 95.3 via KTPO 106.7)
IL	WCHQ	88.7	Indian Creek	initial calls
IL	WIPA	89.3	Pittsfield	Silent 7/28/23 with xmtr problems
IL	WUON-FM	89.3	Morris	Contemporary Christian: 'Spirit Radio'
IL	W252AW	98.3	Chicago	210w, 41-51-22/87-37-08
IL	W296DA	107.1	Vernon Hills	Raise power to 217w, 27-04-35/82-19-24, coord change
IN	W207BF	89.3	Goshen	Contemporary Christian: 'Shine FM (WONU 89.7)
IN	W208BF	89.5	Elkhart	Contemporary Christian: 'Shine FM (WONU 89.7)
IN	WFIA-FM	94.7	New Albany	Change calls from WLGK
IN	WETF-LP	105.7	South Bend	64watts/38m, 41-40-02/86-14-25
IN	W291BQ	106.1	Plymouth	Adult Hits: 'Giant FM' (WTCA-1050)
KS	KOKN	88.7	Oketa	Silent 10/24/23 extended, lost lease
KS	NEW	91.1	Rossville	100w/404m; power drops from 320w
KS	KONQ	91.9	Dodge City	Silent 8/1/23; tower demolished
KS	KONQ	91.9	Dodge City	Silent 8/1/23; lost lease
KS	K243BD	96.5	Salina	change primary to KLBG-FM 95.5
KS	KGBK	98.9	Larned	Country: 'Real Country 98.9 KGBK'; Frequency move from 96.7; upgrade from a Class A to C3 with 16.5kW/123m
KS	K281DI	100.3	Wellington	change freq from 100.3 (K262CQ)
KY	W218CR	91.5	Central City	Religious Preaching (WJWA-FM 91.5 HD3)

KY	W221EU	92.1	Central City	change freq from 91.5 (K218CR)
KY	WCTT-FM	107.3	Corbin	CHR: 'T 107.3'
LA	KTER	88.9	Houma	initial calls
LA	KSLU	90.9	Hammond	Returns to the air with Adult Alternative: 'KSLU 90.9 FM'
MA	WRRS	88.5	Bayview	change calls from WPMW
MA	WPMW	88.5	Middleborough Center	change calls from WRRS
MA	WSDH	91.5	Sandwich	Silent 6/16/23 antenna removed for roof repair
MA	WKXE	97.3	Orange	Initial calls, 5.8k/25m, 42-36-03/72-22-59
MA	WACF-LP	98.1	Brookfield	Variety: 'Apple Country Radio'
MA	W266DQ	101.1	Weymouth	250w, 42-14-49/71-02-54
MA	W267CY	101.3	New Bedford	250w, 41-37-20/70-55-08
MB	CHNW-FM	94.3	Winnipeg	Hot AC: '94.3 NOW!radio'
MD	WSCL	89.5	Salisbury	45k/136m, 38-40-00/75-34-59
MD	WQZK- FM1	94.1	Cumberland	Licence Cancelled
MD	WHCP-LP	101.5	Cambridge	License cancelled; now Full-Power FM 91.7 at Trappe, MD
MD	W272BJ	102.3	Baltimore	99w, 39-20-18/76-39-59
ME	WPKC-FM	92.1	Sanford	Contemporary Christian: 'K-Love'
MI	WCMU-FM	89.5	Mount Pleasant	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio'
MI	WUCX-FM	90.1	Bay City	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	WDRQ	90.3	Imlay City	Initial calls, 90watts/100m, 42-56-46/83-09-05
MI	WCML-FM	91.7	Alpena	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	WUFL	93.1	Detroit	change calls from WDRQ
MI	WUFL	93.1	Detroit	Contemporary Christian: 'Family Life Radio'; call change from WDRQ
MI	WCMV-FM	94.3	Leland	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	WSBX	94.5	Mackinaw City	change calls from WYPV
MI	WSBX	94.5	Mackinaw City	Resumes operation with Classic Hits: 'Everything Classic';
MI	WCMB-FM	95.7	Oscoda	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	WWCM- FM	96.9	Standish	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	WCMZ-FM	98.3	Sault Ste. Marie	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	W262AU	100.3	Dowagiac	Classic Hits: 'MeTV FM 97.1 FM 910 AM' (WGTO-910) [move from Granger, IN]
MI	WPRJ	101.7	Coleman	Is operating at 38% (1748 Watts) of licensed power due to "hardware failure with the transmission equipment".
MI	W278BX	103.5	Saginaw	Contemporary Christian: 'Smile FM, Michigan's Positive Hits' (WSMO 91.9)
MI	WCMW- FM	103.9	Harbor Springs	News/Talk: 'CMU Public Radio' (WCMU 89.5)
MI	W291DK	106.1	St. Joseph	Classic Rock: '106.1, The New QYQ' (WQYQ-1400)
MI	W300EJ	107.9	Benton Harbor	Change freq from 95.7 (W239CJ)
MN	KGPL	88.1	Crookston	Initial calls
MN	KJCL	88.3	Fergus Falls	Initial calls
MN	WDJD	89.9	Aitkin	initial calls
MN	KSWJ	90.9	Alexandria	initial calls

MO	K208BO	89.5	Warsaw	Silent 7/28/23 technical and equipment issues
MO	WIL-FM	92.3	St. Louis	Country: '92.3 New Country'
MO	K274CD	102.7	Rolla	silent 8/10/23 180day STA for antenna replacement
MO	K281AT	104.1	Lebanon	Silent 8/10/23 180day STA for equip repair
MO	K285FC	104.9	Jefferson City	Silent 8/11/23 180day STA for equip repair
MO	K285FC	104.9	Jefferson City	250w, 38-33-09/92-12-15
MO	K281AT	104.1	Lebanon	115w, 37-40-35/92-37-22
MS	WBZK	94.7	Taylor	NEW STATION signs on with Alternative: '94.7 The Buzz'
MS	WKIF	96.5	Holly Springs	Call change from WAIH
MS	W261CS	100.1	Meridian	Adult Alternative: 'Sly 104.9' (WSLY 104.9)
MS	WZYQ	101.7	Mound Bayou	6k/79m, 33-52-49/90-42-24
MT	KYUS-FM	92.3	Miles City	Adult Hits: '92.3 KYUS'
MT	KTZZ	93.7	Conrad	License cancelled on July 26, 2023.
MT	K233BL	94.5	Forsythe	Classic Country: 'AM 1250 KIKC' (KIKC-1250)
MT	K261FH	100.1	Whitefish	10w, 48-30-22/114-20-52
MT	K264CZ	100.7	Butte	license canceled
MT	K296EM	107.1	Billings	change primary to KJCB 88.9
NC	W210CF	89.9	Greenville	170w, 35-35-36/77-22-49
NC	W216BE	91.7	Buxton	Classical: 'Great Classical Music' (WURI 90.9)
NC	WKRX	96.7	Roxboro	Country [WRXO-1430]
NC	W264CU	100.7	Winston-Salem	Talk: 'News Talk Now' (WSIC-1400)
NC	W272EK	102.3	New Bern	250w, 35-08-21/77-04-39, coord change
NC	W290DK	105.9	Mooreville	Talk: 'News Talk Now' (WSIC-1400)
ND	NEW	88.3	Grand Forks	1kw/74m, 47-53-22/97-02-56
ND	K258DT	99.5	Harvey	250w, 47-45-22/99-55-06
NE	KJYS	88.1	McCook	initial calls
NE	K208CK	89.5	Scottsbluff	Silent 7/22/23 due to prblms with KYBF at the same site.
NE	KNEF	90.1	Franklin	Silent 10/24/22 lost lease and donating the station
NE	KNEF	90.1	Franklin	Silent 10/24/22 extended, lost lease and donating fac to another NCE
NE	KETW	90.5	Ogalala	2.46k-V/129m, 41-11-01/101-40-21
NE	K220FK	91.9	Scottsbluff	205w-V, 41-56-25/103-39-22
NE	K220FK	91.9	Scottsbluff	Religious Teaching: 'CSN International'; ex-90.3 (K212EK)
NH	W246BP	97.1	Exeter	Contemporary Christian: 'K-Love' (WPKC-1540) [WPKC-FM 92.1]
NH	W268DO	101.5	Chester	Contemporary Christian: 'K-Love' (WPKC-1540); move from 107.5 as W298CU [WPKC-FM 92.1]'
NJ	W230AA	93.9	Atlantic City	Spanish CHR: 'La Mega' (WENJ 97.3 HD2)
NJ	WIBG-FM	94.3	Avalon	Classic Hits: 'WIBBAGE' [WWAC-1020 (W270DV 101.9)]
NJ	WJSE	106.3	North Cape May	Alternative: 'Planet 106.3'
NJ	W298DI	107.5	Port Norris	Spanish Variety: 'Super 1360 AM' (WWJC-1360)
NL	CKVB-FM	100.1	Corner Brook	Slogan to: 'Bay FM'
NM	KOTY	88.7	San Mateo	Silent 8/7/23; lost site
NM	NEW	89.3	Hobbs	50k/139m, 32-43-43/102-56-19
NM	KNIZ	90.1	Gallup	Silent 12/16/22 STA Extended, transmitter problems
NM	KEZF	91.1	Grants	Silent 8/7/23; lost site

