Colleagues: I am pleased to announce that Sean McGarvy senior director of local news strategy is moving to the new role of senior director of digital news and content strategy effective June 16.

In this new role Sean will report to me and develop and execute the strategic vision for news content across all Scripps News Group digital platforms including Scripps News and our local stations. He will partner closely with VP of Scripps News Matt Simon VP of Local News Jeff Kiernan SVP of Digital and Streaming Joe Naylor and their teams. Sean's work on the development of the current content strategy across Local Media has created the foundation to further build out streaming and video-focused strategies with our digital assets to meet consumers' needs.

Sean has been in his current position since April 2020 where he has worked with our local markets to implement our content strategy our focus on community connection and our partnership with Scripps News. A former news director he is a trusted leader who understands our newsrooms and our news vision to deliver exceptional journalism on every platform as one Scripps news team. This new role recognizes the critical importance of digital and streaming to meet a growing number of consumers where they are. Sean has the experience passion and vision to lead a cohesive consumer-centric approach to our digital news strategy.

Prior to his current role Sean was the news director at WEWS in Cleveland and the assistant news director at KMGH in Denver. His career spans almost thirty years in newsrooms across the country and his work has been recognized with seven Edward R. Murrow Awards and 10 regional Emmy Awards.

Sean has served as a director at large for RTDNA/RTDNF and on the board of NATAS' National Capital Chesapeake Bay Chapter. He holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in broadcast journalism from the University of Missouri in Columbia.

Please join me in congratulating Sean on his new role.

Dean Littleton
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