

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT
FOR
WBBM-FM
THIRD QUARTER, 2023
JULY 1, 2023 UNTIL SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

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**ISSUES OF CONCERN TO CHICAGO ADDRESSED IN RESPONSIVE
PROGRAMMING IN THE THIRD QUARTER, 2023**

PET CARE/ANIMAL SHELTERS

HUMAN RIGHTS / LGBTQIA+

SENIOR CARE / SENIOR BENEFITS

FUNDRAISING /VOLUNTEERING

PARENTING ISSUES

ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES/DRUGS (LEGAL AND ILLEGAL)/SAFETY

ECONOMY AND EMPLOYMENT

FREE HEALTHCARE SERVICES

EDUCATION/MENTORSHIP

MENTAL HEALTH / SUICIDE PREVENTION

WOMEN'S ISSUES/MINORITIES

VACCINATION INFORMATION

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS

MILITARY / VETERAN AFFAIRS

CULTURAL CELEBRATION

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION / AGRICULTURAL AWARENESS

NOTE: THE ABOVE TOPICS ARE NOT LISTED IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE. THESE TOPICS WERE COVERED NOT ONLY DURING THESE SEGMENTS OF **CHICAGO CONNECTION** BUT DURING THE P-S-A'S THAT RAN ON THE PROGRAM.

WBBM-FM QUARTERLY ISSUES/P-S-A ACTIVITY REPORT

JULY 1, 2023

ATTACHED IS A LISTING OF THE BROADCASTS SEGMENTS (AS WELL AS WEBSITE CONTENT) THAT, IN THE STATION'S JUDGMENT, BEST REFLECTS THE STATION'S MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES DURING THE PRECEDING THREE-MONTH PERIOD.

THE FOLLOWING COVERS THE RELEVANT ISSUES FROM JULY 1ST, 2023 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2023. ALL REFERENCES TO "B96" ARE **WBBM-FM**. EACH SEGMENT INCLUDES THE BROADCAST AIRDATE AS WELL AS SEGMENT LENGTH.

ALSO ATTACHED IS A LISTING OF P-S-A'S THAT WERE BROADCAST DURING **WBBM-FM'S** PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM "**CHICAGO CONNECTION**."

NOTE: THE RUNNING TIME OF EACH OF THE PROGRAMS LISTED DOES NOT INCLUDE COMMERCIALS!

CHICAGO CONNECTION: A ONE HOUR NEWS PROGRAM INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS AND INTERVIEWS WITH COMMUNITY LEADERS AND PROMINENT LOCAL AND NATIONAL INDIVIDUALS. BROADCAST TIME: SUNDAY 5:00 AM-6:00 AM

P-S-A'S CHICAGO CONNECTION

THIRD QUARTER, 2023

NOTE: CHICAGO CONNECTION IS THE ONE-HOUR PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM THAT AIRS SUNDAY MORNINGS ON WBBM-FM FROM 5 AM UNTIL 6 AM.

P-S-A'S IN A GIVEN SHOW: 18 (ON AVERAGE)

LENGTH: 30-60 SECONDS

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF P-S-A'S SINCE JULY 1, 2023: 234

TOTAL ESTIMATED VALUE FOR THIS AIRTIME: \$39,312.00

P-S-A RECAP-CHICAGO CONNECTION

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING IS A LISTING OF THE P-S-A'S THAT AIRED DURING THE "CHICAGO CONNECTION" PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM. THEY ARE GROUPED BY SHOW AIRDATE. ALSO LISTED ARE THE ISSUE OF CONCERN THAT EACH P-S-A ADDRESSED.

07/02

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09/24

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CHICAGO CONNECTION

(AIRS SUNDAY, 5 AM)

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

BELOW IS A LISTING OF THE SUBJECTS DISCUSSED DURING **CHICAGO CONNECTION'S** COMMUNITY CALENDAR SEGMENT ON EACH DATE LISTED. EACH SUBJECT WAS DISCUSSED FOR APPROXIMATELY 30-60 SECONDS. ALSO LISTED (IN PARENTHESES) IS THE ISSUE OF CONCERN THAT EACH P-S-A ADDRESSED. ALL THE EVENTS LISTED BELOW FULFILL THE UPCOMING EVENTS REQUIREMENT.

