Television

Radio

KRSC-TV
1948
FOUNDED AS CBS AFFILIATE

Purchased by King Broadcasting Company and became

KING-TV 1948
BECAME ABC AFFILIATE 1953
BECAME NBC AFFILIATE 1959

KCTS Went live, 1954
Became PBS affiliate, 1970
Merged with Central Washington's **KYVE**, 1994
Acquired Crosscut 2015

WENT LIVE AS NBC AFFILIATE 1953
KOMO-TV
BECAME ABC AFFILIATE 1959

In 2013 Sinclair Broadcast Group acquired Seattle media group and KOMO-TV owner Fisher Communications. Until this point, KOMO-TV had been the last locally owned television station in Seattle.

WENT LIVE AS CBS AFFILIATE 1958
KIRO-TV
BECAME UPN AFFILIATE 1995
RETURNED AS CBS AFFILIATE 1997

KCPQ founded as KMO-TV, 1953
Bought by TV and radio magnate J. Elroy McCaw
Changed to **KTVW**, 1954
Went bankrupt, was purchased and rebranded
KCPQ 1975
1986 **BECAME FOX AFFILIATE**

After repeated attempts to buy KCPQ from its owner, Tribune Broadcasting, it was announced the station and network would end their affiliation one day before the 2014–15 NFC Championship game between the Seahawks and the Packers. However, Fox ended up purchasing a station in Bellingham and extended its affiliation with KCPQ through 2018.

KUOW-FM Went live as 90.5, 1952
Switched to **94.9**, 1958
1970 **BECAME NPR MEMBER STATION**
Switched from classical music to news and information, 1992

KPLU-FM Went live, 1966
1983 **BECAME NPR MEMBER STATION**
Put up for sale to KUOW-FM and other bidders, 2015

KOMO-AM
1926 **WENT LIVE AS NBC AFFILIATE**
1954 **SWITCHED TO ABC AFFILIATE**

Brought on fired KIRO-FM personality Pat Cashman after public support for his return to radio, 1999
Began simulcast with Seattle FM station KFMY, 2009
KFMY renamed KOMO-FM, 2009

KPCB Went live, 1927
Sold and renamed, 1935
KIRO FM and AM, 1935
1937 **BECAME CBS AFFILIATE**
1973 **BECAME MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM AFFILIATE**
1974 **BECAME NBC AFFILIATE**
1976 **RETURNED TO CBS**

Launched FM station, 1948
Began switching news radio programming to FM, 2008

KFNQ-AM Went live on AM 1090 as KVL 1927
Later renamed KEVER
Bought by King Broadcasting Company founder Dorothy Bullitt and renamed
KING 1947
BECAME NBC AFFILIATE 1947
Renamed
1995 KRPM, then sold
2004 KPTK
2012 **BEGAN AS CBS AFFILIATE**
Renamed
KFNQ 2012