

KLWD/KWCF ISSUES 2ND QUARTER 2020

**ISSUE:** Community awareness of local events, political decisions, and information for Sheridan, Johnson and Campbell Counties

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs 10 newscasts per day, 7 days per week, informing listeners of local news and information for Wyoming and Campbell County. National news headlines are also included.  
Description: Air locally produced 1 and 2 minute newscasts.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/3/20 557 am  
5/13/20 157 pm  
6/8/20 157 pm

**ISSUE:** Community events and activities

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs local public service announcements for local community events and activities in Campbell, Johnson and Sheridan counties. Announcements are :30 and :60 in length.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/17/20 1127 am  
5/21/20 758 pm  
6/24/20 328 pm

**ISSUE:** Unemployment in Sheridan, Johnson and Campbell counties

**PROGRAM:** Locally produced 1:00 announcements, KLWD and KWCF FM airs a Job Service report 4 times a day, 7 days a week. This program lists open jobs and requirements for those jobs, and gives addresses and phone numbers to contact for more information.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/22/20 628 am  
5/1/20 257 pm  
6/3/20 857 am

**ISSUE:** Local weather

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs :30 and :60 public service and informational announcements 15 times per day.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/12/20 658 am  
5/18/20 657 am  
6/9/20 228 pm

Don Wright, G.M 6/30/20

**ISSUE:** Health Challenges

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs public service announcements informing listeners of programs and activities that promote health and mental health, and encourage preventative medicine and practices. Interviews with health, nutrition and mental health issues are also aired.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/8/20 927 am  
5/26/20 258 pm  
6/14/20 1157 am

**ISSUE:** Suicide

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs :30 public service announcements, encouraging listeners of warning signs and ways to help prevent suicide.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/5/20 357 pm  
5/23/20 857 am  
6/3/20 1057 am

**ISSUE:** Youth and family health

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF airs public service announcements and interview with Youth Emergency services experts, giving helpful advice and informing listeners on area resources available. PSA's are :30 and :60. Interviews are 2 minutes and 15 minutes.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/17/20 358 pm  
5/5/20 727 am  
6/7/20 650 am (interview)

**ISSUE:** Weather emergency preparedness, education, nutrition, Veterans mental health, emergency preparedness, learning and attention issues, college access, and many more issues

**PROGRAM:** KLWD and KWCF FM airs :30 and :60 public service and informational announcements 15 times per day.

SAMPLE DATES/TIMES: 4/9/20 327 pm  
5/30/20 658 am  
6/28/20 915 am

*Donna Light, G.M. 6/30/20*

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ISSUE: Coronavirus pandemic, Wyoming response

PROGRAM: Gov. Mark Gordon Press Conference

DURATION: 60 min.

AIRED: 4/3/20, 3 pm

DESCRIPTION: Wyoming Governor Mark Gordon and Alexia Harrist, State Health Officer and State Epidemiologist discussed the state's response to the coronavirus pandemic. Governor Gordon announced a plan to quarantine out of state or out of country visitors coming into Wyoming for non work related travel for 14 days. He also announced restrictions on numbers of customers that can be in a store at any time and that businesses are responsible to monitor those numbers. He also announced other guidelines to insure social distancing procedures. State Supt. Of Public Instruction Jillian Ballow discussed the state educational plan for schools that instructs teachers and schools to implement online education plans that are age appropriate. State Health Officer Harrist discussed the shortage of testing equipment and the state's effort to secure more. She also explained that only those meeting criteria outlined by the department will be tested. Lynn Budd of the Wyoming office of Homeland Security discussed plans and resources to help communities deal with the pandemic. The Governor did not order a "shelter in place" order, choosing rather to relay on adherence to federal and state rules already in place.

ISSUE: Coronavirus pandemic, local response

PROGRAM: Virtual town hall

DURATION: 90 min.