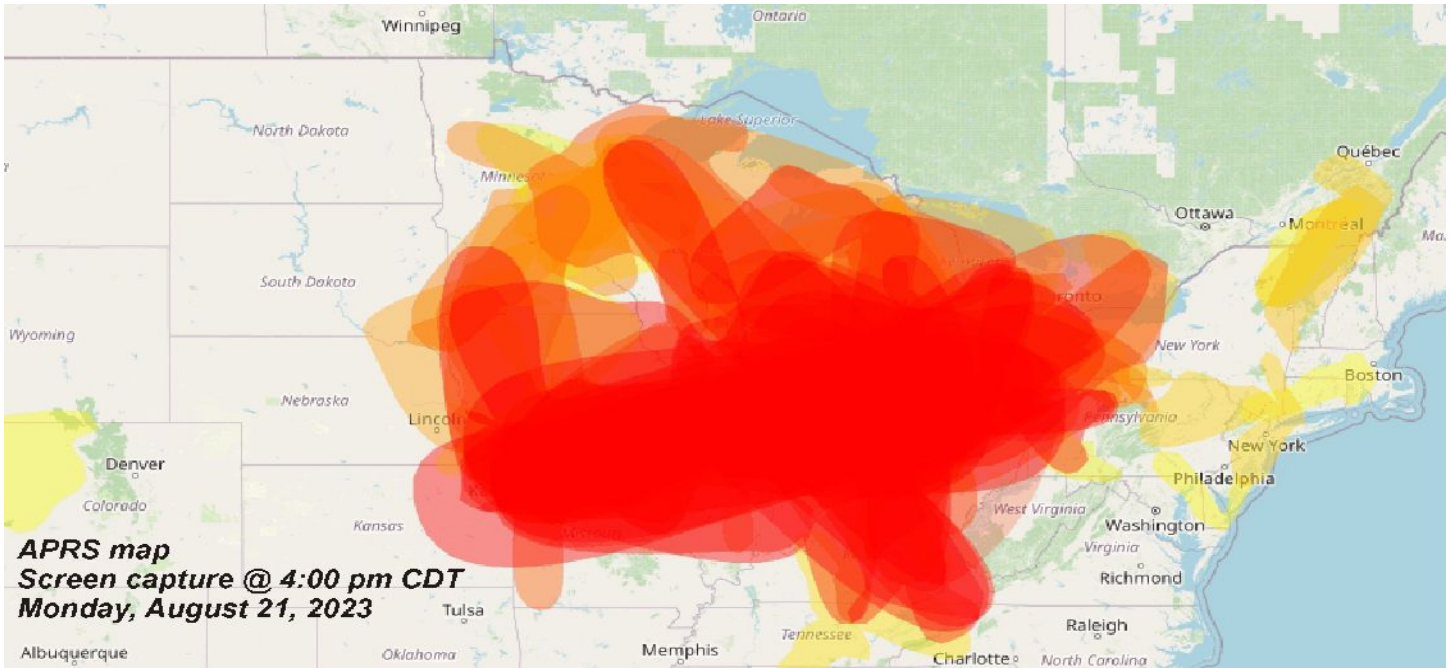
NM	KRWD	93.3	Texico	Change COL from Muleshoe, TX; call change from KUXL
NM	KSFE	96.7	Grants	Classic Hits: 'Interstate 96.7'
NM	KMGA	99.5	Albuquerque	Adult Contemporary: 'Magic 99.5 FM'
NM	KYRN	102.1	Socorro	Classic Country: 'Mine Country 102.1'
NV	K223AL	92.5	Reno	change primary to KZTQ 1230
NV	K236BM	95.1	Las Vegas	Contemporary Christian: 'Air1' (KSNE 106.5-HD3)
NV	K241AK	96.1	Reno	change primary to KOLC-HD2
NV	KWEE	100.1	Dayton	Adult Hits: '100.1 The Hits'
NV	K277DL	103.3	Washoe Valley	99watts, 39-15-29/119-42-40
NV	KZTI	105.3	Fallon Station	Spanish Rythmic: 'Kalor 105.3' (includes KZTI-FM1)
NY	W203AW	88.5	Fredonia	Religious Teaching: 'Station of the Cross' (WMIH 89.5)
NY	WRUR-FM	88.5	Rochester	Adult Alternative; slogan to: 'The Route' [WITH 90.1]
NY	WCGP	89.3	Silver Creek	change calls from WCOM-FM
NY	WITH	90.1	Ithaca	Adult Alternative: 'The Route' [WRUR-FM 88.5]
NY	WPUT	90.1	North Salem	Silent 8/7/23: "Lightning damage"
NY	WCOM-FM	90.7	Kendall	change calls from WGCC-FM, change COL from Batavia
NY	WGCC-FM	90.7	Kendall	Contemporary Christian: 'Family Life Network'
NY	WCOT	91.7	Troudsburg	change calls from WCGN
NY	WNVU	93.5	New Rochelle	Spanish Religious: 'Vida Unidas' (includes W252CS 98.3, W268AN 101.5, W268BY 101.5 & W300EI 107.9)
NY	W232AL	94.3	Pomona	20watts, 40-57-39/73-55-21
NY	W232AL	94.3	Pomona	Contemporary Christian: 'K-Love' (WPLJ 95.5)
NY	KCLP-LP	96.3	Lake Placid	100w/46m, 44-17-29/73-59-16
NY	W243DX	96.5	Buffalo	Urban Adult Contemporary: 'WUFO Power 96.5' (WUFO-1080)
NY	W249ED	97.7	Westfield	Silent 12/20/22 extended, antenna removed by landlord
NY	W250CC	97.9	Glens Falls	Classic Country: 'Big Country 97.9' (WMML-1230)
NY	W253BV	98.5	Poughkeepsie	230w, 41-42-18/73-53-15
NY	W256BS	99.1	Richburg	change COL from Olean
NY	W256BS	99.1	Richburg	Country: '97.5 The Big Pig' (WPIG 95.7)
NY	WBDY-LP	99.5	Binghamton	10w/92m, 42-07-12/75-55-09
NY	W261EB	100.1	Lancaster	Oldies: 'Big WECK' (WECK-1230)
NY	WKLI-FM	100.9	Albany	Country: '100.9 The Cat' [WKBE 105.5]
NY	W284AP	104.7	Buffalo	change primary to WKSE-HD4, format unknown
NY	W284AP	104.7	Buffalo	Sports: 'WGR Sports Radio 550' (WKSE 98.5 HD4)
NY	WKPQ	105.3	Hornell	Format to: 'Froggy 105.3'
NY	W288EJ	105.5	Dunkirk	change freq from 94.9 (W235BP)
NY	WKBE	105.5	Corinth	Country: '100.9 The Cat' (WKLI 100.9)
NY	W288EJ	105.5	Dunkirk	Classic Hits: 'Classic Hits 1410 WDOE' (WDOE-1410)
NY	WCGS	105.9	Little Valley	5.3k/222m, 42-13-02/78-48-50
OH	WHSS	89.5	Hamilton	350w/86m, 39-25-42/84-37-45
OH	W211BT	90.1	Athens	Christian Rock: 'Radio U' (WUFM 88.7)
OH	WGRN-LP	91.9	Columbus	Change freq from 94.1
OH	W231EG	94.1	Columbus	change freq from 95.1 (W236CZ)
OH	W270DW	101.9	Circleville	Country: 'The Wolf' (WLOH-1320)
OH	W275DF	102.9	Cleveland	50w, 41-23-37/81-39-16
OK	KYBE	95.7	Frederick	Silent 8/28/23; lost site/lease

