PAYNE DAVID L

Form 4

December 21, 2009

# FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Symbol

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287

Expires: January 31, 2005

Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Form 5
obligations
may continue.

See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

PAYNE DAVID L

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

				STAMERICA NCORPORATION [WABC] (Check all applicable)				ole)					
(Last) WESTAME			3. Date of (Month/D) 12/17/20	ay/Year		ansaction			_X_ Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chairman, President & CEO				
MANGELS	ORATION, 455 BLVD.	00											
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
94534			Filed(Month/Day/Year)  Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reportin  Person										
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - No	n-D	erivative S	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefici	ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year		Date, if	Code (Instr.	TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)					
Common Stock	12/17/2009			G	V	750	D	\$ 0	320,095	I	By Trust		
Common Stock									0	D			
Common Stock									459	I	By Daughter		
Common Stock									528,837	I	By Gibson Radio & Publishing		

#### Edgar Filing: PAYNE DAVID L - Form 4

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control				
Common Stock Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benef	10,924.913 icially owned directly or indirectly.	I	Esop	
Common Stock	462	I	Company (1)  By Son	
			Company (1)	

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

number.

9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amou Under Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

### **Reporting Owners**

/s/ David L.

\*\*Signature of

Reporting Person

Payne

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
coporting of their runter, reduces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PAYNE DAVID L WESTAMERICA BANCORPORATION 4550 MANGELS BLVD. 94534	X		Chairman, President & CEO					
Signatures								

12/18/2009

Date

Reporting Owners 2

Edgar Filing: PAYNE DAVID L - Form 4

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) The reporting person is President and CEO of Gibson Radio and Publishing Company and disclaims beneficial ownership of 528,837 shares.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.