

LIST OF ISSUES AND PROGRAMS

JULY 1ST – SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2021

**WSRV-FM
97.1 THE RIVER**

**COX RADIO, LLC.
GAINESVILLE-ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

ISSUES AND ANSWERS

DURING THE PERIOD OF JULY 1ST – SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2021

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES AND PROBLEMS WERE AMONG THOSE ADDRESSED BY WSRV-FM:

HEALTH

RACE RELATIONS / RACIAL ISSUES

COMMUNITY/EDUCATION

SPIRITUALITY / VALUES

WSRV-FM

ASCERTAINMENT STATEMENT

WSRV FM/97.1 The River develops on air programming to address issues of importance to Gainesville, Atlanta and surrounding communities.

WSRV-FM also produces two community affairs talk shows, which address a variety of topics and issues of concern including politics, education, health, business, lifestyle issues and civic and social issues. The Dr. Joe Show and Perspectives air every Sunday morning.

Issues on the program are ascertained through interviews with community leaders, including representatives of charitable and civic/social/civil rights organizations and others who make a difference in the communities in which we serve. WSRV-FM also solicits community input via the website.

<u>LIST OF PROGRAMS</u>	<u>AIRTIMES</u>	<u>LENGTH</u>	<u>PROGRAM DESCRIPTION</u>
DR. JOE SHOW	SUN 5:00AM	60 MINUTES	LOCALLY PRODUCED PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM DEALING WITH LOCAL ISSUES OR TOPICS OF GENERAL INTEREST.
PERSPECTIVES	SUN 6:00AM	30 MINUTES	LOCALLY PRODUCED PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM DEALING WITH LOCAL ISSUES OR TOPICS OF PARTICULAR MINORITY INTEREST.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

WSRV/97.1 The River

8/31-9/8: Hurricane Ida relief awareness campaign with the Red Cross

9/11: 9/11 Memorial Ride

9/26: Sunday in the Park/Tunes from the Tombs benefitting Oakland Cemetery

The following summarizes a representative sample of programming that provided the most significant treatment of community issues during the past quarter. Programming frequently deals with more than one issue.

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HEALTH

DATE **TIME** **LENGTH**

7-4-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Reasons you're not losing belly fat
Show focused on reasons people gain belly fat and easy habits that can improve your mental health. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

7-11-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: What to expect in your 50s.
Show covered aspects of physical health that can change when in your 50s and how to prepare your body best readily for the changes. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

7-18-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Guide to autoimmune diseases
Show covered different types of autoimmune diseases, what they are, why they happen and other factors. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

7-25-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Tips to lower your blood pressure

Show covered ways to handle your blood pressure, how choices matter, how to get a better handle on stress & other factors. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

8-2-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: 10 ways to reduce stress and rev up your life

Show covered ways to help reduce stress and things that suppress your immune system. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

8-8-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Mistakes even healthy people make

Show covered the different aspects of life that are mistakes even made by people who are considered healthy. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

8-16-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Warning signs of kidney problems

Show covered the different signs that people can look for that may point to early kidney problems and when you should consult a doctor. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

8-22-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Best Of

Dr Joe was not live-in studio, aired show was a "best of" compilation.

8-29-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Surprising causes of high cholesterol

Show covered the different factors that can contribute to high cholesterol and how to reduce the possibility of it rising. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

9-5-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: 50 secret messages your body is trying to tell you

Show covered different signs to keep an eye out for that your body may be telling you. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

9-12-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: 50 surprising symptoms and what they mean

Show discussed the symptoms that your body may be having and what they mean. Show was also driven by callers with medical questions.

9-19-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: 19 ways You're ruining your body, say health experts

Show covered the ways to identify the habits you may be forming which can harm your body. Show was centered around this topic & driven by callers.

9-26-2021 7:00AM 30:00

Dr Joe Show: Worst Habits for belly fat

Show covered the things you may be doing which can negatively affect your weight. Show was centered around this topic as well as driven by callers to the show.

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Perspectives: Sisters by Choice: Raising awareness about Breast Cancer

As the pandemic eases with more and more people getting vaccinated, community groups have resumed in person events. Sisters By Choice, founded by breast surgeon Dr. Ragsbert Phillips-Reed will resume its annual run walk in a couple of weeks to raise awareness and money for the cause. Dr. Phillips-Reed joins us to discuss a little-known procedure that breast cancer patients don't often hear about from their doctors. In Interoperative radiation, the patient receives radiation treatment at the time the cancerous tumors are removed. Only a small number of early diagnosed cancers are eligible for the procedure.

8-15-2021 6:00AM 30:00

Perspectives: Women's Health: Fibroids and the Congressional effort to bring attention to women's health issues

Fibroids are benign tumors in a woman's uterus. They can cause unbearable pain and lengthy menstrual cycles. Many doctors recommend surgery, either a myomectomy or a total abdominal hysterectomy to correct the problem. Dr. John Lipman, an interventional radiologist and founder of the Atlanta Fibroid Center argues surgery is not necessary. He treats women via a non-surgical procedure called uterine fibroid embolization. Legislation is pending in Congress that will bring attention to this and other health care issues facing women.

8-29-2021 6:00AM 30:00

Perspectives: She leads with experience in the battle against sex trafficking

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His childhood was traumatic. Abducted by his father and told that his mother was dead, Ed Hajim could have blamed society for his life challenges. Instead, he decided life's adversity would make him stronger. He won a scholarship to go to college and turned a business degree into millions. Millions of dollars Ed Hajim has chosen to give away to educate other disadvantaged young people. His wife of 55 years encouraged him to put his story on a page and he does so in the book, "On the Road Less Traveled: An Unlikely Journey from the Orphanage to the Boardroom."

9-5-2021 6:00AM 30:00

Perspectives: A Woman's Journey from Hollywood to the Himalayas to find spiritual peace

The journey from a dark and traumatic girlhood beneath the shadows of the Hollywood sign to that of an enlightened spiritual leader is shared in an emotional, honest, and compelling memoir by Sadhvi Bhagawati Saraswati in Hollywood to the Himalayas: A Journey of Healing and Transformation.

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Perspectives: Going Old School with the Commodores William King

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Perspectives: False Witness by Karin Slaughter – A great summer read

If you are looking for a great summer read, pick up Karin Slaughter's new novel, False Witness. Slaughter is one of the world's most popular and acclaimed storytellers. She's written 21 novels including the Grant County and Will Trent books. She's a Georgia native and Atlanta resident. Her stand-alone novel Pieces of Her is currently in production with Netflix. False Witness introduces us to attorney Leigh Collier summoned to defend a wealthy man charged with multiple counts of rape. Trial happens in one week and there's a reason why Collier was asked to defend him.

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Perspectives: Raising a new generation of activists and leaders. Now they are “small and mighty”

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