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### Noncommercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report (FCC Form 323-E)

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Purpose: Noncommercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report Status: Received Status Date: 01/14/2020

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#### **Section I - General Information**

#### 1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name
0003916293	NORTHERN MINNESOTA PUBLIC TELEVISION INC

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
108 Grant Ave NE	Bemidji	MN	56601	+1 (218) 751- 3407	admin@lptv.

# 2. Contact Representative

Name		Organization	
	William Michael Sanford	Northern Minnesota Public Television, Inc.	

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
108 Grant Ave NE	Bemidji	MN	56601	+1 (218) 333-3015	bsanford@lptv.org

# 3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

# 4. Control of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:			
Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee		
Is the Respondent's governing board (or other governing entity) directly or indirectly under the control of another entity?		No	

(b) Provide the following information about this report:				
Purpose	Biennial			
"As of" date	10/01/2019			
	When filing a biennial ownership report or validating and resubmitting a prior biennial ownership report, this date must be Oct. 1 of the year in which this report is filed.			

# 5. Licensee(s) and Station(s)

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN
NORTHERN MINNESOTA PUBLIC TELEVISION INC	0003916293

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
49578	KAWE	BEMIDJI	MN	DTV
49579	KAWB	BRAINERD	MN	DTV

#### **Section II – Biennial Ownership Information**

#### 1. 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613 Documents

Licensee Respondents that hold authorizations for one or more full power television, AM, and/or FM stations should list all contracts and other instruments set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613(a) through (c) for the facility or facilities listed on this report. If the agreement is a network affiliation agreement, check the appropriate box. Otherwise, select "Other." Non-Licensee Respondents should select "Not Applicable" in response to this question.

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	NMPTV Articles of Incorporation	
Parties to contract or instrument	Northern Minnesota Public Television, Inc.	
Date of execution	06/1976	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	NMPTV Bylaws	
Parties to contract or instrument	Northern Minnesota Public Television, Inc.	
Date of execution	12/2012	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: NMPTV Bylaws	

Document Information			
Description of contract or instrument	NMPTV, Inc. PBS Membership Certification for FY20		
Parties to contract or instrument	PBS Northern Minnesota Public television, Inc.		
Date of execution	07/2019		
Date of expiration	07/2020		
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Network Affiliation Agreement		

# 2. Ownership Interests

(a) Ownership Interests. This Question requires Respondents to enter detailed information about ownership interests by generating a series of subforms. Answer each question on each subform. The first subform listing should be for the Respondent itself. If the Respondent is not a natural person, also list each of the officers, members of the governing board (or other governing entity), stockholders, and any other persons or entities with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent pursuant to the standards set forth in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555. (A "direct" interest is one that is not held through any intervening companies or entities.) List each interest holder with a direct attributable interest in the Respondent separately.

Leave the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field blank for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the Respondent solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i).

In the case of vertical or indirect ownership structures, list only those interests in the Respondent that also represent an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Entities that are part of an organizational structure that includes holding companies or other forms of indirect ownership must file separate ownership reports. In such a structure do not report, or file a separate report for, any interest holder that does not have an attributable interest in the Licensee(s) for which the report is being submitted.

Please see the Instructions for further detail concerning interests that must be reported in response to this question.

The Respondent must provide an FCC Registration Number for each interest holder reported in response to this question. Please see the Instructions for detailed information and guidance concerning this requirement.

Ownership Information				
FRN	0003916293	0003916293		
Entity Name	NORTHERN MINNESOTA P	NORTHERN MINNESOTA PUBLIC TELEVISION INC		
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	108 Grant Ave NE		
	Street 2			
	City	Bemidji		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN		
	Zip/Postal Code	56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Respondent			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Respondent	Respondent		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages	Voting	0.0%		
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
Total assets (Equity Debt 0.0% Plus)		0.0%		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?				

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990122017	
Name	Gary Block	
Address	PO Box Street 1 112 SE 4th St Street 2 City Little Falls	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. MN	

	address)		
	Zip/Postal Code	56345	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Tourism Business Owner		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	icity Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	or more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990122143	
Name	Joseph Breiter	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	3634 Summer Ct
	Street 2	
	<b>City</b> Brainerd	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. MN address)	
	Zip/Postal Code 56401	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Marketing Management Professional	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board	
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US

Ethnicity, and Race	Gender	Male
Information (Natural Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	7.1%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		r more broadcast stations No

Name					
	Ray Gildow				
Address	PO Box				
	Street 1	12880 267th Ave			
	Street 2				
	City	Staples			
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN			
	Zip/Postal Code	Zip/Postal Code 56479			
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States			
_isting Type	Other Interest Holder				
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Member of Governing	Officer, Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)			
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired Educator				
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board	Elected by Board			
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	us			
Ethnicity, and Race nformation (Natural	Gender	Male			
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino			
	Race	White			
nterest Percentages enter percentage values	Voting	7.1%			
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%			
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)				

