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**QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT**

**2nd Quarter**

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## **WJFK PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES**

### **WASHINGTON REPORT:** (Saturdays, 07:00:00)

Is a pre-recorded two segment 60 minute Public Affairs program that highlights local concerns and issues within the entire Metropolitan Region which includes Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia.

## WASHINGTON REPORT

Quarterly Issues  
Program Report – Washington Report  
2nd Quarter  
(4/01/18 – 6/30/18)  
All Programs are hosted by Stevie Bridgwaters

Issues: Children/Education/Community News

Date: 04/01/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Young Science Minds

Interview with: Marc Schulman, who is the USA Science and Engineering Festival Executive Director. This event will be held at the DC Convention Center on April 7&8. It is the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual show and will have over 3,000 hands on exhibits and hundreds of leading scientists, engineers, mathematicians, technologists, and science-related celebrities.

Issues: Economy/Culture/Community News/Education

Date: 04/01/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Keeping Your Home Out of Tax Trouble

Margaret Henn, Esq., Director of Home Preservation Project

Margaret Henn joined Pro Bono Resource Center (PBRC) in 2013 and serves as the Director of the Home Preservation Project. Margaret is responsible for recruitment, training, and mentoring of volunteer attorneys for the Foreclosure Prevention Pro Bono Project, the Tax Sale Prevention Project and Project Household. Margaret is also responsible for the coordination of brief advice events to assist distressed homeowners in the areas of foreclosure prevention, tax sale, utility bill delinquency and estate planning. Tax Sale Prevention Project legal clinics:

<https://probonomd.org/for-legal-help> and <https://probonomd.org>

Issues: Human Services/Culture

Date: 04/07/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Understanding Epilepsy

Interview with: Dr. Jacqueline French, Director of the Epilepsy Foundation. The Epilepsy Foundation, a national non-profit with more than 50 local organizations throughout the United States, has led the fight against seizures since 1968. The Foundation is an unwavering ally for individuals and families impacted by epilepsy and seizures. The Foundation works to prevent, control, and cure epilepsy through community services; public education; federal and local advocacy; and supporting research into new treatments and therapies. The Foundation works to ensure that people with seizures have the opportunity to live their lives to their fullest potential.

Issues: Human Services/Community News

Date: 04/07/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Oral Cancer, an Unlikely Cancer

Interview with: Kaitlin Hoffman Caruso whose brother succumbed to oral cancer. Peter McGee Hoffman, her brother, found that a small sore had developed on his tongue. The diagnosis was catastrophic. The sore was the result of an aggressive form of oral cancer. Mr. Hoffman died seven months later. He was 24. The Hoffman family, now in partnership with Oral Cancer Awareness is organizing the fourth *Oral Cancer Awareness Walk & Run In Memory of Peter McGee Hoffman* on April 14, 2018. The organization is a leader in research and education of this deadly disease.

Issues: Human services/Culture/Community News

Date: 04/14/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Mental Health for Those in Need

Interview with: Bryan V. Gibb, Director of Public Health, National Council for Behavioral Health. Mental illness is prevalent in our society, but not many people understand how to identify or help a person in need. Mental Health First Aid is a program that teaches how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illnesses and substance abuse disorders within the community. [www.mentalhealthfirstaid.org](http://www.mentalhealthfirstaid.org)

Issues: Human Services/Culture/Political/Community News

Date: 04/14/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Helping the Homeless in Arlington County Virginia

Interview with: Kathy Siebert, President/CEO of A-Span. A-Span has a mission to make homelessness in Arlington County a thing of the past. They were recognized for being the first county in the country to end veteran homeless. They have recently opened a new facility that has more beds and continues to provide programs to help individuals and families to return to independence. [www.a-span.org](http://www.a-span.org)

Issues: Community News/Culture/Environment/Economy

Date: 04/21/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: From Farm to the Community in Need

