



### **Quarterly Issues/Program Report**

Following is a list of the treatment of the issues ascertained by WOR Radio, New York, NY as the most important to our listening community. The list of programs includes the three month period ending June 30th, 2017 and is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

## **Quarterly Issues/Program Report** **2nd Quarter 2017**

The following is a list of WOR-AM Programs which aired regularly in all dayparts and which consistently addressed the foregoing issues and have continued to do so in the quarter ending June 30, 2017. These programs include the most significant community issues ascertained by WOR-AM presented as programs or segments of programs.

Len Berman and Todd Schnitt in the Morning: New York media icon Len Berman and radio veteran Todd Schnitt team up for this daily show featuring lively discussions with callers and guests about today's top topics, with a particular emphasis on stories impacting the tri-state area. Len & Todd are joined in-studio by News Director Joe Bartlett. "Len Berman and Todd Schnitt in the Morning" airs Monday through Friday from 6:00am-10am.

The Mark Simone Show: Mark Simone's broadcasts are filled with lively conversation, colorful wit, savvy insight into current events, and an insider's look at the rich, powerful and famous. His broadcasts bring you a smooth blend of important issues, interesting stories and blockbuster guests. He is one of the most experienced interviewers on the planet. His past guest list is staggering and his long history with those famous names often makes for some pretty intimate and forthcoming interviews. Mark Simone broadcasts on WOR Monday through Friday 10AM to 12PM.

The Rush Limbaugh Show: The Rush Limbaugh Show has helped redefine the political landscape. Before Rush Limbaugh began broadcasting on network radio 15 years ago, political talk was often dry, hackneyed, and boring. Rush Limbaugh's lively, humorous, and just plain fun program has rocketed his show to the most listened-to long form program in the history of network radio.

The Sean Hannity Show: Known for his provocative, free-wheeling, passionate commentary on politics and the American agenda, Sean Hannity hosts the second most listened-to long form program in network radio.

The WOR Sports Zone with Pete McCarthy: Pete McCarthy has the inside-scoop on the day's top sports stories. This lively, fast-paced show features guest interviews and listener calls, and frequently serves as the lead-in or follow-up to New York Mets baseball game coverage. The WOR Sports Zone with Pete McCarthy broadcasts live on weekdays from 6PM-9PM.

Dave Ramsey Show: Dave Ramsey, a personal money-management expert, is an extremely popular national radio personality, and author of the New York Times best-sellers. He devotes himself full time to helping ordinary people understand the forces behind their financial distress and how to set things right. Ramsey broadcasts on WOR every Monday through Friday from 9pm-midnight.

Coast to Coast with George Noory: Noory captivates program listeners with his discussions of paranormal phenomena, time travel, alien abductions, conspiracies and all things curious and unexplained. He is driven, he has said, by the desire to solve the great mysteries of our time. Coast to Coast with George Noory airs Monday through Saturday from 12am-5am.

First Morning News with Joe Bartlett: Joe Bartlett discusses newsmakers, latest news, weather and traffic information from 5am to 6am Monday through Friday from 5am-6am.

The WOR Saturday Morning Show: Recaps what happened during the week, giving listeners an opportunity to talk about what's on their minds and to introduce them to some very unique New Yorkers. Saturday Morning airs Saturdays from 6am – 7:00am.

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- WOR Radio airs local news every hour throughout the broadcast day.
- WOR Radio provides comprehensive coverage of all local, state and national elections and primaries including discussions with the candidates about the issues leading up to the primaries and elections, listener call-in opinion and discussion as well as review of platforms, polls and community impact of each case.
- The time and duration of programs listed previously are the regularly scheduled times for each program. On the occasion of a major breaking story of local, state, national or international importance, regular programming is pre-empted to provide the public with complete coverage of the given event.
- The format of WOR is news/talk. Programs on WOR Radio usually involve discussions of more than one subject per day and often vary from caller to caller. The following is a list of programs and coverage of the issues ascertained from the community for the period ending March 31, 2017.

