

**Gorge Country Media Inc.**  
**Quarterly Issues/Programs List**  
**July 1, 2023**

**April – May - June Q2 2023**

**KLCK-AM, KYYT-FM, KYYT-FM HD 2,**  
**KRSX-FM - Goldendale, WA**

Gorge Country Media provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community.

### **Community Issues:**

The following list of issues were determined to be of most concern to our listeners during the preceding calendar quarter:

- Legislation against Firearms
  - Mental Health Crisis
- Getting a Moratorium to limit the growth of Industrial Solar
  - State Governments overreach on policies
    - High fuel & cost of goods
  - Crime - Law enforcements hands tied
    - Workforce Shortages
    - Homelessness
- Schools losing focus on education for political correctness
  - Property Taxes
  - 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment rights

### **Local Programming:**

**Local Newscasts:** Each of our Gorge Country Media stations airs local newscast each weekday.

**Public Service Announcements:** Each of our Gorge Country Media stations does a daily “What’s Happening” report a minimum of Three times a day highlighting local events and public service announcements of local organizations and non-profits.

**Weekly Public Service Programming:** Gorge Country Media airs weekly scheduled and special programs that represent the station’s issue-responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the Community issues listed above for the Quarter.

**Klickitat AM:** Klickitat AM is a weekly program that is hosted by Julian Notestine. Julian talks with the local news makers in the region. Klickitat AM is first aired Thursday mornings on KLCK-AM and repeated on Sunday mornings on the other stations. Klickitat AM is made available online at [www.gorgenewscenter.com](http://www.gorgenewscenter.com) to listen in Podcast form and airs weekly on the following stations.

KLCK-AM: Thursday mornings at 8:08 am

KYYT-FM: Sunday mornings at 6:00 am

KYYT-FM HD2: Saturday mornings at 5:00 am

KRSX-FM: Sunday mornings at 5:00 am

**Local Programs – Klickitat AM**

| Date    | Program Title | Issue  | Guests   | Length |
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| 4/06/23 | Klickitat AM  | The City of Goldendale Update: Police Chief retires – Body Cams coming to the Police Dept. – Business Incubator Building – Fireworks ban around World War 2 park | Mike Cannon<br>Jay Hunziker                      | 26:25  |
| 4/13/23 | Klickitat AM  | Klickitat Valley Health update – Leslie Hiebert answered listener questions about an upcoming bond vote  | Leslie Hiebert                                   | 24:21  |
| 4/20/23 | Klickitat AM  | Klickitat County Commissioners update – Upcoming EFSEC meeting on Industrial Solar – Hood River Bridge project funding and                                       | Jacob Anderson<br>Dan Christopher<br>Lori Zoller | 23:45  |

|         |              | how that's going   |  |       |
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| 4/27/23 | Klickitat AM | Goldendale School District update – Systems upgrades that are going on in the District – Replacing Levy on ballot – Enrollment down in the District – Washington Connections Academy update – Plans for Graduation being discussed | GSD Superintendent Dr. Ellen Perconti<br>Business Manager Dean Schlenker | 23:57 |
| 5/04/23 | Klickitat AM | Goldendale Chamber of Commerce – All that is happening at the Goldendale Home & Garden Show  | Mindy Jackson<br>Teja Finch  | 22:14 |
| 5/11/23 | Klickitat AM | Klickitat Valley Health update – Bond did not pass – Talking with Patrons on what they would like to see in the direction of the Hospital – Repairs that have to   | Leslie Hiebert   | 23:39 |

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|         |              | happen – How new Legislation is impacting the Hospital  |   |       |
| 5/18/23 | Klickitat AM | Klickitat County Commissioners update – Thoughts on upgrades to the Joan Frey Arena at the Klickitat County Fairgrounds – Update from the EFSEC meeting on Industrial Solar as well as County Moratorium – Community Survey findings – Solid Waste Contract with the County | Dan Christopher   | 25:01 |
| 5/25/23 | Klickitat AM | Goldendale School District update – Plans for Graduation – Update on Sports – Great participation for Clubs & Activities – Hiring of Staff & Teachers for next year   | GSD Superintendent Dr. Ellen Perconti<br>John Westerman | 23:10 |
| 6/08/23 | Klickitat AM | City of Goldendale  | Mike Cannon<br>Pat Munyan                               | 25:00 |

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|         |              | update – Mike Smith<br>appointed Police Chief –<br>Study on Water &<br>Sewer Rates –<br>Incubator Building is<br>completed –<br>Flower basket & barrels<br>looking to return for<br>summer –<br>Gearing up for Community<br>Days – COVID Relief Funds<br>update –<br>Fireworks Ordinance |  |       |
| 6/15/23 | Klickitat AM | Klickitat County<br>Commissioners update –<br>Planning Commission<br>recommends banning<br>Industrial Solar in the<br>Valley Area –<br>Discussions on Child Care in<br>the County  | Jacob Anderson<br>Dan Christopher<br>Lori Zoller | 24:01 |
| 6/22/23 | Klickitat AM | Klickitat PUD<br>update –<br>Climate Solutions Act<br>and how it affects the<br>PUD & it's Customers –   | Jim Smith  | 26:28 |

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|         |              | <p>Programs to assist Low Income Customers – Lack of Supply for Power – Power Loads are higher – Industrial Solar &amp; Wind Generation power in the County does not stay in the County – Nuclear Power technology is getting better – How are we going to serve power needs in the future</p> |                             |       |
| 6/29/23 | Klickitat AM | <p>Goldendale Chamber update – Goldendale Home &amp; Garden Show recap and some plans for next year – Preview of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July plans happening at the Fairgrounds – Preview of Community Days</p>   | Mindy Jackson<br>Teja Finch | 23:01 |