

Quarterly Issues Report

2nd Quarter 2023 – Apr 1, 2023, thru Jun 30, 2023

WEZF – Sunday’s at 6:30 AM / WCPV - Sunday’s at 6:00 AM / WXZO – Sunday’s at 6 AM / WVTK – Sunday’s at 7:30 AM / WEAV – Sunday’s at 6:00 AM
 WXXX – Sunday’s at 5 AM / WVMT – Sunday’s at 6:00 AM

Description of Issues	Program	Dates	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Pet Safety	Viewpoint	Apr 2	16 min	Mallory Sullivan from BEVS was on the show to talk about a new respiratory illness that has been showing up in dogs in our area. Sullivan described the symptoms and what the treatment is.
2 nd Amendment Gun Safety	Viewpoint	Apr 2	13 min	Pat Brennan, State Rep from Colchester, was on the show to talk about the gun bill going through the legislature and the constitutionality of parts of the proposed bill.
Business Licenses	Viewpoint	Apr 9	17 min	New Vermont Secretary of State Sarah Copeland Hanzas was on the show to talk about the process of businesses obtaining a license and the new process for contractors to register with the state.
Housing Homelessness Employment	Viewpoint	Apr 16	14 min	The New Mayor of Rutland Mike Doenges was in the studio to talk about the issues facing Rutland. Doenges talked about the problems with the shortage of housing in the city. He also talked about homelessness and what Rutland is doing to help that population.
Public Safety	Viewpoint	Apr 23	12 min	BPD Chief Jon Murad was on the show to talk about recent shootings in the city. Murad also talked about an incident that took place at the hospital this past summer.
State Budget Healthcare Drug Use	Viewpoint	Apr 23	17 min	VT State Senator Tany Vyhovsky was in studio to talk about the current legislative session. They are currently working on the state budget, healthcare and abortion rights, housing, the increase of illegal drugs and overdoses in the state.
Healthcare COVID-19	Viewpoint	Apr 30	14 min	Amy Hornblas was in studio to talk the VT Emergency Forum on Respiratory Issues with masks. With the National State of Emergency Order coming to an end, what steps do we need to continue with, like masks.
Corruption in Business	Viewpoint	Apr 30	16 min	Anne Galloway from VT Digger was on the show to talk about the EB-5 Scandal. Galloway explained how the developer took investor

				money in a Ponzi like scheme and didn't not do the development projects as promised.
Public Safety Local Business	Viewpoint	May 7	12 min	Kelly Devine, the Executive Director of the Burlington Business Association, was in the studio to discuss the issues facing businesses in Burlington like retail theft, the increase in crime, more homelessness, and recent shootings.
Local Infrastructure	Viewpoint	May 7	17 min	Burlington Director of Public Works, Chapin Spencer, was on the show to discuss projects in the works for the Public Works Department like the return of passenger rail to Burlington, parking in the city, paving projects, and more.
Mental Health	Viewpoint	May 14	14 min	Nick Roos, a Mental Health Crisis Specialist with the Vermont State Police, was on the show to talk about this new position in the VSP. Roos discussed how his position is implemented in helping those suffering from a Mental Health Crisis.
Home Heating Global Warming	Viewpoint	May 14	16 min	Matt Cota, President of Meadow Hill Consulting, was on the show to discuss the "Clean Heat" Bill. The bill is designed to study how to transition Vermont Residents to more renewable energy. Then in 2025, the state will then form a plan to move forward. Cota talked about this will affect fuel businesses in the state and how much this will cost to VT Residents.
Homelessness Housing	Viewpoint	May 21	14 min	Burlington Mayor Miro Weinberger was on the show to discuss issues in Burlington like Homelessness. Weinberger talked about the increase in affordable housing construction, adding more resources to help those in need. He added that the city is preparing for the end of the Hotel/Motel Homeless Program.
Home Heating Global Warming State Funding	Viewpoint	May 21	14 min	Governor Phil Scott was on the show discussing his veto of the "Clean Heat" Bill and how he feels it will affect the resident of the state. Scott also talked about the proposed budget and how he thinks it has too many increases in taxes.
Road Work Downtown Infrastructure	Viewpoint	May 28	15 min	Plattsburgh Mayor Christopher Rosenquest was on the show to talk about the issues facing the City of Plattsburgh. Rosenquest gave an update on the Margret Street Construction. The city is also working on a complete rework of the zoning codes.
Youth in Politics	Viewpoint	May 28	13 min	Vermont Republican Party Chair, Paul Dame, was on the show to talk about getting more youth in politics.

Housing City Planning	Viewpoint	June 4	12 min	Chris Yuen, the Community Development Director for the City of Essex Junction, was on the show to discuss the land development code and the procedure on creating the code as a new city.
Housing	Viewpoint	June 4	16 min	VT Lt. Governor David Zuckerman was in studio to talk about the increase of Homelessness in the state and how the state is helping this population.
Housing	Viewpoint	June 11	14 min	Evan Langfeldt, CEO of O'Brien Brothers, was on the show to discuss the Hillside project and the need for more affordable housing in the state. The Hillside project in South Burlington, once complete will add over 300 new homes, which will also powered be 100% renewable energy.