White River Broadcasting Company WINN-FM Columbus, IN

Issues/Program Report for Q3 2023

WINN makes an ongoing effort to serve the community of Columbus and the surrounding area. As part of this effort, WINN has identified the most significant needs, problems and interests for our coverage area. This quarterly report documents the programming provided by WINN in response to these identified community issues. Key areas and the issues addressed during this period are verified in the attached documentation. This list is not inclusive, but does represent primary focal areas.

WINN News Director John Clark has noted the following as significant issues during the July 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023 time period:

- Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life
- Education
- Employment and Economic Development
- Local Government and Elections
- Health and Pandemic
- Public Safety and Drug Abuse

This letter with the attached documentation was placed in the WINN Online Public Inspection File on October 10, 2023.

John Clark

WINN News Director

Brad Jackson

WINN Brand Manager/

Robert Morrison

WINN General Manager

Statement of Scheduled Community Service and Public Affairs Broadcasting

WINN-FM

October 10, 2023

WINN-FM provides a broad spectrum of regularly scheduled public affairs and community service support in a diverse array of broadcast ventures. Newscasts provide a key resource in public affairs and information dissemination. Included in the regularly scheduled news broadcasts are:

Regularly scheduled broadcasts Monday through Friday at 5:50 a.m., 6:20 a.m., 6:50 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 7:50 a.m., 8:20 a.m. and 8:50 a.m. Each newscast is inclusive of national, state and regional information with heavy emphasis on ascertained community based issues as ascertained to be supportive of the public trust.

Newscasts aired Monday through Friday at 11:50 a.m., 3:50 p.m. and 4:50 p.m. fulfill the same criteria supporting the public trust.

Non-scheduled news bulletins, including weather and other breaking information as incidents occur, and in collaboration with the General Manager and full time news staff.

In addition to newscasts and breaking news bulletins, WINN-FM also maintains a deep commitment to community service through its public service announcement programming, emphasizing events and activities in the community of license, and providing wider information distribution as time allows. Examples of the diversity of public service programming are attached in this quarterly report.

Every opportunity to allow for public input is encouraged and supported to ensure meeting the station community of license public trust obligations.

Station personnel provide critical support, above and beyond the mandates of public service, by involving themselves in key community projects, and as members of boards and commissions of not for profit organizations within the community.

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The following is a list of significant issues covered by Radio Station WINN-FM during the ascertainment period covering July 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023. The list is by no means all-encompassing and the order in which it appears is not an indication of importance.

July 2023

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Moonlight Loop bike ride to benefit shelter pets on July 29th

Date: 07-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Gaming marathon starts tonight to benefit Columbus Firemen's Cheer Fund

Date: 07-14

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: YES Cinema to host film featuring Columbus actress

Date: 07-24

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Annual Uncommon Cause fundraiser set for Aug. 5th

Date: 07-25

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Pet food pantry distribution set for Thursday at airport

Date: 07-18

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Musical fundraiser brings donations for DSI

Date: 07-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Applications open for Lilly Endowment scholarships

Date: 07-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: IUPUC offering admissions help next week

Date: 07-14

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Dictionary giveaways ending after 19 years

Date: 07-15

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Deadline approaching for IUPUC MBA program signups

Date: 07-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: IUPUC scientist returns after Slovakia semester

Date: 07-20

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: IUPUC professor receives school's first IU FACET award

Date: 07-25

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development Program: Walmart plans upgrades to Seymour center

Date: 07-11

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Rumsey taking role as chair of Cummins Board of Directors

Date: 07-12

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Council members question company about employment shortfall

Date: 07-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Applied Laboratories plans \$2 million expansion

Date: 07-20

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Bartholomew County business development already tops 2022

Date: 07-21

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Cummins' Accelera brand unveils new school bus system

Date: 07-27

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: State declares air quality alert for Sunday due to Canadian smoke

Date: 07-15

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Schneck recognized for communications with patients