Interview with: Chuck Kuhn, Founder of JK Moving. Chuck Kuhn's family has always known it was important to give back to the community, so they created JK Community Farm in 2018. The farm provides food to those families in Loudoun County that are food insecure. The organization provides children, senior citizens, the working poor, and other people in need with fresh, organic fruit, vegetables, and protein. Community Farm will start with providing four acres that should yield approximately 52,580 pounds of fresh produce this year. JKCF plans to grow sweet potatoes, lettuce, kale, turnips, sweet corn, bell peppers, tomatoes, zucchini, and more. They have a partnership with Loudoun Hunger Relief among other local partners. The non-profit will also provide opportunities for volunteering, educational classes, and potentially community-supported agriculture programs for JK Moving Services and CapRelo employees.

Issues: Human Services/Children/Community News

Date: 04/21/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: The Dangers of Ticks and Lyme Disease

Interview with: Monte Skall, Executive Director of the National Capital Lyme and Tick-Borne Disease Association (NatCapLyme), a non-profit organization dedicated to Lyme and tick-borne disease education, prevention, research and patient support. For the last 15 years, she has fought for the rights of Lyme patients; a journey that has made her a nationally recognized leader in the Lyme patient advocacy community. In 2001, she helped form NatCapLyme and under her guidance and leadership, the organization has grown to include chapters throughout Virginia, and in Maryland, North and South Carolina and the District of Columbia. Highlighted: May 6, 2018, the 8th Annual Loudoun Lyme 5K/10K/1K.

Issues: Children/Culture/Education/Community News/Economy

Date: 04/28/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: A Red Nose to Help Children Living in Poverty

Interview with: Frank Grilli, WalGreens District Manager and Aaron Harrington, Program Director, Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Washington (some of the funds raised from Red Nose Day will go toward Boys & Girls Clubs and its Summer Brain Gain program: Money raised supports programs that ensure that children living in poverty are safe, healthy and educated. Half of the grant money supports programs in the United States and the other half helps in some of the poorest communities in Latin America, Africa and Asia. Since 2015, Red Nose Day funds have helped to provide more than 899,000 children with educational services, 6.79 million children with essential medical services and serve 32.2 meals to hungry American children. Red Nose Day grantee partners include organizations such as charity: water; City Year; Children's Health Fund; Covenant House; Feeding America; Laureus Sport for Good.

Issues: Community News/Culture

Date: 04/28/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: Fancy Pups in High Fashion

Interview with: Matt Williams, Senior Director of Communications for the Humane Rescue Alliance. The Humane Rescue Alliance protects animals, supports families, and advocates for positive change to create a world where all animals can thrive. They enrich the humanity of our communities by promoting compassion and encouraging people to find joy, comfort and companionship through the love and appreciation of animals. Highlighted: Fashion for Paws, fashion show. [www.humanerescuealliance.org](http://www.humanerescuealliance.org)

Issues: Community News/Economy

Date: 05/05/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: Pentagon Federal Credit Union Foundation

Interview with PenFed Foundation Recipient US Army Master Sgt. Cedrick King, Retired and Bruce Kasold, Chief Operating Officer at PenFed Foundation. The PenFed Foundation. is a national nonprofit organization founded in 2001 that is committed to helping members of our military community secure their financial future. They provide service members, veterans, their families and support networks with the skills and resources they need to improve their lives through programs on financial education, credit-building, home ownership, and short-term assistance. Highlighted the foundation gala.

Issues: Education/Children

Date: 05/05/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Tools for Teaching

Interview with: Jane Dimyan Ehrefeld, Executive Director of Center for Inspired Teaching,. Center for Inspired Teaching gives educators and opportunity to teach students by using other methods of than traditional methods. Their teaching method includes the 5 Core Element approach of: Mutual respect, student as expert, purpose, persistence and action, joy, and wide ranging evidence of learning.

