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

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# **Section I - General Information**

# 1. Respondent

# FRN Entity Name 0001522895 Mel Wheeler Inc

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U. S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
3934 Electric Road	Roanoke	VA	24018	+1 (540) 387-0234	lwheeler@wheelerbroadcasting. com

# 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Coe W. Ramsey	Brooks, Pierce, et al.

Street	City (and Country if non U.S.		Zip		
Address	address)	State	Code	Phone	Email
150 Fayetteville Street Suite 1700	Raleigh	NC	27601	+1 (919) 839- 0300	cramsey@brookspierce. 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	MAR	8	95	\$560.00
		·	'		Total	\$560.00

# 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
Mel Wheeler Inc	0001522895

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
9690	WVBE-FM	LYNCHBURG	VA	FM
9692	WXLK	ROANOKE	VA	FM
22663	WLNI	LYNCHBURG	VA	FM
30156	WSLC-FM	ROANOKE	VA	FM
31138	WFIR	ROANOKE	VA	AM
41111	WPLY	ROANOKE	VA	AM
41112	WSLQ	ROANOKE	VA	FM
54597	WVBB	ELLISTON-LAFAYETTE	VA	FM

# 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.

Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A
Date of execution	11/1973
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Articles of Incorporation

Description of contract or instrument	Bylaws
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A
Date of execution	11/1973
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type	Other
(check all that apply)	Agreement Type: Bylaws

### 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.

FRN	0001522895			
Entity Name	Mel Wheeler Inc			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	3934 Electric Road		
	Street 2			
	City	Roanoke		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	VA		
	Zip/Postal Code	24018		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		

Listing Type	Respondent		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	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 an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations that do not appear on this report?			No

Ownership Information				
FRN	0019289743			
Name	Leonard E. Wheeler			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	6181 Mt. Chestnut		
	Street 2			
	City	Roanoke		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	VA		
	Zip/Postal Code	24018		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director, Stockholder			
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	34.7% Jointly Held? No		
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	34.7%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations Yes that do not appear on this report?				

FRN	0019297126
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Name	Steve J. Wheeler	Steve J. Wheeler		
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	612 Country Club		
	Street 2			
	City	Carterville		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL		
	Zip/Postal Code	62918		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer, Director, Stockholder			
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	33.3%	Jointly Held? No	
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	33.3%		
	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	Yes	

FRN	0019292374		
Name	Clark V. Wheeler		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	7202 SW 97th Lane	
	Street 2		
	City Gainesville		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. FL address)		
	Zip/Postal Code	32608	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Officer, Director, Stockholder		
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US	

Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural Persons Only)	Gender	Male		
	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	Not Hispanic or Latino	
	Race	White		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	31.6%	Jointly Held? No	
	Equity	31.6%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o report?	r more broadcast stations	Yes	

Ownership Information				
FRN	0019397272	0019397272		
Name	Bonnie C. Wheeler	Bonnie C. Wheeler		
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	612 Country Club		
	Street 2			
	City	Carterville		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	IL		
	Zip/Postal Code	62918		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder	Other Interest Holder		
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Officer, Director	Officer, Director		
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	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 Yes that do not appear on this report?				

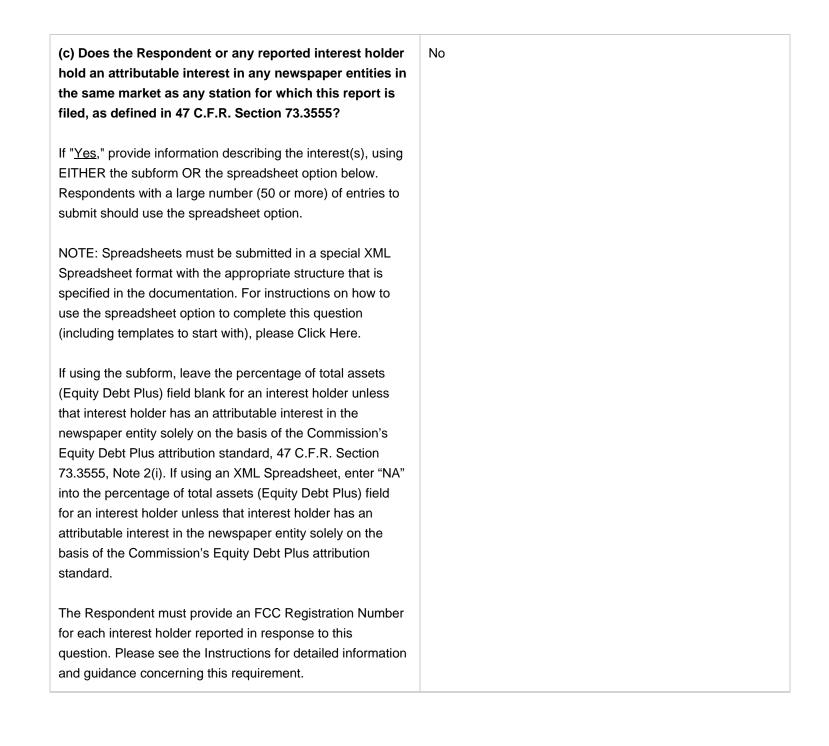
FRN	0019285881	
Name	Gretchen C. Cummings	

Address	PO Box				
	Street 1	3553 Wosley Drive			
	Street 2				
	City	Fort Worth			
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	ТХ			
	Zip/Postal Code	76133	76133		
	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	Gender	Female			
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 ar that do not appear on this re	attributable interest in one or port?	more broadcast stations	Yes		
(b) Respondent certifies that	any interests, including equit	y, financial, or voting	Yes		

interest	ts, not reported in this	filing are non-attrib	utable.

If "No," submit as an exhibit an explanation.

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(d) Are any of the individuals listed as an attributable interest holder in the Respondent married to each other Yes or related to each other as parentchild or as siblings?

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

Family Relationships					
FRN	0019289743	Name     Leonard E Wheeler			
FRN	0019292374	Name	Clark V Wheeler		
Relationship	Siblings				

#### **Family Relationships**

FRN	0019297126	Name	Steve J Wheeler
FRN	0019397272	Name	Bonnie C Wheeler
Relationship	Spouses		

#### **Family Relationships**

FRN	0019297126	Name	Steve J Wheeler
FRN	0019292374	Name	Clark V Wheeler
Relationship	Siblings		

Family Relationships				
FRN	0019289743	Name	Leonard E Wheeler	
FRN	0019297126	Name	Steve J Wheeler	
Relationship	Siblings			

(e) 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	
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.

Licensee has 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: <b>President</b> Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>Mel</b> <b>Wheeler, Inc.</b> Name: <b>Leonard E. Wheeler</b> Phone: <b>5403870234</b> 03/02/2018