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

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# **Section I - General Information**

Gaines Family Limited Partnership

#### 1. Respondent

# Entity Name

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
PO Box 930	Bowling Green	КҮ	42103	+1 (270) 781- 2121	alan@wdnsfm. com

#### 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Dawn M. Sciarrino, Esq.	Sciarrino & Shubert, PLLC

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
330 Franklin Road Suite 135A- 133	Brentwood	TN	37027	+1 (202) 256- 9551	dawn@sciarrinolaw. com

# 3. Application Filing Fee

Not Applicable

# 4. Nature of

# Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent:		
Relationship to stations/permits	Entity required to file a Form 323 because it holds an attributable interest in one or more Licensees	
Nature of Respondent	Limited partnership	

(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)

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

Licensee/Permitte	e Name	FRN		
Daily News Broadcasting Co Inc 0001793652				
Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
15258	WDNS	BOWLING GREEN	KY	FM
65589	WKCT	BOWLING GREEN	KY	AM

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

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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.

Not Applicable.

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#### 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	0027933894		
Entity Name	Gaines Family Limited Partnership		
Address	PO Box	930	
	Street 1		
	Street 2		
	City	Bowling Green	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	КҮ	
	Zip/Postal Code	42103	

**Ownership Information** 

	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			No

Ownership Information			
FRN	0027933910		
Entity Name	John Gaines Family, LLC		
Address	PO Box	930	
	Street 1		
	Street 2		
	City	Bowling Green	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	КY	
	Zip/Postal Code	42103	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	General Partner		
Tribal Nation or Tribal Entity	Interest holder is not a Tribal nation or Tribal entity		
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values	Voting	100.0%	Jointly Held? No
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	9.5%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	9.5%	
	Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations No that do not appear on this report?		

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that do not appear on this report?

FRN	0019568989
Name	John Pipes Gaines

Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	1019 Cumberland Ridge Way	
	Street 2		
	City	Bowling Green	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	KY	
	Zip/Postal Code	42103	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Limited Partner		
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	68.4%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	68.4%	
<b>Does interest holder have an attributable interest in one or more broadcast stations</b> Yes that do not appear on this report?			Yes

#### **Ownership Information**

FRN	2130014075		
Name	Stephen W. Gaines		
Address	PO Box		
	Street 1	1457 Mt. Ayr Drive	
	Street 2		
	City	Bowling Green	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	КҮ	
	Zip/Postal Code	42103	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Limited Partner		
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 from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	0.0% Jointly Held? No	
	Equity	11.1%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	11.1%	
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one c report?	or more broadcast stations	Yes

## **Ownership Information**

FRN	2130014067	2130014067	
Name	John S. Gaines		
Address	PO Box	PO Box	
	Street 1	992 Cumberland Ridge Way	
	Street 2	Street 2	
	City	Bowling Green	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)		
	Zip/Postal Code	Zip/Postal Code 42103	
	Country (if non-U.S.     United States       address)     United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
<b>Positional Interests</b> (check all that apply)	Limited Partner		
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	11.1%	
Total assets (Equity Plus)		11.1%	
Does interest holder have that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	or more broadcast stations	Yes

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

(c) Does the Respondent or any reported interest holder hold an attributable interest in any newspaper entities in	Yes
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.	
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.	

Other Newspaper Interests			
FRN	0019568989		
Name	John Pipes Gaines		
Name of Newspaper	Bowling Green Daily News (News Publishing, LLC)		
Location of Newspaper	City	Bowling Green	
	State	КҮ	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	LC/LLC/PLLC Member		
Interest Percentages	Voting	39.6%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	39.6%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	39.6%	

# Other Newspaper Interests

#### **Other Newspaper Interests**

FRN	2130014067	
Name	John S. Gaines	
Name of Newspaper	Bowling Green Daily News (News Publishing, LLC)	
Location of Newspaper	City Bowling Green	
	State	КҮ

Positional Interests (check all that apply)	LC/LLC/PLLC Member	
Interest Percentages (enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Voting	30.2%
	Equity	30.2%
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	30.2%

#### Other Newspaper Interests

Other Newspaper Interests			
FRN	2130014075		
Name	Stephen W. Gaines		
Name of Newspaper	Bowling Green Daily News (News Publishing, LLC)		
Location of Newspaper	City	Bowling Green	
	State	КҮ	
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Limited Partner		
Interest Percentages	Voting	30.2%	
(enter percentage values from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	30.2%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)	30.2%	

(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	2130014067	Name	John S Gaines	
FRN	2130014075	Name	Stephen W Gaines	
Relationship	Siblings			

## Family Relationships

FRN	0019568989	Name	John Pipes Gaines
FRN	2130014075	Name	Stephen W Gaines
Relationship	Parent/Child		

## Family Relationships

FRN	0019568989	Name	John Pipes Gaines
FRN	2130014067	Name	John S Gaines
Relationship	Parent/Child		

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

## 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>Member of General Partner</b> Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>Gaines Family Limited Partnership</b> Name: <b>John Pipes Gaines</b> Phone: <b>2707812121</b> 01/31/2020