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ISSUE: CORONAVIRUS

The virus continues to affect the lives of nearly everyone in our viewing area. It is an ongoing health issue and an economic issue affecting businesses and their employees.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/1/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A crowd gathered in Salem, demanding the state's Governor roll back Coronavirus restrictions on businesses. There were two opposing rallies and there were concerns the two groups might collide. The group gathered at the Capitol building was the same one that organized a rally in December that was later declared unlawful. They protested today against the Coronavirus restrictions and marched to the Governor's mansion in south Salem.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/1/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Some Oregon Mayors are calling for businesses in their towns to reopen today against the Governor's emergency order. Governor Kate Brown warned them, if they do, they will be fined. She said local elected officials do not have the authority to disregard her orders or to authorize anyone else to do so.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/4/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The rollout of Coronavirus vaccine has been inconsistent. The Oregon Health Authority says it comes down to what providers of the vaccines can do. The actual dates of the vaccinations are up to the hospitals and health systems to whom the vaccines are being distributed. Hundreds of thousands of people in the first category have yet to get the shot. The first people given the vaccine were medical personnel who work directly with Covid patients in the hospital.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/5/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Oregon is among the slowest states at getting the newly release Covid-19 vaccines into the arms of those who live here. CDC figures show Oregon is close to the bottom of the list for the vaccine rollout. The Oregon Health Authority tells us one of the reasons for the delay is that Oregon simply did not receive as many vaccine doses on a per capita basis.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/5/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Long term care facilities make up a majority of local Coronavirus outbreaks. A lot of families were forced to celebrate the holidays without seeing their loved ones. Since November, Lane County has had 2-3 outbreaks in long-term care facilities every week. In most cases, family members can't visit in person because of strict protocols to protect those residents from exposure.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/7/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County Public Health has received 1,200 doses of Coronavirus vaccine for county staff. Priority has gone to healthcare providers and care providers for vulnerable populations and congregate settings. We're told first responders, sheriff's deputies and search and rescue volunteers are also being vaccinated.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/11/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County Public Health is frustrated by the low number of vaccines they've been given. In the last 2 shipments, they have received 1200 doses. The Incident Commander for the county's Covid-19 response tells us it's unclear why they're getting such a low number of vaccines. Local hospitals and health clinics are getting additional vaccines in Lane County.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/11/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Small businesses in Lane County can now take advantage of the latest Federal Coronavirus Relief program. They can apply for a new round of loans through the Paycheck Protection Program. \$284 Billion dollars has been set aside for this program. Local business owners tell us the funding is needed after they've had to make layoffs and other adjustments under new Covid regulations.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/12/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County Public Health tells us 2 recent deaths are related to religious gatherings on the Oregon coast. The County is tracking 2 clusters in the Florence area that have 21 total cases. The first cases were discovered in mid-December and are not connected to the cases at the worship services. Jason Davis from Lane County Public Health tells us a common threat is people will start a gathering with masks and distancing, but over time they may come closer together and let their guard down.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/13/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Vaccinations for people 65 and over and for educators will start January 23rd. The idea of “mass vaccination sites” is being talked about. Lane County Public Health tells us they’ve been flooded with calls since the announcement. They will hold a mass vaccination event on Saturday, by invite only. A low supply of vaccines slows down the process. Jason Davis from Public Health tells us Oregon gets 30-thousand doses a week for a state with 4-million people. Lane County is expected to get 3-thousand vaccines a week, but this week got only 100 for their department.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/14/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County Public Health is working on the next steps of communicating who, when and where to get the Coronavirus vaccine. Educators and Senior citizens will be eligible for vaccines January 23rd. The Oregon Health Authority considers individual and environmental risk level when prioritizing distribution. Lane County is working on Groups 2 and 3 for their weekend mass vaccination clinics. That includes congregate care workers like jails, working with the homeless and in-home care. The county plans to vaccinate 1475 people at 2 mass vaccination clinics this weekend.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/18/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Oregon seniors are calling on Governor Brown to give them earlier access to the Covid-19 vaccine. By state order, educators will be able to get the first dose of the vaccine 2 weeks before the oldest residents of the state. The Governor says her priority is getting teachers vaccinated and classrooms back open. The first seniors in Oregon won’t be able to get the shot until the second week of February. Seniors say they don’t want to get shots before the teachers and educators, but they do want to be eligible at the same time.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/19/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County is making a step forward in the race to vaccinate against Covid-19. Public Health tells us thousands more doses of Coronavirus vaccine are on the way. Lane County Public Health will get 4,600 doses of the vaccine this week. In addition, several thousand doses are coming to McKenzie-Willamette and Peacehealth hospitals.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/19/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The Oregon Department of Education is relaxing its Covid metrics, so more students can head back to the classroom. The new numbers align with recommendations from the Harvard Global Health Institute. These metrics are only advisory. Schools do not have to meet them to send kids back to school for in-person learning.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/21/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The National Guard is coming in to Lane County to help with the next mass vaccination clinic. The county has 7,400 shots to deliver between Saturday and Tuesday. The vaccinations will go to those in groups 2 and 3 of Phase 1-A. Public Health tells us the target date for educators is still January 25th, with February 8th the date people age 65 and older can get the vaccine. Of course, it all depends on available supplies.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/25/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Educators in Oregon are now eligible for the Covid-19 vaccine, but they won't get vaccinated just yet in Lane County. Of the 16 school districts in Lane County, 6 of them have the capacity to hold vaccine clinic. The larger districts, like 4-J, Springfield and Bethel will be the ones to receive the first doses. Other District's will send educators to them for vaccination. Local teachers say getting their shots is a crucial first step in getting back into the classroom.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/26/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Starting Friday, three Oregon counties will see virus restrictions relaxed. Grant County will go to the "Moderate Risk" level. Tillamook and Curry counties will be downgraded to "Lower Risk." 25 counties, including Lane, Coos, Linn and Benton will remain in the "Extreme Risk" category. Douglas County will remain in the "High Risk" category.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/26/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The Oregon Health Authority is giving 17-hundred vaccines to educators this week. In Lane County, every school district will see vaccinations. The Lane Education Service District says the districts will notify the teachers and staff where to go and when, for their vaccing.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/28/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

