

## **TEGNA Announces Quarterly Dividend**

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TYSONS, Va.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Jul. 21, 2021-- TEGNA Inc.'s (NYSE: TGNA) Board of Directors today declared a dividend of 9.5 cents per share, payable on October 1, 2021 to stockholders of record as of the close of business on September 3, 2021.

"Our record first quarter results, and the second quarter and full-year 2021 guidance we provided on May 10, 2021, reflect the strength of our business and favorable positioning for continued growth and value creation," said Dave Lougee, president and chief executive officer, TEGNA. "As we announced on March 29, this 9.5 cents per share dividend represents a 36 percent increase to our prior dividend on an annualized basis, and is a reflection of our Board's active review of our capital allocation program and options to create and return value to shareholders."

### **About TEGNA**

TEGNA Inc. (NYSE: TGNA) is an innovative media company that serves the greater good of our communities. Across platforms, TEGNA tells empowering stories, conducts impactful investigations and delivers innovative marketing solutions. With 64 television stations in 51 U.S. markets, TEGNA is the largest owner of top 4 network affiliates in the top 25 markets among independent station groups, reaching approximately 39 percent of all television households nationwide. TEGNA also owns leading multicast networks True Crime Network, Twist and Quest. TEGNA offers innovative solutions to help businesses reach consumers across television, digital and over-the-top (OTT) platforms, including <a href="Permion">Premion</a>, TEGNAS OTT advertising service. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.tegna.com">www.tegna.com</a>.

#### **Forward Looking Statements**

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