OK	K246BC	97.1	Waynoka	250w-V, 36-34-55/98-52-13, Change COL from Woodward
OK	K253BC	98.5	Enid	250w, 36-28-38/97-58-14, coord change
OK	K258GZ	99.5	Alva	Country: 'KALV 99.5 & 1430' (KALV-1430)
OK	KKZU	101.7	Sayre	Classic Rock: '101.7 The Zoo'
OK	KJOK	102.7	Hollis	Silent 8/19/23; lost site/lease
OK	KDKL	103.7	Okemah	Change calls from KYLK
OK	KEYB	107.9	Altus	Silent 8/19/23; lost site/lease
ON	CJIQ-FM	88.3	Paris	Adult Alternative: '88.3 Tri-Cities Alternative'
ON	CKLK-FM	88.5	Grimsby-Beamsville	New station on the air with Classic Hits: 'Durham Radio'
ON	CIRR-FM	103.9	Toronto	Signs OFF, with some of its programming being integrated into co-owned CIDC-FM 103.5 Orangeville, ON
OR	KQAC	89.9	Portland	Classical: 'All Classical Radio'
OR	KISN-LP	95.1	Portland	55w/41m, 45-27-47/122-42-07
OR	K245AA	96.9	Eugene	250w, 44-00-10/123-06-49
OR	KKWL	97.7	Butte Falls	change calls from KORJ; Smooth Jazz 'The Breeze 97.7'
OR	KDLZ	101.5	The Dalles	Contemporary Christian: 'K-Love'
OR	K275CX	102.9	Eugene	Sports: '1050 & 102.9 Fox Sports Eugene' (KORE-1050); move from 95.7 as K239CM
OR	KPLP	104.5	White Salmon	Resumed operation on July 22, 2023 with an Unknown format
OR	K292GZ	106.3	Astoria	Sports: 'ESPN 106.3' (KKOR-1230)
PA	WCGN	90.9	Tidioute	change calls from WCOT
PA	WJHT	92.1	Johnstown	Hot AC: 'POP! 104.5' [WNTJ-1490 (W283CX 104.5)]
PA	WQFM	92.1	Nanticoke	Hot AC: 'QFM 92.1 & 100.1' [WQFN 100.1]
PA	WRQI	94.3	Saegertown	Classic Rock: 'Rocky 94.3-107.7' [WRQW 107.7]
PA	W235DC	94.9	Dickson City	Adult Alternative: 'The Mountain 101.3 HD2' (WGGY 101.3 HD2)
PA	W237DP	95.3	Mountain Top	Adult Alternative: 'The Mountain 101.3 HD2' (WGGY-101.3 HD2)
PA	WBIT-LP	95.9	Erie	License cancelled
PA	W251CL	98.1	Franklin	News/Talk: 'Alleghany News-Talk-Sports Network' (WFRA-1450) [WTIV-1230 (W287DC 105.3) & WMGW-1490 (W264DK 98.1)]
PA	WGYI	98.5	Oil City	Country: 'Froggy 98.5 & 100.3' [WGYI 100.3]
PA	WQFN	100.1	Forest City	Hot AC: 'QFM 92.1 & 100.1' [WQFM 92.1]
PA	WGYI	100.3	Meadville	Country: 'Froggy 98.5 & 100.3' [WGYI 98.5]
PA	W264DK	100.7	Meadville	News/Talk: 'Alleghany News-Talk-Sports Network' (WMGW-1490) [WTIV-1230 (W287DC 105.3) & WFRA-1450 (W251CL 98.1)]
PA	W280CV	103.9	Scranton, etc.	Silent 7/25/23, moving site
PA	W287DC	105.3	Titusville	News/Talk: 'Alleghany News-Talk-Sports Network' (WTIV-1230) [WFRA-1450 (W251CL 98.1) & WMGW-1490 (W264DK 100.7)]
PA	WRQW	107.7	Cooperstown	Classic Rock: 'Rocky 94.3 - 107.7' [WRQI 94.3]
PR	W233CW	94.5	Mayaguez	250w, 18-18-59/67-10-49
PR	W252EG	98.3	Utuaado	240w, 18-17-22/66-39-37

QC	VF4003	96.5	Nemaska	Deleted station returned to database; Cree Nation; Aboriginal
QC	VF4002	105.1	Nemaska	Deleted station returned to database; Cree Nation; Aboriginal
QC	VF4001	106.5	Nemaska	Deleted station returned to database; Cree Nation; Aboriginal
SC	W207BQ	89.3	Columbia	Silent 8/16/23; damaged equipment
SC	WHRT-FM	91.9	Cokesbury	Contemporary Christian: 'HIS Radio'
SC	WMXP-LP	95.5	Greenville	Silent 7/16/23, lost freq and lost site
SC	WMSZ-LP	95.9	Hartsville	Classic Rock: 'Class X Radio'
SC	W255DR	98.9	Columbia	change COL from St. Matthews
SC	WQPD	100.1	Lake City	change calls from WWFN-FM
SC	WSEA	100.3	Atlantic Beach	Sports: '100.3 The Game'
SC	WWFN-FM	100.5	Marion	change calls from WQPD, Format to: Sports 'The Game'
SD	KLRK-FM	88.7	Yankton	change calls from KLYA; K-LOVE
TN	W242DH	96.3	Crossville	Talk: 'Talk Radio 96.3 and 1330 AM WAEW'; move from 96.9 as W242DH
TN	W249BN	97.7	Memphis	Classic Hits: 'Radio Pig 97.7' (WOWW-1430)
TN	W268BN	101.5	Dickson	Classic Hits: '101.5 The Ride' (WDKN-1260)
TX	k201IY	88.1	Houston	Silent 4/27/23, transmission line backordered
TX	KOUI	88.3	Mount Pleasant	change calls from KYZQ
TX	NEW	88.9	Gonzales	25k/37m, 29-30-36/97-24-52
TX	KJZX-LP	89.1	Austin	29w/55m, 30-19-24/97-47-59
TX	K212GN	90.3	Victoria	140w, 28-49-59/97-06-53
TX	K212GN	90.3	Victoria	Spanish Contemporary Christian (KYRQ 90.3); move from 90.1 as K211DR
TX	KZKL	90.5	Wichita Falls	Silent 8/11/23, tower fell
TX	KLPS	91.5	El Paso	initial calls
TX	K221GC	92.1	Austin	250w, 30-17-54/97-49-55
TX	KOPY-FM	92.1	Alice	Regional Mexican: 'Y 92.1'
TX	K222AW	92.3	Bowie	change primary to KWKL 89.9, Format: Contemporary Christian
TX	K222CX	92.3	Houston	Religious Teaching: 'Relevant Radio' (KTEK-1110)
TX	K222DE	92.5	Wichita Falls	change primary to KWKL 89.9
TX	KKBA	92.7	Kingsville	13.5k/242m, 27-39-34/97-34-13
TX	KGSR	93.3	Cedar Park	Spanish CHR; slogan to: 'Latino 93.3'
TX	KABT	93.5	Roscoe	initial calls
TX	KKHR	93.5	Roscoe	change calls from KABT
TX	K222CX	94.3	Houston	change primary to KTEK 1110
TX	KEMA	94.5	Three Rivers	Silent 7/26/23 heat and power issues
TX	K233BE	94.5	Athens	Silent 8/18/23; lost site/lease
TX	KGRW	94.7	Friona	Silent 8/19/23; lost site/lease
TX	K236AY	95.1	West Lake Hills	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza 95.1' (KZNX-1530)
TX	KRIX	95.3	Port Isabel	Silent 7/27/23 transmitter damaged
TX	KZFM	95.5	Corpus Christi	100k/242m, 27-39-34/97-34-13
TX	KCKL	95.9	Malakoff	Silent 8/12/23; lost site/lease
TX	K245CQ	96.9	Houston	change primary to KTEK 1110

