## WMFR 1230 AM High Point, NC

## ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

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#### WMFR PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES

WMFR-AM, Burlington-Graham, NC Issues and Concerns 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2024 January 1- March 31

Issue: CD Crime/Drugs FY Family/Youth

EC Economy GR Growth/Roads/Transportation

ED Education HO Housing

EH Environment/Health PA Private/Public/Accountability

IN Infrastructure
NS National Security
HC Healthcare
MI Military Appreciation/Awareness
TAX Tax Reform/Taxes
POL Politics
PS Public Saftey
AG Agriculture
Energy
ME Media

IMImmigrationLE Law EnforcmentCOVID COVID-19RUS, War in UkraineIS IsraelEQ Equal OpportunitySBSmall BussinessPF Personal FinancesGC Gun ControlCC Climate ControlShows: American Radio Journal Sundays 6:30am-7:00am

### WMFR-AM 1200 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Community Affairs January 1 – March, 2024

# American Radio Journal Program Notes 2024 Q1

1/7/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Dr. Paul Kengor the new Editor-In-Chief of the *American Spectator* talks about the history and impact of the venerable publication; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on key 2024 U.S. Senate races; Eric Boehm and Stephanie Slade of *Reason* magazine report on the colorful & Libertarian history of Key West; And, Colin Hanna of Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the 2024 Presidential Election. **POL** 

1/14/14 This week on *American Radio Journal*: E J Antoni of the Heritage Foundation discusses why economics won't solve social problems; Scott Parkinson of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on looming federal budget deadlines; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine look at the exploding national debt; And, Dr. Paul Kengor from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the late Justice Sandra Day O'Connor's abortion rulings. **EC, FY, POL** 

1/21/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Lowman Henry talks with Ben Lieberman from the Competitive Enterprise Institute about how federal regulators are targeting your household appliances; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the Iowa Caucuses; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine learns about new federal regulations on the gig economy from Jarrett Dieterle of R Street; And, Jonathan Williams from the American Legislative Exchange Council has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on how population shifts continue to favor low tax states. **POL, PA, EC, PF, TAX** 

1/28/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Patrick Horan from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University discusses the impact of the recent uptick in the inflation rate on interest rates; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the results of the lowa Caucuses; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine talks with *Caleb Kruckenberg* of the Pacific Legal Foundation about the Supreme Court case involving the Chevron Deference doctrine; And, Colin Hanna from Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on known unknowns in the race for the Republican Presidential nomination. **EC, POL** 

2/4/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: David Ditch from the Heritage Foundation explains how profligate federal spending is fueling inflation; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on ongoing federal budget negotiations; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine details a congressional call for regulation of digital media; And, Dr. Paul Kengor from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on Vladimir Putin's continued aggression in Ukraine. **EC, ME, RUS** 

2/11/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Dakota Wood of the Heritage Foundation discusses the annual *Index of U.S. Military Strength*; Scott Parkinson has the *Real Story* on the race for the Republican Presidential nomination; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine talks with Liya Palagashvili from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University about a California law that is hurting independent contractors; And, Jonathan Williams from the American Legislative Exchange Council has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the real reason for Arizona's state budget deficit. **POL**, **SB**, **EC** 

2/18/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Phil Kerpen from American Commitment discusses inflation and current economic trends; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on collapse of the Senate immigration deal; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine explores the advantage of allowing foreign airlines to fly domestic routes; And, Colin Hanna from Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the dysfunctional congress. **EC, IM, POL** 

2/25/24This week on *American Radio Journal*: Ryan Young from the Competitive Enterprise Institute discusses the latest inflation numbers and their impact; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on only the second impeachment of a cabinet secretary in U.S. History; Eric Boehm and Emma Campa of *Reason* Magazine look at the real cause of student loan debt; And, Dr. Paul Kengor from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the National Football League. **EC, POL, PF** 

3/3/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Paul H. Tice author of *The Race to Zero* explains how ESG investing will crater the global financial system; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on Donald Trump's potential running mates; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine discusses impact of "shrinkflation"; And, on his *American Radio Journal* commentary Jonathan Williams from the American Legislative Exchange Council warns what will happen if the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act is allowed to expire. **EC, POL, TAX** 

3/10/14 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Patricia Patnode from the Competitive Enterprise Institute discusses the Biden Administration's restrictions on new oil and gas leases; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on 'Super Tuesday' in the 2024 Presidential race; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine talks with Romina Boccia of the CATO Institute about the real cost of 'emergency spending' proposals now before congress; And, Colin Hanna from Let Freedom Ring, USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on why peace through strength is still the best policy in Ukraine. **CC**, **EH**, **IN**, **POL**, **EC**, **RUS** 

3/17/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Former Office of Management and Budget chief economist Vance Ginn explains why Americans are not happy with the U.S. economy; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on a Trump-Biden presidential rematch; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine talks about the impact of high interest rates; And, Dr. Paul Kengor from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the Marist/Communist roots of International Women's Day. **EC, POL** 

3/24/24This week on *American Radio Journal*: Lowman Henry talks with Dean Clancy from Americans for Prosperity on the continued high cost of health care; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on why Bidenomics has created an affordable housing crisis; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine looks at overlapping federal budgets; And, Jonathan Williams from the American Legislative Exchange Council has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the undependability of federal Medicaid funding to states. **HC, EC, HO** 

3/31/24 This week on *American Radio Journal*: Lowman Henry talks with Daren Bakst of the Competitive Enterprise Institute about President Biden's latest attack on energy; Scott Parkinson of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on results of the Ohio primary; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine discusses progress in asset forfeiture reform with Jim Manley at the Pacific Legal Foundation; And, Colin Hanna from Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on how to solve the illegal immigration crisis. **CC, IN, EH, POL, IM**