

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WMRC, Milford, MA, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period 1/1/2024 to 3/31/2024. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
Food Pantry Increased Need	News	1/2/2024	.5 min	6am-9am	The Franklin Food Pantry says this year they distributed a record number of holiday meal kits to those in need and that fall quarter use increased 42 percent over last year.
Alleged Illegal Mobile Pharmacy in Milford	News	1/10/2024	1 min	6am-9am	Milford Police have arrested two people after what they call an extensive investigation into an illegal mobile pharmacy. Police say on Friday night one person was arrested on scene and another will be summoned, both on charges including Distribution of a Class C Drug, Possession of a Class C Drug and Conspiracy to Violate a Drug Law. Police have not yet specified what drug they were selling or indicated whether any of their customers would be facing charges.
Whitinsville Company moves to Franlin	News	1/18/2024	1 min	6am-9am	After 45 years, a Whitinsville company is reportedly moving its headquarters to Franklin to have more room to expand. The Worcester Business Journal reports Eastern Acoustic Works, which specializes in manufacturing professional audio equipment, is set to move to a nearly 57,000-square-foot facility on National Dr. in Franklin sometime before March.

Apology from Hopkinton Town Manager and Other Town Officials	News	1/26/2024	1 min	6am-9am	Hopkinton's Town Manager and other officials are apologizing after the name of a woman who is alleged to have been sexually assaulted by a former police officer when she was a high school student was accidentally revealed in public documents. Officials say they neglected to redact the woman's name when publishing the documents that were part of a public hearing on the fate of a different officer who officials say knew about the alleged assaults and didn't report them. The documents have been recalled.
State Police Seek Witnesses to Shooting in Foxboro	News	2/5/2024	1 min	6am-9am	State Police are looking for witnesses to a Saturday Night car-to-car shooting on I-95 in Foxboro that left a North Attleboro man dead. Investigators say Justin Parker died after the incident around 10pm in which someone in a dark-colored car fired multiple rounds into his car, causing him to crash into another car carrying a family that went off the road into the woods. There is no word on any serious injuries to the family. The Norfolk District Attorney wants to speak to anyone who may have seen anything near Exit 16.
Snowstorm Forecast Adjusted:Closures Remain	News	2/13/2024	.5 min	6am-9am	Looks like it will be a lot less snow than forecasters thought with today's storm shifting and forecasters now expecting between 4 and 7 inches, not 8 to 12. Nevertheless, there are a number of school, government, and business closures and parking bans are in effect until at least Wednesday morning.
Tuberculosis in Westborough	News	2/21/2024	1 min	6am-9am	Westborough's Public Health Director is emphasizing there is no public health crisis for tuberculosis in the town. In a statement posted on the town website

					Tuesday, Jennifer Sullivan says four town residents are actively undergoing treatment for tuberculosis, which is far from an outbreak. She says tuberculosis is caused by bacteria and can be spread when an untreated person with an active infection coughs or sneezes but transmission requires a person to be in close contact for a prolonged period of time
Arrest in Milford Armed Robbery	News	2/29/2024	1 min	6am-9am	There's been another arrest in the January 9 armed robbery at Milford's Aroma Brazil with a Franklin man arrested early Wednesday morning, bringing the total to four.
Update on Holliston Police Investigation into Swastikas Found	News	3/8/2024	1 min	6am-9am	Holliston Police investigators have found the person responsible for some swastikas discovered on a community field outside the Woodland Street school campuses last fall. Schools Superintendent Susan Kustka, who is a co-facilitator of the Holliston Coalition Against Hate & Bias, says it is a juvenile so they will have to keep their identity confidential but says they will be held accountable for their behavior. She thanks everyone in the community who contributed to the investigation.
Medway Car Break-ins	News	3/18/2024	.5 min	6am-9am	Medway police are warning about some recent car break-ins in the area of Pond Street and Maple Street all of which seemed to involve cars that were not locked.
Scholarship Offering for Westborough Students	News	3/26/2024	.5 min	6am-9am	The Westborough Community Land Trust is offering two \$1000 scholarships for high school seniors through their Earth Day Essay Competition.

Bank Scam Targeting Elderly Thwarted in Medway	News	3/29/2024	1 min	6am-9am	Medway Police are commending a teller and other staff at Charles River Bank for helping an elderly couple about to fall prey to a scam. Chief William Kingsbury says the couple had been contacted by someone who convinced them that their daughter was in trouble and they needed to pay a large sum of money. But when they went to the bank to withdraw it, the teller recognized the scam and told her manager, who called the police. Chief Kingsbury wishes to publicly thank Tonia Marin and the Charles River Bank staff.
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