TX	K246BD	97.1	Austin	Adult Alternative; slogan to: 'Austin City Limits Radio' (KGSR 93.3 HD2)
TX	KTHT	97.1	Cleveland	Classic Country: 'Country Legends 97.1'
TX	KYAB-LP	97.5	Abeline	66watts, 32-27-11/99-44-03
TX	K248DS	97.5	Fort Worth	250w-V, 32-48-36/97-07-25, raise power to 250w
TX	KRIO-FM	97.7	Roma	Spanish Religious Teaching: 'Radio Esperanza' [KRIO-910, KOIR 88.5 & KESO 92.7]
TX	KTJM	98.5	Port Arthur	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza'
TX	K254AS	98.7	Texarkana	Country: 'Real Country 98.7' (KTFS-FM 107.1 HD3)
TX	KABT	101.7	Hawley	change calls from KKHR
TX	KKHR	101.7	Hawley	change calls from KTJK, Americana +classic hits, etc.
TX	KNTE	101.7	Bay City	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza'
TX	KVWC-FM	103.1	Vernon	Silent 8/28/23; lost site/lease
TX	KRWP	103.3	Pampa	Classic Rock: '103.3 The Arrow'; change calls from KDRL
TX	KKBW	103.5	Lake Brownwood	6k/73m, 31-42-17/99-00-096
TX	K279CF	103.7	Carthage	250w, 32-07-56/94-20-53
TX	K280GN	103.9	Austin	change primary to KIXL 970
TX	KRIA	103.9	Plainview	Silent 8/19/23; lost site/lease
TX	K280GN	103.9	Austin	Religious Teaching: 'Relevant Radio (KIXL-970)
TX	KOWO-LP	104.1	Wimberley	18w/70m, 29-58-33/98-05-39
TX	KOWO-LP	104.1	Wimberley	Silent 8/1/23 due to excessive heat in equipment
TX	KHSB-FM	104.7	Kingsland	Silent 7/14 due to lightning strike
TX	KTXF-FM	104.9	Bee Cave	Regional Mexican; slogan to: 'La Raza 95.1' [KZNX-1530 (K236AY 95.1)]
TX	K286CX	105.1	Round Rock	Silent 7/27/23, moving to new site
TX	KRIX	105.5	Port Isabel	Silent 7/27/23, transmitter damage
TX	K288FI	105.5	Texarkana	CHR: 'The Fox' (KTFS-FM 107.1 HD2)
TX	K290CP	105.9	Texarkana	Gospel Music: 'KTFS 940 AM' (KTFS-940)
TX	KTJK-FM	106.3	Abilene	Change calls from KKHR; Adult Hits: '106.3 The Raider'
TX	KKYN-FM	106.9	Plainview	Silent 8/19/23; lost site/lease
TX	KQQK	107.9	Beaumont	Regional Mexican: 'La Raza'
TX	KTJK	106.3	Abeline	change calls from KKHR
UT	KWOT	90.9	Kanab	1.2k/-7m, 36-59-11/112-30-15
UT	K251BV	98.1	Nephi	Talk: 'The Talk of Utah' (KMXD 100.5)
UT	K256CA	99.1	Navajo Mtn/Lake Powell	Religious Teaching: 'The Voice of Hope' (KPGX 103.5)
UT	K269GH	101.7	Nephi	Country: '97.7 The Wolf' (KWUT 97.7)
VA	W250BQ	97.9	Newport News	change primary to WNOH-HD3, Format to: BIN
VA	WHUK	102.3	Crozet	change calls from WZGN
VT	WRVT	88.7	Rutland	5.6k/408m, 43-39-32/118-50-23
VT	W256CW	99.1	Rutland	Silent 8/4/23, tower space needed for other use
WA	K206CJ	89.1	Issaquah	Christian Rock: 'Effect Radio' (KQXI 91.5)
WA	KSVU	90.1	Hamilton	Variety: 'KSVU 90.1 FM'
WA	KWFV	91.5	Aberdeem	initial calls
WA	K245DL	96.9	Everett	change freq from 101.1 (K266CJ)
WA	K254DP	98.7	Pasco	250w, 46-04-57/119-09-44
WA	K283BX	104.5	Wapato	Rhythmic CHR: 'Hot 99.7' (KHHK 99.7)

WA	KPLP	104.5	White Salmon	Returns to the air with Contemporary Christian: 'Positive Life Radio'
WI	WIXW	89.1	Ixonia	initial calls
WI	WDNW	91.9	Ashland	initial calls
WI	W271CM	102.1	Sparta	Country: 'Cow 97' (WCOV-FM 97.1)
WY	KWBB	104.5	Upton	change calls from KHAD





FM DX Recap

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September 25
September 2023

Eric Bueneman – NØUIH - 631 Coachway Lane - Hazelwood, MO 63042-1347 – CDT – miles/km

Equipment: Kenwood AR-304 AM/FM/FM Stereo receiver with filter modification, Channel Master CM3020 VHF-TV/UHF-TV/FM Yagi at 28' (8.5 meters) above ground level, Uniden Bearcat BCD996P2 scanner with five-element beam for NOAA Weather Radio at 32 feet (9.7 meters) above ground level.

5/11 Tr

0505 WDKR 107.3 IL Maroa, classic hits, call letters, K297BI nulled 115/184
0509 WMAY 92.7 IL Taylorville, "Springfield's WMAY News/Talk 92-7," local ads, *America in the Morning* 70/113
0505 WFMB 104.5 IL Springfield, "104.5 WFMB," country music, K283CI nulled 80/128
0517 WEAJ 107.1 IL Lynnville, "West Central IL's classic hits, classic hit radio 107.1," local ads, classic hits, over K296HA and W296DR 70/113
0523 WLFZ 101.9 IL Springfield, "101-9 The Wolf," local ads, wx, country music, K270BW nulled 80/128

5/17 Tr

0703 WCXO 96.7 IL Carlyle, "Max 96.7," ABC News, local ads, wx and nx, K244FO nulled 65/105
0715 WBMV 89.7 IL Mount Vernon, "WBGL," CCM, no KGNX or WCBW 85/137
0735 KIH43 162.475 IN New Albany, wx almanac and forecast for Louisville 250/402
0805 WSEI 92.9 IL Olney, "Freedom 92-9," country music, KWRH-LP nulled 130/209
0810 WNG728 162.425 MO Hawk Point, Mo wx conditions, hazardous wx outlook, forecast, CDT time check, legal ID, city of license change from Bellflower MO 40/64
0812 KXI48 162.45 IL Newton, Wabash River flood stages, hazardous wx outlook, KXI70 nulled 135/217
0814 WWG72 162.5 IN Georgia, legal ID, wx forecast for Vincennes 205/330
0821 WWVR 98.5 IL Paris, "98-5 The River," classic rock, local ads, KTJJ nulled 145/233
0827 WKDQ 99.5 KY Henderson, calls, contest promo, country music 170/274
0845 WIBV 102.1 IL Mount Vernon, "Cardinal Country WIBV," country music 85/137
0919 WXK72 162.4 IN Putnamville, legal ID, wx forecast for Terre Haute 190/306

6/8 Tr

0605 WGKC 105.9 IL Mahomet, "US 105.9," country music 145/233
0614 WHMS 97.5 IL Champaign, "Light Rock 97.5," wx forecast, AC, over KWAP-LP 150/240
0623 WDNL 102.1 IL Danville, "D-102," hot AC, promos, local ads 175/282
0630 WCVS 96.7 IL Virden, "96-7 Bob FM," classic hits, K244FO nulled 70/113
0638 WDDD 107.3 IL Johnston City, "W-3-D," local ads, listener birthdays, over K297BI 100/161
0739 WGCA 88.5 IL Quincy, "88.5 The Mix," CCM 110/177
0749 KGRS 107.3 IA Burlington, "The New Mix," CHR, over K297BI 140/225
0851 WLUI 89.7 IL Springfield, calls, *Joni and Friends* 80/128
0905 WQKQ 92.1 IL Dallas City, "KQ-92," Burlington area ads, nx, classic rock 135/217
0915 WLRW 94.5 IL Champaign, "Mix 94.5," hot AC, celebrity nx 150/240
0918 WYMG 100.5 IL Chatham, "YMG," classic rock 70/113
0924 KXI42 162.45 IL Chester, legal ID, wx forecast for southwest IL, through KXI70 65/105
0923 WWG49 162.5 MO Fredericktown, legal ID, wx forecast for southeast MO 85/137

6/11 Es

1934 WMFQ	92.9	FL	Ocala, "Q-92-9," CHR, mixing with WIKX	815/1312
1937 WIKX	92.9	FL	Charlotte Harbor "Kix Country 92-9," country music, mixing with WMFQ	945/1521
1941 WQCS	88.9	FL	Fort Pierce, calls, promos	970/1561
1946 WAYJ	89.5	FL	Naples, "Way FM," CCM, over local KCFV, FL #70	1005/1817
1953 WFLZ	93.3	FL	Tampa, "FLZ," CHR, mixing with KRTK	880/1416
1956 WFFY	98.5	FL	San Carlos Park, Fort Myers ads, CHR, over KTJJ	980/1577
2006 WAIL	99.5	FL	Key West, "Wail 99.5," classic hits	1115/1794
2009 WMNF	88.5	FL	Tampa, calls, pledge break	880/1416
2011 WMLV	89.7	FL	Miami, K-Love, CCM	1080/1738
2129 KCFR	90.1	CO	Denver, "CPR," promos, underwriting	790/1271
2138 KKPK	92.9	CO	Colorado Springs, "The Peak, Colorado's 92.9," hot AC	775/1247
2156 KTSC	89.5	CO	Pueblo, soul music, legal ID, mixing with KCFV	775/1247
2215 KLCQ	88.5	CO	Durango, K-Love, CCM	955/1537