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Issues Ascertained by WOR-AM Radio as Important To The Listening  
Community

Period Ending June 30, 2017

Government/Politics:

\*National

\*Local

Health Issues

Consumer

Ethnic/Race

Crime/Drugs

Women/Gender

Finance

Youth

Education

Social

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<b>Issue</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Description</b>
Health	Len & Todd	4/3/17	6:10am	5 Min	Len and Todd discuss the thirteen year old girl who was killed by a train on the R line. She jumped on the track to retrieve her cell phone that fell and was hit by the train. The hosts explain that you should never do this. If you drop something alert the MTA or the police.
Health	Len & Todd	4/3/17	7:05am	5 Min	Len and Todd discuss the little 13 year old girl who was killed by a train on the R line after jumping down to get her iPhone. Todd calls his own children on air and shows how they know not to do this and warns other kids that it is not worth losing your life over a phone.
Health	Len & Todd	4/10/17	7:10am	5 Min	Len and Todd discuss breast implants and the possibility they could rupture due to airplane pressure. A doctor called in and said the pressure change in a plane is not enough to cause a break. Doctors encourage women to go through their daily lives and that implants are designed to be safe in daily life situations.
Crime	Len & Todd	4/10/17	8:55am	5 Min	Len and Todd discuss the arrest of "Shaggy," an Indian man who was part of a scam that ran fake call centers. They would disguise themselves as IRS agents and steal identities and money from people. Len & Todd tell the audience that you need to be careful because the IRS has hired collection agencies that do make phone calls, however it will be after they are notified by mail. It's in your best interest to not give information then call back the main IRS number.
Politics	Simone	4/10/17	10:40 am	10 min	NY Post Journalist Michael Goodwin and Mark discussed Trump's bombing of Syria, The positive meeting with President Xi from China, and the confirmation of Neil Gorsuch to the SCOTUS. Both agreed Trump had a great week.
Consumer	Len & Todd	4/13/17	6:05am	5 Min	Len and Todd discuss call centers and that when you get one overseas you can ask to be transferred to one here in the United States. Almost all of the escalated requests are handled by centers based here in the US, so you can likely get better service without any language barrier.
Health	Len & Todd	4/13/17	8:45am	5 Min	Len and Todd talk about the trans-fat ban and how it has made a difference in heart disease statistics in New York City. A new report showed that since the ban there have been fewer heart attacks in New York City. Len and Todd inform audience that while the results may be disputed, the fact of eating better is definitely a good practice.
Politics	Simone	4/13/17	10:40am	8 min	Radio and TV Host Lionel and Mark talk Trumps foreign policy. Lionel believes that Trump responded to the gassing of Syrians because he listened to people in his cabinet. Lionel doesn't believe there was ever a gas attack in Syria. They also talked about Dr. Dow getting dragged off the United Airlines flight.

Crime            Len & Todd      4/18/17          8:12am          5 Min            Len and Todd  
talked to Rep. Peter King (R-NY) about the gang issues on Long Island. The recent deaths of four people have heightened the awareness of MS 13 in Long Island. Rep. King is working on more money and resources to combat the growing problem.

Finance           Len & Todd      4/18/17          8:45am          3 Min            Len and Todd  
talk about Tax Day today. If you want to file an extension to file your taxes, you must do it today, however you still need to pay any taxes on time as that is not part of the extension.

Government    Len & Todd      4/18/17          9:55am          2 Min            Len and Todd  
talk about Tax Day. There have been numerous scams of fake IRS agents calling and demanding that they send money, usually in the form of Gift cards, to pay off their debt. This is a scam and the IRS will not do this. They will send a letter via mail before ever asking for money over the phone.

Politics           Simone            4/21/17          10:40am        9 mins           WSJ editor  
James Taranto and Mark talked about the unfair attacks Trump faces on a daily basis by the main stream media. Mark believes that the liberal media wants FOX News pulled off the airways because no one can match their ratings. The also spoke about how Talk Radio was the first medium to benefit from Conservative issues.

Politics           Simone            4/24/17          11:40am        10 mins          Talk Show Host  
Jerry Springer and Mark talked about Free Speech regarding the Ann Coulter situation at Berkley. The students promised to violently protest and cause security issues if Ms. Coulter was allowed to speak. Mark doesn't believe Republicans would violently protest if a Liberal was scheduled to speak.