An Advisory Committee with the Oregon Health Authority is releasing new recommendations for which groups should be vaccinated next. They're recommending frontline workers, people ages 16-64 with underlying health conditions, adults in custody and those living in low income housing. The recommendations are not set in stone, but are critical for the Governor's plan to craft a vaccine rollout.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/28/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Kindergarten through fourth grade students in Junction City will go back to Territorial Elementary school on February 1st. On the 4th, all elementary students will return in alternating groups. The school board is moving ahead with the plan as educators start getting the Coronavirus vaccine. The Junction City District has vaccination clinics this week.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/28/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The Director of the Oregon Health Authority, Pat Allen, is predicting more problems ahead in getting Oregonians vaccinated. This comes as the state is struggling to get through Phase 1-A to get all healthcare workers vaccinated. More people are becoming eligible for the vaccine, supply and scheduling are two of the hurdles they are dealing with.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/29/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The city of Eugene is offering free personal protective equipment to local businesses that qualify. They are trying to help small businesses that have fewer than 100 employees. We talked with the General Manager of the Oregon Wine Lab. He tells us the business has lost half its profits in the pandemic. The received wipes, sanitizer and a thermometer to use in-house and eight boxes each of masks and gloves. They were about to order a shipment of those supplies, but are faced with huge cost increases, four times the usual price.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/1/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

In a week, seniors in Oregon can start getting their Covid vaccine. Those aged 80 and up are first in line, but that vulnerable population is having a challenging time figuring out how to sign up. Seniors are being directed online, but many don't have the internet. Lane County Public Health tells us they will be launching a call center. In Lane County, there are about 15-thousand people in that age group. Those over 75 will be eligible the week of the 14th and those 65 and older, the 28th.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/2/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Frustrations are mounting as loved ones try to schedule Covid vaccines for their elderly parents ... but can't secure a date. New claims are coming out of Salem tonight that Salem Health isn't verifying people's eligibility before administering shots.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/2/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County Public Health is expressing hope about local Coronavirus trends. The County has been on a downward trend for two weeks. They say that means prevention measures are working. That trend could affect the county's risk level and the county is asking people to keep working to prevent the spread of Covid-19 for that to happen. Lane County will be in the "Extreme Risk" category until at least February 11th. The state will update risk levels next week.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/3/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A café in Springfield has been fined more than \$9,000 dollars for violating Covid-19 restrictions. OSHA started inspecting "Along Came Trudy Events and Café" in December. The fines were issued for allowing people to dine-in. Other fines were issued for the employer not enforcing the mask wearing policy. OSHA tells us the café willfully created an exposure risk, despite a public health order of zero indoor dining. There were reports of armed people waiting outside and threatening OSHA workers during the inspection.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/4/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

While so many other school districts are bringing students back to the classroom, the Eugene 4-J district is holding off. 4-J plans to have students return with a hybrid model, partially in-person and partially distance learning. That rollout won't start until teachers and staff have both doses of the Covid vaccine. With the hybrid rollout, families have the choice of whether to send their kids back to school or continue with distance learning.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/4/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County's vaccine pre-registration system is now live online. There's been so much interest, the county's website went down. The system doesn't reserve a shot for you but gives you communication about scheduling an appointment once you're eligible. The information is used for the vaccine campaign and when it's time, the county or a healthcare provider will reach out to you.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/8/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Eligible seniors are being vaccinated in Lane County starting today. There are about 15-thousand people the group aged 80 and up in Lane County. About half of them have pre-registered with the county or local providers. Others have already been vaccinated through a federal pharmacy program. Out of 32-Hundred doses, the county will get 2-thousand specifically for those 80-plus who have pre-registered.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/9/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

As inmates in state prisons start getting the Covid-19 vaccine, Lane County has not received any shots for its jail inmates or staff. County Public Health tells us the vaccines it gets from the Oregon Health Authority are specifically set aside for certain populations. So far, no vaccines are designated for the Lane County Jail.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/10/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

New developments in the return to in-person learning in the Eugene 4J District with their youngest grades going back to campus. Under the current hybrid model, kindergartners and first graders are slated for limited in-person return on March 15th. Those students will be on site two days a week. All Elementary students will be taught by remote on Wednesdays. Half will be in-person Mondays and Tuesdays and the other half on Thursdays and Fridays. Families can choose to not have their kids return at all and have them continue learning online.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/11/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A new report from the Small Business Administration shows Eugene ranks number one for mid-size metro markets with the most small business employment. According to the Eugene Chamber of Commerce, the local economy is very much dependent on those small businesses. As related to the pandemic, the Leisure and Hospitality industry in Lane County has taken the biggest hit, down 30% and losing 53-hundred jobs last year. The County has gained back 37% of those jobs since the onset of the pandemic.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/15/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The CDC's latest guidelines for reopening schools are still on the 'to-do' list for many local school districts. Meanwhile, parents are expressing concern. We talked with Lindsey Frye who has a high schooler and a 9-year old fourth grader at Adams Elementary. She's keeping the young one home. One reason is the struggle of dropping her child off before the school opens at 8:45 in the morning. She wants the school board to realize that schedule is not conducive for people who work at 8:20 in the morning. While she's happy with the staff at Adams, she takes issue with the School Board. On-site school days are planned for elementary schools to start at 7:55 or 8:45 for some schools.

