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KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES

KUPL (FM) "PUBLIC AFFAIRS SHOW":

This locally produced program originates with interviews exploring general topics on a local and state level: from education and youth issues to crime and political measures affecting our local community.

FIRST QUARTER, 2024 (January 1st – March 31st)

MOST SIGNIFICANT ISSUES - RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 6th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 27:58 minutes of a 30-minute show

Guest: Hugh Aufill / Sportsbook Manager Ilani Casino & Resort. KXL's Brett Reckamp goes in-depth with Hugh on his creation of a brand-new sports wagering center at Ilani Resort & Casino in Ridgefield, Washington. Hugh talks about his experience in Las Vegas and how he made his way up the ranks in the industry. Hugh says he started in a window taking bets and now has found himself as the manager and founder of several sports wagering books at casinos around the country. He says Ilani recruited him a few years ago and he decided to come in and do this one right. Ilani is already a full year into the sports wagering and is blooming in this department. Hugh talks about staying disciplined, problem gambling, strategies and techniques. If done right, Hugh says wagering a little money on a sports event can be the perfect accompaniment to a few hours or a day or two of wagering at Ilani.

ISSUE: WINTER STORM

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 5:36 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Rick Graves / Spokesman with Portland Fire & Rescue. KXL's Brett Reckamp and Veronica Carter hear from Rick about a very sad situation where a power pole fell onto an SUV - killing 3 people. It happened in NE Portland and is being blamed on the weather. Rick says 2 adults and a teenager were killed. They were electrocuted once they got out of the car. The teen was a student at Milwaukie High School. However a toddler survived after someone who saw what happened actually took the toddler out of the arms of an unresponsive adult. He gives tips about how people should react if they find themselves in the car around downed power lines.

ISSUE: COUNTY EMERGENCY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 4:56 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: KXL's Jim Ferretti gets an update from Phillip on the new declaration of an emergency for the county. He describes what it takes to get to this point and what that means for potential recovery of funds for them. It's a matter of safety and finances.

ISSUE: WINTER STORM

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 7:44 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Michelle Scarbury - Mom of a woman in SE Portland who had a tree fall on her trailer, Chris Hall / ISA Certified arborist with Monster Tree Service in Portland. KXL's Veronica Carter talks first with Michelle who tells her about what happened to her daughter. The winter storm brought down a tree right into her trailer. Thankfully nobody was hurt, but it did a ton of damage. Then Veronica hears from Chris about his work as an experienced arborist. Chris says a lot of the issues during this storm could have been avoided with proper tree trimming and care. But, it's been bad so they have been going around the city helping people with serious tree trouble.

ISSUE: ANIMAL SAFETY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 4:26 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Laura Klink / Oregon Humane Society Spokesperson. KXL's Tim Lantz talks with Laura after they experienced a pipe burst at one of their Portland locations. She says it was all hands on deck for cleanup and for making sure all the dogs and cats and other animals were healthy and taken care of. Laura also provides some tips for pet owners for caring for them when things get really cold - especially when we lose power.

ISSUE: WINTER STORM

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 2:25 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Patience Winningham / Oregon Emergency Services. KXL's Veronica Carter gets some information for people as we continue to endure yet another winter storm session. Patience says they're happening more and more in our area and people should be ready for major temperature swings.

ISSUE: SAFETY / WINTER STORM

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 13th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:01 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: David Barklay / Elder at the Lents Seventh Day Adventist Church on SE Woodstock in Portland's Lents District. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets an update from David on a steeple that literally was blown right off the roof of his church. He says some people noticed it on the sidewalk on SE Woodstock and moved it to safety. David says it's about 25 feet tall and has been up on the roof for decades. Thankfully, it wasn't damaged and the pastor thinks they can repair the building.

ISSUE: MENTAL HEALTH

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 20th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:20 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Dr. Matt Miller with the V.A. KXL's Jim Ferretti catches up with - Dr. Miller while at Shot Show in Vegas. Dr. Miller who brings us some sobering statistics on how many veterans are falling through the cracks. Sadly, too many of them end up taking their own lives. He offers some hope.

ISSUE: SAFETY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 20th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 5:34 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Tom Dempsey / News Nation Correspondent. KXL's Tim Lantz hears from Tom and gets some perspective on the embattled Northwest Airlines giant. Ever since Boeing's issue where their door plug blew off in mid-flight and that plane landed in Portland at PDX, they have been struggling. There have been congressional inquiries and work stoppages.

ISSUE: WINTER STORM / BUSTED PIPES

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 20th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 6:57 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Scott Tabor / Emerald Plumbing Owner. KXL's Veronica Carter hears from Scott how busy they are still after the ice storm. He says they have been on call after call for busted pipes. The deep freeze is long over, but Scott says a lot of the calls have persisted. He gives homeowners some advice on how to make sure they don't have to deal with that kind of busted pipe situation themselves the next time it freezes.