Date: 07-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Dangerous heat continues with 110 degree indexes possible

Date: 07-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: CRH moving forward with plan for large farmland project

Date: 07-31

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Schneck recognized for communications with patients

Date: 07-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Schneck announces winners of Dr. Bud Golf Scramble

Date: 07-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Pence quizzed by Iowa voter on election certification decision

Date: 07-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: New names to appear on November ballot for Columbus

Date: 07-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Bartholomew County to add officers to courthouse

Date: 07-12

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Council members question company about employment shortfall

Date: 07-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Pence: People have lost faith in Justice Department

Date: 07-24

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Bartholomew County to own first coroner's van in years

Date: 07-25

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Columbus man facing drug dealing charge

Date: 07-10

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Fake prescription pills found during drug-dealing investigation

Date: 07-11

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Eight arrested in joint narcotics raid

Date: 07-26

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Legislator thanks friends for support after DUI arrest

Date: 07-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Wanted man found hiding him dryer

Date: 07-13

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Columbus public safety workers hosting Family Fun Day

Date: 07-18

August 2023

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Classic car show to raise funds for Alzheimer's Association

Date: 08-01

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: The Wall That Heals Coming To Jackson County Fairgrounds This Week

Date: 08-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: 2023 Women in Leadership Announces Honorees

Date: 08-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Reeves Festival returning to historical society's Breeding Farm

Date: 08-11

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Brown County Foundation offers training for non-profits

Date: 08-11

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Hartwell named as new director at kidscommons

Date: 08-15

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Authorities urge school bus safety, obeying stop arms

Date: 08-09

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Two new Columbus officers to teach DARE program in schools

Date: 08-17

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Columbus Redevelopment signs off on BCSC workforce grants

Date: 08-22

Issue: Education

Program: Lincoln-Central to celebrate 50th student-built home

Date: 08-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Local education group starts new leadership academy

Date: 08-03

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Columbus makerspace to add murals at airport facility

Date: 08-21

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Lucas Oil founder stepping back from company

Date: 08-02

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development Program: Cummins sees strong second quarter

Date: 08-04

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Baked goods and beverage plant being planned for Taylorsville area

Date: 08-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: King's Hawaiian plant gains zoning board approvals

Date: 08-30

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Cummins leader stepping down from VP role

Date: 08-30

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Toyota Material Handling recognized for environmental achievements

Date: 08-31

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: City planners to hear Columbus Regional Hospital property proposal

Date: 08-09

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Columbus Regional plans for future hospital on west side

Date: 08-14

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Health department warns of West Nile presence in Bartholomew County

Date: 08-17

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Dementia Friendly event to be held Saturday at Yes Cinema

Date: 08-18

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Cooling station open in Columbus; Thursday to hit new high

Date: 08-23

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Health officials concerned over West Nile spread

Date: 08-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Pence: Indictments should keep Trump from presidency

Date: 08-02

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Pence uses state fair visit to talk on inflation, insurrection

Date: 08-03

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Uncovered memo shows plan to convince Pence on alternate electors

Date: 08-10

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Library moves money to fix broken elevator

Date: 08-09

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Columbus Redevelopment signs off on BCSC workforce grants

Date: 08-22

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: High-speed rural internet to be available this fall in Bartholomew

Date: 08-22

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Investigation of Lafayette Avenue home leads to four arrests

Date: 08-04

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Dozens arrested in Johnson County drug-dealing crackdown

Date: 08-10

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Three arrested after Columbus prostitution investigation

Date: 08-30

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Brown County drug crisis film makes national PBS debut

Date: 08-30

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Bloomington woman arrested in Bartholomew fake pill investigation

Date: 08-30

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Kentucky man facing charges after incident at Bartholomew home

Date: 08-03

September 2023

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: United Way campaign kicks off with Day of Service

Date: 09-01

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Historical society hosting Open Door tour of homes, businesses