We asked the District about the options for student care for parents who start work at 8:00 in the morning. They tell us the district is working with childcare providers on availability for before and after school care.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/16/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Workers are on strike at a long-term care facility in Springfield. The Employees of The Rawlin at Riverbend tell us they're striking over "dangerous" working conditions. The workers say they're fed up with what they call critical understaffing, insufficient training and traumatizing work conditions. They want the facility to recognize a worker's union. After declining to do so earlier this month, the Rawlin now says there needs to be a federally organized secret ballot election to create a union.

The local SEIU union tells us 23 residents at the facility have died in 9 weeks. They say some are from Covid, some from natural causes and workers allege others died from negligence.

We talked with the CEO of Onelife, which owns the Rawlin. Zack Falk tells us he doesn't believe the allegations to be true and that "we definitely have adequate staff to meet the needs of residents."

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/18/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The Eugene 4-J School District now has a tentative timeline for getting students back in the classroom. Kindergarten through 1st grad is planned to start the week of March 15th. Grades 2-5 will start Hybrid

learning on April 5th. The plan is for middle and high school students to start Hybrid learning April 12th. This all depends on if there are enough second doses of Coronavirus vaccine for teachers and staff.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/19/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

In Lane County, Public Health hopes to vaccinate more than 24-hundred seniors this weekend. It's the first mass vaccination clinic since eligibility dropped to 75 years and older this week. The event is by appointment, for those who pre-registered and are in the eligible groups. Eligibility does not go away as access expands. All those who pre-registered for a vaccine are still in the system and will be prioritized based on age.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/23/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County will move down into the "High Risk" category for Coronavirus starting Friday. One of the major changes that brings is a limited return to indoor dining. The change will allow for an indoor capacity of 25% or 50 people. Parties will be capped at 6 people and closing time will remain 11pm. There will be outdoor seating, with a capacity limit of up to 75 people. Some restaurants are already getting ready, setting up for indoor dining and hiring back staff that had been laid off or furloughed.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/24/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County is dropping from the State's "Extreme Risk" to the "High Risk" level on Friday, clearing the way for limited indoor activities, including indoor dining. It also means more business for venues like bowling alleys and gyms. They can have up to 50 people, or 25-percent of their maximum capacity, whichever number is smaller.

For the River Road Park and Recreation District, that's 31 people in the pool and 8 in the fitness room, by appointment.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/25/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County is mapping out a plan for a major expansion for mass vaccination clinics. They'll add 2 mass vaccination sites with plans to use PeaceHealth sites in Florence and Cottage Grove. Part of the plan is to set up mobile vaccine teams that will deliver shots to people with transportation issues or who are in remote areas.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/26/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

As Lane County moves from the “Extreme Risk” to the “High Risk” category for covid restrictions, indoor gyms can resume somewhat normal operations, with limited capacity. Up to 50 people are allowed or 25% of the maximum capacity, whichever number is smaller. Masks are required at all times, some machines are closed for social distancing and when you use the equipment, you are required to clean it when you’re finished.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/1/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

There was a rush to dine-in in Lane County restaurants for the long-awaited return to indoor dining with fewer restrictions in the state’s “High Risk” category for covid. Brail’s restaurant in Eugene saw the rush. The owner tells us things have been tough. She’s lost tens of thousands of dollars and had to layoff employees. They’ve now been re-hired with the change.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/2/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

