October 1, 2020

Quarterly Problems and Needs List WLPR AM, Prichard - Mobile, Alabama Goforth Media, Inc.

Goforth Media, Inc., licensee of radio station WLPR AM in Prichard, AL has found the following issues and needs of particular concern to members of our listening area:

- 1. Alabama Broadcasters Association PEP Spots
- 2. Masks required in all Baldwin County courts beginning July 6
- 3. Consumer Affairs: : FDA Warns Against The Use Of Certain Hand Sanitizers
- 4. Consumer Affairs: In The Fight Against COVID-19
- 5. Consumer Affairs: IRS Reminder That Unemployment Benefits Are Taxable Income
- Mobile County Public School System Plans To Start Online School September 1st.
- 7. Weather and Community Events

Title: Alabama Broadcasters Association Pep Spots
Date: July 1st, 2020 – September 30th, 2020
Time: 2 times per day everyday
Duration: 30 Seconds
Problem # 1: *Bringing Attention To The "Move Over" Law*

The Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) is bringing awareness to two issues of great importance across our state for the remainder of the year. Spot announcements will air on the following subject matter: "Railway Safety" and "Move Over" when you see flashing lights.

Alabama Department of Transportation has enrolled in the PEP program for the remainder of the year. From now through Dec 31, 2019, we will air the two remaining spots. One spot focuses on Railway Safety... "Never try to beat and train. It is a deadly game." A second spot is designed to bring attention to The "Move Over" law which requires that you move over when you see flashing lights. If you can't move over – Slow Down! Title: WKRG-TV News Date: Thursday, July 2nd, 2020 Time: 6:46 AM, 7:46 AM, 8:46 AM, 4:46 PM & 5:46 PM Duration: 1 Minute

Problem # 2: Masks required in all Baldwin County courts beginning July 6

Judge Stankoski issued an order Wednesday mandating that all persons wear a mask in the Baldwin County Courts including the satellite courts in Foley and Fairhope beginning July 6, 2020.

This mandate includes but is not limited to court employees, visitors, witnesses, law enforcement, cleaning personnel and vendors. Medical exceptions will be handled on a case by case basis. All attorneys are encouraged to conduct as much business as possible by paperwork and virtual hearings should be requested in all matters where practicable.

These restrictions shall remain in place until the Court determines they can safely be discontinued.

Title: The Daily Consumer Radio Newscast
Date: Tuesday, July 7th, 2020
Time: 6:16 AM, 12:16 PM & 6:16 PM
Duration: 1 Minute
Problem # 3: The FDA Warns Against The Use Of Certain Hand Sanitizers

The Food and Drug Administration has repeated its warning not to use certain brands of hand sanitizer because they contain extremely toxic methanol. The agency says some adults and children have been hospitalized, and have even died after drinking the contaminated products. The FDA lists those brands on its website. Title: The Daily Consumer Radio Newscast Date: Tuesday, July 14th, 2020 Time: 6:16 AM, 12:16 PM & 6:16 PM Duration: 1 Minute Problem # 4: *In The Fight Against COVID-19*

Experts at Scripps Research say they have made progress in their work toward a vaccine for COVID-19. Their new study found that a specific type of antibody, which was found in patients recovering from the coronavirus and is being used in the vaccine, could be crucial in keeping the virus at bay. Title: The Daily Consumer Radio Newscast
Date: Thursday, August 20th, 2020
Time: 6:16 AM, 3:46 PM & 6:16 PM
Duration: 1 Minute
Problem # 5: *IRS Reminder That Unemployment Benefits Are Taxable Income*

The I-R-S is reminding unemployed Americans that unemployment benefits are taxable income, and in the case of that extra \$600 a week many received, the tax bill can be pretty high. The agency suggests people who received benefits make an estimated tax payment by September 15th to avoid a large bill next April. Title: WKRG-TV News Date: Thursday, July 16th, 2020 Time: 6:46 AM, 7:46 AM, 8:46 AM, 4:46 PM & 5:46 PM Duration: 1 Minute Problem # 6: *Mobile County Public School System Plans To Start Online School September 1st.*

Mobile County Public Schools will not open on Aug. 10. Instead, the district's superintendent announced today a plan to open online on Sept. 1.

The first nine weeks will be online, but will students be able to go back once that time passes? The answer depends on how our area is doing with coronavirus.

Superintendent Threadgill said he's working closely with the county's health department to make sure he's not putting students and staff at risk by going back too soon.

"Mobile County Public Schools will not reopen for students on Aug. 10, 2020," Superintendent Chresal Threadgill said.

For many parents, the announcement was one they have been waiting for, for weeks.

Title: Weather & Community Events

Date: Daily

Time: Randomly and Frequently

Duration: 30 seconds & 60 seconds

WLPR-AM airs local weather and Community Events for our listening area all throughout the day.