A. H. Belo Corporation - Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)

In thousands (unaudited)			Three Months Ended													
	March 31, 2019		December 31, 2018		September 30, 2018		June 30, 2018		March 31, 2018		Dec	ember 31, 2017	September 30, 2017		June 30, 2017	
Total net operating revenue	<u> </u>	46,589	\$	52,613	\$	49,052	\$	51,169	\$	49,453	\$	64,077	\$	60,559	\$	63,089
Total operating costs and expense		50,641		53,616	·	50,354		52,536	·	55,670		65,389	·	60,557		64,367
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(4,052)	\$	(1,003)	\$	(1,302)	\$	(1,367)	\$	(6,217)	\$	(1,312)	\$	2	\$	(1,278)
Total net operating revenue Addback:	\$	46,589	\$	52,613	\$	49,052	\$	51,169	\$	49,453	\$	64,077	\$	60,559	\$	63,089
Advertising contra revenue		2,652		2,943		3,018		2,906		2,853		-		-		-
Circulation contra revenue		175		217		262		269		258				-		-
Adjusted Operating Revenue	\$	49,416	\$	55,773	\$	52,332	\$	54,344	\$	52,564	\$	64,077	\$	60,559	\$	63,089
Total operating costs and expense Addback:	\$	50,641	\$	53,616	\$	50,354	\$	52,536	\$	55,670	\$	65,389	\$	60,557	\$	64,367
Advertising contra expense		2,652		2,943		3,018		2,906		2,853		-		-		-
Circulation contra expense		175		217		262		269		258		_		-		-
Less:																
Depreciation		2,386		2,380		2,514		2,535		2,473		2,575		2,607		2,727
Amortization		200		200		199		200		200		200		200		199
Severance expense		601		17		222		411		123		84		531		277
Asset impairments						-		(22)				3,116				-
Adjusted Operating Expense	\$	50,281	\$	54,179	\$	50,699	\$	52,587	\$	55,985	\$	59,414	\$	57,219	\$	61,164
Adjusted operating revenue	\$	49,416	\$	55,773	\$	52,332	\$	54,344	\$	52,564	\$	64,077	\$	60,559	\$	63,089
Adjusted operating expense		50,281		54,179		50,699		52,587		55,985		59,414		57,219		61,164
Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(865)	\$	1,594	\$	1,633	\$	1,757	\$	(3,421)	\$	4,663	\$	3,340	\$	1,925
Adjusted Operating Income (Loss) as			Φ.	2 (21	ф.	2.500	Φ.	2 (00	Φ.	(2.404)	Φ.		ф.	4.200		
previously reported			\$	2,621	\$	2,563	\$	2,688	\$	(2,491)	\$	5,525	\$	4,200	\$	2,784

A. H. Belo Corporation (the "Company") calculates adjusted operating income (loss) by adjusting operating income (loss) to exclude depreciation, amortization, severance expense, and asset impairments ("adjusted operating income (loss)"). The Company believes that inclusion of certain noncash expenses and other items in the results makes for more difficult comparisons between years and with peer group companies.

The Company adopted the new revenue guidance (Topic 606) using the modified retrospective approach as of January 1, 2018. Results for reporting periods beginning after January 1, 2018, are presented in accordance with the new guidance, while prior period amounts are not restated. While the Company adjusts operating revenue and expense for non-GAAP presentation, these adjustments have no effect on adjusted operating income (loss). Additionally, the Company adopted the new retirement benefits guidance (Topic 715) retrospectively as of January 1, 2018, which requires net periodic pension and other post-employment expense (benefit) to be included in non-operating income (expense). As of January 1, 2019, the Company determined pension and post-employment expense (benefit) would no longer be an addback in the calculation of adjusted operating expense. For comparative purposes, adjusted operating expense and adjusted operating income (loss) for the prior periods were restated.

Adjusted operating income (loss) is not a measure of financial performance under generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). Management uses adjusted operating income (loss) and similar measures in internal analyses as supplemental measures of the Company's financial performance, and for performance comparisons versus its peer group of companies. Management uses this non-GAAP financial measure for the purposes of evaluating consolidated Company performance. The Company therefore believes that the non-GAAP measure presented provides useful information to investors by allowing them to view the Company's business through the eyes of management and the Board of Directors, facilitating comparison of results across historical periods and providing a focus on the underlying ongoing operating performance of its business. Adjusted operating income (loss) should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for net income (loss), cash flows provided by (used for) operating activities or other comparable measures prepared in accordance with GAAP. Additionally, this non-GAAP measure may not be comparable to similarly-titled measures of other companies.