With the highly anticipated return of high school sports this week, the Eugene 4J School District has announced spectators can watch online, but not on site. The district made the decision with guidance from the state and was out of the district’s control. The district has set up a free livestreaming service so the games can be watched by fans. For now, fans are not allowed in the stands, the sidelines or even along the fence. There is hope that there will be new rules if country risk levels continue to go down.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/2/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The California variant of Covid-19 has been found in Lane County. Public Health tells us analysis by the University of Oregon detected the variant in covid test samples. It’s the first “lab-confirmed” instance of any Coronavirus variant in Lane County. The variant doesn’t affect isolation or quarantine time for those who’ve been infected.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/4/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Oregon is getting ready for a major boost in the supply of Covid-19 vaccines. This comes ahead of another expansion of more people becoming eligible for the shot. The Johnson and Johnson shipment on its way this month, will double the amount of Covid-19 vaccines in the state. Lane County Public Health tells us they've heard concerns about the vaccine because it isn't as effective overall as the Moderna and Pfizer shots. Public Health Officer Patrick Luedtke says the J and J shot was tested on new variants and it's also highly effective in preventing severe cases of Covid-19.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/5/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Almost a year since the day Oregon's Governor ordered schools to close because of Covid-19, Kate Brown is now mandating, they reopen. The Governor's mandate comes with a detailed timeline for the return to campus for K-12 students in Public Schools.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/12/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County goes into the state's "moderate risk" category for Covid restrictions today. Restaurants and entertainment venues can now have half the maximum capacity, or 100 people, whichever number is smaller. 150 people can be outside.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/12/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Every adult in Oregon will be eligible for vaccinations starting May 1st. The question is, will Oregon have enough vaccine doses by then? The Director of the Oregon Health Authority, Pat Allen, tells us they are focused on having enough doses and he doesn't know when additional doses will arrive.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/15/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Essential workers across Oregon are seeking compensation for their work during the pandemic. The State of Oregon will get upwards of 4-billion dollars from the Federal Covid Relief plan. The essential workers union is asking for one to two-thousand dollar checks for those workers. The workers say their proposal will help stimulate the economy.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/16/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Autzen Stadium will now be used as a vaccine clinic site in Lane County. The first clinic there will be Saturday. Peacehealth and the University of Oregon are working with Lane County on the project. They plan to vaccinate 18-hundred people a day to start.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/16/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane Community College plans to have mostly in-person classes starting this fall. LCC tells us they'll have at least 50% on-campus learning and support this fall term, which begins September 27th. They hope to boost that number through the academic year.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/17/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

All Oregonians will now be eligible to get the Covid vaccine by May 1st. Late this afternoon, the Oregon Health Authority confirmed the Federal government will be able to increase the shipment of doses to the state. About 11% of Oregonians are now fully vaccinated.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/19/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The state is hooping to ramp up to 50-thousand vaccinations a day in Oregon. That's what they deem necessary to get every eligible Oregonian at least one shot by the end of May. That would mean roughly 1 in 3 adults in the state will have at least 1 shot. As of now, 12% of Oregonians are fully vaccinated.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/25/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Lane County moves into the state's "Low Risk" category for covid restrictions tomorrow. However, Lane County Public Health is seeing two new outbreaks from parties. Being in the "Low Risk" category means increasing the capacity for restaurants and indoor recreation venues.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/26/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

22 counties in Oregon have applied to vaccinate Phase 1-B, Group 6, ahead of schedule. That includes Lane, Coos and Douglas Counties. The April 5th expansion comes as many counties saw the demand for

vaccine appointments start to taper off. A big factor in getting enough vaccine is an expected surge in the supply of Johnson and Johnson vaccines. More than 600-thousand Oregonians have been fully vaccinated. By May 1st, Oregon plans to expand eligibility to Phase 2 of the vaccine rollout, which is all people age 16 and older.

ISSUE: HOUSING

Lane County has a shortage of homes on the market.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/1/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Entering the new year, the housing market in Lane County is expected to be tight. Oregon is one of the top moving destinations in the country. For buyers that means higher prices. Realtors say prices are up significantly in the last year. Homes are on the market for an average of only 33 days. An entry level house, priced around \$350,000 may be on the market for just 4 or 5 days.

ISSUE: PROTESTS

The state of Oregon is seeing on-going protests over the election.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/6/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Protests broke out in Salem today over the Electoral College certification. There was chaos outside the State Capitol building as protesters and counter protesters clashed. The day started with a prayer protest and then led to a "Stop the Steal" rally. During that rally, counter protesters showed up and interrupted the speakers. The fracas rolled out into the street where participants were yelling and arguing with each other. Fireworks were set off in front of the capitol building. Police declared it an "unlawful assembly."

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/7/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

In the wake of the protests and riots at the nation's capital, there are a lot of questions about the police presence there. Comparing that to what we saw at Black Lives Matter protests and demonstrations, is there a double standard?

Local police tell us there is not. Chief Chris Skinner of the Eugene Police Department tells us when an officer puts on a uniform, his job is to protect, no matter the topic of the protest. Skinner says his

department looks within, when something like this happens at the national level. He emphasized the police department is an apolitical organization.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/8/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Police in Tigard and business owners were still cleaning up the mess today, left behind by a group of rioters. The rioters say they were protesting the police shooting of 26-year old Jacob MacDuff. Demonstrators smashed the windows of businesses and police headquarters. Tigard Mayor Jason Snider says peacefully protesting is absolutely appropriate and property damage and destruction is not.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/9/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A pro-Trump rally in downtown Eugene, turned into a unlawful assembly. There were 3 arrests. About 70 supporters of the President gathered in front of the Federal Courthouse, protesting the election results. Police say it turned violent when a fight broke out when counter-protesters showed up and people started fighting with sticks. One of the Trump demonstrators told us the fight started when 2 men, dressed in black, approached the Trump supporters.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/13/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The FBI is warning of potential riots and violence across the country in the coming days. Oregon Governor Kate Brown has authorized the activation of the Oregon National Guard at the State Capital in Salem, to help if needed. In Eugene, Police tell us they're working with the FBI to identify potential threats. Eugene Police Chief Chris Skinner tells us there is no indication of any significant protests looming. He says violence, like what happened in downtown Eugene last weekend, won't be tolerated.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/20/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Extra precautions were taken in Eugene today. There was increased anxiety about violence across the country on this inauguration day, after the attack on the capitol earlier this month. The local sites of previous protests, including the Wayne Morse Federal Courthouse, were quiet today. Eugene Police say there were no protests. Extra officers were available today and working with the FBI to monitor intelligence in the event of any problems.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/25/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