AIRED: 4/13/20, 7:30 pm

DESCRIPTION: Local officials representing local government, healthcare and faith community gathered online to take and answer questions from residents viewing online and listening to the radio as to the local plans, rules and response to the coronavirus pandemic. Officials included in the discussions were D.G. Reardon, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, Dr. Attila Barabas, Chief Medical Officer at Campbell County Health, Dr. Ian Smith, Chairman of the Campbell County Health Board of Trustees, Loise Carter-King, mayor of Gillette and David Sanchez, General Manager at Walmart. The participants in the virtual town hall updated people on community rules, actions being taken by government, healthcare and businesses to assist in reducing the risk of spreading the coronavirus. The emphasis was on community cooperation and awareness of personal responsibility.

ISSUE: Unemployment in the U.S., federal response to economic crisis, impact of restricting exports

PROGRAM: American Radio Journal

DURATION: 30 min.

AIRED: 4/12/20, 10 pm

DESCRIPTION: Host Lowman Henry talked with Lt. General Tom Spoehr of the Heritage Foundation about what it will take to revitalize the U.S. Economy and get Americans back to work. Scott Parkinson of the Club For Growth discussed the latest Federal action to stimulate the economy. Eric Boehm of Reason Magazine talked with Simon Lester of the Cato Institute about the impact of restricting exports and its effect on domestic trade and profits.

Don Wright, GM 6/30/20

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**ISSUE:** Impact of home schooling, unemployment crisis, regulation contributing to face mask shortage.

**PROGRAM:** American Radio Journal

**DURATION:** 30 min

**AIRED:** 4/5/20, 10 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Host Lowman Henry talked with Lindsey Burke of the Heritage Foundation about the impact of home schooling, especially on those who are being forced to home school due to coronavirus pandemic closure of public schools. Scott Parkinson of the Club For Growth discussed the latest unemployment figures and the negative economic impact on state budgets, who may be forced to find ways to generate more income once the crisis smooths over. Eric Boehm from Reason Magazine explained how CDC and FDA regulations are contributing to a nationwide shortage in face masks for both hospital workers and other first responders.

**ISSUE:** Economic recession, American unemployment, recent crisis' impact on national debt.

**PROGRAM:** American Radio Journal

**DURATION:** 30 min.

**AIRED:** 4/19/20, 10 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Lowan Henry discussed the depths and impact of the current economic recession with Scott Sumner from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University. They also discussed ways to restart the growth of the economy. Scott Parkinson of the Club For Growth discussed the Presidential task force commissioned with getting America back to work. Eric Boehm of Reason Magazine and Veronique DeRugy of the Mercatus Center discussed the skyrocketing national debt and its impact on the economy, federal, state and local. They also talked about how families will be impacted economically by the mounting debt.

**ISSUE:** Coronavirus Crisis update on Wyoming's response to it.

**PROGRAM:** Gov. Mark Gordon Press Conference

**DURATION:** 60 min.

**AIRED:** 4/23/20, 3 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Wyoming Gov. Mark Gordon, State Health Officer Alexia Harrist and other state officials discussed the ongoing progress in dealing with the health, economic and family issues being experienced by Wyoming residents and businesses during the coronavirus pandemic. Gov. Gordon discussed plans to open parts of the economy and possible timetables for doing so. Gordon said the openings will be progressive, starting with barbershops, hair salons and gyms May 1, 2020. Dr. Harrist discussed testing availability, which has been limited but has become more available due to securing the testing equipment. Dr. Harrist said that elective services could be resumed, subject to following federal guidelines. Jillian Ballow, Supt. Of Public Instruction discussed the status of of education, saying counties may decide on reopening schools in the fall 2020 school year, but staying closed for the remainder of the current school year, with certain special education classes allowed, subject to certain guidelines. Gov. Gordon explained that he is looking forward to opening more of the state's businesses as soon as possible, once coronavirus case numbers stabilize and begin to go down.