7/12 Tr

0537 WEIU	88.9	IL	Charleston, "Hit Mix 88.9 WEIU," CHR	130/209
0542 WISU	89.7	IN	Terre Haute, "90.1 WFYI," news headlines, celebrity birthdays	170/274
0552 WMGI	100.7	IN	Terre Haute, "Mix FM," morning show	170/274
0555 WCBH	104.3	IL	Casey, "104-3 The Party," CHR	110/177
0558 WMMC	105.9	IL	Marshall, "Magic Hits 105.9," classic hits, legal ID	160/257
0734 WTHI	99.9	IN	Terre Haute, "Hi 99," country mx, local ads, wx, KFAV nulled	170/274
0742 WZUS	100.9	IL	Macon, "News Radio 101," local ads and wx	95/153
0752 WMCI	101.3	IL	Neoga, calls, community calendar, promo, country music	110/177
0755 WWGO	92.1	IL	Charleston, "92-1 The Axe," classic rock	130/209
0800 WTAX	93.9	IL	Sherman, "News Radio WTAX," legal ID, CBS News	85/137
0809 WRAN	97.3	IL	Taylorville, calls, local ads, hot AC	70/113
0813 WYNG	94.9	IL	Mount Carmel, K-Love, CCM	145/233
0815 WXEJ	97.9	IL	Effingham, "Classic Hits 97-9 X-FM," local ads, wx, classic hits	105/169

7/25 Tr

0227 WXJ52	162.475	AR	Fayetteville, hazardous wx outlook, wx almanac for Fayetteville, AR/OK/MO wx conditions	280/459
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7/26 Tr

0555 WBEL	88.5	IL	Cairo, AFR, <i>Turning Point with David Jeremiah</i> , legal ID	140/225
0605 WTOA	105.1	IL	Murphysboro, "TAO," classic rock	100/161

The season started with hearing some short distance tropo through my local LPFMs, translators and semi-local stations. On May 17, I noted that WNG728 on 162.425 MHz is now back on the air, moving from Bellflower (in Montgomery County) to Hawk Point (in Lincoln County). The tropo opening of June 8 allowed me to add WQKQ 92.1 in Dallas City, IL (moved from Carthage) for my 212th FM from the Land of Lincoln. The June 11 E-skip openings to Florida and Colorado yielded my 70th FM from the Sunshine State as WAYJ was taking out my local on 89.5. I finally got a Florida station on 98.5 as WFFY took out KTJJ on 98.5. The biggest surprise came on the Colorado opening with the log of KLCQ 88.5. The Saint Louis area has been largely flyover area for E-skip openings the past few years. FM total now stands at 1,371; NOAA Weather Radio total now stands at 141. 73 and good DX from the Florissant Valley Dial Twister. (Editor's Note- In case you're not familiar with Eric, he's the editor of the Domestic DX Roundup column in IRCA's bulletin, DX Monitor. His column features DX heard from stations in the US and Canada, and he does an outstanding job with it, and he does it for 35 issues/per year. If you're at all interested in medium wave and not currently a member, please check out the International Radio Club of America at ircaonline.org)

Doug Speheger – Norman, OK – EM15

5/18/22 Es

2054 CKYC 93.7 ON Owen Sound, "Country 93," stream match 1079
2059 CBCL 93.5 ON London, CBC 1, "Southwest Ontario" 1010
2107 CHYM 96.7 ON Kitchener, Canadian references, stream match 1057

6/3/22 Es

2043 KG CX 93.1 MT Sidney, "Eagle 93," stream match 934
2043 WKYS 93.9 DC Washington, DC references 1147
2052 WRRR 93.9 WV St. Marys, area references 935
2054 KMK 93.9 SD Rapid City, "...from the Vision Source Specialist Studio" 682
2100 WPJY 88.7 WV Blennerhassett, ID 897
2102 WTIP 90.7 MN Grand Marais, RDS ID 939
2106 WMRA 90.7 VA Harrisonburg, RDS PS: "NPR WMRA" 1044
2111 WDCH 99.1 MD Bowie, RDS PS: "Bloomberg 99.1" 1166

6/18/22 Es

2102 WBFO 88.7 NY Buffalo, ID 1131

6/28/22 Es

1054 CFCH 90.5 ON North Bay, "Country 90.5" 1208
1107 KABU 90.7 Fort Totten, 701 area code, Spirit Lake Reservation 883
1114 CKLQ 91.5 MB Brandon, "Q-Country 91.5," stream match 1046
1115 CKXL 91.1 MB St. Boniface, French, stream match 1002
1128 KPPR 89.5 ND Williston, Prairie Public Radio 949
1144 CJBP 97.1 MB Neepawa, "Broadcasting from Neepawa, Manitoba, this is CJ-97" 1039
1152 CBWV 97.9 MB Brandon, CBC Radio, Manitoba weather 1004
1209 KIPI 93.5 SD Eagle Butte, native/area info 704
1216 KTZU 94.9 ND Velva, stream match 906
1220 KCIL 96.7 LA Gray, ID, country music 545
1232 CJME3 107.3 SK Warmley, RDS ID 1039
1254 KG CX 93.1 MT Sidney, "Eagle" 933
1259 KPPW 88.7 ND Williston, Prairie Public Radio 949
1302 KLAN 93.5 MT Glasgow, Glasgow area references, stream match 1003

7/2/22 Es

2011 KVIT 88.7 AZ Chandler, ID, RDS PS: "Pulse" 845
2021 KYOT 95.5 AZ Phoenix, RDS radio text: "95.5 The Mountain" 844
2023 KUPD 97.9 AZ Tempe, ID, RDS PS: "98KUPD" 844
2023 KMVP 98.7 AZ Phoenix, "Arizona's Sports Station," Diamondbacks game 844
2024 KSLX 100.7 AZ Scottsdale, ID, "The Valley's Classic Rock Station" 844
2025 KJZZ 91.5 AZ Phoenix, RDS PS: "KJZZ" 844

7/22/22 Es

2104 KHTQ 94.5 ID Hayden, Spokane/Coeur d'Alene area ads 1319
2106 KOPR 94.1 MT Butte, ID 1079
2130 KFRW 91.9 MT Great Falls, "Family Radio" 1139
2133 KGLT 91.9 MT Bozeman, stream match with unique music 1037
2138 KLAN 93.5 MT Glasgow, "Mix 93" 1005
2139 KZIN 96.7 MT Shelby, stream match 1171
2150 KVVR 97.9 MT Dutton, "The River" 1114
2213 KBAZ 96.3 MT Hamilton, stream match 1170

8/6/22 Es

1647 WQGR 93.7 OH North Madison, Lake County references 989
1648 WFCJ 93.7 OH Miamisburg, RDS PS: "Light" 781
1712 WFGI 95.5 PA Johnstown, RDS: "Froggy" 1065
1716 WQKX 94.1 PA Sunbury, RDS: "94-KX" 1188

5/30 Es

1702 WMYZ 88.7 FL The Villages, RDS ID 1004
1703 WFIT 89.5 FL Melbourne, RDS ID 1103

1712 WPOZ 88.3 FL Orlando, //KMYZ 1060
1717 WMFE 90.7 FL Orlando, ID 1060
5/31 Es
0957 WOSU 89.7 OH Columbus, HD data 853
1000 WYSU 88.5 OH Youngstown ID 994
1010 WHBC 94.1 OH Canton, RDS: "Mix 94.1" 958
1022 WBKS 93.9 OH Columbus Grove, "Kiss FM" 823
1040 CHRE 105.7 ON St. Catherines, "Move 105.7" 1111
1050 WIII 99.9 NY Cortland, area weather 1246
1100 CBCP 98.7 ON Peterborough, CBC Ontario 1191
6/5 Es
1254 KBYU 89.1 UT Provo, HD data 881
6/11 Es
1624 WCLT 100.3 OH Newark, ID 885
1628 WOVK 98.7 WV Wheeling, ID 969
1631 WCMJ 96.7 OH Cambridge, ID 923
1711 WUPM 106.9 MI Ironwood, ID, "Mix 106.9" 866
1714 KZIO 104.3 MN Two Harbor, "The Current" 856
1720 WSOC 103.7 NC Charlotte, HD data 944
1721 WWIB 103.7 WI Hallie, CCM, western Wisconsin reference 757
1730 WSFL 106.5 NC New Bern, RDS ID 1132
1735 WBFX 101.3 MI Grand Rapids, "Big 101.3" 840
1740 CFOB 93.1 ON Fort Francis, "The Border" 945
1744 KKCC 96.7 MN Bagley, RDS, ID, "Q-Country" 860
1757 WRLN 105.3 MN Red Lake, RDS ID 876
1757 CBWW 105.3 MB Dauphin, CBC 1133
1759 WMGU 106.9 NC Southern Pines, *The Sweat Hotel by Keith Sweat* show 1025
1802 KMOM 105.5 SD Roscoe, "Maverick FM" 709
1809 CFPG 99.1 MB Winnipeg, "Peggy @ 99.1," RDS 1003
1811 CBW 98.3 MB Winnipeg, CBC Music 1004
1819 WRDU 100.7 NC Rocky Mount, ID 1083
1829 CHPO 93.1 MB Portage la Prairie, area mentions 1018
1833 CBWZ 104.3 MB Fairford, CBC 1139
1837 KKSD 104.3 SD Milbank, stream match 687
1837 WJSG 104.3 NC Hamlet, RDS ID 1001
1847 WZLT 104.3 MN East Grand Forks, local ads 869
1910 WWQQ 101.3 NC Wilmington, local ads 1107
1920 WZFX 99.1 NC Whiteville, local ads 1054
1930 WDAR 105.5 SC Darlington, "105.5 The Beat" 996
1935 WUIN 98.3 NC Oak Island, AAA format, stream match 1105
2008 WMMS 100.7 OH Cleveland, stream match 951
2106 KHRT 106.9 ND Minot, RDS ID 914
2107 KZPR 105.3 ND Minot, RDS: "105.3 THE FOX MINOT'S ROCK STATION" 908
2111 KIZZ 93.7 ND Minot, "Z-94," RDS 908
2112 KYYX 97.1 ND Minot, "97 Kicks," RDS 907
2115 KNDL 100.7 ND Berthold, ID 908
2119 KMXA 99.9 ND Minot, Minot weather, "Mix 99.9" 908
2121 KTZU 94.9 ND Velva, area ads 907
2125 KFGO 104.7 ND Hope, RDS: "The Mighty KFGO" 908
2127 KNDR 104.7 ND Mandan, RDS ID 803
2136 KKBO 105.9 ND Flasher, ID 802
2140 CJME3 107.3 SK Warmley, Saskatchewan reference 1040
2142 KQSD 91.9 SD Lowry, RDS, "South Dakota Public Radio" 706
2144 KYYY 92.9 ND Bismarck, ID 826

