

**Section I: Issues**

WLNZ has identified the following topics as significant issues facing our community in this quarter:

1. Crime/Safety:
2. Government:
3. Legal System/Court Cases:
4. Arts/Humanities:
5. Civil Rights/Race:
6. Economy:
7. Social Policy/Welfare:
8. Environment:
9. Public Health/Medicine:
10. Children's Issues:
11. Education:

## Section II: Responsive Programs

WLNZ broadcast programming dealing with the various issues outlined in Section I of this list. The programming was aired on the dates and times as follows:

### 1. Crime/Safety:

**Morning Edition: Kidnapping Trial with Matthew Schneider, Honigman Law Firm - Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 04-11-2022 at 8:45AM; Duration: 5:14. After jury in Whitmer kidnapping trial acquits two defendants and deadlocks on two others, former US Attorney for Michigan's Eastern District discusses what may come next.

**Morning Edition: Nassar Case - Kate Wells, MI Radio**

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**Alumni Stories: Todd Heywood, Investigative Journalist Dr. Steve Robinson, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 06-25-2022 at 1:00PM; and on 06-26-2022 at 6:00PM; Duration 28:04. The role of an investigative reporter in our society and a discussion of hate crime in relation to the LBGQT+ community.

### 2. Government:

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**Morning Edition: Matt Maddock with Johathan Oosting, Bridge Magazine - Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

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**Morning Edition: GOP Governor Primary with Paul Egan, Detroit Free Press - Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 05-26-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 5:03. MI Board of State Canvassers to decide which Republican candidates will be on August primary ballot after thousands of invalid petition signatures were found.

**Morning Edition: GOP Debate - Zoe Clark and Doug Tribou**

Broadcast on 06-06-2022 at 8:45AM; Duration: 6:45. Four Republican candidates for governor debate at the Detroit Regional Chamber's annual Mackinac Policy Conference.

**Morning Edition: Signatures - Colin Jackson, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-09-2022 at 5:45AM and 7:45AM; Duration 3:34. Some signature gatherers failed to follow the law which disrupted multiple candidacies and ballot initiatives.

**Morning Edition: GOP News Roundup with Paul Egan, Detroit Free Press - Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-10-2022 at 7:45AM; Duration: 5:08. FBI arrests gubernatorial candidate Ryan Kelley over charges related to January 6th attack on the U.S. Capitol.

**Stateside: Election Money with Simon D Schuster, MLive - April Baer, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-17-2022 at 3:47PM; Duration: 13:47. Political reporter discusses the role of money in the 2022 Michigan primaries.

**Stateside: Refugees with Anya Abramzon and Mira Sussman, Jewish Family Services of Washtenaw - April Baer, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-21-2022 at 3:40PM; Duration: 18:01. Executive Director and Resettlement Resource Development Manager discuss how local organizations coordinate resettlement efforts for refugees from Afghanistan, but increasing Detroit rent costs make finding permanent housing difficult.

**Section II: Responsive Programs (Continued)****2. Government (Continued):****Stateside: January 6th Hearings with Craig Mauger, Detroit News - April Baer, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-22-2022 at 3:07PM; Duration: 11:02. January 6th Committee hearing brings focus onto Michigan political faces and reports of the planned use of fake electors.

**All Things Considered: Delay Law - Rick Pluta, MI Radio**

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**4. Arts/Humanities:****Morning Edition: Mornings in Michigan Series, Ramadan Suhoor Festival - Lauren Talley and Nisa Khan, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 04-22-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 5:40. A look at Dearborn s Suhoor Festival during the Muslim holy month of Ramadan.

**Morning Edition: Mornings in Michigan Series: Movement with Carl Craig, - Rachel Ishikawa & Erin Allen, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-03-2022 at 6:34AM and 8:34AM; Duration 7:35. One of the founders of Detroit s Electronic Music Festival talks about the techno and dance scenes happening during and after official festival hours.

**Section II: Responsive Programs (Continued)****4. Arts/Humanities (Continued):****Morning Edition: Real Photo Michigan Postcards with Clayton Lewis, U of M - Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-23-2022 at 6:34AM and 8:34AM; Duration 6:57. Picturing Michigan's Past project and its lead curator looking for volunteers to help catalog collection of sixty thousand postcards depicting life in early 20th century Michigan.

**Art Happens Here: Cubism Bruce Mackley, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 05-07-2022 at 1:51PM; and on 05-08-2022 at 6:51PM; Duration 5:35. Lansing Community College Marketing Director and Art Happens Here host, Bruce Mackley discusses the processes, creation, and impact of the iconic LCC sculpture known as 'The Cube'.

**5. Civil Rights/Race:****Morning Edition: Mornings in Michigan Series, Ramadan Suhoor Festival - Lauren Talley and Nisa Khan, MI Radio**

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**Stateside: Woodward Bar and Grill with Curtis Lipscomb, LBGT Detroit - April Baer, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-16-2022 at 3:48PM; Duration: 9:43. Executive Director gives insight into the importance and history of the Woodward Bar and Grill.

**Stateside: Native Boarding Schools with Sierra Clark, Traverse City Record Eagle - April Baer, MI Radio**

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**All Things Considered: Detroit Housing - Jamie Simmons, MI Radio**

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**Arts, Artists, & Advocates: U Matter Dr. Tonya Bailey, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 05-21-2022 at 2:13PM; and on 05-22-2022 at 7:13PM; Duration 24:46. Guest of the show, Layne Ingram explains what it means to be an advocate for transgender individuals.

**6. Economy:****Morning Edition: Detroit Rent - Jamie Simmons, MI Radio**

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**Community Conversations: Dr. Charles Ballard Bo Garcia, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 04-16-2022 at 1:00PM; and on 04-17-2022 at 6:00PM; Duration 21:46. Michigan State University Professor of Economics and author discusses current trends in the economy.

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**Morning Edition: Mihaela Mitrofan in Romania Doug Tribou, MI Radio**

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**Morning Edition: Tornado - Taylor Wizner, Interlochen Public Radio**

Broadcast on 05-23-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 3:56. Hear from local residents about the aftermath of the tornado in Gaylord, MI

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Broadcast on 05-31-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 4:30. Clean-up efforts in toxic hot spot regions around the Great Lakes to accelerate after receiving aid from the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative.

**Morning Edition: The Environment Report: Piping Plovers - Lester Graham, MI Radio**

Broadcast on 06-21-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 4:16. Great Lakes population of endangered Piping Plover is recovering but still dependent on human help.

**Morning Edition: The Environment Report: Caspian Terns - Lester Graham**

Broadcast on 06-29-2022 at 6:45AM and 8:45AM; Duration 4:14. Wildlife biologists are finding colonies of Caspian Terns dead or dying on islands in Lake Michigan.

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**Shining Stars: Child and Family Services (CFS) - Daedalian Lowry, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 04-09-2022 at 1:37PM; and on 04-10-2022 at 6:37PM; Duration 19:38. CFS Director of Programs & Operation, Antonio Botello, talks about the role of CFS in working with youth and the importance of the organization's new location in the Lansing Area.

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**Who's That Star: Frank Taylor Lisa Alexander, WLNZ**

Broadcast on 06-11-2022 at 2:00PM; and on 06-12-2022 at 7:00PM; Duration 20:15. Frank Taylor, a Lansing Community College Success Coach explains his role in working with students to help them graduate.