

Radio Boise – KRBX 89.9 FM Caldwell/K228EK Garden City

Community Issues & Programs Report

4th Quarter (October, November, December 2023)

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This report is a representative sample of significant programs aired on the station addressing specific community issues.

Purpose of this Report titled issues/programs lists: Every three months a list of programs that have provided the station's most significant treatment of community issues during the preceding three-month period.

The list for each calendar quarter is to be filed by the tenth day of the succeeding calendar quarter (e.g., January 10 for the quarter October-December, April 10 for the quarter January-March, etc.). The list shall include a brief narrative describing what issues were given significant treatment and the programming that provided this treatment. The description of the programs shall include, but shall not be limited to, the time, date, duration, and title of each program in which the issue was treated. The lists described in this paragraph shall be retained in the public inspection file until final action has been taken on the station's next license renewal application. [Code of Federal Regulations: 47 CFR 73.3526 (11)(i)]

Each community issue identified during the quarter is listed below. Following that, individual programs addressing listed issues are described distinctly in tabular form and are associated (by number) with the particular topic that was covered during that show.

COMMUNITY ISSUE of concern addressed by PROGRAM:

1. Education/Government
2. Community Development/Culture
3. Environment
4. Public Safety
5. Public Service Announcements (National/local issues)
6. Health and health care/nutrition
7. Family issues, Divorce, Marriage, Child rearing
8. Financial Issues, Debt, Savings
9. Rural Issues

Program Name: The Poetry Show

Description: Poetry reading and discussion.

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Sunday** 5:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: **2**

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
1st	5th	3rd	
8th	12th	10th	
15th	19th	17th	
22nd	26th	24th	
29th			

Program Name: CounterSpin

Description: Magazine -style public affairs program focused on media and treatment of news

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Monday** 3:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: **1, 3, 4**

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
2	6	4	
9	13	11	
16	20	18	
23	27	25	
30			

Program Name: Spoiler Alert Radio

Description: Commentary, interviews and news from the film industry

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, Monday 4:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
2	6	4	
9	13	11	
16	20	18	
23	27	25	
30			

Program Name: Sprouts

Description: *Sprouts* is dedicated to showcasing radio content produced at community radio stations and independent production groups. *Sprouts* celebrates grassroots voices and is renowned for bringing diverse topics to national and international audiences.

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, Monday 4:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
2	6	4	
9	13	11	
16	20	18	
23	27	25	
30			

Program Name: Got Science/Latino Card

Description: Alternating weeks, Science program and program about Food and food science

Air Time/Duration: Bi-Weekly, **Tuesday** 3:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1,2,3,6

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
3	7	5	
10	14	12	
17	21	19	
24			
31	28	26	

Program Name: With Good Reason Radio

Description: Magazine/documentary-style public affairs program, various topics of public interest

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Tuesday** 3:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 3, 6, 7, 9

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
3	7	5	
10	14	12	
17	21	19	
24			
31	28	26	

Program Name: Growing Greener

Description: Growing Greener is a weekly program about gardening in partnership with Nature, featuring conversations with leading experts in the field

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Tuesday** 4:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 4, 5, 6

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
3	7	5	
10	14	12	
17	21	19	
24			
31	28	26	

Program Name: Elementary Watson

Description: Elementary Dr. Watson is a live call-in show dedicated to helping people live their best lives. Done in a coaching format, action-oriented style, listeners can call in using an anonymous name if preferred, identify a desired life change, and then collaboratively agree on a series of small, specific actions to help achieve their desired goal. The focus is personal change, not an attempt to change anyone else. No diagnosing, no advice giving, no judgment. The listener is encouraged to call, text, or chat back to report to the listening audience how things are going and then identify the next steps toward goal achievement. Once a month, Dr. Watson will interview the director of a local social service organization to describe available services and the best way to access help.

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Tuesday** 4:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9

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October	November	December	
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31	28	26	

Program Name: This Way Out

Description: Those stories and more this week when you discover "This Way Out": the world's audio oasis for queer news and culture.

Air Time/Duration: Wednesday 3:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1,2,3,6

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
4	1	6	
11	8	13	
18	15	20	
25	22		
	29	27	

Program Name: Conversations on Health Care

Description: A radio show about the opportunities for reform and innovation in the health care system. In addition to health care headlines, the centerpiece of each show is a feature story and conversation with an innovator in the delivery of care from around the globe.

Air Time/Duration: Wednesday, 3:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 6

October	November	December	Notes
4	1	6	
11	8	13	
18	15	20	
25	22 29	27	

Program Name: Planetary Radio

Description: Discussion with social and scientific thinkers

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Wednesday** 4:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 3, 8

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
4	1	6	
11	8	13	
18	15	20	
25	22 29	27	

Program Name: Vital Idaho

Description: Various perspectives and current science related to the complex issues involved in making decisions about environmental public policy.

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, Thursday 3:00 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 3, 4, 6

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
5	2	6	
12	9	13	
19	16	20	
26	23	27	
	30		

Program Name: Making Contact

Description: Making Contact allows communities to link to each other, by sharing each other's experiences. We support localism by covering stories from all over the world, and illustrating how those local stories have international resonance.

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, Thursday 4 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

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October	November	December	
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19	16	20	
26	23	27	
	30		

Program Name: The Big Tent

Description: Discussion, advice, opinion and interviews of all aspects of local and national politics

Air Time/Duration: Weekly **Thursday** 3:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 1, 2, 5, 9

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
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Program Name: WINGS

Description: Produced by and about women around the world

Air Time/Duration: Weekly, **Thursday** 4:30 pm/30 minutes

Community issues addressed by program: 3, 4, 6, 7, 9

Air Date	Air Date	Air Date	Notes
October	November	December	
5	2	6	
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19	16	20	
26	23 30	27	

