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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: 12/01/2023

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

#### 1. Respondent

FRN	Entity Name
0009269424	Saga Communications of New England, LLC

Street Address	City (and Country if non U. S. address)	State ("NA" if non-U. S. address)	Zip Code	Phone	Email
73 Kercheval Avenue	Grosse Pointe Farms	MI	48236	+1 (313) 886-7070	FCCLICENSES@SAGACOM.

## 2. Contact Representative

Name	Organization
Gary S. Smithwick, Esq.	Smithwick & Belendiuk, P.C.

Street Address	City (and Country if non U.S. address)	State	Zip Code	Phone	Email
5028 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W. Suite 301	Washington	DC	20016	+1 (202) 363- 4560	gsmithwick@fccworld. 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	33	95	\$3,135.00
				Total	\$3,135.00

## 4. Nature of Respondent

(a) Provide the following information about the Respondent	de the following information about the Respondent:		
Relationship to stations/permits	Licensee		
Nature of Respondent	Limited liability company		

(b) Provide the following information about this report:		
Purpose	Biennial	
"As of" date	10/01/2023	
	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		
Saga Communications of New England, LLC	0009269424		

Fac. ID No.	Call Sign	City	State	Service
8775	WRSI	TURNERS FALLS	MA	FM
9427	WIII	CORTLAND	NY	FM
9795	WSNI	KEENE	NH	FM
17278	WMLL	BEDFORD	NH	FM
17797	WRSY	MARLBORO	VT	FM
18048	WHCU	ITHACA	NY	AM
18051	WYXL	ITHACA	NY	FM
25833	WHAI	GREENFIELD	MA	FM
32390	WQNY	ITHACA	NY	FM
32391	WNYY	ITHACA	NY	AM
36406	WFIZ	ODESSA	NY	FM
36833	WKBK	KEENE	NH	AM
36834	WKNE	KEENE	NH	FM
46962	WHMP	NORTHAMPTON	MA	AM
46963	WLZX-FM	NORTHAMPTON	MA	FM
49982	WPOR	PORTLAND	ME	FM

49983	WBAE	PORTLAND	ME	AM
54779	WIZZ	GREENFIELD	MA	AM
54780	WPVQ-FM	GREENFIELD	MA	FM
56569	WCLZ	NORTH YARMOUTH	ME	FM
57227	WZBK	KEENE	NH	AM
57228	WINQ-FM	WINCHESTER	NH	FM
57780	WKVT-FM	BRATTLEBORO	VT	FM
57781	WINQ	BRATTLEBORO	VT	AM
58536	WYNZ	SOUTH PORTLAND	ME	FM
58538	WZAN	PORTLAND	ME	AM
58543	WFEA	MANCHESTER	NH	AM
58544	WGAN	PORTLAND	ME	AM
58546	WLZX	EAST LONGMEADOW	MA	AM
58548	WMGX	PORTLAND	ME	FM
58550	WZID	MANCHESTER	NH	FM
58551	WAQY	SPRINGFIELD	MA	FM
73088	WVAE	BIDDEFORD	ME	AM

### **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	Certificate of Formation
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Delaware
Date of execution	07/2003
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	Operating Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A
Date of execution	07/2003
Date of expiration	No expiration date

Agreement type	Other
(check all that apply)	Agreement Type: Operating Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Pledge and Security Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT
Date of execution	08/2015
Date of expiration	12/2027
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS  ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Agreement/Plan of Reorganization (Saga Comm., Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A
Date of execution	12/1992
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Agreement/Plan of Reorganization

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Credit Agreement (Saga Comm., Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT
Date of execution	08/2015
Date of expiration	12/2027
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: Credit Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Pledge and Security Agreement (Saga Comm., Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT.
Date of execution	08/2015
Date of expiration	12/2027
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Pledge and Security Agreement

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Second Amended and Restated Saga Communications, Inc., 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan (Saga Comm., Inc.)
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A

Date of execution	03/2005
Date of expiration	11/2025
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Second Amended and Restated Saga Communications, Inc., 2005 Incentive Compensation Plan

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	By-Laws of Saga Communications Reincorporation, Inc. (A Florida Corporation)
Parties to contract or instrument	N/A
Date of execution	05/2020
Date of expiration	No expiration date
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other Agreement Type: By-Laws

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Assumption Agreement and Amendment of Loan Documents
Parties to contract or instrument	Saga Communications, Inc., a Delaware Corporation; Saga Communications Reincorporation, Inc., a Florida Corporation; Saga Communications of New England, LLC, other subsidiary licensees and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as Administrative Agent and a Lender.
Date of execution	05/2020
Date of expiration	12/2027
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Assumption Agreement and Amendment of Loan Documents

