## PROGRAMS AND ISSUES//QUARTER 1//2023

#### 1). FARIBAULT COUNTY FSA

NIKKI MIRANOWSKI, DIRECTOR OF THE FARIBAULT COUNTY FARM SERVICE AGENCY OFFICE, AND OTHERS WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. AIRED AT 10:10 A.M. ON MONDAYS. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM

### 2.) BLUE EARTH AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT AND PROGRAMS

BLUE EARTH AREA SUPERINTENDENT MANDY FLETCHER, STUDENTS, AND PRINICIPALS FROM THE B.E.A. SCHOOL DISTRICT WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. AIRED AT 10:10 A.M. ON TUESDAYS. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM.

## 3). THE FARIBAULT COMMISSIONER'S/COUNTY REPORT

MEMBERS OF THE FARIBAULT COUNTY BOARD OF COMISSIONERS AND OTHER COUNTY STAFF MEMBERS WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. AIRED AT 10:10 A.M. EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM

#### 4.) THE UNITED HOSPTIAL DISTRICT REPORT

UHD STAFF MEMBERS FROM THE HOSPITAL WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM

#### 5). BLUE EARTH MAYORAL REPORT

BLUE EARTH MAYOR RICK SCHOLTES WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA, AIRED AT 1:35 P.M. ON MONDAYS. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAMS. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM.

### 6.) LEGISLATIVE REPORT (THURSDAYS)

ALTERNATING THURSDAYS, STATE REPRESENTATIVES, BJORN OLSON AND PEGGY BENNET, WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA, AIRED AT 11:15 A.M. ON THURSDAYS. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAMS. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM.

## 7.) LEGISLATIVE REPORT (TUESDAYS)

EACH TUESDAY LEGISLATIVE REPORT FEATURES DIFFERENT MEMBERS OF THE MN STATE HOUSE THAT IS ARRANGED THROUGH HOUSE PUBLIC RELATIONS. REPRESENTATIVES WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA, AIRED AT 11:15 A.M. ON TUESDAYS. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAMS. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM.

#### 8.) LOCAL LIBRARY DAILY UPDATE

LIBRARY DIRECTORS FROM BLUE EARTH AND WINNEBAGO WOULD STOP IN OR CALL IN TO PROVIDE AN UPDATE TO THEIR RESPECTIVE LIBRARY REGARDING NEW ARRIVALS, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES, AND NEWS. LIBRARY DIRECTORS WERE INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA, AIRED AT 10:25/11:25 A.M. DAILY. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO THE KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAMS. 2-3 MIN LONG PROGRAMS.

## 9.) WELLS CITY ADMINISTRATOR, CONNOR LAPOINTE

WELLS CITY ADMINISTRATOR CONNOR LAPOINTE WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM. 01/12

# 10.) WELLS CITY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR, TIFFANY SCHRADER

TIFFANY SCHRADER WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM. 01/18

11.) BLUE EARTH COMMUNITY LIBRARY DIRECTOR, HEIDI SCHUTT
HEIDI SCHUTT WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF
JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEWAM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL
AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES
ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM. 01/19

## 12.) BEAHS ART TEACHER/SERVICE DOG OWNER AND HANDLER, SARA ALBRIGHT

SARA ALBRIGHT WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEW-AM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM. 03/02

13.) GENESIS CLASSICAL ACADEMY HEADMASTER, RENEE DOYLE
RENEE DOYLE WAS INTERVIEWED BY KBEW AM ON AIR STAFF
JOSHUA KAFKA. COVERED BY NEWS STORIES ATTACHED TO KBEWAM ISSUES AND PROGRAMS FILE. THE TIMES ARE LISTED AS WELL
AS THE DATES OF THE PROGRAM. THE DURATION VARIES
ACCORDING TO THE PROGRAM. 03/29

ISSUE: FSA DIRECTOR NIKKI MIRANOWSKI AND FSA UPDATES
BRIEF NARRATIVE: FSA DIRECTOR NIKKI MIRANOWSKI DISSCUSSED DEADLINES
AN UPDATES AS PERTAINING TO THE FARIBAULT COUNTY FSA FOR LOCAL
PRODUCERS. TOPICS INCLUDED FARM AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCER LOANS AND
PROGRAMS, RECORD KEEPING, AND REGULAR UPDATES AND REMINDERS
PROVIDED FOR THE COMMUNITY THROUGH HARVERST.

TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 10:10 DATE OF PROGRAM: MONDAYS

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN** 

#### **PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #2**

**ISSUE: BLUE EARTH AREA SCHOOLS UPDATE** 

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** SUPERINTENDANT MANDY FLETCHER UPDATES KBEW ON THE SCHOOLS EVENTS, CONCERTS, POLICIES, AND SCHOOL HAPPENINGS ON A WEEKLY BASIS

TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 10:10 DATE OF PROGRAM: TUESDAYS DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #3

ISSUE: THE FARIBAULT COMMISSIONER'S/COUNTY REPORT
BRIEF NARRATIVE: THE VARIOUS MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONER
BOARD COMETO THE STATION TO GIVE UPDATES AND SUMMARIES OF RECENT
COMMISIONER MEETINGS AND REPORTS.
TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 10:10

**DATE OF PROGRAM:** EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY **DURATION OF THE PROGRAM:** 15MIN

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #4

ISSUE: THE UNITED HOSPTIAL DISTRICT REPORT

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** VARIOUS EMPLOYEES AND STAFFERS OF UHD COME TO THE STATION TO DISCUSS THEIR POSITIONS AND ROLES WITH THE HOSPITAL, AS WELL AS MAKE ANNOUNCEMENTS IN NEW STAFF AND HAPPENINGS WITHIN UHD.

**TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 10:10** 

DATE OF PROGRAM: EVERY OTHER FRIDAY DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN

ISSUE: BLUE EARTH MAYORAL REPORT

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** BLUE EARTH MAYOR RICK SCHOLTES COMES TO THE STATION TO REVIEW THE AGENDA FOR UPCOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS, AND HE PROVIDES UPDATES ON CITY POLICIES AND PROJECTS.

TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 1:30P DATE OF PROGRAM: EVERY MONDAY DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #6

**ISSUE:** (THURSDAY) LEGISLATIVE REPORT

BRIEF NARRATIVE: STATE REPRESENTATIVE BJORN OLSON OR PEGGY BENNET CALLS INTO THE STATION (LIVE OR PRE-RECORDED) TO DISCUSS CURRENT LEGISLATION AT THE STATE LEVEL IN REGARDS TO THE LOCAL DISTRICTS THEY REPRESENT, AS WELL AS MAJOR LEGISLATION THAT APPLIES TO MINNESOTANS IN GENERAL. THEY ALSO DISCUSS THEIR POLITICAL OPINIONS AND INTENDED TRAJECTORY WITH THEIR OWN POLICY MAKING.

TIME PROGRAM WAS AIRED: 11:15A

DATE OF PROGRAM: EVERY OTHER THURSDAY, SAME TIME.

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 20+/- MIN** 

**6A**: BJORN OLSON, MN STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 22A, HAS DISCUSSED BIENNIUM BUDGET, PUBLIC SCHOOLS, MNDOT, TAXES/TAX RELIEF, BONDING BILL, BLUE EARTH L&W.

**6B**: PEGGY BENNET, MN HOUSE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 23A, HAS DISCUSSED TAXES, EDUCATION, EDUCATION BILLS/BUDGET, SOCIAL POLITICS, BIENNIUM BUDGET PLANS, TAX RELIEF.

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #7

ISSUE: (TUESDAYS) LEGISLATIVE REPORT
BRIEF NARRATIVE: STATE LEGISLATORS FROM THE MN HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES CALL IN TO THE STATION TO DISCUSS CURRENT
LEGISLATION AT THE STATE LEVEL IN REGARDS TOLEGISLATION THAT APPLIES
TO MINNESOTANS IN GENERAL. THEY ALSO DISCUSS THEIR POLITICAL OPINIONS
AND INTENDED TRAJECTORY WITH THEIR OWN POLICY MAKING.

**TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 11:15AM** 

**DATE OF PROGRAM:** EVERY OTHER TUESDAY **DURATION OF THE PROGRAM:** 20+/- MIN

**7A**: MELISSA HORTMAN, SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE DISCUSSED THE BONDING BILL AND THE MN STATE BUDGET, BIENNIUM BUDGET ALLOCATION.

**7B**: FUE LEE, CHAIR OF THE CAPITAL INVESTMENT COMMITTEE, DISCUSSED STATE BUDGET, ALLOCATING FUNDS TO ENVIROMENTALISM, PROMOTING EDUCATION.

7C: CATHERINE THOMPSON, PUBLIC RELATIONS, MN HOUSE, DISCUSSED THE NEED FOR PEOPLE TO HEAR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES ON A MORE LOCAL SCALE.

**ISSUE: LOCAL LIBRARY UPDATES** 

BRIEF NARRATIVE: BLUE EARTH LIBRARY DIRECTOR HEIDI SCHUTT AND WINNEBAGO LIBRARY DIRECTOR NICOLE KREINKE CALL INTO THE STATION TO PROVIDE UPDATES REGARDING THE LIBRARY, SUCH AS NEW BOOK RELEASES, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES, AND GENERAL NEWS RELATING TO THEIR LIBRARIES.

TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:25AM & 11:25AM

**DATE OF PROGRAM: DAILY** 

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 2-3MIN** 

#### **PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #9**

**ISSUE:** WELLS CITY ADMINISTRATOR, CONNOR LAPOINTE

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** LAPOINTE VISITED THE STUDIO TO INTERVIEW ABOUT THE WELLS CITY HALL REPORTING SYSTEM THEY IMPLEMENTED AND TO DISCUSS

THE OVERALL GROWTH OF WELLS.
TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:10AM
DATE OF PROGRAM: 01/12/23

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN** 

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #10

**ISSUE:** WELLS CITY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR, TIFFANY SCHRADER

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** SCHRADER VISITED THE STUDIO TO INTERVIEW ABOUT HER ROLE WITH THE CITY, THE CHANGE IN LOCATION OF HER OFFICE, AND WHAT WELLS IS DOING TO FORWARD PRIVATE BUSINESS GROWTH WITHIN THE CITY.

TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:10AM DATE OF PROGRAM: 01/18/23

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN** 

#### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #11

**ISSUE:** BLUE EARTH LIBRARY DIRECTOR HEIDI SCHUTT

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** SCHUTT VISITED THE STUDIO TO DISCUSS THE LIBBY APP, ALLOWING THE PUBLIC TO BORROW BOOKS ELECTRONICALLY. SHE ALSO

DISCUSSED SERVICES OFFERED BY THE LIBRARY.

TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:10AM DATE OF PROGRAM: 01/19/23

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN** 

**ISSUE:** BEAHS ART TEACHER/SERVICE DOG OWNER AND HANDLER, SARA ALBRIGHT

**BRIEF NARRATIVE:** ALRBIGHT INTERVIEWED TO DISCUSS HER DOG, FRANKIE, WHO HAS GONE THROUGH THE PROCESS OF ADOPTION, TRAINING, AND WORKING AS A SERVICE DOG FOR THE BEA SCHOOL DISTRICT. ALBRIGHT DISCUSSED THAT JOURNEY.

TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:10AM DATE OF PROGRAM: 03/02/23

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 15MIN** 

#### **PROGRAMS AND ISSUES #13**

**ISSUE:** GENESIS CLASSICAL ACADEMY HEADMASTER, RENEE DOYLE **BRIEF NARRATIVE:** DOYLE CAME ONTO THE PROGRAM TO DISCUSS THE FOUNDING OF THE ACADEMY, THEIR EDUCATION PHILOSOPHY, WHAT IT COSTS TO ENROLL, AND THEIR FUTURE PLANS FOR THE SCHOOL.

TIME PROGRAM AIRED: 10:30AM DATE OF PROGRAM: 03/29/23

**DURATION OF THE PROGRAM: 30MIN**