# RIPR ISSUES & PROGRAMS LIST Q3: July 1 – Sept 30, 2014



There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WRNI/Rhode Island Public Radio, Providence, Rhode Island along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of July 1 to Sept 30, 2014. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

## **Chief Operators**

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## 1. Health: Surge in kids removed from abusive homes

Newscast item :51 July 22<sup>nd</sup> 5:30am, 6:00am, 6:30am, 7:00am, 7:30am, 8:00am State reports a spike in number of kids removed from abusive homes.

2. Health: Asthma care for teens

Feature 6:35 August 19<sup>th</sup> 5:50 & 7:50am Latino high schoolers mentor middle schoolers with asthma.

## 3. Environment: Neighbors battle quarry

Feature 9:57 September 29<sup>th</sup> 5:50 & 7:50am Neighbors in zoning fight over quarry that blasts for sand and gravel.

#### **4. Education:** High stakes testing

Q&A 9:12 August 27<sup>th</sup> 6:50 & 8:50am Conversation with education commissioner about testing.

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## 5. Education: Arne Duncan

Newscast item :40 July 21<sup>st</sup> 5:30am, 6:00am, 6:30am, 7:00am, 7:30am, 8:00am US Education Sec. Arne Duncan praises Rhode Island.

#### 6. Politics: Jorge Elorza

Newscast item May 30<sup>th</sup> :51 5:30am, 6:00am, 6:30am, 7:00am, 7:30am, 8:00am Providence mayoral candidate Jorge Elorza rolls out plan for city.

#### 7. Politics: Seth Magaziner

Q&A Segment September 12<sup>th</sup> 10:05 5:40am & 7:40am Winner of primary for treasurer on the issues.

#### 8. Economy: The Bottom Line

Regular business segment August 1<sup>st</sup> 9:53 5:50pm A good year for tourism in Rhode Island.

## 9. Arts: 2<sup>nd</sup> Story

Theater Review July 24<sup>th</sup> 3:12 6:35 & 8:35am Review of theater production Hay Fever.

#### **10. Culture:** Latino Rhythms

Feature September 25<sup>th</sup> 3:27 8:34am Spotlight on Latino percussionist in Cranston