There has been another arrest connected to a riot in Eugene on May 29th. 25-year old Arei Johnson is facing charges including riot, burglary, theft and interfering with police. Eugene Police say Johnson was part of the rioting crowd that marched into traffic in Eugene on Interstate 105 on May 29th. Police say Johnson stood in front of a vehicle while protesters yelled at the driver. According to investigators, Johnson jumped onto the hood of the car, stomped on the windshield and broke it. 23 people have been arrested in connection with the riot and more arrests are expected.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/30/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Teachers in Lane County are being vaccinated against the Coronavirus this weekend. Hundreds of educators are getting the first of the vaccines. The larger districts in the county are running clinics for their staff and for those from more rural districts.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/12/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Federal officers clashed with protesters again in Portland. Demonstrators set part of the Federal Courthouse on fire. Now the city is bracing for more unrest as more protests are planned for the coming weekend. The is getting used to the sight of broken glass, graffiti and burn marks along boarded walls. This comes just days after the DHS removed the fencing in front of the building. Local business owners tell us the situation is serious and is destroying the city.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/25/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The investigation is complete into the July 29th protest in Springfield that turned violent. It involved Black Unity protesters, Springfield Police and counter-protesters. The report did not find wrongdoing by the Springfield Police Department, but did say the department was not prepared for crowd control. The assessment was conducted by independent investigator Rick Braziel. He did not find any specific wrongdoing, malice or collaboration by Springfield Police with counter protesters.

ISSUE: HOMELESS
Lane County is dealing with a growing homeless problem.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/6/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A homeless encampment at West 11th and Beltline in Eugene is becoming a source of concern. Services and shelters have to limit the number of beds due to Covid-19. The Centers for Disease Control recommends not moving or shutting down homeless camps during the pandemic. However, Lane County is going against that recommendation, instead citing sanitation concerns with the camp that outweigh the CDC guidance.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/8/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A candlelight vigil is being held at Washington-Jefferson park in Eugene tonight. The group, "Stop Death on the Streets" is holding the event to mourn homeless people who lost their lives on the streets in 2020. They say the City of Eugene is complicit in these deaths.

The location was chosen because it was the most recent spot where the city conducted a "camp sweep."

According to the group, an estimated 120 people were removed from the park, despite the CDC advising against sweeps due to Covid-19.

According to the group, Social Service providers counted at least 35 people who died on the streets of Lane County in 2020.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/2/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The criteria for public camping in Eugene has been updated. A camp at 5th and Fillmore was given a 48-hour notice last week to clean up. Now long after the 48-hour notice, the camp is still standing. The current camping criteria says tents must maintain distance, they can't be on roads or sidewalks and camps must be free of criminal reports. One of the campers told us city officials visited the camp yesterday, but they're still uncertain how long they'll be able to stay.

Some of the biggest hurdles include garbage buildup and tents being set up on road and sidewalk space.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/11/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

City leaders in Eugene want to get more homeless people off the street. The increasing number of housing developments being built in Eugene are helping with that. The City Council discussed housing solutions yesterday. They will recommend expanding street outreach, adding more permanent housing and additional shelter capacity.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/9/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Crews cleared out a homeless camp in Eugene along the Willamette River between Beltline and Ferry Street today. The City tells us they worked with homeless services and told people about the cleanup plans on March 3rd. There were 22 tents in place last Friday and the number was 13 today. The cleanup is in response to complaints about the Willamette River. The City will not only be cleaning trash and debris, they will have to restore the riparian area to be sure clean water is going back to the river.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/24/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A new rest stop is opening off Chambers and 18th in Eugene. It will provide 18 Conestoga huts for the homeless. The "Westmoreland Safe Spot" is being funded by the city of Eugene and Federal Funding. It will be managed by the group, "Community Supported Shelters." The first residents will be able to move in to the huts tomorrow.

ISSUE: WILDFIRE CLEANUP

Cleanup efforts continue in the areas devastated by wildfires last year.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 1/27/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Winter weather hit the Willamette Valley this week and there are concerns now that the snow and other weather could pose new dangers and set cleanup work back in areas devastated by the September wildfires. The rain and snow are making road conditions more dangerous near the fire zones. Crews worked until the weather rolled in yesterday. The combination of wet weather and burnt land creates more possibilities for landslides. ODOT says they'll close the road if it gets too dangerous or there's a threat to drivers. The big concern is ice on the roads, especially black ice.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/3/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Nearly 5 months after the Holiday Farm Fire devastated the McKenzie River community, many people are still displaced. Those who lost everything are still dealing with impact of the fire. It could take years to rebuild the communities upriver. Many who lost their homes have found temporary housing or are staying with friends. Still more than 100 people are displaced and living in hotels in Eugene and Springfield.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/12/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Many victims of the wildfires that devastated parts of our region in September are being denied help from FEMA. About 14-thousand have been denied. That's 57-percent of those who applied for assistance. We talked with Jeremy Hollen from FEMA about why so many are being turned down. He says for 3 reasons. A majority of Oregonians are insured. Secondly, the way FEMA counts eligibility. He says that can be misleading without context. And thirdly, fraudulent claims. Hollen also tells us, just because you get a denial, it doesn't necessarily mean you're denied. For example, it can be simply a misspelled name that the system flags as fraud.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/19/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

This is the first day of a volunteer cleanup in Blue River. They were removing metal and debris from fire damaged homes. The cleanup is organized by the Cascade Relief team. There were about 20 volunteers today and more are needed as the project continues. They're expecting 50-80 volunteers tomorrow and about 30 on Sunday.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/21/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

About 2 dozen students at Bushnell University in Eugene are using their spring break to help people in the McKenzie River area who lost their homes in the Holiday Farm Fire last year. They are building sheds for 2 families that lost everything in the fire. The project, through a local organization, "One Hope" plans to build 70 sheds for victims of the fire. The sheds can be used to store tools and items that need storage.