Health            Len & Todd      4/25/17          6:05am          6 Min            Len and Todd  
talk about the terrible Queens fire that killed 5 young children. They had no smoke detectors in the home. They stressed to the audience that people need to make sure they have not only multiple ones in the house but also that the batteries are tested regularly and replaced twice a year.

Gender            Simone            4/25/17          11:40am        9 mins           Tamara Holder,  
former Fox contributor talked with Mark about the sexual harassment issues that have plagued the network. Tamara herself was awarded 1.5 million dollars in a settlement with FOX.

Politics           Simone            4/26/17          10:40am        10 mins          New England  
TV and Radio host Howie Carr talked about how liberals are up in arms over the way Trump bombed Syria and the tough stance he's taken on North Korea. Even though President Trump said during the campaign that he would bomb the shit out of anyone misbehaving in the World.

Social            Len & Todd      4/27/17          7:55am          5 Min            Wes Moore,  
the new CEO of the Robin Hood Foundation was a guest in the studio and talks about his new role at the foundation. Moore says he's excited to help battle poverty and that this is a long term fight that has to address the policies that are keeping people in poverty.

Health            Len & Todd      4/27/17          8:08am          5 Min            Len & Todd talk about a new study that shows that more salt intake may not be bad and possibly even help lower heart disease. As always Len and Todd suggest talking to your doctor and remember that moderation is almost always the best practice.

Social/Health   Len & Todd      4/28/17          6:56am          4 Min            Len & Todd talk about the recent trend of drivers passing school buses when they are stopped and kids are disembarking. Drivers are supposed to stop, no matter what direction they are driving. They stress that children should also know the law but not to take it for granted and look both ways when they cross around their bus.

Health            Len & Todd      5/1/17            6:05am          5 Min            Len & Todd talk about a man getting hit in his face by a train in New York. Todd informs the audience that people should step back from the platform and always be aware of your position in a subway station because trains can come in fast and you might not have time to react to a dangerous situation.

Consumer        Len & Todd      5/1/17            7:05 am          5 Min            Len & Todd talk about the price of avocados. They explain that a recent drought in California led to severe crop crunch last year. They go on to say that there will be a noticeable increase in price of the popular fruit.

Consumer        Len & Todd      5/1/17            7:25 am          5 Min            Len & Todd talk about a possible transit disruption called "No Pay May." Some underground transit associations are urging commuters on NJ Transit to not pay their monthly ticket or on the train to protest the terrible NJ Transit issues the past month. This could lead to delays and confrontations on the rails.

Politics           Simone            5/1/17            10:40am          9 mins          Michael Goodwin of the NY Post and Mark discuss speaker of the house Paul Ryan and his inability to get anything accomplished. No progress on the replacement for Obama Care, No progress on the Corporate Income tax reduction even with the Republican majority. Both mark and Michael agree that the political class want Trump gone.

Youth            Len & Todd      5/2/17            7:55 am          5 Min            Len & Todd talk about the Netflix series 13 Reasons Why, which deals with a girl's suicide and the 13 clues/notes she left behind to the ones who influenced her suicide. The show is a controversial subject with some schools. They recommend parental guidance to any young teens watching it.

Consumer        Len & Todd      5/3/17            7:08am          4 Min            Len & Todd talk about recent airline industry problems. They explain the latest is about how room on planes is shrinking for many carriers. They go on to say that if you want additional room, you will pay for it.

Consumer        Len & Todd      5/3/17            7:54am          3 Min            Len & Todd talk about the new area code in New York coming due to the influx of portable devices and cell phones. They explain that even though there are less landlines, mobile numbers keep increasing making it a necessity to add numbers to the NY Exchange with a new area code

Consumer      Len & Todd      5/4/17      6:42am      3 Min      Len & Todd talk about a google doc worm that has hit computer. They explain the people are asked to click and edit a document and when they do they risk their security. They instruct the audience to be cautious with anything they open on the internet and in their emails.

