

## Issues Programs List

### Quarterly Issues Programs List

Station(s): KMON-AM, KMON-FM, KAAK-FM, KLFM-FM, KVVR-FM

October 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022

#### Section I. Issues

The stations have identified the following topics as significant issues facing our community in this quarter:

- A. **Mid-Term Election.** The midterm election was particularly noteworthy, given Montana gained a second seat in the House of Representatives in the 2020 Census.
- B. **Local Government.** Local officials were on to discuss the needs of the city of Great Falls and Cascade County.
- C. **2023 Legislative Session.** The upcoming legislative session, whether local, state, or national was discussed.
- D. **Ag and Farming.** Agricultural topics were discussed, given the importance of farming to our listening area.

#### Section II. Responsive Programs

<b>Date Aired</b>	<b>Time aired</b>	<b>Duration (Minutes)</b>	<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Issue Discussed.</b> Description of Program
10/5	7:50a	10	Interview with County Commissioner	<b>Election.</b> County Commissioner was on to discuss procedures for upcoming election.
10/14	7:50a	10	Montana State University Extension Office	<b>Agriculture and Farming.</b> Shelter Belt and Tree Care was discussed to prevent soil erosion.
10/17	7:50a	10	Jim McCormick, GF Rescue Mission	<b>Homeless, Food Insecurity.</b> Needs at the Rescue Mission, focusing on Thanksgiving.
10/26	7:50a	10	Shawn Tatarka, GF Food Bank	<b>Poverty, Food Insecurity.</b> Shawn was on talk about needs at the Food Bank and promote the upcoming Scare Away Hunger Food Drive.
11/2	7:50a	10	Interview with County Commissioner	<b>Election.</b> Commissioner was on to talk about upcoming election. Projects involving ARPA funds were also discussed.
11/9	8:30a	10	Interview with Sheriff Jesse Slaughter	<b>Law Enforcement.</b> Sheriff discussed new / expanded Evidence Storage facility. Also discussed the passage of Safety Levy in recent election.
11/15	8:15a	10	Interview with GF Fire & Rescue	<b>Fire Safety, Public Safety.</b> Update on recent house fires. Also discussed proposed statewide training facility to be built in Great Falls.
11/23	7:50a	10	Rachel Haberman, Energy Share MT	<b>Utilities, Poverty.</b> Energy Share MT is a low-income energy assistance program. Guest spoke about the program and how listeners could donate to help.
11/30	8:15	10	Interview with Sheriff Jesse Slaughter	<b>Law Enforcement.</b> Trip to Helena for upcoming POST (Public safety Officer Standards & Training) Council. Updates on ongoing cases
12/7	7:50a	10	Interview with County Commission	<b>Elections.</b> Election results were discussed, along with the possibility of separating the offices of

				Election Auditor and Clerk & Recorder into separate entities.
12/13	8:15a	10	MSU Extension Office	<b>Fire Safety, Holiday Safety.</b> Christmas Tree Care and related fire safety tips were discussed.
12/19	7:50a	10	MT Superintendent of Public Instruction Elsie Arntzen	<b>Public Education.</b> Arntzen was on to talk about Community Forum later that day on topic of legislative priorities for upcoming session.
12/23	8:15a	10	US Representative Matt Rosendale	<b>National Politics.</b> Representative was on to discuss recent Funding Bill, 2023 Farm Bill.