

Gannett Co., Inc.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Cody John E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O GANNETT CO., INC., 7950
 JONES BRANCH DRIVE

(Street)

MCLEAN, VA 22107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Gannett Co., Inc. [GCI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 06/29/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
 07/01/2015

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Amount | | |
| | | | | Code | V | | |
| | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | (D) | Price | | |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|-----|-----|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 5.35 ⁽¹⁾ | 06/29/2015 | A | 423 | | | | | ⁽²⁾ | 05/03/2019 | Common Stock | 423 |
| Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.9 ⁽¹⁾ | 06/29/2015 | A | 5,241 | | | | | ⁽²⁾ | 05/01/2020 | Common Stock | 5,241 |
| Director Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 7.21 ⁽¹⁾ | 06/29/2015 | A | 3,768 | | | | | ⁽²⁾ | 05/07/2021 | Common Stock | 3,768 |
| Restricted Stock Units | ⁽³⁾ | 06/29/2015 | A | 10,335 | | | | | ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/31/2040 | Common Stock | 10,335 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Cody John E C/O GANNETT CO., INC. 7950 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22107 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Elizabeth A. Allen,
Attorney-In-Fact

07/09/2015

 Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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) In connection with the spin-off of the Issuer from TEGNA Inc. on June 29, 2015, each outstanding TEGNA stock option award was converted into an award of options to purchase both shares of TEGNA's common stock and shares of the Issuer's common stock. The number of shares and exercise prices of each option award were adjusted (based in part on the volume weighted average per-share price

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of the Issuer's common stock during each of the first five full NYSE trading sessions commencing June 29, 2015) in a manner intended to preserve the aggregate intrinsic value of the original TEGNA stock option. This amendment is being filed to disclose the exercise price and number of underlying shares that have been determined in respect of each grant.

- (2) The option has vested as to all shares subject to the grant.

In connection with the spin-off, this outstanding and unvested time-vesting TEGNA restricted stock unit (RSU) award granted in 2015 was converted into an RSU award denominated in shares of the Issuer's common stock. The number of underlying shares was adjusted (based in part on the volume weighted average per-share price of the Issuer's common stock during each of the first five full NYSE trading sessions commencing June 29, 2015) in a manner intended to preserve the aggregate intrinsic value of the original TEGNA RSU award. This amendment is being filed to disclose the number of shares of the Issuer's common stock underlying this RSU. Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's underlying common stock.

- (3) These RSUs vest in four equal quarterly installments beginning on August 1, 2015. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person as soon as administratively practicable upon the reporting person's separation from service with the Issuer.

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