ISSUES / PROGRAMS REPORT

Radio Station WJKR-FM Worthington/Columbus, Ohio

July 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022

A. ISSUES LIST

A list of some issues of importance to Columbus and central Ohio addressed during the period covered by this report.

- 1. Supreme Court/Abortion debate
- 2. Jobs/Economy
- 3. Education
- 4. Health care/Health issues
- 5. Crime/Law Enforcement
- 6. Social issues

B. DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAMMING

<u>Columbus Concerns</u>: A weekly public affairs program which features a discussion of local, regional and national issues. Leaders of various organizations are interviewed by station personnel. Twenty minutes in length. The program was extended to thirty minutes in length in August 2022.

<u>Week In Review</u>: A review of the prior week's important news stories. Westwood One Broadcasting System. Twenty minutes in length.

<u>America This Week</u>: A public affairs program dealing with a range of topics and feature stories. Westwood One Broadcasting System. Twenty minutes in length.

<u>InfoTrak:</u> A weekly public affairs show that deals with a range of topics from around the country. The program is 30 minutes in length.

<u>Public Service Campaigns</u>: These campaigns touch on various issues of public concern. They consist of 30 second and 60 second public service announcements that air during all day parts.

1. ISSUE: Supreme Court /Abortion debate

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	<u>DATE</u>	DURATION
America This Week	State courts are now dealing with abortion issues since the Supreme Court struck down Roe V. Wade.	6:40am	7/3/22	20 Minutes
America This Week	Reports say a ten year old Ohio rape victim had to travel out of state for an abortion after the Supreme Court ruling on Roe.	6:40am	7/17/22	20 Minutes

2. ISSUE: Jobs/Economy

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	<u>DATE</u>	DURATION
Week in Review	A deal has been reached in the Senate to lower prescription drug prices and spend billions on climate issues.	6:20am	7/31/22	20 Minutes
America This Week	President Biden says the U.S. is not in a recession despite soaring inflation on food and energy.	6:40am	7/31/22	20 Minutes
InfoTrak	A report from S&P shows that over the past 15 years only five percent of mutual funds performed better than index funds.	6:00am	8/21/22	30 Minutes

3. ISSUE: EDUCATION

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	DATE	DURATION
Columbus Concerns	How academic and athletic programs at Ohio State University will change with the addition of USC and UCLA in the Big Ten.	6:00am	7/3/22	20 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	Gov. DeWine opens the School Safety Summit in Columbus with focus on H.B 99 which allows teachers to carry guns at school.	6:30am	8/7/22	30 Minutes
InfoTrak	There's been a striking change in education as more woman earn college degrees than men over the past decades.	6:00am	8/14/22	30 Minutes
InfoTrak	A parenting expert offers help to families to create a calmer home as the new school year begins.	6:00am	8/28/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	Students grade 4-12 can take part in competitions sponsored by the Interscholastic Equestrian Association bases in Ohio.	6:30am	9/4/22	30 Minutes

4. ISSUE: HEALTH CARE/HEALTH ISSUES

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	DATE	<u>DURATION</u>
Columbus Concerns	Officials with the Ohio Children's Trust Fund talks about mental health awareness for children.	6:00am	7/10/22	20 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	The Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation of Central Ohio is holding a fund raising tennis tournament.	6:00am	7/17/22	20 Minutes
InfoTrak	More research is released on the impact of traumatic brain injury and the long term impacts.	6:00am	8/7/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	The Ohio Department of Health gives an update on the Monkey Pox outbreak and COVID-19.	6:30am	8/14/22	30 Minutes
InfoTrak	A weight loss expert talks about the high rates of diabetes and how dietary changes can help eliminate symptoms.	6:00am	9/4/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	Officials with the Ohio Department of Health say that on average twelve Ohioans still die each day from COVID-19 illnesses.	6:30am	9/11/22	20 Minutes
InfoTrak	More than 40,000 organ or tissue transplants were performed last year in the U.S. with mixed outcomes.	6:00am	9/18/22	30 Minutes
Public Service Campaign	A campaign for "Stand Up to Cancer"			
Public Service Campaign	A campaign from the CDC to promote food safety			
Public Service Campaign	A major campaign from AAOS to educate people on the role of painkillers after surgery and how not to get addicted.			
Public Service Campaign	A campaign to help people with Diabetes stop smoking.			
Public Service Campaign	A campaign to promote the reduction of poisonings and to promote the Poison Control Hot Line.			

5. ISSUE: Crime/Law Enforcement

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	<u>DATE</u>	DURATION
Week in Review	Seven people were killed when a gunman went on a shooting rampage at a Fourth of July parade near Chicago.	6:20am	7/10/22	20 Minutes
America This Week	A new report shows how law enforcement in Texas missed chances to stop the school shooting in Uvalde.	6:40am	7/10/22	20 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	City of Columbus officials give an update on the latest safety program to cut violent crime in the city.	6:00am	7/24/22	20 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	The latest numbers on violent crime are detailed in a report by the City of Columbus.	6:00am	7/31/22	20 Minutes

6. ISSUE: SOCIAL ISSUES

PROGRAM TITLE	DESCRIPTION	TIME	DATE	DURATION
Week in Review	Police say 53 migrants were found dead in the rear of a sweltering tractor trailer at the Mexican border.	6:20am	7/3/22	20 Minutes
Week in Review	The January 6 th committee in the House is making a complaint to the Justice Department against former President Trump.	6:20am	7/17/22	20 Minutes
Week in Review	President Trump's activities on January 6 th are detailed by the committee investigating the 2021 riot at the Capitol building.	6:20am	7/24/22	20 Minutes
America This Week	President Biden says he tested positive for COVID-19 but is still working in isolation at the White House.	6:40am	7/24/22	20 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	The Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services talks about problem gambling with sports gaming coming soon.	6:30am	8/21/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	With jobs booming in Columbus, the city has struggled to keep up with enough affordable housing.	6:30am	8/28/22	30 Minutes
InfoTrak	A new study shows how teenagers are impacted by social media and how that impacts peer pressure and opinions.	6:00am	9/11/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	Officials highlight the treatment programs for those addicted to drugs through The Refuge program in central Ohio.	6:30am	9/18/22	30 Minutes
Columbus Concerns	The Franklin County Suicide Prevention Coalition gives an update on resources available locally for those who need help.	6:30am	9/25/22	30 Minutes
InfoTrak	How to protect yourself when buying products online when a number of reviews online are faked.	6:00am	9/25/22	30 Minutes`
Public Service Campaign	A series of announcements to highlight the problem of human trafficking in the U.S.			
Public Service Campaign	A campaign to promote the work of Goodwill to provide employment to disabled individuals in Columbus.			