ISSUE: DRUG LAWS

Oregon voters approved a measure to decriminalize the possession of hard drugs in small amounts.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/1/21
Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm
Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

There are big changes in Oregon's drug laws as Measure 110 goes into effect today. It decriminalizes the possession of small amounts of hard drugs, including everything from heroin to methamphetamine. Instead of pursuing criminal charges, violators are now subject to a \$100 fine or they can have it waived

by completing a standard health screen. The Oregon Health Authority reported a 70% increase in overdose deaths in 2020, before this measure was approved.

ISSUE: EXCLUSION DAY

Children without up to date vaccinations in Oregon are not allowed to attend school.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 2/17/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

This is exclusion day in Oregon for kids who aren't up to date or complete with their immunizations, without an exemption. By law in Oregon, children in public and private schools, preschools, head start and certified child care facilities, must have up to date documentation of immunizations or an exemption. Last year, more than 3,000 kids were kept out of schools because of missing vaccinations.

ISSUE: SHAKE ALERT

With the threat of a major earthquake or tsunami hanging over the heads of Oregonians, the state has joined the Shake Alert system to help prepare for a natural disaster.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/10/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A long-awaited earthquake warning system goes online tomorrow for Oregon. If it works as planned, it could go a long way to protecting you and your family. The Shake Alert System in Oregon comes on the 10th anniversary of the 2011 earthquake in Japan.

The amount of time you have to react, depends on how close you are to the epicenter of the quake. For something big that strikes off the Oregon coast, the goal is to give you as much as a critical 10 seconds notice to take cover. Scientists tell us the Shake Alert does not predict earthquakes. If you're right at the epicenter of an earthquake, it won't provide much, if any warning. For smaller quakes, it can provide localized alerts. The alerts come to you on your smart phone.

ISSUE: MAPLETON WATER

The small town of Mapleton is continuing to deal with water issues.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/13/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Mapleton residents are angry over what they call “outrageously high water bills.” They have been under a ‘boil water’ notice for almost 5 months. This was caused by a loss of pressure, meaning there could be harmful bacteria in the water. The water district was given a temporary break with a skid, making the water drinkable again, but they still need to replace the entire plant. We talked to one man in Mapleton who tells his water bill is usually around 500 liters and \$50. This month it was nearly 3,000 liters and \$400. Richard Berg says he’s never in his life used that much water living in Mapleton. He says there was no evidence of a water lead and his neighbors also had abnormally high bills. He says the water district told him a clerical error led to the high bill, but he’s still being asked to pay it.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/24/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

The Mapleton Water Superintendent, Terry Saubert, has resigned. This follows people in the district reporting abnormally high water bills earlier this month. The town of Mapleton also had a boil water notice in place for nearly 5 months last year. The Water District Board says they have a plan to sort out the high charges. That will be discussed in a Zoom meeting tonight.

ISSUE: OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

F. King Alexander is under fire for the way he handled sexual misconduct matters when he was the President of Louisiana State University.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/16/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Details are now coming to light regarding F. King Alexander, the President of Oregon State University in Corvallis. They concern the way he handled sexual misconduct matters in the past. The Oregon State Board of Trustees will hold a public meeting tomorrow on the situation. The big question is how this will impact Alexander’s tenure at OSU.

We talked with Steve Clark, the Vice President at Oregon State. He tells us there were sexual misconduct issues at LSU before, during and after Alexander worked there.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/17/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Students and staff at Oregon State University are calling on the school’s President to resign. F. King Alexander is under fire for the way he handled sexual misconduct issues, while President at Louisiana State. That centers around assault and harassment allegations with the LSU football team and its coach, Les Miles, that started before Alexander was President there.

An initial investigation found there was not enough evidence to prove the allegations. Then a review by a law firm, found that under Alexander's leadership, LSU mishandled sexual misconduct allegations Miles and the players.

Alexander says his is sorry for survivors on campus and beyond for the pain caused by recent events. He also addressed ways to better protect survivors and hold perpetrators accountable.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/18/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

F. King Alexander will keep his job as the President of Oregon State University ... for now. Some in the campus community want more action. The OSU Board of Trustees put Alexander on probation through June 1st. This action comes after a discussion on a report that found mishandling of sexual assault cases at Louisiana State University, while Alexander was in charge there.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/24/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

Problems continue at Oregon State University in Corvallis. The person tapped to run the school for now, has been named in a whistleblower lawsuit. The Gazette-Times newspaper is reporting the lawsuit claims Provost Ed Feser retaliated against the former Dean of the Pharmacy College at OSU, after she reported another executive was mishandling racism and sexual harassment claims. In the lawsuit, she says after she reported the concerns, she was demoted from Dean to Tenured Professor.