[www.inspiredteaching.org](http://www.inspiredteaching.org)

Issues: Human services/Political/Education/Community News

Date: 05/12/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Supporting Our Community Members with Down Syndrome

Interview with: Michelle Sie Whitten, Co-founder and Executive Director of Global Down Syndrome Foundation. Global is dedicated to significantly improving the lives of people with Down syndrome through Research, Medical Care, Education, and Advocacy. Its primary focus is to support the first academic home in the United States committed to research and medical care for people with Down syndrome made up of key affiliates: The Linda Crnic Institute for Down Syndrome and the Rocky Mountain Alzheimer's Disease Center, both at the Anschutz Medical Campus, and the Sie Center for Down Syndrome at Children's Hospital Colorado.

Issues: Children/Human Services/Education

Date: 05/12/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Coping With Trauma

Interview with Dr. Michael S. Scheeringa, a New York Times Best Selling Author. *They'll Never Be the Same: A Parent's Guide to PTSD in Youth*. This book is a guide for parents whose children have experienced traumatic or life-threatening events Michael Scheeringa is one of the foremost authorities on post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) in children and adolescents. Dr. Scheeringa understands the desperation many parents feel and explains the impact of trauma. He simplifies the science into layman's terms, debunks the myths, and provides direction on navigating the confusing maze of the mental health world to find appropriate care. Dr. Scheeringa has over twenty years of experience and is renowned for his research and clinical

expertise in working with parents and their children who suffer with PTSD. Nearly two out of every ten youths and three out of every ten adults develop PTSD following life-threatening or traumatic events.

Issues: Human Services/Children/Political/Economy/Community News

Date: 05/19/2018 (WJFK AM 1580))

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Food Allergy Awareness Week

Interview with: Nancy Gregory, Senior Director of Communication with Food Allergy Research and Education. FARE is the leading national nonprofit organization dedicated to making the world better for individuals and families managing food allergies. It is the largest private funder of food allergy research in the world, having invested more than \$90 million to support basic, clinical and epidemiology studies. FARE's free resources provide the best evidence-based guidance on living well with food allergies, preventing food allergy reactions and responding to food allergy emergencies. They help ensure that the organizations that touch the lives of the food allergy community: restaurants, schools, camps, college campuses, employers and more have access to guidelines and essential training that promote safety and inclusion. FARE's national and state advocacy initiatives help secure critical improvements in food safety and the availability of emergency medication. Highlighted: The Walk fundraisers on June 10th and September 30th.

Issues: Education/Children/Economy/Culture/Community News

Date: 05/19/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: Reaching Higher to Perform at a Higher Level

Interview with: Breylon A. Smith, MPA, Center Director, Ward 6 Achievement Center and Chris Perkins, Senior Manager of Volunteer Engagement & Development with High Achievement. Higher Achievement closes the opportunity gap during the pivotal middle school years. By leveraging the power of communities, Higher Achievement's proven model provides a rigorous year-round learning environment, caring role models, and a culture of high expectations, resulting in college-bound scholars with the character, confidence, and skills to succeed.

Issues: Children/Culture/Community News

Date: 05/26/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: A Mentor's Gift of Giving

Interview with: Jeanna Finamore, Executive Director of MentorPrize. MentorPrize recruits mentors for more than 20 mentoring programs serving disadvantaged youth in our D.C. community from foster kids to teen parents. They believe that mentoring helps build community, empathy, and bridges between people. They were recently selected as one of the area's best nonprofits by the Catalogue for Philanthropy. The need for new mentors and the commitment requirements as well as the opportunity to give back to the community were discussed.

Issues: Environment/Community News/EducationEconomy



Date: 05/26/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Trails of America

Interview with: Kathy Spangler, Executive Director for the 2019 Commemoration, American Evolution. The 2019 Commemoration, American Evolution™, highlights the significance and modern relevance of several important events that occurred in Virginia in 1619. These events strongly influenced the development of the colony and shaped the foundation of the United States. Travelers, families, Virginia residents and history lovers can easily access 400 years of Virginia history in the easy-to-use app. The free app includes 20 themed trails, more than 400 stories and over 200 historic places with detailed site descriptions. The themed trails highlight aspects of the history that has shaped us a nation including focus on African Americans, our Presidents, Education, Exploration, Civil Rights, the American Revolution and more.

