

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Wesolowski Timothy M</u>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2011	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SCRIPPS E W CO /DE [SSP]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP, CFO and Treasurer</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
(Last) (First) (Middle) <u>312 WALNUT STREET, 28TH FLOOR</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(Street) <u>CINCINNATI OH 45202</u>			
(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: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
<u>Class A Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share</u>	0	D	
<u>Common Voting Shares, \$.01 par value per share</u>	0	D	

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 (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
<u>Restricted Stock Unit</u>	<u>09/01/2012</u>	<u>09/01/2015</u>	<u>Restricted Stock Units</u>	<u>24,968</u>	<u>(I)</u>	<u>D</u>

Explanation of Responses:

1. This restricted unit award will vest in equal parts in 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015. Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit will convert into one Class A Common share of the Company.

Remarks:

/s/ William Appleton,
Attorney-in-fact for Timothy M. Wesolowski 09/06/2011

** 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 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).

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BE IT KNOWN, that Timothy M. Wesolowski, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, effective August 31, 2011, does hereby make and appoint Timothy E. Stautberg, Senior Vice President/Newspapers, William Appleton, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, and Julie McGehee, Vice President, Benefits and Compensation of The E. W. Scripps Company, as his true and lawful attorneys for him and in his name, place and stead, giving and granting to each attorney the power and authority to sign and file reports required under Section 16(a) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming such act(s) that said attorneys shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as of the 26th day of August, 2011.

/s/ Timothy M. Wesolowski