

WTSR(FM), Trenton, NJ

ISSUES / PROGRAMS LIST

2024 Q1

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by **WTSR(FM)**. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Note: 30 and 60 second Public Service Announcements were broadcast regularly every hour of each day during January, February and March. These PSAs included topics such as but not limited to: adoption, forest fire prevention, women's health, mentoring, substance abuse recovery programs, ending hunger, gun safety, child car safety, and the peace corps.

The community issues given significant treatment in this quarter include:

Air Quality, Accident, Atlantic City, Beaches, Business, Casinos, Civil Rights, Colleges, Construction, Corruption, MetLife Stadium, World Cup, Crime, Economy, Education, Entertainment, Environment, Federal Government, Fire, Gambling, Gas, Government, Governor Phil Murphy, Health, History, Legal Cases, Local Businesses, New Jersey, New York, New York City, Philadelphia, Politics, President Biden, Protest, Public Safety, Senator Bob Menendez, Sports, State Government, Taxation, Tourism, Transportation, Water, Wildlife, Wind Power

Programming: The following community issues were all covered during Dayside Programs, in which DJs regularly cover local news at the top of every hour. The duration of these segments is generally one to two minutes. This is not an exhaustive list of all local news. Other local news announcements were included during this period of dayside shows.

It is important to note that regular dayside programming temporarily ends with the end of the semester at TCNJ in late December. As a result, there was no notable community programming until the beginning of the 2024 semester on February 13th. However, PSAs continued to play regularly each hour of automated broadcasting during this period of time.

FEBRUARY 2024

Issues	Date	Time	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Crime, Accident	2/13/2024	11:37:36	Driver sentenced to 25 years in deaths during New Jersey pop-up car rally
Environment, Economy, Beaches	2/13/2024	12:59:10	New Jersey denies bulkhead for shore town with wrecked sand dunes
Gambling, Sports	2/13/2024	14:24:03	Super Bowl bets placed online surged this year, verification company says
Transportation	2/13/2024	15:03:54	More than 1,000 flights already cancelled due to storm, was one of them yours? Here's what to do
MetLife Stadium, World Cup, Economy, Sports	2/13/2024	20:44:19	2026 World Cup final will be played at MetLife Stadium in New Jersey

MetLife Stadium, World Cup, Economy, Sports	2/13/2024	20:44:42	2026 World Cup final will be played at MetLife Stadium in New Jersey
Environment, Economy	2/13/2024	20:45:25	New Jersey denies bulkhead for shore town with wrecked sand dunes
Transportation, Accident	2/14/2024	8:57:10	Crash of school bus, utility truck sends about a dozen people to hospitals, police say (Medford, NJ)
Transportation, Accident	2/14/2024	9:05:43	Crash of school bus, utility truck sends about a dozen people to hospitals, police say (Medford, NJ)
Philadelphia, Transportation, Protest	2/14/2024	11:54:46	Uber strike Impacting Philadelphia
Transportation, Accident	2/14/2024	14:13:51	Medford, New Jersey school bus crash
Gambling, Civil Rights, Casinos	2/15/2024	13:46:19	A new bill will allow some smoking in Atlantic City Casinos
Metlife Stadium, Sports	2/16/2024	8:10:19	Hockey One. Hockey Two. Two outdoor NHL games at MetLife Stadium with playoff implications.
Sports	2/16/2024	12:08:45	Byfield scores late, Kings rebound from lopsided loss to beat Devils 2-1
Philadelphia, Crime	2/16/2024	14:13:54	Pennsylvania courts say no ransom was paid in cyber attack, but attackers never sent a demand
Economy	2/16/2024	14:51:37	Stock market today: Wall Street is drifting as an update on inflation keeps stocks in check.
Gambling, Governor Phil Murphy, Casinos	2/16/2024	20:02:09	Bill would let Atlantic City casinos keep smoking with some more restrictions.
Gambling, Governor Phil Murphy, Casinos	2/16/2024	20:02:34	Bill would let Atlantic City casinos keep smoking with some more restrictions.
Gambling	2/19/2024	9:53:36	Four major gambling revenue records were broken in January
MetLife Stadium, Sports	2/19/2024	10:28:06	Flyers, Rangers, Devils test the ice at MetLife Stadium in practices for Stadium Series games
Gambling, Economy	2/19/2024	12:05:56	New Jersey casinos had a record-breaking month in January for online gambling despite a recent dip in in-person gamblers.
Gambling, Economy	2/19/2024	16:47:26	A record breaking January for New Jersey gambling, even as in person casino winnings fall
Gambling, Economy	2/20/2024	12:23:31	A record breaking January for New Jersey gambling, even as in-person casino winnings fall
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Sports	2/20/2024	14:05:21	Nico Hischier scores twice as Devils beat Flyers 6-3 before 70,328 at MetLife Stadium
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/20/2024	15:20:40	U.S. casinos won \$66.5B in 2023, their best year ever as gamblers showed no economic fear
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/21/2024	8:56:54	U.S. casinos won \$66.5B in 2023, their best year ever as gamblers showed no economic fear
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/21/2024	8:57:14	U.S. casinos won \$66.5B in 2023, their best year ever as gamblers showed no economic fear
New Jersey, Environment	2/21/2024	11:07:52	NJ First Lady Tammy Murphy opposes power plant
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/21/2024	14:47:34	Gambling Profits Increase - Atlantic City
Sports, Philadelphia	2/22/2024	13:22:08	The Phillies are trying to get Zack Wheeler a new contract
Public Safety, Politics	2/22/2024	18:35:06	Pennsylvania's high court sides with township over its ban of a backyard gun range
Public Safety, Politics	2/22/2024	18:35:21	Pennsylvania's high court sides with township over its ban of a backyard gun range
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/23/2024	8:13:52	LOCALIZE IT: U.S. commercial casinos had their best year ever in 2023.
Casinos, Economy, Gambling	2/23/2024	12:08:30	LOCALIZE IT: U.S commercial casinos had their best year ever in 2023
Sports, New Jersey	2/23/2024	14:19:58	Lafreniere scores twice Rangers extend winning streak 9 with 5-1 win over the Devils
Politics, Environment,	2/23/2024	15:17:23	Governor Murphy's wife doesn't support a power plant he has the power to block.
Beaches, Economy, Politics, Tourism	2/26/2024	9:55:21	New Jersey beefs up its iconic jersey shore boardwalks with \$100m in repair or rebuilding funds
Crime, New Jersey, Colleges	2/26/2024	11:09:17	New Jersey man acquitted in retrial in 2014 beating death of college student from Tennessee
Crime, New Jersey, Colleges	2/26/2024	11:09:37	New Jersey man acquitted in retrial in 2014 beating death of college student from Tennessee.
Casinos, Gambling, Local Businesses	2/26/2024	16:10:00	Mohegan tribe to end management of Atlantic City's Resorts casino at year's end
Casinos, Gambling, Local Businesses	2/27/2024	14:08:11	Mohegan tribe to end management of Atlantic City's Resorts casino at year's end

