

## **KBZY AM 1490 Public File Summary January 1-March 31, 2024**

### Summary of relevant programming:

KBZY presents regular interviews of 5-20 minutes, each weekday morning with local community and business leaders. This includes weekly interviews with Salem Police and Senior Center, and monthly interviews with the Salem and Keizer Mayors. We broadcast seven local newscasts in morning drive, 3 medical reports each weekday and also carry hourly ABC News updates around the clock. We have identified the following five topics of particular local interest and what we did to cover those issues. They are; Crime/ Police Issues, City Government, Environment, Senior Issues and Children/Education.

### City Government:

January 17, 840AM: Salem City Councilor Julie Hoy discusses Council issues, including budget discussions.

January 25, 810AM: Public Works spokesman Trevor Smith discussing city street and bridge projects coming up.

February 14, 840AM: Keizer Mayor Cathy Clark, discusses upcoming events including Keizerfest, and Chamber of Commerce Greeters meetings.

February 28, 840AM. Salem Mayor Chris Hoy discussing upcoming Civic meetings on rising crime in Salem and the connection to police budgets.

### Crime and Police Issues

January 9, 640AM: Salem Officer Mark Jantz discusses new crime statistics for 2022. He explains local gun laws.

January 23, Jennifer Hingston from Salem Police talks about the Salem Police Academy and opportunities in law enforcement.

February 15, 810AM: "Cowboy Ron" from Guncrafters discusses new gun registration laws and local firearms safety classes.

February 20, 840AM: Officer Mark Jantz discusses openings in the Police Department and the training for new recruits.

### Environmental Issues:

January 15, 840AM: Greg Ego discusses new, safer insecticides and lawn treatments now available in Oregon.

January 23, 810AM: Aileen Kaye discusses legislation to change Oregon's land use laws and the potential environmental issues involved.

February 27, 840AM: Mary Hafferty from Wildlife Safari discusses endangered species at their park and efforts to improve their status.

March 19, 810AM: Zack Pickett from Green Acres Landscape discussing new safe environmental treatments they utilize.

### Senior Issues

January 5, 810AM: Bonnie Kadich the Senior Center discusses new programs for the New Year at Center 50 Plus.

January 19, 810AM: Marilyn Daily, Executive Director of Center 50 Plus discusses upcoming activities at the Center, including Woodcarving and art classes.

February 16, 840AM: Dr Elizabeth Harmon from Salem's Women's Clinic, discusses aging issues and menopause.

February 27, 840AM: Hope Crump from Crump Insurance discusses Medicare issues and the sign up period.

### Children/Education

January 9, 840AM: T.J. Crockett, Salem-Keizer Transportation director. He discusses new school bus funding and the opening of the new Transportation facility.

February 14, 840AM: Keizer Mayor Cathy Clark talks about student reps on the Keizer City Council.

February 23, 910AM: Eli Klem from Willamette Valley Music Co. talking about children's music programs and working with school music departments.

March 14, 810AM: Courtney Klug from Oregon Coast Aquarium, discussing children's programs and special classes for spring break.