

## AM950 KTNF Community Issues List

Year: 2023

Quarter 1: January, February, March

Issues identified of interest to the community discussed during our local shows weekdays:

The Matt McNeil show airs from 3pm-5pm weekdays; Native Roots Radio airs from 6p-7p weekdays and Saturdays from 1pm-2pm and both takes calls from the community to facilitate conversations that are relevant to the listeners. Also interviews local non-profits around voting and other community related issues. Matt and AM950 focused on the statewide and national issues.

Issues that were talked about in Q1 2023:

- Native American COVID hotline information
- Booster shot information
- Native American issues and conversations
- Interviews with Missing and Murdered indigenous woman coalition
- Interviews with elected officials about state surplus
- Local weather updates for severe weather
- Updates on what is going on and being voted on at the state legislator
- Interviews with local and state elected officials
- Election Coverage Wisconsin and Chicago elections

### **Minnesota Matters Aairs Sundays from 6:30am-7am and 12:30pm-1pm weekly**

#### **1-6-23**

Walz Inaugural, Legislative session Begins – Bill Werner

COVID 19, Dr. Michael Osterholm – Brian Deroy

Minnesota TV and Film Board, Legislative Priorities - Brent Palm

Ice Safety – DNR's Nicole Biagi – Tasha Redel

#### **1-13-23**

Abortion Rights Push, Fairview/Sanford Merger Hearing 1 – Bill Werner

Diabetes and Children – Mayo's Dr. Andrew Storm - Brent Palm

Holiday DWI Campaign Wraps Up – Mike Hanson, Office of Traffic Safety – Tasha Redel

Gopher Quarterback Tanner Morgan, Bowl Game – Mike Grimm

#### **1-20-23**

Abortion Rights Bill Moves Forward, Fairview Sanford Meger Hearing 2

Hospital discharge troubles, Rahul Koranne, CEO Minnesota Hospital Association – Brent Palm

New Tommies Arena, St. Thomas Athletic Director Phil Esten – Mike Grimm

Holiday Credit Card Debt, Kim Miller, LSS Financial Counseling – Tasha Redel

**1-27-23**

Walz Budget, Gun Bills, Bonding Proposal, Fairview/Sanford Hearing 3 – Bill Werner

MN State System Economic Impact, Nicole Parker of Parker Phillips Consulting Firm – Brent Palm

MN Teacher Shortage Expands, Denise Specht Education MN President – Tasha Redel

MPLS Preview Big 10 Women’s Basketball Tourney – Mike Grimm

**2-3-23**

Abortion Bill Signed into Law, Omar Removal from House Foreign Affairs Committee – Bill Werner

Ag, Rural Broadband – Committee Chair Aric Putnam – Brent Palm

Family and Paid Medical Leave , Senator Tina Smith – Tasha Redel

Gopher Basketball Player Parker Fox on overcoming injuries – Mike Grimm

**2-9-23**

State of the Union Address, Carbon Free Bill Signed, Durenberger Memorial – Bill Werner

DPS Awards Bus Stop Arm Camera Grants, Mike Hanson Office of Traffic Safety – Brent Palm

Hospital Price Transparency, Patients Rights Advocate. Org - Cynthia Fischer – Tasha Redel

Gopher Football Assistant Coach Winston DeLattiboudere – Returning to Alma Mater – Mike Grimm

**2-17-23**

Legislative Update, Pence in Minnesota – Bill Werner

Gopher Basketball Coach Ben Johnson, Michigan State School Shooting – Mike Grimm

DNR Eagle Program Celebrating 10 years, Wildlife Officer Lori Naumann – Brent Palm

Finding a credible tax preparer, Bao Vang Better Business Bureau – Tasha Redel

**2-24-23**

Senate debates felon voting bill as major snowstorm shuts down MN – Bill Werner

FDA Approves Over-the-Counter Naloxone, Dr. Alta DeRoo – Hazelden Betty Ford – Brent Palm

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

Natural Resources Sciences Building Initiative, U of M's Brian Buhr, Dean of College of Food and Agriculture and Natural Resources. Part 1 – Mark Dorenkamp

### **3-3-23**

New Budget Forecast, Republicans Push for tax cuts – Bill Werner

New Minnesota State Fair GM, Renee Alexander – Brent Palm

Natural Resources Sciences Building Initiative, U of M's Brian Buhr, Dean of College of Food and Agriculture and Natural Resources. Part 2 – Mark Dorenkamp

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

### **3-10-23**

Walz signs undocumented immigrant driver's license bill, two former governors at Fairview/Sanford merger hearing. – Bill Werner

Colorectal Cancer Awareness month, Mayo's Dr. Andrew Storm – Brent Palm

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

Family Care Giver Numbers on the Rise, AARP Cathy McLeer – Tasha Redel

### **3-17-32**

Bonding Fails in Senate, Walz signs school meals for All bill – Bill Werner

Gambling Awareness Month, Susan Sheridan Tucker, MN Gambling Alliance – Brent Palm

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

988 Suicide Hotline Update, Cre Larson First Call for Help – Tasha Redel

### **3-24-23**

Walz and Democrats agree on budget targets, Little Free Library, abortion "shield law" – Bill Werner

State officials prep for Avian Influenza, Shauna Voss, MN Board of Animal Health – Brent Palm

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

Minnesota Lottery Community Champion – Anna Waugh, Mississippi Park Connection

**3-31-23**

Monticello Nuclear Plant Shutdown, President Chris Clark – Brent Palm

Leading Age Minnesota Series – Shortages in long-term-health care centers – Blois Olson

Gopher Hockey Frozen Four Preview, Mike Grimm

Severe Weather Planning, Jennifer Pipa, Red Cross – Tasha Redel