FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Withers W. Russell Jr.</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SAGA COMMUNICATIONS INC [ SGA ]									5.	heck all a	onship of Reporting Person(s) Il applicable) Director 10		to Issuer
(Last) (First) (Middle) 73 KERCHEVAL AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2013											icer (give title ow)	Othe belo	r (specify v)
(Street) GROSSE POINTE MI 48236 FARMS  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	le I - Non	-Deriva	ative	Sec	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally Ow	ned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Day/Year)   Ex		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				nd Seci Ben Owr	mount of irities eficially ed Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Tran	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)		
Class A Common Stock 11/06									A		457	457 A		\$0	(1)	457	D	
		Та	able II - D								sed of, onvertib				y Owne	d		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	ion Date E ise (Month/Day/Year) if	Execution if any	Execution Date, If any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. B)		of		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price o Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Grant of restricted stock which vests in one-third increments on November 6, 2014, 2015 and 2016 unless reporting person is no longer a director on the applicable date. Any restricted stock which does not vest is forfeited. Notwithstanding the above, if the reporting person is a director on the occurrence or deemed occurrence of a change in control, all restricted stock shall vest.

(D)

Date Exercisable

Fred B. Green as attorney-in-

Number

of Shares

11/08/2013

**fact** 

Title

Expiration

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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