

QUARTERLY ISSUES & PROGRAMS

April 2023 – June 2023

What follows is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by stations WCVE-FM Richmond, WCNV Heathsville and WMVE Chase City from April 1st to June 30th, 2023. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect their priority or significance.

On-Going

Description of Issue: Highlighting local arts and culture

Program/Segment: Artsline

Date/Time: Mon-Friday 8:19, 11:19, 15:45, 18:19; Sat-Sun 8:58

Length: 30 seconds Each Airing

Type and Description of Program Segment: Local arts feature on how organizations in Richmond are using musical performances to keep the trials and dangers of repeating the Holocaust in the minds of new generations.

Programming / Segment	Air Date	Start Time	Length	Description of Program	Issue Addressed
NPR Special Coverage: Former President Trump Arraigned in Federal Court	06/13/2023	15:00	1 hours	Live coverage of the arraignment of former President Donald Trump in Federal court in Florida.	Topical national news coverage for breaking stories.

Features						
Unchecked: Inside RPS fire inspections		04/18/23	7:50, 16:50	7 minutes	Following the William F. Fox Elementary School fire in February 2022, VPM News obtained and analyzed all available fire inspection records for Richmond’s public schools from 2015–2022. Documentation revealed hundreds of fire code violations and a checkered history when it came to consistent inspections and resolution of fire safety problems — a concerning trend that predates the COVID-19 pandemic.	A deep dive look at the situation and causes of a fire that destroyed a local elementary school and what could have been done to prevent it.
A regional look at abortion access, one year after the fall of Roe v. Wade		06/22/23	6:44, 8:44, 16:44	4 minutes	In the South, abortion access is a shifting landscape. <i>Roe v. Wade</i> was overturned this week last year, freeing up states to limit or ban the procedure.	A look at Abortion access in the wake of the overturning of Roe v. Wade.

Reporting						
Virginia 'in talks with other states' for alternative to bipartisan voter collab ERIC		5/15/23 – 5/16/23	17:04, 6:31, 8:31	60 seconds	Reporting on Virginia's move to withdraw from a regional voting system.	Government, elections
How does Hanover County Public Schools' book ban work?		6/14/23 – 6/15/23	17:04, 18:04, 6:31	60 seconds	A report on legislation passed in Hanover County on how school libraries handle controversial books.	Government, education,
Virginia to become latest state to require age verification for online porn		6/26/23- 6/27/23	17:04, 18:04, 6:31	60 seconds	A report on a new law going into effect that requires people who want to browse online pornography in Virginia to identify their age using unspecified technology.	Government, accountability, safety

