A. H. Belo Corp Form 10-Q July 28, 2015

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 10-Q

þ QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended: June 30, 2015

OR

o TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission file no. 1-33741

#### (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 38-3765318

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or . . . . (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

organization)

P. O. Box 224866, Dallas, Texas 75222-4866 (214) 977-8200

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

code)

Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.

None

Indicate by check mark whether registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90

days. Yes b No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§ 232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes b No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer: o Accelerated filer: b Non-accelerated filer: o Smaller reporting company: o

(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the

Act). Yes o No b

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest possible date.

Outstanding at July 24, 2015

Class

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Common Stock, \$.01 par value

21,680,077

Total Common Stock consists of 19,292,128 shares of Series A Common Stock and 2,387,949 shares of Series B Common Stock.

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# A. H. BELO CORPORATION

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PART I

Item 1. Financial Information

A. H. Belo Corporation and Subsidiaries

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations

Contract Constituted Statements of Specialisms	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,			),	
In thousands, except share and per share amounts	2015		2014		2015		2014	
(unaudited)	2015		2011		2012		2011	
Net Operating Revenue								
Advertising and marketing services	\$38,266		\$40,251		\$75,097		\$77,977	
Circulation	20,816		21,227		41,854		42,239	
Printing, distribution and other	7,594		7,783		15,161		13,437	
Total net operating revenue	66,676		69,261		132,112		133,653	
Operating Costs and Expense								
Employee compensation and benefits	25,105		25,722		52,608		53,886	
Other production, distribution and operating costs	31,015		29,640		62,475		58,084	
Newsprint, ink and other supplies	7,843		8,114		16,009		16,102	
Depreciation	2,875		3,348		5,915		6,758	
Amortization	373		30		746		60	
Total operating costs and expense	67,211		66,854		137,753		134,890	
Operating income (loss)	(535	)	2,407		(5,641	)	(1,237	)
Other Income (Expense), Net								
Gains on equity method investments, net	690		18,567		276		18,159	
Other income (loss), net	(532	)	141		(423	)	258	
Total other income (expense), net	158		18,708		(147	)	18,417	
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations Before	(277	`	21 115		<i>(5.</i> 700	`	17 100	
Income Taxes	(377	)	21,115		(5,788	)	17,180	
Income tax provision (benefit)	317		1,428		(5,413	)	2,319	
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(694	)	19,687		(375	)	14,861	
Income from discontinued operations	_		2,146		_		3,123	
Income (Loss) related to the divestiture of discontinued	2		1.50		(10	`	(25	\
operations, net	2		153		(10	)	(25	)
Tax expense from discontinued operations	_		30		_		46	
Gain (Loss) from Discontinued Operations, Net	2		2,269		(10	)	3,052	
Net Income (Loss)	(692	)	21,956		(385	)	17,913	
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	(100	)	(24	)	(156	)	(30	)
Net Income (Loss) Attributable to A. H. Belo Corporation	n \$(592	)	\$21,980	•	\$(229	)	\$17,943	
•			•					
Per Share Basis								
Basic								
Continuing operations	\$(0.03	)	\$0.86		\$(0.01	)	\$0.64	
Discontinued operations			0.10		_			