Ownership Information	
FRN	9990122148

Name	James Hanko	James Hanko		
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	3405 Riverside Drive NE		
	Street 2			
	City	Bemidji		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN		
	Zip/Postal Code	56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired Hospital Administrator			
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board			
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%		
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No	

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990122149	
Name	Susan Holden	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1 901 Marquette Ave, Suite 500 Street 2	
	City Minneapolis	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. MN address)	
	Zip/Postal Code	55402
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	

Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Attorney		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Gender	Female	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information				
FRN	9990122151			
Name	Paul Hunt			
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	2322 Dancing Wind Rd SW		
	Street 2			
	City	Pine River		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. MN address)			
	Zip/Postal Code 56474			
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)			
Principal Profession or Occupation	R and D CEO			
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	7.1%		
(Citter percentage values				

from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have ar that do not appear on this re	attributable interest in one or port?	more broadcast stations	No

Name Address	9990122153  Milt Lee  PO Box  Street 1  Street 2  City	PO Box 711	
	PO Box Street 1 Street 2	PO Box 711	
Address	Street 1 Street 2	PO Box 711	
	Street 2	PO Box 711	
	City		
		Cass Lake	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN	
	Zip/Postal Code	56633	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired Film Maker		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	American Indian or Alaska Nat	tive
nterest Percentages	Voting	7.1%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990122156	
Name	Michael Smith	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	1525 5th St NE
	Street 2	

	City	Bemidji	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN	
	Zip/Postal Code	56601	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board	or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired Manager		
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990122157		
Name	Ann Marie Ward		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	525 Spruce Grove Lane NW	
	Street 2		
	City Bemidji  State ("NA" if non-U.S. MN address)  Zip/Postal Code 56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Educator		
By Whom Appointed or	Elected by Board		

Elected		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino
	Race	White
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	7.1%
	Equity	0.0%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	or more broadcast stations No

Ownership Information				
FRN	9990122160			
Name	Ryan Welle	Ryan Welle		
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	2800 Birchmont Drive NE		
	Street 2			
	City	Bemidji		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN		
	Zip/Postal Code	56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)			
Principal Profession or Occupation	Banking			
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board			
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	us		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%		
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have a that do not appear on this r	n attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No	

Ownership Information				
FRN	9990122161	9990122161		
Name	Bryan Westerman	Bryan Westerman		
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	8900 N Grace Lake Rd SE		
	Street 2			
	City	Bemidji		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN		
	Zip/Postal Code	56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)			
Principal Profession or Occupation	Finance			
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%		
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
	Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			

Ownership Information		
FRN	9990122163	
Name	Kim Williams	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	3345 River Park Court
	Street 2	
	City	Bemidji
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN
	Zip/Postal Code	56601

	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Member of Governing	Officer, Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)	
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired Educator	Retired Educator	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages	Voting	7.1%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations No	

Ownership Information			
FRN	9990122165		
Name	Debra Zipf		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	27128 370th Ave	
	Street 2		
	City	Hillman	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN	
	Zip/Postal Code	56338	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Member of Governing Board (or other governing entity)		
Principal Profession or Occupation	Retired IT Professional	Retired IT Professional	
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Elected by Board		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Female	
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	

	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	7.1%	
	Equity	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?		No	

Ownership Information				
FRN	9990124864			
Name	William Michael Sanford	William Michael Sanford		
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	4497 Carver Rd NE		
	Street 2			
	City	Bemidji		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MN		
	Zip/Postal Code	56601		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer			
Principal Profession or Occupation	NMPTV CEO			
By Whom Appointed or Elected	Board of Directors	Board of Directors		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages	Voting	0.0%		
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have a that do not appear on this r	n attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No	
(h) Department contiller (l	at any interests, including equi	tu financial acception	Yes	

(b) Respondent certifies that any interests, including equity, financial, or voting	Yes
interests, not reported in this filing are non-attributable.	
If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.	

(c) Is Respondent seeking an attribution exemption for any officer or director with duties wholly unrelated to the Licensee(s)?	No
If "Yes," complete the information in the required fields and submit an Exhibit fully describing that individual's duties and responsibilities, and explaining why that individual should not be	

# 3. Organizational Chart (Licensees Only)

Attach a flowchart or similar document showing the Licensee's vertical ownership structure including the Licensee and all entities that have attributable interests in the Licensee. Licensees with a single parent entity may provide a brief explanatory textual Exhibit in lieu of a flowchart or similar document. Licensees without parent entities should so indicate in a textual Exhibit.

Non-Licensee Respondents should select "N/A" in response to this question.

attributed an interest.

Northern Minnesota Public Television, Inc. is the licensee who controls and operates the stations KAWE & KAWB, which are the stations covered in this report filing. There is no parent entity.

#### **Section III - Certification**

#### Certification

Section	Question	Response
Authorized Party to Sign	WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND /OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSEOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).	
Certification	I certify that I have examined this report and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, all statements in this report are true, correct and complete.	Official Title: CEO Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: Northern Minnesota Public Television, Inc. Name: William Michael Sanford Phone: 2183333015