Corruption, Politics	2/27/2024	15:09:19	US Rep. Andy Kim sues over what he calls New Jersey's 'cynically manipulated' ballot system
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Casinos, Gambling, Local Businesses	2/28/2024	8:59:06	Mohegan tribe to end management of Atlantic City's Resorts casino at year's end
Casinos, Gambling, Local Businesses	2/28/2024	9:04:55	Mohegan tribe to end management of Atlantic City's Resorts casino at year's end
Education, Politics, Economy	2/28/2024	11:41:33	Murphy seeks \$55.9 B NJ budget, increasing education and boosting biz taxes
Education, Politics, Economy	2/28/2024	14:57:41	Phil Murphy new budget proposal
Environment, Politics	2/29/2024	13:46:16	How a Congressman's Challenge to New Jersey's First Lady is Chaking up a Key Senate Race
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MARCH 2024

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Philadelphia, Sports	3/1/2024	10:45:10	Philadelphia Phillies are scrapping \$1 hot dog nights following unruly fan behavior
Environment, Politics	3/1/2024	12:13:06	How a congressman's challenge to New Jersey's first lady is shaking up a key senate race.
Corruption, Politics	3/1/2024	14:05:15	New Jersey businessman pleads guilty and agrees to cooperate in case against Sen. Bob Menendez
Corruption, Politics, Bob Menendez	3/1/2024	15:22:27	Andy Kim is taking a stab at the senator after the disgracing of incumbent Bob Menendez
New Jersey, Transportation	3/4/2024	9:53:07	A New Jersey City that Limited Street Parking Hasn't had a Traffic Death in 7 Years
New York City, New York	3/4/2024	10:12:01	Fans gather to say goodbye to Flaco the owl in New York City memorial
New Jersey, Crime	3/4/2024	11:05:17	Pennsylvania woman faces life after

			conviction in New Jersey murders of father, his girlfriend.
Bob Menendez, Politics, Corruption	3/4/2024	15:20:44	Judge rejects Sen. Bob Menendez's claims that search warrants in bribery case were unconstitutional
Environment, Corruption, Politics	3/5/2024	10:16:41	New Jersey waters down proposed referendum on new fossil fuel power plant ban
Sports	3/5/2024	11:06:09	New Jersey Devils fire coach Lindy Ruff, name Travis Green interim replacement
New Jersey, Crime	3/5/2024	14:11:16	Pennsylvania woman faces life after conviction in New Jersey murders of father, his girlfriend
Sports	3/5/2024	15:04:03	New Jersey Devils fire coach Lindy Ruff, name Travis Green interim replacement
Environment, Corruption, Politics	3/6/2024	9:45:45	New Jersey waters down proposed referendum on new fossil fuel power plant ban
Environment, Corruption, Politics	3/6/2024	9:46:04	New Jersey waters down proposed referendum on new fossil fuel power plant ban
Entertainment, New Jersey	3/6/2024	11:41:35	The Ice Cream Booth the Sopranos ended on was auctioned off
Entertainment, New Jersey	3/6/2024	14:07:05	Famous booth from Sopranos TV show sells.
Entertainment, New Jersey	3/7/2024	13:04:57	The sopranos ice cream booth was auctioned off
Environment, Politics	3/7/2024	14:09:56	New Jersey voters may get the chance in November to weigh in on whether new power plans that burn fossil fuels should be banned. But if they do, any ban would come with a big loophole that would still permit emergency backup plants that burn fossil fuels. A state Senate committee on Monday added the exception to a bill that would authorize a referendum on changing the state's Constitution. As originally written, the measure would have asked voters whether to ban all new fossil fuel plants. But state Sen. Bob Smith says emergency backups are still needed, even as environmental groups say the ban does not go far enough.