Document Information	
Description of contract or instrument	Articles of Incorporation of Saga Communications Reincorporation, Inc. (a Florida Corporation) Name changed to Saga Communications, Inc.
Parties to contract or instrument	State of Florida
Date of execution	05/2020
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	Third Amendment to Credit Agreement
Parties to contract or instrument	Saga Communications, Inc., and JP Morgan Chase Bank, N. A., as Administrative Agent
Date of execution	12/2022
Date of expiration	12/2027

Agreement type	Other
(check all that apply)	Agreement Type: Amendment to Credit Agreement

Document Information			
Description of contract or instrument	Saga Communications, Inc. 2023 Incentive Compensation Plan		
Parties to contract or instrument	Saga Communications, Inc., and directors who are not employees, officers and selected employees of Saga Communications, Inc., and its subsidiaries.		
Date of execution	05/2023		
Date of expiration	No expiration date		
Agreement type (check all that apply)	Other  Agreement Type: Employee Compensation Plan		

## 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	0009269424			
Entity Name	Saga Communications of New England, LLC			
Address	PO Box Street 1 73 Kercheval Avenue			
	Street 2			
	City Grosse Pointe Farms			
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MI		
	Zip/Postal Code	48236		
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
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 that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	or more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information				
FRN	0002750206			
Entity Name	Saga Communications, Inc.			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	73 Kercheval Avenue		
	Street 2			
	City	Grosse Pointe Farms		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. MI address)			
	Zip/Postal Code	48236		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Other - Sole Member	Other - Sole Member		
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?			
from 0.0 to 100.0)	Equity	100.0%		
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)			
Does interest holder have a	an attributable interest in one oreport?	r more broadcast stations	Yes	

Ownership Information				
FRN	0019224567	0019224567		
Name	Marcia Lobaito	Marcia Lobaito		
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	73 Kercheval Avenue		
	Street 2			
	City	Grosse Pointe Farms		

	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MI	
	Zip/Postal Code	48236	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
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 that do not appear on this	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	Yes

Ownership Information				
FRN	0019247741			
Name	Samuel Bush			
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	73 Kercheval Avenue		
	Street 2			
	City	Grosse Pointe Farms		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MI		
	Zip/Postal Code 48236			
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer			
Citizenship, Gender,	Citizenship	US		
Ethnicity, and Race Information (Natural	Gender	Male		
Persons Only)	Ethnicity	Not Hispanic or Latino	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

Ownership Information				
FRN	0023082563			
Name	Chet M. Osadchey			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	1751 Hanshaw Road		
	Street 2			
	City	Ithaca		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. NY address)			
	Zip/Postal Code	14850		
	Country (if non-U.S. United States address)			
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer	Officer		
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 No that do not appear on this report?			

Ownership Information			
FRN	0019225796	0019225796	
Name	Daniel J. Guin	Daniel J. Guin	
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	81 Woodard Road	
	Street 2		
	City	Greenfield	
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	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MA	
	Zip/Postal Code	01301	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
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 a	an attributable interest in one o	r more broadcast stations	No

FRN	9990142488		
Name	Phil Zachary		
Address	РО Вох		
	Street 1	420 Western Avenue	
	Street 2		
	City	Portland	
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	ME	
	Zip/Postal Code	04106	
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States	
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder		
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer		
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	0.0%	
	Total assets (Equity Debt Plus)		
Does interest holder have at that do not appear on this re	n attributable interest in one of eport?	r more broadcast stations	No

Ownership Information				
FRN	0019229558			
Name	Catherine Bobinski			
Address	PO Box			
	Street 1	73 Kercheval Avenue		
	Street 2	73 Kercheval Avenue		
	City	Grosse Pointe Farms		
	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MI		
	Zip/Postal Code	48236		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer			
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 a that do not appear on this r	in attributable interest in one o eport?	r more broadcast stations	Yes	

Ownership Information				
FRN	0021284526	0021284526		
Name	christopher s. forgy	christopher s. forgy		
Address	РО Вох			
	Street 1	73 Kercheval Ave.		
	Street 2			
	City	Grosse Pointe Farms		
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	State ("NA" if non-U.S. address)	MI		
	Zip/Postal Code	48236		
	Country (if non-U.S. address)	United States		
Listing Type	Other Interest Holder			
Positional Interests (check all that apply)	Officer			
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	0.8%	Jointly Held? No	
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	
• •	nat any interests, including equi his filing are non-attributable. an explanation.	ty, financial, or voting	Yes	

(c) Are any of the individuals listed as an attributable interest holder in the Respondent married to each other or related to each other as parentchild or as siblings?	No
If "Yes," provide the following information for each such the relationship.	

(d) 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.

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
2023 Corporate Structure Chart - Saga New England -With TowerView.pdf	Applicant	Ownership Chart	Corporate Structure Chart Saga Communications of New England, LLC

### **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>Treasurer</b> Exact Legal Title or Name of Respondent: <b>Saga Communications of New England, LLC</b> Name: <b>Samuel D. Bush</b> Phone: <b>3138867070</b> 12/01/2023