Date: 09-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Master gardeners hosting shrubbery seminar next week

Date: 09-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Fourth Street closing Friday for India Day celebration

Date: 09-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Kitty adoption event returns to Nexus Park Saturday

Date: 09-12

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Arts, Entertainment and Quality of Life

Program: Downtown Columbus streets closing Saturday for Hot Rods car show

Date: 09-15

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Local schools receiving \$1 million grant from city for programs

Date: 09-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Early learning groups to receive \$245k locally

Date: 09-13

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Homecoming golf tourney to benefit IU Columbus athletics

Date: 09-20

Issue: Education

Program: Speaker series continues with look at Black history in Bartholomew County

Date: 09-25

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Deadline for state career scholarships coming up Monday

Date: 09-26

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Education

Program: Brown music scholarship applications now available

Date: 09-27

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Food distributor plans to add 10 employees with \$18 million

Date: 09-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Cummins zero-emissions business partners for battery production

Date: 09-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Cummins hydrogen engines to be used in concrete mixers

Date: 09-12

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Tax break approved for proposed Edinburgh area bakery

Date: 09-13

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Toyota employees receive Women in Supply Chain awards

Date: 09-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Employment and Economic Development

Program: Cummins natural gas engine testing ongoing in California

Date: 09-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: CRH job, volunteer fair to be held Wednesday, Thursday

Date: 09-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Schneck Sleep Medicine offering sleep disorder seminar

Date: 09-05

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: CRH westside development plan added to Columbus master plan

Date: 09-07

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Flu vaccination clinics coming soon

Date: 09-08

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: IU Health Nashville clinic work to start in October

Date: 09-16

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Health and Pandemic

Program: Our Hospice concert raises \$123k for non-profit group

Date: 09-18

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: County to get seat on Centerstone board

Date: 09-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Nexus Park announced Toyota sponsorship for recreation space

Date: 09-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Pence makes case for presidency at second GOP debate

Date: 09-28

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Riverfront project gains green light from U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Date: 09-20

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Upgrades approved for county government IT infrastructure

Date: 09-26

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Local Government and Elections

Program: Bartholomew County election worker chosen to oversee state office

Date: 09-27

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Two arrested after fentanyl found during Jennings traffic stop

Date: 09-15

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Wanted man arrested after running from Columbus police

Date: 09-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Ohio residents arrested in local drug dealing investigation

Date: 09-19

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Courthouse incident leads to three drug trafficking arrests

Date: 09-27

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Jennings County welcomes new police dog

Date: 09-06

Times: Multiple newscasts between 6a and 530p

Issue: Public Safety and Drug Abuse

Program: Four accused of rape, human trafficking in Bartholomew County investigation

Date: 09-14

WINN Q3 Ascertainment July 1 through September 30, 2023 Morning interviews (2:00 each)