2153 KTHC 95.1 MT Sidney, *Popcrush Weekend* show 946
 2155 KGXC 93.1 MT Sidney, "Eagle 93" 934
 2206 KMKK 93.9 SD Rapid City, RDS: "93.9 The Mix" a682
 2235 KXLB 100.7 MT Churchill, RDS: "XL Country 100.7 Bozeman's Country" 1019

6/22 Es

1446 CKYC 93.7 ON Owen Sound, "Country 93" 1079
 1446 WBCT 93.7 MI Grand Rapids, "B93 DOT COM" 816
 1449 WGLQ 97.1 MI Escanaba, RDS PS: "GLQ" 929
 1449 CBL4 97.1 ON Owen Sound, CBC Music 1089
 1456 WYHA 102.9 MI Grand Rapids, Bible Broadcasting Network 823
 1458 WIOG 102.5 MI Bay City, Bay City-Saginaw references 920
 1459 WBFX 101.3 MI Grand Rapids, "Big 101.3" 840
 1500 WLUN 100.9 MI Pinconning, sports programming, promo for the "Huge Show" 924
 1528 WCMP 100.9 MN Pine City, local ads 773
 1529 WEVE 97.9 MN Eveleth, RDS PS: "WEVE-FM" 895
 1534 WUPZ 94.9 MI Chocolay Township, Marquette area ads/references 935
 1541 WUPT 100.3 MI Gwinn, Marquette area references 935

7/9 Es

1645 WKAO 91.1 KY Ashland, "Walk-FM," stream match 858
 1648 WAMU 88.5 DC Washington, HD data 1147
 1649 WGTS 91.9 MD Takoma Park, ID 1144
 1707 WKKW 97.9 WV Fairmont, ID 995
 1710 KOVK 98.7 WV Wheeling, area ads 969
 1715 WDCH 99.1 MD Bowie, RDS PS: Bloomberg 1166
 1716 WBRB 101.3 WV Buckhannon, RDS PS: "The Bear" 983
 1717 WPGC 95.5 MD Morningside, local ads 1156

7/20 Es

1833 WFMH 95.5 OH Cleveland, EAS Flash Flood Warning for Cleveland 962
 1835 WVME 91.9 PA Meadville, EAS Flash Flood Warning for Cleveland // WCRF Cleveland 1030
 1843 WNCO 101.3 OH Ashland, ID 905
 1846 WMVR 105.5 OH Sidney, "Hits 105-5" 801
 1857 WBFO 88.7 NY Buffalo, RDS PS: "WBFO" 1131
 1900 WOSU 89.7 OH Columbus, ID 853
 1901 CKPC 92.1 ON Brantford, "Lite 92," stream match 1067
 1905 WQIO 93.7 OH Mount Vernon, Mount Vernon reference 891
 1906 WAOI 95.1 NY Honeoye Falls, HD signal 1195
 1907 WBKS 93.9 OH Columbus Grove, "kissslima.com" 823
 1913 WZZO 95.1 PA Bethlehem, stream match 1258
 1913 WREO 97.1 OH Ashtabula, Ashtabula reference 1006
 1915 CHMS 97.7 ON Bancroft, "Moose FM" 1226
 1919 WGY 100.3 PA Meadville, EAS Flash Flood Warning in NW Pennsylvania 1030

Russ Edmunds - WB2BJH - Blue Bell, PA - Grid FN20id - EDT - [grid square of stn received]
 2 SDRPlay RSP1A SDR's, APS-9B antenna @ 15'

8/21 Tr

0000 WIAD 94.7 MD Bethesda, ID, [FM18], exact frequency 94.699997 127
 0100 WAVA 105.1 VA Arlington, ID, [FM18] 127
 0100 WRHS 103.1 MD Grasonville, ID, [FM18] 96
 0100 WJFK 106.7 VA Manassas, ID, [FM08] 136
 0100 WZBA 100.7 MD Westminster, ID, [FM19] 95
 0300 WKYS 93.9 DC Washington, ID, [FM18], exact frequency 93.900002 128
 0300 WCDX 92.1 VA Mechanicsville, ID, [FM17], exact frequency 92.099998 213

0300 WYPR 88.1 MD Baltimore, multi-station ID, RDS PI: 959F, [FM19], exact frequency 88.099998 93
 0300 WVDS 89.5 WV Petersburg, WVPB Net ID, [FM18] 221
 0400 WPTE 94.9 VA Virginia Beach, ID, [FM16], exact frequency 94.900002 237
 0400 WKHK 95.3 VA Colonial Heights, ID, [EM17], exact frequency 95.300003 213
 0400 WHRV 89.5 VA Norfolk, ID, [FM16] 241
 0429 WBQB 101.5 VA Fredericksburg, ID, [FM18] 173
 0500 WGBG 107.7 MD Fruitland, ID, [FM28] 122
 0500 WHCP 91.7 MD Trappe, ID, [FM18], exact frequency 91.699997 118
 0500 WKWI 101.7 VA Kilmarnock, RDS PI: 7154, [FM17] 178
 0500 WCEM 106.3 MD Cambridge, ID, [FM18] 116
 0500 WTDK 107.1 MD Federalsburg, RDS PI: 872C, [FM28] 99
 0600 WWDE 101.3 VA Hampton, ID, [FM17] 235
 0700 WINX 94.3 MD St. Michaels, ID, [FM18], exact frequency 94.300003 113
 0700 WAAI 100.9 MD Hurlock, ID, [FM18] 110
 0700 WLZL 107.9 MD College Park, ID, [FM18] 126
 0840 WIGO 104.9 VA White Stone, ID, [FM17] 178

John Zondlo – 4009 Driftwood Circle – Yukon, OK 73099 – All New – CDT
 Sony XDR-F1HD tuner, AirSpy HF+Discovery, SDRPlay RSPdx, SDR Console, APS-9B antenna @
 16'

7/30 Es

1956 WMEV 93.9 VA Marion, country, RDS 909

8/1 Tr

2343 K228BR 93.5 OK Tulsa, rock, "The Jet," finally! 108

2359 KPWA 93.5 AR Bismarck, KHCB network, many on this net now in TX, OK and AR 272

8/12 Tr

1800 KWTO 101.3 MO Buffalo, ID, country, IDs as Buffalo-Springfield (for what it's worth) 298

8/22 Tr

0128 WRME-LD 87.75 IL Chicago, MeTV, oldies, weak but definitely there 700

0946 KDRB 100.3 IA Des Moines, classic rock, spots, #3300 logged 476

Congrats to all who got in on the huge trop opening in mid-August. I got in on the very tail end of it after being in Midland TX for a funeral (no tropes there). Til next month.....

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Another poor E-skip season is in the books here in Hazelwood. At least there's still tropo. Starting off this column: comments from Ryan Grabow.