Issues: Economy/Culture

Date: 06/02/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Perseverance Pays Off

Interview with: Dawn Hendricks, President, CEO and Co-Founder of FM Talent Source LLC (FM Talent), based in Silver Spring, Maryland. It recently became recognized as a Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB) by the Small Business Administration. Now valued at \$15 million, this strategic business solutions enterprise is a professional services firm that provides management consulting services in the areas of financial management, grant management and human capital strategy to their government and commercial entity clients nationwide. Dawn Hendricks is the President/CEO and co-founder of the organization.

Issues: Children/Environment

Date: 06/02/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Pets that Offer More than Companionship

My Fur-Ever Family is a book written by author, Lisa Overcash. This book is about the value of having an emotional support and therapy dog. Lisa had her own dog trained to provide services to community members in need and provides the service free of charge. The little pup in this fun filled true story, teaches children about healthy daily practices like brushing your teeth along with the joy of snuggling and reading books together. As the story unfolds it teaches compassion, love, tenderness, helping others, being responsible, active faith practices, curiosity and perseverance.

Issues: Education/Culture/Economy

Date: 06/09/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: In Studio Interview

Title: International Baccalaureate

Interview with: Katy Dunn, Principle of Archbishop Carroll H.S and Antrina Leeth, Development Manager for the International Baccalaureate program. Discussed what makes IB at Archbishop successful. Students in our area have access to a high quality, internationally benchmarked education that in some countries is only offered at elite private schools. In fact, our community is home to some of the leading International Baccalaureate programs in the world. Archbishop O'Connell is one of the schools in our area that has an IB program. Last year 68% of the senior class participated in the IB program; they are now up to 70%. The goal is to get all students into IB classes by 2020. The teachers participate in rigorous professional development; students' hand-written assessments are individually graded (no bubble tests). There is a focus on international mindfulness and college prep. IB has a strong history in D.C., dating back to its founding 50 years ago.

Issues: Culture/Human Service

Date: 06/09/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title To the Moon and Back: A Baxter Family Novel

A #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Karen Kingsbury. It is a brand-new love story in the Baxter Family collection about two people who lost their parents in the same national tragedy. It's about two people desperate to find each other and the connection they shared for a single day, day that changed everything. The book is focused on the Oklahoma City bombing.

Issues: Human Services/Children/Political/Economy/Community News

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Issues: Education/Children/Economy/Culture/Community News

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Issues: Children/Education/Community News/Culture

Date: 06/23/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Writing to Success

Interview with: Lisa Cone, Acting Director of Do the Write Thing. Do the Write Thing Challenge is a writing program for junior high students organized by the U.S. National Campaign to Stop Violence. Intended to reduce youth violence, the Do the Write Thing Essay Challenge Program began in 1994 as a local program in Washington, D.C. and expanded in 1996 to other cities.

Issues: Human Services/Economy/Culture

Date: 06/23/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Making Medication Affordable

Interview with: Donney John, Founder of NOVAScriptsCentral.org. The organization works in tandem with medical organizations and other non-profits to provide prescriptions and medical education to individuals who fall below the poverty line. They also provide resources to those who need help and guidance through the process.

Issues: Community News/Children/Education

Date: 06/30/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Music to My Ears

Interview with: Maestro Luke Frazier with the American Pops Orchestra. The APO has created a fun exciting new way to listen to the classics. The APO reaches out to youth centers, churches and other organizations that might not have the means neither the ability to experience classical music with flare and fun.

Issues: Political/Culture/Community News

Date: 06/30/2018 (WJFK AM 1580)

Source: Phone Interview

Title: Understanding the Disorder of American Government

Interview with: Bill Schneider, Author of Standoff: How America Became Ungovernable. This book is an insight from the author who has covered presidents and our political process since 1968. He looks at the twists and turns of the Republican and Democratic parties.