20 1923	
July 2023	
6	Xandra in for Walk to end ALZ
7	Zack McClellan in from IUPUC sports
10	Eric Reek in for Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation
12	Stephen and Eric in for Mill Race Theatre productions
13	Elijah in from Columbus East Drama dept.
18	Jeff Pershing in for The Wall That Heals in Jackson County
19	Amy in from the Brown County Playhouse
25	David Miller in for St. Paul police Jeep ride
August 2023	
1	Jenna in for Columbus East girls soccer events
2 3	Mark in for Columbus East Football jamboree
	Megan Gushwa in from Brown County Humane Society barn sale
4	Jeff Pershing in for Jackson County Wall That Heals
7	David in for Mill Race Theatre "The Marriage Counselor"
8	Sue Lamborn in for Dementia Friendly events
10	Curt Axton in for Boy Scouting events
15	Jeff Kelley in for Relay for Life
16	Amy in from Brown County Playhouse
17	Julie & Tabitha in from Our Hospice of South Central Indiana
18	Aubrey Skinner in for the Tim Tool memorial cookout
22	Diane Robbins in from Bartholomew County Historical Society
22	Chrissy Riley in for Columbus Festival of Lights
23	Kevin Dooling in from the Marine Corp
24	Danny Dwiggins in for Wheels For Healing car show
25	Erin in from Jackson County visitor center
28	Brittany Gray in for IUPUC bike ride
29	Magen Pillar in from United Way of Bartholomew County
30	Buffy & Harold in for Hayden Zapfe car & bike show
31	Julie & Tabitha in from Our Hospice of south central Indiana
September 2023	
)	Maddie & Paul in for Bartholomew County Public Library events
6 7	Nick & Pat in for Atterbury Bakalar air museum events
	Donnie called in from Columbus Philharmonic
3	Janet in for Crossroads Assn of Realtors bike ride
11	Isaac called in from Columbus Philharmonic
12	Xandra in for Walk to End ALZ
13	Amy in for Brown County Playhouse
14	Kenzie & Randy in for Mill Race Marathon free kids fun run
15	Josh & Steven in for Mill Race Theatre productions
18	Henry, Laura, & Christian in for Columbus East Choir events

14 15 18 Chuck & Jake in for Hope Heritage Days parade
Brian Herbert in for Civil Air Patrol open house
Grace Kessler called in for the Buddy Walk
Abigail & Tony in for Turning Point fundraiser
Matt Lee in for Who's Hoo Awards
Jimmy Weddle in for Ducks Unlimited fundraiser

Additional programming Specials/Features on WINN

July 2023

Ran promos for Bartholomew County Fair Ran promos for Decatur County Fair Ran promos for Johnson County Fair

Ran promos for Jackson County Fair

Ran promos for Mill Race Marathon free kids Fun Run

Ran promos for St. Paul Police Jeep ride

August 2023

Ran promos for free Hot Rods car show downtown
Ran promos for Mill Race Marathon free kids Fun Run
Ran promos for Columbus East/North free tailgate party
Ran promos for Cycling for Brighter Days
Ran promos for Our Hospice free community concert

September 2023

Ran promos for free Hot Rods car show downtown
Ran promos for Mill Race Marathon free kids Fun Run
Ran promos for ARC of Bartholomew County Buddy Walk
Ran promos for Cycling for Brighter Days
Ran promos for Seymour Oktoberfest parade
Ran promos for ARC of Bartholomew County Buddy Walk

Ran promos for Boy Scouts wine tasting fundraiser

Community involvement for WINN staff

July 2023

- 1 Brad, Cody, Mike Shannon, Mike Sullivan went to the Bartholomew County Fair
- 6 Brad attended Columbus Pride Alliance meeting
- 14 Brad attended Hot Rods car show planning meeting
- 15 Brad attended Mill Race Theatre production at Central middle school
- 27 Brad attended Mill Race Marathon planning meeting
- 23-29 Brad, Cody, Mike Shannon, Mike Sullivan went to Jackson County Fair
- 29 Cody attended St. Paul police Jeep ride

August 2023

- 3 Brad attended Columbus Pride Alliance meeting
- 2-4 Brad, Cody, and Mike Shannon hosted a Columbus North job shadow student
- 17 Brad attended Mill Race Marathon kids Fun Run meeting
- 25 Brad attended Columbus East/North tailgate party
- 26 Brad attended Exhibit Columbus launch party

September 2023

- 2 Brad attended Our Hospice concert fundraiser
- 8 Brad attended Hot Rods car show planning meeting
- 14 Brad attended Columbus Pride Alliance meeting
- 16 Brad, Cody, Mike Shannon, and Mike Sullivan attended free Hot Rods car show
- 22 Brad attended Mill Race Marathon free kids fun run
- 23 Brad attended Hope Heritage Days
- 29 Brad attended Mill Race Theatre production at Columbus North
- 30 Brad attended Columbus Pride in the Park