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# Commercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report (FCC Form 323)

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Purpose: Commercial Broadcast Stations Biennial Ownership Report Status: Received Status Date: 03/02/2018

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

### 1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name
0019682483	TV-49, Inc.

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
26 North Halsted Street	Chicago	IL	60661	+1 (312) 705- 2600	nshapiro@wciu. com

# 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Mace Rosenstein, Esq.	Covington & Burling LLP

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
One CityCenter 850 Tenth Street, N.W.	Washington	DC	20001	+1 (202) 662-5460	mrosenstein@cov.com

# 3. Application Filing Fee

Question	Response
Is this application being submitted without a filing fee?	No

#### **Fees**

Application Type	Form Number	Fee Code	Quantity	Fee Amount	Subtotal
Biennial	Form 323	MAT	1	95	\$70.00
				Total	\$70.00

# 4. Nature of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:		
Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee	
Nature of Respondent	For-profit corporation	

(b) Provide the following information about this report:		
Purpose	Biennial	
"As of" date	10/01/2017	
	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)

#### Respondent is filing this report to cover the following Licensee(s) and station(s):

Licensee/Permittee Name	FRN
TV-49, Inc.	0019682483

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
68545	WMLW-TV	RACINE	WI	DTV

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

1. 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3613 and Other 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. In addition, attributable Local Marketing Agreements (LMAs) and attributable Joint Sales Agreements (JSAs) must be disclosed by the licensee of the brokering station on its ownership report. If the agreement is an attributable LMA, an attributable JSA, or a network affiliation agreement, check the appropriate box. Otherwise, select "Other." Non-Licensee Respondents, as well as Licensee Respondents that only hold authorizations for Class A television and/or low power television stations, should select "Not Applicable" in response to this question.

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	By-Laws (TV-49, Inc.)	
Parties to contract or instrument	TV -49, Inc.	
Date of execution	04/2008	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: By-Laws	

#### **Document Information**

Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation (TV-49, Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	TV-49, Inc.
Date of execution	10/1985
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	Certificate of Formation (Channel 49 LLC)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Channel 49 LLC	
Date of execution	08/2005	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Certificate of Formation	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Certificate of Amendment to Certificate of Formation (Channel 49 LLC)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Channel 49 LLC	
Date of execution	06/2007	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Certificate of Amendment to Certificate of Formation	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Operating Agreement (Channel 49 LLC)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Channel 49 LLC	
Date of execution	06/2007	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Operating Agreement	

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation, As Amended (Weigel Broadcasting Co.)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Weigel Broadcasting Co.	
Date of execution	12/1987	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation, As Amended	

### **Document Information**

Description of contract or instrument	By-Laws, As Amended and Restated (Weigel Broadcasting Co.)
Parties to contract or instrument	Weigel Broadcasting Co.
Date of execution	04/2013
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: By-Laws, As Amended and Restated

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Shareholders Agreement, As Amended (Weigel Broadcasting Co.)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Weigel Broadcasting Co. & Shareholders of Weigel Broadcasting Co.	
Date of execution	08/2003	
Date of expiration	No expiration date	
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Shareholders Agreement, As Amended	

Document Information			
Description of contract or instrument	Network Affiliation Agreement (for WMLW-TV) (TV-49, Inc.)		
Parties to contract or instrument	Telemundo Network Group, LLC & Channel 49 LLC and Channel 41 & 63 Limited Partnership and TV-49, Inc. and Madison Halsted LLC		
Date of execution	01/2016		
Date of expiration	12/2020		
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Network Affiliation Agreement		

Document Information		
Description of contract or instrument	Network Affiliation Agreement, As Amended (TV-49, Inc.)	
Parties to contract or instrument	Bounce Media, LLC & Weigel Broadcasting Co. (for WMLW-TV)	
Date of execution	01/2017	
Date of expiration	08/2020	
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, directors, stockholders, non-insulated partners, non-insulated members, 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	0019682483			
Entity Name	TV-49, Inc.			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	26 North Halsted Street		
	Street 2			
	City	Chicago		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. IL address)			
	Zip/Postal Code	60661		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Respondent	Respondent		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Respondent	Respondent		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity			
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No	
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	0.0%		
Does interest holder have a	an attributable interest in one oreport?	r more broadcast stations	No	

Ownership Information	1			
FRN	0020055612	0020055612		
Name	Norman Shapiro	Norman Shapiro		
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	26 North Halsted Street		
	Street 2			
	City	Chicago		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL		

	Zip/Postal Code	60661	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Gender	Male	
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	0.0%	
Total assets (Equity Deb Plus)			
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	Yes

Ownership Information				
FRN	0020055653			
Name	Fred Bishop			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	26 North Halsted Street		
	Street 2			
	City	Chicago		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL		
	Zip/Postal Code	60661		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Director			
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	0.0%	Jointly Held? No	
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?		Yes	

Ownership Information			
FRN	0017686353		
Entity Name	Channel 49, L.L.C.		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	26 North Halsted Street	
	Street 2		
	City	Chicago	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL	
	Zip/Postal Code	60661	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Owner		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	100.0%	Jointly Held? No
	Equity	100.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have a that do not appear on this r	an attributable interest in one oreport?	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information		
FRN	0027096577	
Name	Evan Fieldman	
Address	PO Box	
	Street 1	26 North Halsted Street
	Street 2	
	City	Chicago
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL
	Zip/Postal Code	60661
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States

Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Listing Type	Other interest riolder	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer			
Citizenship, Gender, Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Citizenship	US		
	Gender	Male		
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino		
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0%	Jointly Held? No	
	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?			Yes	
(b) Respondent certifies that any interests, including equity, financial, or voting interests, not reported in this filing are non-attributable.			Yes	
If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.				

(c) Does the Respondent or any reported interest holder hold an attributable interest in any newspaper entities in the same market as any station for which this report is filed, as defined in 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555?

If "Yes," provide information describing the interest(s), using EITHER the subform OR the spreadsheet option below. Respondents with a large number (50 or more) of entries to submit should use the spreadsheet option.

NOTE: Spreadsheets must be submitted in a special XML Spreadsheet format with the appropriate structure that is specified in the documentation. For instructions on how to use the spreadsheet option to complete this question (including templates to start with), please Click Here.

If using the subform, 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 newspaper entity solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3555, Note 2(i). If using an XML Spreadsheet, enter "NA" into the percentage of total assets (Equity Debt Plus) field for an interest holder unless that interest holder has an attributable interest in the newspaper entity solely on the basis of the Commission's Equity Debt Plus attribution standard.

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.

No

If "Yes," provide the following information for each such the relationship.

(e) Is Respondent seeking an attribution exemption for any officer or director with duties wholly unrelated to the Licensee(s)?

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 attributed an interest.

# 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.

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
Weigel Biennial Ownership Chart (Finalized) 2017.pdf	Applicant	Ownership Chart	Ownership Chart

### **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: <b>President</b> Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>TV-49, Inc.</b> Name: <b>Norman Shapiro</b> Phone: <b>3127052600</b> 03/01/2018