07/02

WOOF FEST (NO-KILL SHELTER / FUNDRAISER)
MISS MCHENRY COUNTY (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
TURPIN CARES (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
LINCOLN PARK ZOO WINE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
A BOY AND HIS DREAM (FUNDRAISER/COMMUNITY EVENT)
GREAT AMERICAN FOOD FESTIVAL (COMMUNITY EVENT)
LOGAN SQUARE VOLUNTEER FAIR (JOB FAIR / COMMUNITY EVENT)
KIWANIS BRAT DAYS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
EVERY STEP OF THE WAY (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
WALK TO SHIRE (EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)

SPARKLE BALL (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
BOTTOM LINE (FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE/STUDENT HELP)
BOLINGBROOK PRIDE (LGBTQIA AWARENESS/COMMUNITY EVENT)
LIGHTHOUSE FOUNDATION GALA (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
AUTISM HEROES (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
RED, WHITE AND BOOM (COMMUNITY EVENT)
WAUKEGAN MOVIES IN THE PARK (FAMILY EVENT/COMMUNITY EVENT)
4TH OF JULY FOR LAKE ZURICH (COMMUNITY EVENT)

07/09

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MISS MCHENRY COUNTY (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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SPARKLE BALL (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
BOTTOM LINE (FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE/STUDENT HELP)
DACHSHUND DERBY (ANIMALS / FUNDRAISER)
KINDNESS & COCKTAILS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
A SAFE PLACE (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
SENSORY FRIENDLY (DISABILITIES SUPPORT/COMMUNITY EVENT)
BANTU FEST (INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS COMMUNITY EVENT)

07/16

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MISS MCHENRY COUNTY (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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07/23

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A SAFE PLACE (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
A STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
NATTERBOX VOLLEYBALL (FITNESS / COMMUNITY EVENT)
STEM FEST (STEM EDUCATION / FUNDRAISER)
BOTTOM LINE (FINANCIAL AID ASSISTANCE/STUDENT HELP)
LINCOLN PARK ZOO WINE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
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LINCOLNSHIRE MOVIES IN THE PARK (COMMUNITY EVENT)
KINDNESS & COCKTAILS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
A SAFE PLACE (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
POW WOW (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)
CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
STREET SAMARITANS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
A STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
ELOTE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)
GURNEE DAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HIGHWOOD BLOODY MARY FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
LEGACYLAND WALK (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)

08/06

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WOOF FEST (NO-KILL SHELTER / FUNDRAISER)

NATTERBOX VOLLEYBALL (FITNESS / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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 ELOTE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)
 GURNEE DAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
 HIGHWOOD BLOODY MARY FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
 LEGACYLAND WALK (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)

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LEGACYLAND WALK (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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 STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
 STEM FEST (STEM EDUCATION / FUNDRAISER)
HAWTHORNE MALL PHOTO CONTEST (HISTORY/COMMUNITY EVENT)
BACK-TO-SCHOOL ROLLERSKATING PARTY (COMMUNITY EVENT)
 BACK-TO-SCHOOL FRANKFORT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
 TAKE ME BACK KID PARTY (COMMUNITY EVENT)

08/20

LEGACYLAND WALK (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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STEM FEST (STEM EDUCATION / FUNDRAISER)
STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
FOOD TRUCK WEDNESDAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
DELILAH SOCIETY SHOW (AGRICULTURE / COMMUNITY EVENT)
CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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FALL ON THE FARM (AGRICULTURE / COMMUNITY EVENT)
APPLE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
OCTOBERFEST LINCOLNSHIRE (COMMUNITY EVENT)
WITCHES NIGHT OUT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
ART OF GIVING (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
UP FOR DOWNS MARATHON (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
TACOS AT THE ZOO (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HEALING GALA (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
PAWS CHARITY WINE EVENT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)

09/03

SEPTEMBER FEST (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
NAPERVILLE LABOR DAY PARADE (COMMUNITY EVENT)
LABOR DAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
FOOD TRUCK WEDNESDAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
DELILAH SOCIETY SHOW (AGRICULTURE / COMMUNITY EVENT)
CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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TACOS AT THE ZOO (COMMUNITY EVENT)

HEALING GALA (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
PAWS CHARITY WINE EVENT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)

09/10

STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
FOOD TRUCK WEDNESDAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
DELILAH SOCIETY SHOW (AGRICULTURE / COMMUNITY EVENT)
CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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PAWS CHARITY WINE EVENT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)

09/17

SEPTEMBER FEST (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
NAPERVILLE LABOR DAY PARADE (COMMUNITY EVENT)
LABOR DAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
STARRY NIGHT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
FOOD TRUCK WEDNESDAYS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
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APPLE FEST (COMMUNITY EVENT)
OCTOBERFEST LINCOLNSHIRE (COMMUNITY EVENT)
WITCHES NIGHT OUT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
ART OF GIVING (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
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TACOS AT THE ZOO (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HEALING GALA (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
PAWS CHARITY WINE EVENT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)