Ryan Grabow, DXing from Florida, Web site: egrabow.com

This has been another fruitless E-skip season for me as a TV DXer. In the last 11 years of summer/winter monitoring, I've had two digital E-skip logs! Two! In 11 years!

Granted, I'm going to lose something for living in condos and apartments, but this is ridiculous. Mobile DXing isn't a good option with our summer heat and thunderstorms. Over the years, I've tried multiple tuners, monitoring three channels at once and even using a software-defined receiver (SDR) to watch for pilot carriers. Unplugging the router and other sources of QRM doesn't seem to help. I think of how easy it was in the analog days, even with a whip antenna.

At this point, TV DXing has become a 100% tropo hobby for me. I'm changing the maps on my Web site accordingly. No need to have E-skip targets like New York, Ohio or the Caribbean if they just stay unmarked. In lieu of any E-skip, I'll just have to do more with tropo. I've refined my strategy for Mount Dora and Crystal River, to drive out before sunrise whenever things look more promising. Knowing other Florida DXers have logged TV from Texas, I'm pushing to do it myself now (I've logged FM via tropo, but not TV). We'll see how lucky I am when Gulf Tropo picks up again.

-Ryan

Eric Bueneman (NØUIH), Hazelwood, MO

Equipment: 1984 Samsung 19-inch color TV, 1999 Daewoo 13-inch color TV, two Zenith DTT-901 ATSC 1.0 DTV tuners, Hauppauge Win-TV-HVR video dongle, Channel Master CM3020 VHF-TV/UHF-TV/FM Yagi at 28 feet (8.5 meters) above ground level. All times CDT, distances in miles/km.

July 12, 2023 (tr)

0325	KMOS 15.1 (6.1) MO, Sedalia (PBS)	155/249
0327	KMOS 15.2 (6.2) MO, Sedalia (Create)	155/249
0329	KMOS 15.3 (6.3) MO, Sedalia (Emerge)	155/249
0330	KMOS 15.4 (6.4) MO, Sedalia (PBS Kids)	155/249
0335	<u>K18KK</u> 18.1 (18.1) MO, Columbia (Fox //KQFX-LD 30.1)	105/169
0336	K18KK 18.2 (18.2) MO, Columbia (Grit //KQFX-LD 30.2)	105/169
0337	K18KK 18.3 (18.3) MO, Columbia (Laff //KQFX-LD 30.3)	105/169
0340	K18KK 18.4 (18.4) MO, Columbia (Ion Mystery //30.4)	105/169
0346	KQFX-LD 30.1 (22.1) MO, Columbia (Fox)	105/169
0415	WPSD 19.1 (6.1) KY, Paducah (NBC)	155/249
0416	WPSD 19.2 (6.2) KY, Paducah (Cozi TV)	155/249
0416	WPSD 19.3 (6.3) KY, Paducah (WPSD Classic)	155/249
0452	WAWV 18.1 (38.1) IN, Terre Haute (ABC)	170/274
0452	WAWV 18.2 (38.2) IN, Terre Haute (Grit)	170/274
0453	WAWV 18.3 (38.3) IN, Terre Haute (Bounce)	170/274
0454	WAWV 18.4 (38.4) IN, Terre Haute (Rewind)	170/274
0527	WTHI 10.1 (10.1) IN, Terre Haute (CBS)	170/274
0528	WTHI 10.2 (10.2) IN, Terre Haute (Fox)	170/274
0529	WTHI 10.3 (10.3) IN, Terre Haute (CW)	170/274
0530	WTHI 10.4 (10.4) IN, Terre Haute (Ion)	170/274
0600	WEIU 30.1 (51.1) IL, Charleston (PBS)	130/209
0601	WEIU 30.2 (51.2) IL, Charleston (FNX)	130/209
0617	WLFI 11.1 (18.1) IN, Lafayette (CBS)	225/362
0618	WLFI 11.2 (18.2) IN, Lafayette (CW)	225/362
0619	WLFI 11.3 (18.3) IN, Lafayette (Ion)	225/362
0619	WLFI 11.4 (18.4) IN, Lafayette (Get TV)	225/362
0727	WHMB 7.1 (40.1) IN, Indianapolis (Christian)	240/386
0728	WHMB 7.2 (40.2) IN, Indianapolis (QVC)	240/386
0729	WHMB 7.3 (40.3) IN, Indianapolis (HSN)	240/386

0736	WRTV 25.1 (6.1) IN, Indianapolis (ABC)	240/386
0737	WRTV 25.2 (6.2) IN, Indianapolis (Grit)	240/386
0738	WRTV 25.3 (6.3) IN, Indianapolis (Laff)	240/386
0739	WRTV 25.4 (6.4) IN, Indianapolis (QVC)	240/386
0740	WRTV 25.5 (6.5) IN, Indianapolis (HSN)	240/386
0740	WRTV 25.6 (6.6) IN, Indianapolis (HSN-2)	240/386
0839	WISH 9.1 (8.1) IN, Indianapolis (CW)	240/386
0840	WISH 9.2 (8.2) IN, Indianapolis (Get TV)	240/386
0841	WISH 9.3 (8.3) IN, Indianapolis (Turist)	240/386
0842	WISH 9.4 (8.4) IN, Indianapolis (Diya)	240/386

July 26, 2023 (tr)

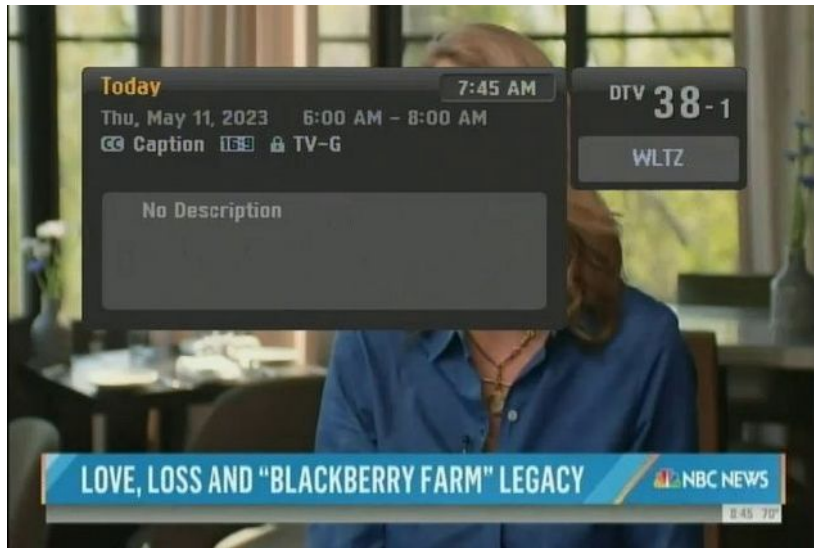
0306	WAND 20.1 (17.1) IL, Decatur (NBC)	110/177
0307	WAND 20.2 (17.2) IL, Decatur (Cozi TV)	110/177
0308	WAND 20.3 (17.3) IL, Decatur (Ion)	110/177
0308	WAND 20.4 (17.4) IL, Decatur (Defy)	110/177
0309	WAND 20.5 (17.5) IL, Decatur (Newsy)	110/177
0309	WAND 20.6 (17.6) IL, Decatur (MeTV)	110/177

The July 12 opening brought a new log in K18KK; I was surprised that the signal was stronger than main station KQFX-LD 30! The channel is configured similarly to the main station. The opening shifted to western KY after 0400, followed by western IN after 0450, then to Indianapolis after 0700. Logged WISH 9 for the first time since they swapped networks with WTTV. The short July 26 opening noted a switch in the channel for MeTV in Central IL; the Classic TV channel had been on WRSP 16.2 (55.2) and WCCU 36.2 (27.2); both stations have been switched to ATSC 3.0. Of the VHF to UHF DTV conversions in my region, only the mid-MO ones (KOMU 27 and KRCG 29) are complete. KHQA has yet to move from 7 to 22, WGEM yet to move from 10 to 19 and KFVS yet to move from 11 to 32 as of July 15. I have local LPs on 19 and 22 that are easy to null. As of August 1, the DTV log stands at 219.

On to the photos! Here's two more from Ryan Grabow's DXpedition to Crystal River, FL:



WUVG 18 (34) Athens, GA
351 miles (565 km) tropo
Seen May 11, 2023



WLTZ 35 (38) Columbus, GA
 267 miles (429 km) tropo
 Seen May 11, 2023

And here's a pair from yours truly in Hazelwood, MO:



KOMU 27 (8) Columbia, MO
 105 miles (169 km) tropo
 Seen July 12, 2023



KRCG 29 (13) Jefferson City, MO
 100 miles (161 km) tropo
 Seen July 12, 2023

That wraps up another column! Next column is in November; the deadline for the column is October 10. That will give you plenty of time to compile your logs from this past E-skip season. 73 and good DX from the Florissant Valley Dial Twister.