Race            Len & Todd      5/9/17      7:45am      4 Min      Len & Todd talk about a NY Daily News story about how black and hispanic students are handcuffed in school more often than white students. A caller, who was black and a school safety officer, came on a supported the report and said that it's probably not 99%, but there is a large difference in the race of people having confrontations with authority.

Politics        Simone            5/9/17      10:45am      10 mins      New England Talk Show Host Howie Car and Mark talked about Mr. Carr's new book 'Kennedy Babylon' They talked about how most people revered the Kennedys even after proof came out that RFK taped the phones of MLK, his anti-Semitism, and his hatred of gays. They also talked about the Kennedy's connection to the mob.

Politics        Len & Todd      5/11/17      8:26am      5 Min      Len & Todd talk about the fact that UPS/Fedex parking tickets in New York City do not get paid in full. The large companies pay a flat fee at the end of the year for tickets received. They explain that this is part of the reason why so many truck are double parked around the city.

Politics        Simone            5/11/17      10:40am      9 mins      WSJ editor James Taranto and Mark discuss the ongoing hysteria from the left about the Trump administration. Are the tactics being used by the left helping or hurting them for the 2020 election? They also discussed the firing of James Comey who was in the middle of investigating the Trump Russia connections.

Health         Len & Todd      5/12/17      9:28am      3 Min      Len & Todd talk about the possibility of a warning label being added to avocados! Some people have been cutting themselves with knives. They explain that there is correct way to cut and pit them and you should be very careful.

Health         Len & Todd      5/19/17      9:43am      3 Min      Len & Todd talk about a new study that even part time vegetarians could cut their obesity risk by half. As with any study, there are certain things that must be followed and they suggest you check with your doctor as always before changing your diet drastically.

Health         Len & Todd      5/19/17      9:47am      2 Min      Len & Todd talk about how baby changing tables in public rest rooms, when tested many times, turn up positive for drug residue. Len and Todd stress you should always clean these thoroughly before you place your child on them.

Politics        Simone            5/22/17      10:40am      10 min      Michael Goodwin from the NY Post and Mark discussed if President Trump can withstand the onslaught of negative press being heaped upon his administration by the Left. Goodwin is worried about

the effect the criminal probe being conducted by Robert Muller will have on the Republican Party.

Crime Simone 5/24/17 10:40 am 9 min Fox Contributor  
Tamara Holder calls the show from London just days after the terrorist bombing at the Arianna Grande concert. Tamara told Mark the people of London were not afraid and our determined to not show fear. They also talked about the ongoing investigation and the recent arrests made in London of people suspected of assisting in the terror attack.

Health Len & Todd 5/25/17 6:26am 3 Min Len & Todd talk  
about an American Institute for Cancer Research report that says a glass of wine has some health benefits, but depending on the person the benefits can have conflicting results. As always they tell the audience to discuss with your doctor what is best for your health.

Politics Simone 5/31/17 11:40am 10 min Best Selling  
Author Ann Coulter and Mark discussed how inappropriate the photo of Kathy Griffin holding the decapitated head of President Trump was and how the MSM won't vilify her for such a crude stunt. Reports say that President Trump's 11 year old son thought the photo was real, and with Isis constantly sharing videos of beheadings on the web the entire idea was a fail.

Crime Len & Todd 6/1/17 7:26am 3 Min Len & Todd talk  
about a scam where someone is faxing bomb threats to offices. They wants 25 thousand iin ransom. Anyone who gets this should contact authorities. Don't fall for the outrageous claims

Politics Simone 6/5/17 10:40am 9 min James Taranto  
from the WSJ and Mark discuss the latest round of terror attacks in LONDON. London Prime minister, Theresa May says she is going to change her policy and toughen up on terrorism. They blame Tony Blair's policy of letting refugees in without serious vetting.

Health Len & Todd 6/6/17 6:28am 4 Min Len & Todd talk  
about a device that can help you if you drive under water in an accident. It will break your window if you find yourself trapped and can not escape. A caller who designed one called StatGear explains his product and that you can buy them on Amazon.