09/24

CHANGING SEASONS (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
OCTOBERFEST LINCOLNSHIRE (COMMUNITY EVENT)

WITCHES NIGHT OUT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
CRAFTS PEOPLE'S BALL (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
ART OF GIVING (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
HERITAGE CARES GOLF OUTTING (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
UP FOR DOWNS MARATHON (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
POWER AND PURPOSE CHICAGO (CULTURAL AWARENESS / COMMUNITY EVENT)
TACOS AT THE ZOO (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HEALING GALA (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
MYSTIC MARKET (COMMUNITY EVENT)
PAWS CHARITY WINE EVENT (FUNDRAISER / COMMUNITY EVENT)
PUMPKINFEST GRAYSLAKE (COMMUNITY EVENT)
DIA DE LOS MUERTOS WAUKEGAN (CULTURAL AWARENESS / COMMUNITY EVENT)
NIGHT OF A THOUSAND JACK-O-LANTERNS (COMMUNITY EVENT)
FOX LAKE EARLY TRICK-OR-TREAT (COMMUNITY EVENT)
HARAMBEE (CULTURAL EDUCATION / COMMUNITY EVENT)
IL RAILWAY MUSEUM HOLIDAY CARS (COMMUNITY EVENT)

CHICAGO CONNECTION INTERVIEWS

(AIRS SUNDAY, 5 AM)

VOLUNTEERING / COMMUNITY

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 2ND, 2023

5:03 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO THE FOUNDER OF *CARDS FOR HOSPITALIZED KIDS* JEN RUBINO. CFHK IS A GRASSROOTS ORGANIZATION THAT IS NOW KNOWN NATIONWIDE FOR SENDING HOMEMADE CARDS TO SICK CHILDREN IN THE HOSPITAL. THIS YEAR MARKS THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY SO JEN WILL SHARE WITH LISTENERS HOW TO MAKE CARDS OR REQUEST A CARD FOR A HOSPITALIZED CHILD.

**REPLAYED ON: 07/09/23, 07/16/23, 07/23/23, 08/27/23, 09/03/23, 09/10/23, 09/17/23

AT-RISK YOUTH / EDUCATION / FINANCIAL AID

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 2ND, 2023

3:28 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO CEO ANEESH SAHONI ABOUT HIS FOUNDATION *ONE MILLIONS DEGREES* THAT PROVIDES AT-RISK YOUTH WITH A MENTOR TO GUIDE THEM THRU HIGH SCHOOL AND ATTENDING AND FINISHING COLLEGE. THEIR ORGANIZATION WORKS WITH THE KIDS AND PARENTS IN THE PROGRAM TO HELP UNDERSTAND FINANCIAL AID AND PROVIDING GRANTS TO THOSE WHO QUALIFY.

**REPLAYED ON: 07/09/23, 07/16/23, 07/23/23, 07/30/23, 08/06/23, 08/13/23, 08/20/23, 08/27/23

VOLUNTEERING / COMMUNITY

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 2ND, 2023

5:41 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO SPECIAL EVENTS & PROMOTIONS MANAGER CHRIS FISHER, OF THE *NORTHERN ILLINOIS FOOD BANK*, ABOUT WAYS TO HELP FEED OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED, AND HOW TO VOLUNTEER.

**REPLAYED ON: 07/09/23, 07/16/23, 07/23/23, 08/13/23, 08/20/23, 08/27/23, 09/03/23, 09/10/23, 09/17/23, 09/24/23

COMMUNITY OUTREACH / MENTAL HEALTH

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY JULY 2ND, 2023

7:18 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO CEO ALEXA JAMES OF THE *NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF MENTAL ILLNESS CHICAGO / NAMI* ABOUT THEIR CENTER AND HOW TO GET INFORMATION AND HELP ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH.

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EDUCATION / MINORITIES

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 2ND, 2023

4:50 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO TYRONE PORTIES, THE FOUNDER OF *CITY ON THE HILL YOUTH FOUNDATION* ABOUT HIS TRADE PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK MINORITY YOUTH. TYRONE WILL TELL US REQUIREMENTS TO BE IN THE PROGRAM, HOW YOU CAN SIGN-UP, THE DIFFERENT TRADE OPTIONS AND HOW TO SUPPORT THEIR CAUSE TO CONTINUE PROVIDING THIS FREE.

**REPLAYED ON: 07/09/23, 08/27/23, 09/03/23, 09/10/23, 09/17/23, 09/24/23

VOLUNTEERING / COMMUNITY

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 16TH, 2023

6:52 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO MARIA BRUNNER, FOUNDER/DIRECTOR OF *MUSICALLY FED*. THIS ORGANIZATION WORKS WITH TOURING MUSICIANS AND TAKES UNLESS FOOD TO DONATE TO LOCAL SHELTERS/FOOD BANKS. MARIA WILL SHARE HOW TO VOLUNTEER AND ASK FOR LOLLAPALOOZA HELP.

