

KOPN Community Radio

401 Bernadette, Columbia, MO 65203

SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

This is not an exhaustive list of KOPN community-oriented issue programming.

October 1st, 2023 to December 31st, 2023

Community Issue	Show/ Broadcast	Description	Date/Time	Length (Hours)
Environmental Safety Issues in Missouri	Evening Edition	A Chat with Melissa Frazier, Public Lands Organizer & Conservation Program Coordinator of the Sierra Club-Missouri Chapter- Discussion was held about things that affect our water quality in Missouri, who monitors the waterways, how can citizens get involved in helping to protect our land and water and the role the Sierra Club plays in all of that.	9/12/2023 6:00 PM	1
My show features members of the Columbia, Missouri community. They talk about themselves and their lives. The premise is they are being placed alone on a deserted island alone for the rest of their lives. They get to bring six pieces of music with them, and one book. I play excerpts from their selections then ask them why they were chosen. The show consists of members of the Columbia community talking about themselves. No politics, no promotions, only themselves.	Marooned	The "issue" is the life of the guest. Columbia is comprised of human beings. I want to know about them as human beings, not advocates of political, economic, social issues. People with a wide range of views talk about themselves as people. This transcends political stances, whether the schools should have been closed, citing of a new high school, abortion, etc. It works. Please. note, the show airs for 30 minutes on the first Tuesday of the month.	10/3/2023 5:00 PM	0.5
Local dog and cat population	Farm & Fiddle	Virtually all the humane shelters in mid-Missouri are	10/11/2023 6:00 PM	1

		full to capacity and the Spay/Neuter Clinic in Columbia offers low-cost spay/neuter services and immunizations to pets and feral animals. They have taken in animals from almost half the counties in Missouri. This was an interview with Director Janeene Johnston.		
Environmental policy	Farm & Fiddle	The policy makers in Jefferson City are inundated with well-paid lobbyists that undermine efforts to pass environmental laws.	10/18/2023 6:00 PM	1
Powerhouse Community Development Corporation	So-Called Good Life	Interview with Hope Collaborative Affirmity LLC	10/27/2023 4:00 PM	2
Loss of bird habitat and depopulation of many bird species	Farm & Fiddle	A conversation with Andrew Farnsworth at the Cornell Lab of Ornithology revealed several ways that the public can help learn more about birds, bird migration and what citizens can do to help the species that are in danger.	11/1/2023 6:00 PM	1
Interview with Dr. Lester Woods regarding the local Source Summit Global Conference.	So-Called Good Life	Counseling the unsheltered	11/3/2023 4:00 PM	2