Crime, New Jersey, Civil Rights	3/8/2024	9:23:13	New Jersey sees spike in incidents of bias in 2023.
Crime, New Jersey, Civil Rights	3/8/2024	12:07:19	Reports in New Jersey of incidents of bias climbed by 22% last year, according to preliminary data released by the attorney general. Attorney General Matt Platkin's office released the unofficial data for 2023 that saw reports to law enforcement climb to 2,699 from 2,221 the year before along with an analysis for 2022 and 2021 that showed an increase of 17% year over year. The data reflects reports members of the public make to police across the state, including state police, alleging hate crimes or other incidents of bias against protected classes under the law, including race, religion and gender. The incidents include racially discriminatory graffiti, threats or actual physical harm.
New Jersey, Sports	3/8/2024	15:03:15	New Jersey basketball team takes legal offensive to overturn game determining call.
Gambling, Casinos, Economy	3/18/2024	9:54:55	Internet gambling revenue continues to soar in New Jersey. In-person revenue? Not so much.
Crime	3/18/2024	10:06:29	Man accused of killing family members in Pennsylvania facing charges in 2 states
Philadelphia, New Jersey, Crime	3/18/2024	11:58:10	Man suspected of killing 3 people in Philadelphia area arrested in New Jersey, police say.
Local Businesses	3/18/2024	15:51:17	Businesses are ready for April's total solar eclipse with celestial-themed doughnuts and beer
Crime	3/18/2024	16:33:05	Man faces charges in two states after alleged killings of family members in Pennsylvania
Crime, Politics, Corruption, New Jersey	3/19/2024	10:18:12	New Jersey's unique primary ballot design seems to face skepticism from judge in lawsuit.
Environment, Beaches, Casinos	3/19/2024	11:29:58	Too much Atlantic in Atlantic City: Beach erosion has casinos desperately seeking sand by summer
Politics, Beaches	3/19/2024	13:53:32	Trump, Atlantic City boardwalk

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History, Transportation, Philadelphia	3/20/2024	15:52:05	Camden Museum Battleship being repaired
History, Transportation, Philadelphia	3/21/2024	12:56:19	The USS NJ will be sailing down the Delaware
History, Transportation, Philadelphia	3/21/2024	14:07:48	Famed battleship USS New Jersey floating down Delaware River to Philadelphia for maintenance
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History, Transportation, Philadelphia	3/22/2024	15:09:11	USS New Jersey on Delaware River en route to Philadelphia for repairs.
New Jersey, Politics, Corruption	3/25/2024	9:53:21	New Jersey first lady Tammy Murphy suspends her Senate campaign to replace indicted Sen. Menendez
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Crime, New Jersey	3/25/2024	15:58:05	Guns and sneakers were seized from a man accused of killing a pregnant Amish woman, police say
History, Transportation, Philadelphia	3/25/2024	16:59:50	The USS New Jersey is scheduled to move Thursday from its dock in Camden, New Jersey, when it will head to the Philadelphia Navy Yard.
Corruption, New Jersey	3/26/2024	10:13:00	In New Jersey, some see old-school politics giving way to 'spring' amid corruption scandal.
New Jersey, Fire	3/26/2024	11:11:16	Firefighters in New Jersey come to the rescue of a yellow Labrador stuck in a spare tire.
Sports	3/26/2024	13:43:14	Serve USA weather, dog stuck in tire, and kings beat 76s
Local Businesses, Economy, New Jersey	3/26/2024	14:13:50	Maple syrup from New Jersey: You got a problem with that?
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New York, New Jersey, Transportation, New York City, Taxation	3/28/2024	13:36:26	A \$15 toll to drive into part of Manhattan has been approved. That's a first for US cities
Colleges, New Jersey, Local Businesses	3/28/2024	13:56:44	Stockton University is doing research on making maple syrup from NJ maple trees
Crime, New Jersey	3/29/2024	8:05:24	He didn't trust the police, but sought their help anyway. Two days later, he was dead.
Crime, New Jersey	3/29/2024	15:03:02	New Jersey father charged after his 9 year old son's body was found in his burned down vehicle.
Local Businesses, Economy, New Jersey	3/29/2024	16:26:43	New Jersey makes maple syrup