Politics Simone 6/6/17 10:40am 5 min Michael  
Goodwin of the NY Post and Mark discuss the upcoming Comey hearings. Goodwin says President Trump should be worried about what Comey will say. Comey kept notes on every meeting he had with Trump. Mr. Goodwin thinks that Trump is beginning to show his anger and is tired of the Russia talk.

Health Len & Todd 6/7/17 8:07am 4 Min Len and Todd  
talk about a new study released that shows that moderate wine drinking may alter the brain. Just recently there were studies that showed it was good for you. Always talk to your doctor to get his medical opinion.

Health Len & Todd 6/7/17 8:55am 3 Min Len & Todd  
mention a study that explains how cursing can alleviate physical and emotional pain. There had

been previous studies that it helps the physical pain, but the emotional one recently came to light in this new study.

Health            Len & Todd      6/8/17            8:11am            8 Min            Len & Todd talk to Peter King, US Congressman about a bipartisan act he sponsored, the HOTCARS act, to help raise awareness of this and to force manufacturers to have a system to alert people that a child has been left in the car. Even though this could be an extra expense on the auto industry he explains it is a very important issue.

Social            Len & Todd      6/9/17            6:55am            4 Min            Len & Todd talk about a professor who accidentally cut and pasted a link to students for a project but instead it was an old porn link. Todd recommends to make sure you check links as even though you may have clicked the right one, an older one could still be in cache and you could be linking to offensive content.

Crime            Simone            6/13/17            10:40am            8 min            Fox Contributor Tamara Holder and Mark discuss the Cosby Trial. Tamara thinks there's a good chance Cosby will be acquitted. They also talked about the Jeff Sessions hearing and the fact that Sessions recused himself from the Russia conflict. Mark believes that Sessions made a huge mistake recusing himself because there was no Russian collusion.

Health            Len & Todd      6/15/17            7:36am            3 min            Len & Todd talk with Joe Bartlett about a new autism study that women who get sick with fever while pregnant have a higher rate of births with autism than with women who don't.

Health            Len & Todd      6/16/17            9:26am            2 Min            Len & Todd discuss the dangerous beach situation in New Jersey. Recently a young girl drowned due to riptides. Todd explains that if you are caught in a riptide, do not fight it.. You should go with it tide until you surface and work your way back after you have regained control.

Youth            Len & Todd      6/20/17            8:55am            4 Min            Len & Todd discuss the story about Colorado possibly banning children from using smartphones. It's a complicated process but some studies have shown that early use changes their behavioral and learning patterns. Smartphone use should always be monitored by parents.

Health            Len & Todd      6/22/17            9:07am            4 Min            Len & Todd discuss the news that pot usage could actually be good for your BMI. People who had smoked were compared with those who never had. It's contradicting earlier studies, so you are best to talk to your doctor about health issues and drug use.

Politics           Simone            6/22/17            10:40am            9 min            Radio host Howie Carr and Mark discuss Michael Moore and his message to democrats. Moore claims the democrats have no message, no plans and no leader. They also spoke about the stupidity of the DNC for not getting better security on their server that was hacked even after they were warned by the FBI.

Health            Len & Todd      6/26/17            6:26am            4 Min            Len & Todd discuss the story about a fireworks fight in the Bronx. The fireworks were purchased outside the

city and while in some places it's legal, it is not legal to have and use fireworks in NYC. They suggest leaving fireworks to the professionals.

Politics Simone 6/26/17 10:40am 10 min Michael Goodwin from the NY Post and Mark discuss the liberal MSM deciding to abandon the fake Russia story because even their voters are tired of hearing about it. The democrats only platform in the last election was even though Hillary is a crook, she's still better than Trump

Social Len & Todd 6/28/17 7:12am 3 Min Len & Todd discuss how you should have all your passwords and information in a safe place where a loved or trusted one can access after you die. This way, they can get into things only you have available to you without a problem in a very emotional time.

Politics Simone 6/28/17 11:40am 10 min Best-selling Author Ann Coulter and Mark discussed the Republicans wasting 6 years screaming about Obama care instead of working on a better, more affordable plan. Ann also thought that President Trump should start to focus campaign promises like corporate tax reduction and building the border wall.