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Happy 40th Anniversary KIDE!

In 1978, members of northern California's Hoopa Valley Tribe applied for a community radio station license. The application was not routine; the outcome was not certain.

Ninety-eight tribes applied; fourteen applicants were accepted. The Hoopa Valley Tribe was one of those applicants; and, on December 16, 1980, [KIDE](#) went on air, becoming California's first tribally owned and operated station.

[Click here](#) to read Diane Reinhardt's full article.



In the News

- In January, the Supreme Court [heard arguments](#) pertaining to the case: **Federal Communications Commission v. Prometheus Radio Project** Issue: *Whether the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 3rd Circuit erred in vacating as arbitrary and capricious the Federal Communications Commission orders under review, which, among other things, relaxed the agency's cross-ownership restrictions to accommodate changed market conditions.*
- [The FCC will soon be announcing how many applications each applicant can file for the approaching window.](#) They will not be announcing the dates for the window at that time. They are saying sometime in the Fall. There was discussion about how groups need 3-6 months advance notice. Lisa Scanlon, the [FCC] staff person, is sensitive to the fact that groups and boards who are applying need time. (*Betty McArdle's notes from the Radio for People meeting on 02.09.21 Report*)



Meet the Neighbors at WXDR

[WXDR-LP](#) is one of only 12 community college radio stations in the country! Based out of New Orleans, LA, WXDR-LP has been an outlet for students, faculty, staff, and community volunteers since 2011.

The station features a wide variety of music, including rock, hip-hop, blues, country, and of course, killer jazz. Spoken word programs are also featured, on topics ranging from science to poetry. In the spring, WXDR broadcasts the play-by-play action of the nationally ranked Delgado Dolphins baseball team.

[Click here](#) to read more.



And a Big Welcome to WLTL and KEPJ-LP

- [WLTL](#) is the award winning station of Lyons Township High School. Completely student-run and broadcasting 24/7, WLTL has been serving its community since 1968. Students at WLTL have gone on to study media and communications in college, and many alumni continue to work both at the professional and community level in radio well after their time at WLTL.
- [Radio Esperanza, 96.5 KEPJ-LPFM-San Antonio](#), is a low-powered community radio station dedicated to providing social justice organizing and community expression to our listeners. We provide a platform for local news, music, podcasts, and programs produced and presented by women, people of color, the lesbian, gay, trans and queer community, the working class and the poor.

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