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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Gentzel Kevin

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

01/26/2019

Gannett Co., Inc. [GCI]

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

President, USAT Net. Mar. Sol.

4. Relationship of Reporting

Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C.O GANNETT CO.,

INC., Â 7950 JONES BRANCH

DRIVE

(Street)

Director _X__ Officer

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

MCLEAN. VAÂ 22107

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

18,479

D

Common Stock

 $1,395 \frac{(1)}{2}$

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Ι By 401(k) Plan

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security**

Conversion

or Exercise

Ownership Form of

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	12/31/2019	Common Stock	2,441	\$ (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	12/31/2020	Common Stock	9,828	\$ (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(5)	01/01/2021	Common Stock	16,410	\$ (3)	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Gentzel Kevin C.O GANNETT CO., INC. 7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22107	Â	Â	President, USAT Net. Mar. Sol.	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Elizabeth A.
Allen

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Based upon information from the plan administrator as of January 25, 2019.
- (2) These RSUs represent the unvested 25% portion of an award granted in 2016 and will vest in full on December 31, 2019.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the underlying Common Stock.
- (4) These RSUs represent the unvested 50% portion of an award granted in 2017 and will vest in two equal annual installments on December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020.
- (5) These RSUs represent the unvested 67% portion of an award granted in 2018 and will vest in two annual installments on January 1, 2020 and January 1, 2021.

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