# **QUARTERLY REPORT**

**3rd Quarter Report** 

**July 1, 2017 – September 30, 2017** 

# WFNI

Indianapolis, IN 46204

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Special Station Projects (programs dedicated to strengthen community awareness through volunteering, donation, or honoring special people)

This report contains a list of the most important issues for the WFNI listening audience. The most significant programming treatment of those issues for WFNI, Indianapolis for the quarter ending September 30, 2017, has been included. The order of the issues on the list do not reflect the importance of the issues addressed.

### **ISSUES**

Severe weather information

Health information

Local Arts

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#### **Public Affairs Programming:**

#### The Indiana State Police Roadshow

Every Sunday morning, 5:15 - 5:30am Show focuses on topics of public safety.

#### **Indiana Issues**

Every Sunday morning, 5:30 - 6:00am Show focuses on matters of public policy

Show topics attached.

#### **Public Service Announcements:**

The following organizations benefited from the reading of public service announcements during our live programming and/or airing of pre-produced announcements played in unsold spot inventory. Recorded PSAs are not logged nor are they tabulated.

Indiana State Police Memorial Fund **National Association for Music Education Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Autism Speaks American Cancer Society Crime Prevention Coalition Catholic Charities American Stroke Association American Heart Association National Association of Insurance Companies Tony Stewart Foundation Non-Profit Life Foundation United States Forest Service National Association for Addiction Indiana Youth Institute The Covenant House Environmental Defense Fund Paralyzed Veterans Association United Way U.S. Department of Transportation** The Alliance to Save Energy **U.S.** Department of Health

**U.S.** Department of Justice

WFNI provides extensive wall to wall severe weather coverage, including commercial free continuing live coverage of Tornado Warnings.

#### INDIANA ISSUES, SHOWS AND TOPICS:

PROGRAM: Indiana Issues
Air date: 7/8/2017
Air time: 5:30 a.m.
Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): The state of Indiana politics and its fiscal health.

Program Host: Abdul-Hakim Shabazz

Guests: Andy Downs of the Mike Downs Center for Indiana Politics and John

Ketzenbeger of the Indiana Fiscal policy Institute.

Air date: 7-15-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Indiana Secretary of State Connie Lawson responds to voter fraud

allegations levied by the Trump administration.

Program Host: Abdul-Hakim Shabazz

Guests: Indiana Secretary of State Connie Lawson

Air date: 7-22-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Indianapolis attorney Irvin Levin on the BMV class action suit.

Julia Vaughn of Common Cause discusses efforts to reform the

redistricting process in Indiana

Air date: 7/29/2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Police Action Shootings/Medical Marijuana for Veterans with

**PTSD** 

Program Host: Abdul-Hakim Shabazz

Guests: University of Pittsburgh Criminal Law Professor David Harris

#### Veteran Jeff Satker

Air date: 8/5/2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Marijuana legalization

Program Host: Abdul-Hakim Shabazz

Guests: Washington State Marijuana growers Kevin Worell & Rafael

Marquez

Scott Watson of Heartland intervention

Air date: 8-12-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): State Representative Mike Braun of Jasper gets into the crowded

field for the U.S. Senate.

Air date: 8-19-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Indianapolis Mayor Joe Hogsett unveils his budget and

Congresswoman Susan Brooks discusses a variety of national and

state issues impacting Hoosiers.

Air date: 8-26-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): The debate over Confederate monuments on public property and

violent clashes between the "alt-right" and "Antifa" movements.

Air date: 9-1-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): The Indiana Department of Homeland Security says Hoosiers

should look at the aftermath of hurricane Harvey as a lesson in

disaster preparedness. Dr. Matt Will looks at this economy and job market this Labor Day weekend

Air date: 9-9-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Local immigration attorney Angela Adams discusses the Trump

administration's DACA decision and Shaina Cavazos helps us

breakdown the latest round of ISTEP test scores.

Air date: 9-16-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): We talk with Fox 59 Investigative Reporter Russ McQuaid, co-

author of a new book on the Richmond Hill murders.

Air date: 9/23/2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): Tax Reform and the Summer Movie Season

Program Host: Abdul-Hakim Shabazz

Guests: Ball State University Professor Mike Hicks discusses the

President's upcoming tax reform plan. And we talk about the summer blockbuster (or lack thereof) movie season with local film

critic Matthew Socey.

Air date: 9-30-2017 Air time: 5:30 a.m. Program Length: 30 minutes

Program Topic(s): President Donald Trump comes to Indiana to promote his tax

reform plan.