

RADIO PENNSYLVANIA ROUNDTABLE ISSUES REPORT

2nd Quarter - 2017

<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Guests / Speakers</u>
Apr 1-2	UC Call Center Funding Restored State Budget Hearings Minimum Wage	Governor Tom Wolf
Apr 8-9	SCOTUS Vote – Neil Gorsuch Dept. of General Services Informational Hearing (House State Gov't Committee)	U.S. Senator Bob Casey (R-PA) Val DiGiorgio, PA GOP Party Chair State Rep Mike Regan (R-Cumberland) State Rep Sue Helm (R-Dauphin) DGS Sec'y Curt Topper
Apr 15-16	Lt. Gov. Mike Stack Controversy (verbally Abusive to staff?) Legislative Hearing on Health, Human Services, Aging & DDAP Consolidation (held in Berks County)	Lt. Gov. Mike Stack Edward Michalik, Berks Co. Area Agency on Aging PA Sen. Gene Yaw (R-Lycoming/Bradford/Sullivan/Susq)
Apr 22-23	Vehicle Scam Ring Busted / PennDOT Arming Teachers and School Staff PA's Tax Amnesty Program	PA Attorney General Josh Shapiro PennDOT Spokesman Rich Kirkpatrick PA Sen. Mike Folmer (R-Lebanon) PA Sen. Ryan Aument (R-Lancaster) PA Sen. Don White (R-Indiana/Armstrong/Butler) PA Sec'y of Revenue Dan Hassell
Apr 29-30	Governor Wolf Takes Away Lt Gov Stack's Security Detail State Budget Talks DNA Restrictions for Guilty Pleas	Governor Tom Wolf PA Sen. Stewart Greenleaf (R-Montgomery) Anthony Wright, exonerated prisoner

May 6-7	GOP Healthcare Plan	Congressman Lou Barletta (R-11) Antoinette Kraus, PA Health Action Network
	Video Gaming Terminals in Bars (HB1010)	State Rep Mike Sturla (D-Lancaster) State Rep Mark Mustio (R-Allegheny) State Rep Ed Neilson (D-Phila)
	Sen. Scott Wagner's Outburst Caught on Tape	PA Sen. Scott Wagner (R-York), gubernatorial candidate Unidentified Tracker
May 13-14	Poll Shows Support for Recreational Marijuana in PA for First Time Ever	Dr. Terry Madonna, F&M College (Lancaster) Pollster
	REAL-ID Compliance Bill Finally Passes Senate & House Committees	PA Sen. Mike Folmer (R-Lebanon) State Rep Daryl Metcalfe (R-Butler) State Rep Matt Bradford (D-Montgomery)
	House State Gov't Committee Debates Syrian Civil War	State Rep Aaron Bernstine (R-Beaver/Butler/Lawrence) State Rep Matt Bradford (D-Montgomery) State Rep Daryl Metcalfe (R-Butler), committee chair
May 20-21	Controversy Over State Money Used for DNC in Phila (excess not returned to state)	PA Sen. Joe Scarnati (R-Jefferson) PA Auditor General Eugene DePasquale
	School Transportation Spending	PA Education Sec'y Pedro Rivera Fred Bennett, President of the PA School Bus Association
May 27-28	DNC Spending Controversy	Governor Tom Wolf
	Health, Human Services, Aging & DDAP Consolidation	
	Tumultuous Week for Fiery Lawmaker	State Rep Daryl Metcalfe (R-Butler) Various Protesters House Speaker Mike Turzai (R-Allegheny)
Jun 3-4	Budget Talks / Deadline Looming	Governor Tom Wolf
	The 40% Vape Tax	
	Feds Turn Down PA's Disaster Request	
	Gov Answers Listener Emails	

Jun 10-11	Budget Concerns for Coming Fiscal Year	Treasurer Joe Torsella PA Auditor General Eugene DePasquale
	House Approves Major Gambling Expansion	State Rep Mike Sturla (D-Lancaster) State Rep Scott Petri (R-Bucks) State Rep Mark Mustio (R-Allegheny) State Rep Stephen Kinsey (D-Phila)
	House Approves Pension Reform Measure	State Rep John McGinnis (R-Blair) State Rep Chris Dush (R-Indiana/Jefferson)
	Bill Cosby Sexual Assault Trial	Mustafa Majeed, Cosby supporter Gloria Alred, lawyer for other alleged victims Keisha Knight-Pulliam, actress from The Cosby Show
	Statewide Radio System	PA Sen. Scott Martin (R-Lancaster) PA Sen. Dan Laughlin (R-Erie) PA Sen. Gene Yaw (R-Lycoming/Bradford/Sullivan/Susq) Major Diane Stackhouse, PA State Police
Jun 17-18	Proposal to Change Lt Gov Elections	PA Sen. David Argall (R-Schuylkill)
	Gov Wolf Signs Pension Reform Bill	Governor Tom Wolf PA Sen. Jake Corman (R-Centre)
	Susquehanna River Basin Commission Under Fire from Lawmakers	State Rep Dan Maul (R-Adams) SRBC Executive Director Andrew Dehoff
Jun 24-25	Gov Wolf on the Pension Reform Deal	Governor Tom Wolf
	State Budget Talks Update	
	SB 76 (property tax elimination)	