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The Capitol Connection

DATE	TIME	SHOW #	TOPIC
1/4/2024	30:00	2401	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with William Aiken, President of RID, Remove Intoxicated Drivers, about their support of a bill to lower the blood alcohol content (BAC) for drunk driving from .08 to .05.
1/11/2024	30:00	2402	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with John Kaehny, Executive Director and Co-Founder of Reinvent Albany about New York Governor Kathy Hochul's state of the state address this week.
1/18/2024	30:00	2403	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with New York State Comptroller Tom DiNapoli about the Governor Hochul's budget proposal, the rainy day fund, migrants, and much more.
1/25/2024	30:00	2404	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with New York Republican Assembly Minority Leader William Barclay about his recent trip to China, the governor's budget proposal, use of the rainy-day fund for migrants, education, climate change, public safety, and much more.
2/1/2024	30:00	2405	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Democratic Assembly Majority Leader Crystal Peoples-Stokes about the governor approving temporary employment for migrants, education and hold harmless, cannabis, climate change, and much more.
2/8/2024	30:00	2406	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Kathy Sheehan, President of the New York state Conference of Mayors and Mayor of Albany about what cities, towns, and villages are asking for from state government and how much that will cost.
2/15/2024	30:00	2407	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Blair Horner, Executive Director of the New York Public Interest Research Group (NYPIRG) about the environment, voting rights, how New York is failing when it comes to cancer, and much more.
2/22/2024	30:00	2408	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Pollster Steve Greenberg from the Siena College Research Institute about their latest poll out this week.
2/29/2024	30:00	2409	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Susan Lerner, the Executive Director of Common Cause New York, about the newly approved congressional redistricting maps, voting and elections, public campaign financing, money in politics and the importance of media in a democracy.
3/7/2024	30:00	2410	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Assemblymember Sarahana Shrestha, a Democratic Socialist, about the need for more affordable housing, the problem with education funding, climate change, migrants, and much more.
3/14/2024	30:00	2411	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Corinne Carey, Senior Campaign Director of Compassion & Choices - a group calling for the passage of the Medical Aid in Dying Act in New York.
3/21/2024	30:00	2412	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with New York state Assembly Republican Minority Leader William Barclay about the budget, the plight of small farms, migrants, child care, and much more.
3/28/2024	30:00	2413	WAMC's David Guistina in conversation with Krista Hesdorfer, Director of Public Affairs for Hunger Solutions New York about legislation to provide free meals to all public school students in need.