*Don Wright, GM 6/30/20*

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**ISSUE:** Gun rights, CDC pandemic readiness

**PROGRAM:** American radio Journal

**DURATION:** 30 min.

**AIRED:** 5/17/20, 10 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Host Lowman Henry talked with Amy Swearer of the Heritage Foundation about gun rights and the new gun defense database, which shows lawful gun owners that use their firearms to defend themselves, their families and property. The database has a map that connects the data to news and police reports of lawful owners using guns defensively. Scott Parkinson of the Club for Growth discussed the significance of GOP congressional wins in Wisconsin and California. Eric Boehm of Reason Magazine discussed details of the Center For Disease Control's lack of preparedness for the coronavirus pandemic and changes that need to be made to be better prepared.

**ISSUE:** Dealing with extreme heat and its effect on cattle production

**PROGRAM:** Beefwatch

**DURATION:** 20 min

**AIRED:** 6/6/20, 1:30 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Extension educator Aaron Berger interviewed Erin Laborie, Nebraska cattle educator, about the need to for cattle feeding operations to be prepared for summer heat in dealing with its effect on cattle by developing a heat stress management plan. Laborie said the combination of hot temperatures , high humidity and lack of air movement can result in severe cases of heat stress for cattle. He suggested several heat stress mitigation strategies including, providing plenty of water and space around water tanks, sprinkler systems, bedding pens to help lower the temperature of the pen surface, avoiding transporting cattle during extreme temperatures and reducing the amount of feed delivered in the morning to help to lower the heat load on cattle.

**ISSUE:** Medical regulations during the COVID-19 pandemic, the importance of Juneteenth

**PROGRAM:** American radio Journal

**DURATION:** 30 min.

**AIRED:** 6/21/20, 10 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Lowman Henry and Dr. Josh Umbhrof of Atlas MD talked about making permanent relaxed or suspended medical regulations that have been ralazed or suspended during the COVID-19 pandemic. Eric Boehm and Zuri Davis of Reason Magazine the importance of "Juneteenth" and why conservatives should embrace it as a time to honor history amid racial tensions which are especially heightened at this time. Scott Parkinson of the Club For Growth discussed issues related to the return to the presidential campaign trail, after states have opened up after the coronavirus pandemic.

Don Wright, G.M. 6/30/20

**ISSUE:** Affordable housing

**PROGRAM:** Life Issues

**DURATION:** 25 min.

**AIRED:** 6/19/20, 12 pm ; 6/20/20, 2:30 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Host Don Wight interviewed Energy Capital Habitat For Humanity Executive Director Brenda Kirk about the history, mission and projects the organization has been and is currently involved in. Habitat's vision is of a world where everyone has a decent place to live. Habitat works toward this vision by building and improving homes in partnership with individuals and families in need of a decent and affordable place to live. Kirk explained that the local chapter has not built a new home since 2016 but is actively involved in planning for new home builds and is currently progressing on home renovation projects for those who have met the Habitat guidelines for needing assistance. Kirk described the need for both volunteers to help with projects and for leadership in key construction, organizational, fund raising and other professional volunteer positions in the current projects and for future planning of home building projects.

**ISSUE:** Effects of COVID-19 on the livestock market

**PROGRAM:** Beefwatch

**DURATION:** 15 min.

**AIRED:** 5/30/20, 345 pm

**DESCRIPTION:** Extension educator Aaron Berger and guest Elliot Dennis, Livestock marketing and risk management economist discussed the economic effect of the coronavirus pandemic is having on the livestock market. Dennis said the effects are wide ranging and include depressed futures and cash prices, unusual basis patterns, decreased packer bids and sale barn volume, packing plant closures, consumer hoarding of meat products and shifting food service products for retail consumption. Dennis discussed things livestock producers need to consider in preparing for and experiencing the effects of the pandemic, including how to manage livestock herd size and planning for economic pressure during the pandemic crisis.

Don Wight, GM 6/30/20