



**KTCH**

**Emerson, NE**

**Issues & Programs**

**October, 2023**

This list of significant issues and program treatment is representative of this station's community service efforts but is by no means exhaustive or totally inclusive. Sources and topics may regularly include news reports, public affairs programs and features, public service announcements and weather and public safety related notices. The order in which items are listed does not reflect any priority of significance. Times and lengths may be approximate.

KTCH Community Issues and Programming Treatment Report  
 Period: October 1, 2023 Thru October 31, 2023

DATE	TIME	LENGTH	PROGRAM/TOPIC	ISSUE & TREATMENT
10/2/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Assessing Soil Health	Nebraska Soil Health Specialist Caro Cordova talks about conservation and soil testing.
10/3/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Cottage Food Laws	Extension Educator Cindy Brison talks about rules you need to follow before you can sell food to the public.
10/4/23	9:05am	34 min.	The View/Wayne City Council Report	Wayne Mayor Cale Giese and City Council President Jill Brodersen discuss matters before the Wayne City Council including upcoming groundbreaking ceremony for Prairie Park Project, Sanitary Sewer Improvement Project, Freedom Park Trailhead Project, amending Municipal Code concerning a stable, use by exception permit for construction of a townhouse, City Hall and Police Relocation Project, possible purchase of First National Bank of Omaha Building and sale of existing Activity Center to School District, and 10 year anniversary of the Wayne tornado.
10/4/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Financial Considerations for Livestock Producers	Extension Farm and Ranch Management Specialist Jay Parsons offers tips from lenders on how to navigate financial hardships with drought, inflation, and management of cash flow.
10/5/23	9:05am	13 min.	The View/Wayne Area Legacy Fund	Bill Dickey and Karissa Hays discuss the Wayne Area Legacy Fund including upcoming projects, how to apply for assistance, and ways to contribute including a tax strategy of ag producers.
10/5/23	9:35am	2 min.	NRCS Report/Cleaning combines	Agent Marty Marx provides information on the importance of cleaning combines.
10/5/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Corn Silage for Winter Feed	Extension Beef Specialist Rick Rasby and Extension Educator Alfredo Diconstanzo talk about why corn silage could be a good option for cattle producers.
10/6/23	9:05am	17 min.	The View/Pink Flamingo Night	Jenni Canham discusses the upcoming Pink Flamingo night promoting breast cancer awareness.
10/6/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Fall Bloomers	Bob Hedrickson from the Nebraska Statewide Arboretum talks about why asters could be the perfect choice for fall color in your landscape.

10/9/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Garden Notes	Extension Educator John Porter talks about keeping good notes from this year's home gardening season.
10/10/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Is Solar Energy Right for Your Farm Operation?	Extension Educator John Hay talks about the benefits of having solar power for farm operations.
10/11/23	9:05am	24 min.	The View/Wayne Schools Report	Superintendent Dr. Mark Lenihan discusses matters before the Wayne School Board including recent groundbreaking for new Early Learning Center, update on construction project, policy updates, copier/printer contract, First Student Bus contract, memorandum of understanding with City of Wayne concerning possibility of purchasing the Activity Center, and upcoming FCCLA Leadership Conference.
10/11/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Fall Tree Planting	Assistant Director of the Nebraska Statewide Arboretum Justin Evertson says six weeks before the first sign of hard frost is the ideal time to plant young trees.
10/12/23	9:35am	2.5 min.	NRCS Report/Worms and Soil Properties	Agent Marty Marx talks about the importance of earthworms to soil health.
10/12/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Entrepreneurial Opportunities on the Farm	Director of the University of Nebraska – Lincoln Engler Entrepreneurial Program Tom Field says farmers and ranchers could greatly benefit by looking at opportunities for new business ventures.
10/13/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Landscape Water Needs	Extension Educator John Fech says it's a good idea to know the water needs of your plants and shrubs so they can thrive.
10/16/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Next Season Cash Rental Rates	Nebraska Ag Economist Jim Jansen talks about what farmers and ranchers could expect for next season's cash rental rates.
10/17/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Fall Cattle Lice Treatments	Extension Educator Dave Boxler talks about lice and treatment strategies for ranchers.

10/18/23	9:05am	32 min.	The View/Wayne City Council Report	City Administrator Wes Blecke and Mayor Cale Giese discuss matters before the Wayne City Council including appointment of Nick Hawthorne to the Airport Authority Board, new volunteer firemen, waiver of rental fee for Freedom Park Shelter House and Activity Center, proposals to sandblast, paint and re-caulk pool, City Hall and Police Relocation Project, Professional Services Agreement with Carlson West Povondra Architects, razing of structures at 330 S. Main Street, a property lien for mowing costs and snow removal, approving Memorandum of Understanding with Wayne Community School District concerning the Activity Center, possibility of purchasing property from Vakoc Construction, Prairie Park Project and upcoming Council retreat.
10/18/23	9:49am	1.5 min.	Extension News/Lego Robotics	Extension Educator Julie Schultz provides information on the 4H Lego Robotics program.
10/18/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Tax Prep for the End of the Year	Director of Nebraska Farm Business Inc. Tina Barrett discusses several issues that farm operators saw this year from a tax perspective.
10/19/23	9:35am	2.5 min.	NRCS Report/Soil temperature and soil health	Agent Marty Marx provides information on the significance of soil temperature to soil health projects.
10/19/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Estate Planning for Young Farmers & Ranchers	Extension Educator Jessica Groskopf emphasizes that young farmers should understand that estate planning is a lifelong process.
10/20/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Marketing Calves with Blemishes	Extension Beef Systems Educator Randy Saner talks about how you can still make a profit from calves that might not look like all the others.
10/23/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Food Science and Technology Scholarship Challenge	CASNR College Relations Director Sue Ellen Pegg talks about the activities and interactions students will experience during the UNL's upcoming Food Science Day.
10/24/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Best Practices for Vaccinating Cattle	Extension Educator Jesse Fulton recommends letting cattle get adjusted to the new environment before concentrating on vaccinations.

10/25/23	9:05am	29 min.	The View/Wayne Area Economic Development Report	Executive Director Luke Virgil discusses areas being handled by Wayne Area Economic Development including new employees and reorganization for WAED and Wayne Community Housing as a City Department, the upcoming Fall Thing, upcoming Chamber Coffee, upcoming Christmas in Wayne and Parade of Lights, purchase of building by City of Wayne and possible future use, sale of Geno's Steakhouse, new entrance for Providence Medical Center, Workforce Partners Program with Northeast Community College, and Leadership Wayne class.
10/25/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/USDA Land Values and County Level Cash Rent Estimates	Extension Ag Economist Jim Jansen talks about what factors could be issues for cash rents next season.
10/26/23	9:35am	2.5 min.	NRCS Report/Building organic matter in the soil	Agent Marty Marx talks about the importance of building organic matter in the soil.
10/26/23	12:15pm	5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Cattle Health Concerns of Cornstalks	Extension Beef Educator Lindsay Waechter-Mead says there are some potential health hazards that producers need to be aware of when turning cattle out on cornstalks.
10/27/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Celebrating Cooperatives	Director of Nebraska Cooperative Development Center Charlotte Narjes says cooperatives come in many forms and benefit rural communities all over the state.
10/30/23	12:15pm	4.5 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Getting People Involved in Community Events	Extension Specialist Cheryl Burkhart-Kriesel talks about how to get everyone involved in community events.
10/31/23	12:15pm	4 min.	Nebraska Extension Almanac/Drain Flies	Extension Entomologist Jody Green talks about identifying drain flies and how to get rid of them.