Meanwhile, Oregon State is looking for an Interim President, after the resignation of F. King Alexander. He left amid reports of mishandling sexual misconduct issues while he was in charge at Louisiana State University.

ISSUE: ALCOHOL TAX

Lawmakers in Salem are considering an increase in taxes on wine, beer and cider in Oregon.

Scheduled Date of Broadcast: 3/19/21

Time of Broadcast: 5pm, 6pm, 11pm

Segment Length: Approx. 1-2 min.

A bill proposed in Oregon could seriously increase taxes on wine, beer and cider in the state. It's called the Addiction Recovery Crisis Act. It would take money from taxpayers to help pay for addiction recovery services across the state. The bill would increase taxes by 70 dollars a barrel. They are now \$2.60 a barrel. The skyrocketing tax hike would hit local businesses like wineries and breweries the hardest. Many would have to dramatically raise prices to combat the tax ... just to remain in business.

2021 1ST QUARTER MEET THE PRESS TOPICS

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March 28, 2021 - Sen. Chris Murphy (D-CT), Sen. Pat Toomey (R-PA), Rep. Judy Chu (D-CA), Chair, Congressional Asian Pacific American Caucus, Peter Baker, Al Cardenas, Heather McGhee and Vicky Nguyen | [Transcript](#)

March 21, 2021 - Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas, Department of Homeland Security, Sen. Raphael Warnock (D-GA), Sen. Roy Blunt (R-MO), Chair, Senate Republican Policy Committee, Julia Ainsley, Eddie Glaude, Jr., Peggy Noonan and Jon Ralston | [Transcript](#)

March 14, 2021 - Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, Stacey Abrams, Founder, Fair Fight, Lt. Gov. Geoff Duncan (R-GA), Lanhee Chen, John Heilemann, Hallie Jackson and María Teresa Kumar | [Transcript](#)

March 07, 2021 - Jeffrey Zients, White House Coronavirus Response Coordinator, Dr. Michael Osterholm, Director, Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy at the University of Minnesota, Sen. Joe Manchin (D-WV), Chair, Energy & Natural Resources Cmte., Sen. John Barrasso (R-WY), Chair, Senate Republican Conference, Yamiche Alcindor, Jeh Johnson, Danielle Pletka and Jonathan Allen | [Transcript](#)

February 28, 2021 - Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-OH), Chair, Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs Committee, Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada, Eugene Robinson, Carol Lee, Bret Stephens and O. Kay Henderson | [Transcript](#)

February 21, 2021 - Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, Randi Weingarten, President, American Federation of Teachers, NBC News Correspondent Morgan Chesky, Former Rep. Will Hurd (R-TX), Cornell Belcher, Pat McCrory, Susan Page and Kristen Welker | [Transcript](#)

February 14, 2021 - Rep. Jamie Raskin (D-MD), Lead Impeachment Manager, Sen. Dick Durbin (D-IL), Majority Whip, Gov. Larry Hogan (R-MD), Dr. Rochelle Walensky, CDC Director, Audie Cornish, Carlos Curbelo, Kasie Hunt and Claire McCaskill | [Transcript](#)

February 7, 2021 - Sen. Bill Cassidy (R-LA), Rep. Adam Schiff (D-CA), Chair, Intelligence Committee, Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, David French, María Teresa Kumar, Anna Palmer and Michael Steele | [Transcript](#)

January 31, 2021 - Dr. Michael Osterholm, Director, Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy at the University of Minnesota, Brian Deese, Director, National Economic Council, Rep. Adam Kinzinger (R-IL), Eddie Glaude, Jr., Amy Walter, Al Cardenas and Ashley Parker | [Transcript](#)

January 24, 2021 - White House Chief of Staff Ron Klain, Sen. Dick Durbin (D-IL), Sen. Mike Rounds (R-SD), Andrea Mitchell, David Brooks, Yamiche Alcindor and Tim Alberta | [Transcript](#)

January 17, 2021 - Pete Williams, NBC News Justice Correspondent, Mayor Muriel Bowser (D), Sen. Cory Booker (D-NJ), Rep. Nancy Mace (R-SC), Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, Kristen Welker, Rich Lowry and Claire McCaskill | [Transcript](#)

January 10, 2021 - Former White House Chief of Staff Mick Mulvaney, Rep. Hakeem Jeffries (D-NY), Chair, House Democratic Caucus, Sen. Pat Toomey (R-PA), Kasie Hunt, Hallie Jackson, Jeh Johnson and Peggy Noonan | [Transcript](#)

January 3, 2021 - Dr. Anthony Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy & Infectious Diseases, Sen. Ron Johnson (R-WI), Chair, Homeland Security & Governmental Affairs Committee, Stacey Abrams, Founder, Fair Fight; 2018 Georgia Democratic Gubernatorial Candidate, Geoff Bennett, Leigh Ann Caldwell, Peter Baker, Clint Watts and Brandy Zadrozny | [Transcript](#)

The National Desk

Issue	Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Summary
VARIOUS	The National Desk Headline News	1/18 – 3/31/21	6-8AM	2 HOURS	The National Desk is hosted by anchor Jan Jeffcoat, providing commentary-free news coverage, highlighting important stories occurring in cities and towns across the country.

Q1-2021 Quarterly Report. Full Measure with Sharyl Attkisson

Full Measure is a broadcast focusing on investigative, original and accountability reporting unique in today's media. The host is Sharyl Attkisson. The show format will include a major investigative piece each week on topics ranging from immigration issues at home and abroad, government waste, national security concerns and vulnerabilities, whistleblower reports on government abuse and misdeeds. Full Measure is produced by and airs nationally on stations of the Sinclair Broadcast Group. The program also streams live on all Sinclair websites on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. ET.