**REPLAYED ON: 07/23/23, 07/30/23, 08/06/23

FAMILY SERVICES

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, JULY 30TH ,2023

6:34 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO VICE PRESIDENT OF FAMILY & PROVIDER RESOURCES FOR *ILLINOIS ACTION FOR CHILDREN (CCAP)*, CHRIST TOKARSKI WHO SHARED WAYS FOR PARENTS TO FIND QUALIFIED DAY SERVICES AND HOW TO GET FINANCIAL AID FOR CHILD CARE FOR THOSE FACING HARDSHIP.

**REPLAYED ON 08/06/23

MILITARY / EDUCATION

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, AUGUST 13, 2023
7:37 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO RECRUITER SERGEANT SAMER ELGUINDY FROM *THE ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD* ABOUT BECOMING A MEMBER, BENEFITS, REQUIREMENTS AND CLEARS UP MISCONCEPTIONS ABOUT BEING IN THE GUARD.

**REPLAYED ON 08/20/23, 09/24/23

CULTURAL EDUCATION / FINANCIAL AID

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY, AUGUST 13TH, 2023

5:14 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, JOSEPH LOPEZ FROM *THE SPANISH COALITION FOR HOUSING* TO TALK ABOUT HOW PEOPLE WITH LANGUAGE BARRIERS CAN GET COUNSELING ON BUYING ON HOUSE, KEEPING THEIR HOME IN FINANCIAL HARDSHIP AND UNDERSTANDING LEASES AND LANDLORD ISSUES.

**REPLAYED ON: 08/20/23,

COMMUNITY OUTREACH / MENTAL HEALTH

CHICAGO CONNECTION
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3RD, 2023

8:22 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALKS TO BOARD PRESIDENT OF AFSP (*AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION*) ABOUT THEIR AVAILABLE SERVICES AND THEIR ANNUAL FUNDRAISER, "OUT OF THE DARKNESS," AT MONTROSE HARBOR.

**REPLAYED ON: 09/10/23, 09/17/23, 09/24/23

COMMUNITY OUTREACH / MENTAL HEALTH

CHICAGO CONNECTION

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2023

6:37 MINUTES OF PROGRAM

HOST REBECCA ORTIZ TALK TO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ABBEY NICHOLAS, OF NAMI (*NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL HEALTH*) MCHENRY COUNTY ABOUT THEIR FREE SERVICES AND ABOUT AN UPCOMING PANCAKE BREAKFAST THAT WILL BE MATCH DOLLAR-FOR-DOLLAR WITH 100% OF THE RAISED FUNDS.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

PROGRAMMING

THIRD QUARTER, 2023

SUNDAY, JULY 9TH:

REBECCA ORTIZ, COORDINATED A CAR WASH FUNDRAISER AT KINGSTON LANES IN WOODSTOCK, IL TO RAISE SCHOLARSHIP MONEY FOR THE *MISS MCHENRY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT*.

SATURDAY, JULY 15TH:

REBECCA ORTIZ, COORDINATED A COMMUNITY DAY FOR THE CONTESTANTS OF *THE MISS MCHENRY COUNTY PAGEANT* TO CLEAN UP AND DO NEEDED REPAIRS AROUND THE MCHENRY COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS.

SATURDAY, JULY 22ND:

REBECCA ORTIZ CO-CREATED *THE SPARKLE BALL*, A COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER/GALA WITH OVER 100 PEOPLE (TICKETS SOLD) TO RAISE MONEY FOR LOCAL MENTAL HEALTH CARE. \$9,654 WAS RAISED WITH PROCEEDS DONATED TO THE *NATIONAL ALLIANCE OF MENTAL ILLNESS* OF MCHENRY COUNTY.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1ST:

REBECCA ORTIZ VOLUNTEERED AS THE JUDGES CHAIR FOR 2023 *MISS MCHENRY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT*. SHE ALSO VOLUNTEER EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM JULY 5TH THRU AUGUST 2ND TEACHING PUBLIC SPEAKING AND STAGE PRESENCE TO THE MISS CONTESTANTS.

SEPTEMBER 2023:

KARLA HERNANDEZ, FROM THE MORNING MESS, HAS BEEN WORKING WITH THE *AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION* THE ENTIRE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER TO GET READY FOR THEIR ANNUAL OUT OF THE DARKNESS WALK IN Q4.