A. H. Belo Corporation - 2019 Non-GAAP Financial Measures (by Segment) Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)

	Three Months Ended								
	March 31, 2019								
			M	arketing					
In thousands (unaudited)	Pu	blishing	5	Services					
Total net operating revenue	\$	40,703	\$	5,886					
Total operating costs and expense		44,743		5,898					
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(4,040)	\$	(12)					
Total net operating revenue Addback:	\$	40,703	\$	5,886					
Advertising contra revenue		1,645		1,007					
Circulation contra revenue		175		-					
Adjusted Operating Revenue	\$	42,523	\$	6,893					
Total operating costs and expense Addback:	\$	44,743	\$	5,898					
Advertising contra expense		1,645		1,007					
Circulation contra expense		175		-					
Less:									
Depreciation		2,317		69					
Amortization		-		200					
Severance expense		601		-					
Asset impairments		-		-					
Adjusted Operating Expense	\$	43,645	\$	6,636					
Adjusted operating revenue	\$	42,523	\$	6,893					
Adjusted operating expense		43,645		6,636					
Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(1,122)	\$	257					

A. H. Belo Corporation - 2018 (Recast) Non-GAAP Financial Measures (by Segment) Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)

	Twelve Months Ended				Three Months Ended														
	December 31, 2018			December 31, 2018			September 30, 2018				June 30, 2018				March 31, 2018				
			M	arketing			M	arketing			Ma	ırketing			Marketing			Mai	rketing
In thousands (unaudited)	Pı	ıblishing	S	Services	Pu	blishing	S	ervices	Pu	blishing	Se	ervices	Pu	blishing	Services	Pu	blishing	Se	rvices
Total net operating revenue	\$	178,520	\$	23,767	\$	46,558	\$	6,055	\$	43,248	\$	5,804	\$	45,085	\$ 6,084	\$	43,629	\$	5,824
Total operating costs and expense		189,844		22,332		48,056		5,560		44,973		5,381		46,884	5,652		49,931		5,739
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(11,324)	\$	1,435	\$	(1,498)	\$	495	\$	(1,725)	\$	423	\$	(1,799)	\$ 432	\$	(6,302)	\$	85
Total net operating revenue Addback:	\$	178,520	\$	23,767	\$	46,558	\$	6,055	\$	43,248	\$	5,804	\$	45,085	\$ 6,084	\$	43,629	\$	5,824
Advertising contra revenue		6,782		4,938		1,724		1,219		1,746		1,272		1,711	1,195		1,601		1,252
Circulation contra revenue		1,006		_		217		-		262		-		269			258		-
Adjusted Operating Revenue	\$	186,308	\$	28,705	\$	48,499	\$	7,274	\$	45,256	\$	7,076	\$	47,065	\$ 7,279	\$	45,488	\$	7,076
Total operating costs and expense Addback:	\$	189,844	\$	22,332	\$	48,056	\$	5,560	\$	44,973	\$	5,381	\$	46,884	\$ 5,652	\$	49,931	\$	5,739
Advertising contra expense		6,782		4,938		1,724		1,219		1,746		1,272		1,711	1,195		1,601		1,252
Circulation contra expense		1,006		-		217		-		262		-		269	-		258		-
Less:																			
Depreciation		9,699		203		2,310		70		2,455		59		2,498	37		2,436		37
Amortization		-		799		-		200		-		199		-	200		-		200
Severance expense		740		33		17		-		195		27		407	4		121		2
Asset impairments		(22)				-		-		-				(22)	_		-		-
Adjusted Operating Expense	\$	187,215	\$	26,235	\$	47,670	\$	6,509	\$	44,331	\$	6,368	\$	45,981	\$ 6,606	\$	49,233	\$	6,752
Adjusted operating revenue	\$	186,308	\$	28,705	\$	48,499	\$	7,274	\$	45,256	\$	7,076	\$	47,065	\$ 7,279	\$	45,488	\$	7,076
Adjusted operating expense		187,215		26,235		47,670		6,509		44,331		6,368		45,981	6,606		49,233		6,752
Adjusted Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(907)	\$	2,470	\$	829	\$	765	\$	925	\$	708	\$	1,084	\$ 673	\$	(3,745)	\$	324
Adjusted Operating Income (Loss) as																			
previously reported	\$	3,089	\$	2,292	\$	1,642	\$	979	\$	2,026	\$	537	\$	2,069	\$ 619	\$	(2,648)	\$	157

In the first quarter of 2019, the Company determined one of the Company's business units, previously reported in the Publishing segment, is now providing services and products more closely aligned with the Marketing Services segment. Beginning January 1, 2019, this business unit will be reported in the Marketing Services segment. The 2018 financial information by segment was recast for comparative purposes.

The Company adopted the new retirement benefits guidance (Topic 715) retrospectively as of January 1, 2018, which requires net periodic pension and other post-employment expense (benefit) to be included in non-operating income (expense). As of January 1, 2019, the Company determined pension and post-employment expense (benefit) would no longer be an addback in the calculation of adjusted operating expense. For comparative purposes, adjusted operating expense and adjusted operating income (loss) for the prior periods were restated.