Program/episode	Date	Air Time	Duration	Description
FMS6E17010321	Jan3,2021		22:55	A national emergency over U.S. access to some rare earth elements. Tracking trillions of taxpayer dollars dedicated to the Covid crisis. And a preview of Sharyl Attkisson's new book, "Slanted".
FMS6E18011021	Jan10,2021		22:55	The Big Tech giants are controlling the free flow of information. An examination of the censorship and the money behind it.
FMS6E619011721	Jan17,2021		22:55	The newest on coronavirus research from the Army's top research lab at Ft. Detrick, MD. An author describes The New Rules of War, and the weaponization of information. And a historical look back at Custer's Last Stand.
FMS6E20012421	Jan24,2021		22:55	The future of the American election, and the changes to come to preserve democracy. The cleaner

				progress made by modern coal plants. And the COVID vaccine and other life-saving treatments.
FMS6E21013121	Jan31,2021		22:55	An investigation regarding the Covid-19 vaccine shortages and serious questions about an incorrect claim made by top scientists at CDC. Federal agencies are moving out of DC. What's behind the moves? And the history of opening prayers in Congress.
FMS6E22020721	Feb7,2021		22:55	Lockdowns are considered a necessary evil, but one study questions their effectiveness against coronavirus. President Biden's executive order on transgender rights. What does it mean for school sports? And the search for life beyond Earth.
FMS6E23021421	Feb14,2021		22:55	The film industry looks outside Hollywood and it's all about incentives. President Biden's new energy policy, it's impact on states and the economy. And a tactical game, that is helping save the lives of some veterans.
FMS6E24022121	Feb21,2021		22:55	Behind the scenes report on an energy battle, pushing clean energy aside. A new law that lets patients

				price shop for procedures. The struggle for rural hospitals to remain open in the pandemic. And a look at the prehistoric treasures from the age of the dinosaurs.
FMS6E25022821	Feb28,2021		22:55	The long-term impact of the pandemic in "Music City" Nashville, Tennessee. A clean look at the future of coal. And an examination of America's recent military strategies.
FMS6E26030721	Mar7,2021		22:55	President Biden's policy changes at the border have some serious consequences, causing illegal crossings to soar. A sit-down interview with Sen. Lindsey Graham. And the coronavirus battle happening at the DNA level.
FMS6E27031421	Mar14,2021		22:55	Reporting from the border and the impact of stopping construction of the wall. Black market Covid vaccinations. And new tapes reveal JFK's role in starting the Vietnam War.
FMS6E28032121	Mar21,2021		22:55	The Boy Scouts of America facing bankruptcy and the largest sexual abuse court case in history. Foreign policy with China in the new Biden administration. And Congressman

				Henry Cuellar of Texas discusses issues on the border with Mexico.
FMS6E29032821	Mar28,2021		22:55	High taxes and quality of life issues are creating an exodus from New York, a look at the consequences. The facts about Covid-19 cases from the famous motorcycle rally in Sturgis, SD. And illicit drug and human trafficking at the border.

Armstrong Williams Show

	SHOW	TITLE	SUMMARY
JANUARY			
2	2051	Front Line Workers, Online Learning & Vaccines	Armstrong discusses stories of the most vulnerable, yet some of the most important people making daily sacrifices to serve citizens during the pandemic.
9	2101	A Day at the Range	Armstrong returns to the range for a discussion of firearm safety and our 2 nd Amendment right.
16	2102	COVID Impact: Managing Diabetes & Hypertension	Armstrong discusses the grim toll Covid has taken on diabetics and methods to combat diabetes & hypertension.
23	2103	Future of the Democratic Party	Congressman James E. Clyburn (D-SC) discusses the Capitol Riot and President Joe Biden's administration.
30	2104	Dr Ben Carson: America Pt II	Dr. Ben Carson discusses healthcare, COVID-19, and various social issues facing the country today.
FEBRUARY			
6	2105	Anthony Scaramucci / Mark Ein	Former WH Director of Communications Anthony Scaramucci and business mogul Mark Ein discuss necessary protocols for ramping up the US economy again post-pandemic.
13	2106	News of the Week	Armstrong discusses the biggest headlines of the past week.
20	2107	Benjamin Crump	Renowned civil rights attorney Benjamin Crump and President of Phyllis Schlafly Eagles, Ed Martin discuss racism in America.
27	2108	From the AW Vault: Black History Month	Dr. Ben Carson, civil rights attorney Benjamin Crump, and journalist Susan Taylor discuss the challenges facing black America despite their many successes.
MARCH			
6	2109	Nick Lyons	An in-depth discussion with editor, publisher and former English professor Nick Lyons.
13	2110	Dr. Eyal Zimlichman	Chief Medical Officer of Israel's Sheba Medical Center Dr. Eyal Zimlichman discusses his nation's extraordinary progress in COVID-19 research.
20	2111	Success Under 30	Andre McCain, Tommy Traylen, Jr., and Cole Brown discuss the current global under 30 entrepreneur class.
27	2112	The Call to Unite: Voices of Hope & Awakening	Tim Shriver and Tom Rosshirt discuss how to heal our fractured nation.