The rest of this VUD is online at <https://wtfda.org>

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THIS IS YOUR NEW PAGE - 08/23

This is your new online VUD. This is the place where you see if find John and John's DX columns, TV changes and TV info (when available) plus other material found nowhere else. It is all in all in a billing of "We hope you like it"

WTFDA from what I can tell, the World Radio TV Handbook ceased publishing in 2001. Now, in 2023, the WRTH has been resurrected by an energy enthusiast in the UK called the Radio Data Center. In somewhere I have seen an address based in Germany, so it could be valid. The link on the WRTH is on the right side of the page. The price listed is \$100/SD. There's also some sort of online version for about \$20. SD is no longer a previous WRTH so it's up to you to determine.

New VHF FM Social Channels and about this a few days ago. It's a religious network in Central Ohio and has 5 stations. The FM channels already has the updated information. I follow it now. There's a link on the right side.

Ham Radio Outlet, They are having their Labor Day Sale and one of the items for sale is the ESP8000 from SDRPlay. It's selling for \$239.95, which is \$50 off their regular price of \$289.95. This is the only SDR and High-Speed Modem, which, using two antennas, will null out any unwanted signals at 100% efficiency. It's worth checking out. The link to HRO and the HRO that is on the right side.

Read it on your computer or read it on your phone when you're on the go.

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TV News for September 2023

Some of the more interesting applications and grants at the FCC

The Saga of KRMF-LD

KRMF-LD 4 Reno, NV gtd silent STA 7/1/23

KRMF is requesting permission to temporarily go silent due to repairs needed on the Anywave PA unit. Due to its age and a separate incident with a past employee, we have experienced several hardware failures that necessitate shipping to Anywave for full repair. Our RMA# is TS2303-0575. After we receive the crate from Anywave for shipping, we hope to have it promptly returned and repaired as soon as possible.

Below is the report from the engineer that has been handling the on site repairs as well as his images for reference:

"...This work includes identifying the power connector for the transmitter and ordering a functionally equivalent connector. This included buying parts from two different vendors. The power cord needed to be rebuilt as well, but the power connector on the wall end of the cable was able to be reused. In the process of doing the work, it was observed that the bottom of the transmitter was caved in. Two connectors on the back panel (in addition to the power connector) were damaged (These were repairable). And almost every screw I encountered was loose, especially screws associated with the basic structure of the amplifier. Some internal hardware had also vibrated loose and disappeared. A thorough inspection was required to ensure none of this hardware had gotten into areas with circuitry. Apparently, this hardware fell out through cabinet openings some time during shipping and reinstallation. When reinstalled in the rack, it was also evident that the front panel was also slightly caved in.

The two power supplies were clogged with dirt. They were opened and cleaned, as well as inspected for loose hardware. Nothing unusual was noted in this area.

The PA compartment was opened for inspection (56 screws!). Much to my surprise, I discovered that this amplifier has had a 'hot lunch'. If you look at the pictures of the PA pallets, you will see a big ferrite bead wound with litz wire. This is the input filter for the power to the RF devices (which are underneath the heat sink pillars, with the two screw holes in the end). You will see that the litz wire varies from very dark in color (most likely red, green or amber before 'cooking') to charred. I included two repeat views of the PA pallets with different lighting so you can get a better look. There is also a picture showing bits of the cable ties that held the ferrite bead to one of the coaxial cable phasing lines. You can see bits of a cable tie on one of the beads. I did not measure any shorts on the output side of the RF transistors or evidence of punch-through on the transistor input gates. As indicated in discussions with the Anywave tech, the low PA idling current may be bias adjustment and not failed transistors. The abnormally low bias current (0.4 A) usually indicates failed transistors, but the absence of shorts or punch-through (input gate short) are encouraging signs things may not be as bad as they could be.

The burnt chokes are also still securely soldered down and not showing excessive resistance. You can see where the inside of the PA cover has discolored spots from the burnt chokes. On the input splitter and output combiner, there are some ballast and reject loads, in the form of the white squares visible in the pictures. These appear to be of the 'pass-through' type, and they measure a very low resistance between terminals, as expected. But every single one measures open circuit to ground. They should measure about 100 ohms, as indicated on the device labels. This is indicative of operating into a very awkward impedance load (or a short, or no load at all). The open loads on the input side is more mysterious, and rarely occurs. It is possible that if all

four PA pallets have failed catastrophically that the input loads could be damaged. It is also possible I am measuring these wrong, even though I double checked my measurements.

No other internal damage was noted, except for loose hardware found throughout the amplifier, especially on the major structural mountings. To me, this is indicative of severe, sustained vibration during shipping.

Both of the RF input connectors are damaged. One connector was dented. The other one looks like it had been ripped. I identified a replacement for these connectors, but they were \$56 each. So I repaired the existing connectors. Although they are not perfect, they work fine.

After full closeout and before rack mounting, the amplifier powered without incident. However, after installation, it would not pass a signal on either RF input. I was using the known-working channel 3 exciter, temporarily set to channel 4, to drive the amplifier. Input attenuators were set the same on both amplifiers, and setting attenuation to zero did not help...

WBNF-CD 15 Buffalo NY gtd silent STA 7/11/23

HME Equity Fund II, LLC, licensee of WBNF-CD, Buffalo, New York (FAC: 14326) took the station offline while changing the programming and input equipment. The licensee respectfully requests special temporary authority to remain silent. WBNF-CD temporarily ceased broadcasting on July 11, 2023, and will promptly return the station to on air operation and resume serving the community of Buffalo, New York once the programming changes are made and the equipment is installed.

WGCE-CD 15 Rochester, NY gtd silent STA 7/11/23

HC2 Station Group, Inc. ("Licensee") respectfully requests an Engineering Special Temporary Authority (STA) pursuant to the technical specifications listed in the application while it facilitates the repair of its Low Power television station ("Station"). The Station's transmitter's ERP has been reduced to 7.5kW as the Licensee is in the process of repairing the HVAC system which has caused high temperatures in the building housing the transmitter. Once the HVAC is repaired and the transmitter can be operated safely, the station will be able to resume licensed operations.

ATSC 3.0 On Long Island

W09CZ-D Silent Status STA Request Supporting Statement

Sound of Long Island, Inc. (SOL) herein requests limited 120-day silent authority (commencing August 2, 2023) during which it plans to update the station's program delivery infrastructure from its studios to WNYZ and also to both the W09CZ STA facility and the W09CZ CP site authorized in FCC file number 0000159477 which expires on 09/21/2024.

SOL owned station WNYZ-LD remains the only Next Gen TV station in the NYC market and as such SOL is aware of the lack of ATSC 3.0 capable TV sets, tuners and USB receiver sticks. SOL is encouraged by FCC support of the ATSC 3.0 transition shown at the 2023 NAB Convention and the issuance of the third R&O in Docket No. 16-142. A new budget is being developed for the implementation of the W09CZ CH 9 CP which will consider ATSC 3.0. *This will be done in anticipation of many more ATSC 3.0 capable receiver products, of all configurations including portable receivers, being promoted and available.* At this time, SOL is not aware of any limitation that would prevent construction of its full power CH 9 CP before September 20, 2024.

W19DN-D 189, Macon, GA. What do they do now?

Major Market Broadcasting of North Dakota, Inc. (MMBND), is seeking, in its instant application, to displace W19DN-D to a new channel and move it to a new transmit location. W19DN-D is predicted, by TVStudy, to receive incoming interference from the full-service station WANF (Ch. 19 at Atlanta, GA). Due to the incoming interference, the displacement to a new channel is considered a minor change.

And then they discovered that they couldn't move and filed this...

Major Market Broadcasting of North Dakota, Inc. (MMBND) respectfully requests the withdrawal of the pending minor modification and displacement of the W19DN-D licensed facility (LMS File No 0000179078) while it evaluates the long term coverage objectives of the station. **The station does not qualify for displacement.**

KHLO-LD 26 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK gtd Silent STA 8/18/23

KLHO-LD is requesting a STA due to extraordinary circumstance, our transmitter amplifier malfunctioned and is not powering up anymore; unfortunately the transmitter manufacturer is out of business making it difficult to send for repair and forcing us to go silent until we are able to purchase a new transmitter which we estimate it will take us longer than 30 days; therefore, it is in the best interest of the public to go silent until we are able to resolve our equipment replacement.

WXTL-LD 36 TALLAHASSEE, FL gtd call change from W36EA-D

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2. Enter your username or email address and click 'register'

3. Wait until your registration is confirmed. Confirmation may take a while. Don't be impatient. Don't try registering again. We will get to you.



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