ISSUE: RESTAURANT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 20th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 11:29 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Aaron Baumhackl / Co-Owner of Solstice Wood Fire Pizza & Cafe in Hood River. KXL's Veronica Carter hears from Aaron about how tough life is for them. He says they still haven't gotten over Covid and the pandemic. Yes, people are going out to eat again but not as much as before. Aaron talks about inventory and labor costs and says things recently have been looking up for them as they've started getting some sports teams to book parties.

ISSUE: POLITICS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 20th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 1:34 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Zoya Shah / Oregon Kid Governor. KXL Microphones are rolling as Zoya addresses the state for the first time after being sworn in as kid governor for the state of Oregon. She's a 5th Grader at Findley Elementary School in Beaverton who was voted in by kids her age across the state.

ISSUE: SPORTS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 27th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 18:35 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Adam Bobrow / Spokesman for MLTT. KXL's Brett Reckamp goes down to the Portland Expo for the first-ever event of the Major League Table Tennis - the MLTT is a brand new sports league in America where teams from different cities square off each week during the season. And Portland is represented by the Portland Paddlers. Brett speaks with Adam Bobrow - he is Mr. Ping Pong - the international voice of table tennis. They talk during one of the matches about the sport and game of ping pong/table tennis as well as the young MLTT and Adam's global travels. He says the game has come a long way and is continuing to grow. He says he put aside his trips abroad to focus on the first year of the brand-new U.S. league - the MLTT.

ISSUE: REAL ESTATE

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 27th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:02 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Rick Sadle / Saddle Real Estate Group. KXL's Brett Reckamp hears from Rick about a new bill being floated in the Washington legislature that would change the percentages for taxes on home sales. It would raise the rates for properties 3 million dollars and above while lowering those for less expensive homes. The idea would be to raise money for low-income housing. Rick says it would affect different housing markets differently as SW Washington and Clark County have fewer larger houses.

ISSUE: TECHNOLOGY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 27th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:12 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Brian Westbrook/ KXL Tech Expert. KXL's Brett Reckamp& Veronica Carter hear from Brian about an executive order signed by Washington Governor Jay Inslee that tries to crack down on how artificial intelligence is used in government infrastructure and procedures. He says they're trying to make sure they harness the power of A/I without having it used against them. They say A/I can lead to political bias and unintended consequences. Brian says sometimes where the government goes, the private sector will follow.

ISSUE: MEASURE 113

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

January 27th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:16 minutes of a 30 minute show

Guest: Dr. Jim Moore / Pacific University Political Analyst. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets some quick reaction after the breaking news comes down from the Oregon State Supreme Court that they are upholding the voter measure approved by Measure 113. It changed the state constitution saying if a lawmaker has 10 or more unexcused absences in a session they cannot run for reelection. This was put to the test after the last session when Senate Republicans missed several weeks. Dr. Moore talks about the loss for the GOP and what to expect in this upcoming session.

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 3rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 6:30 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Hugh Aufill / Sports Book Manager at Ilani Casino & Resort. KXL's Brett Reckamp catches up with Hugh at a local coffee shop ahead of the big game to talk about sports wagering and specifically - The Super Bowl. Hugh says some 50 million Americans wagered 16 billion dollars on the Super Bowl last year - it's by far the largest sporting event in the world in every way - including wagering. Hugh says there are lots of fun ways casual wagerers can get in on the action - including all kinds of prop bets. By the way, Hugh is a lifelong Chiefs fan and loves getting +2 with Mahomes against the 49r's.

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 3rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 4:46 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Melanie Masarus / Oregon Lottery Spokesperson. KXL's Brett Reckamp hears how the Oregon Lottery is partnering with Draft Kings for the Super Bowl to create some special prop bets all centered around the pop superstar Taylor Swift. She's dating Chiefs Tight End Travis Kelce and will be in attendance for the big game. Melanie says they've come up with some fun things like Shake It Off - who will score first - and Wildest Dreams - where Kelce has to score the first and last touchdowns of the game. She reminds people it's only for entertainment and to gamble responsibly.

ISSUE: EMPLOYMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 3rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

3:45 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Jill Schlesinger/ CBS News Business Analyst. KXL's Brett Reckamp and Veronica Carter hear from Jill right after a big January Jobs Report - she talks about how some industries are laying people off but more are hiring. Jill also says people who work from home exclusively are 35% more likely to get laid off than employees who work either at the office full-time or in a hybrid model. She says it's just human nature and more managers are being told to come in to work.

ISSUE: TRAVEL

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 3rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

13:19 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Katy King / World Traveler. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets a first-hand report of how Katy and her husband Dana Haynes like to visit faraway places. Katy's husband, Dana is a regular on KXL - he's the editor-in-chief of The Pamplin Media Group and is also an accomplished author. The couple often travels to places for research for Dana's novels. Katy talks about their most recent visit to Italy. She says they like to rent an apartment for an entire month and try to experience different cultures as the locals might. This way they get to know a few people and make relationships and tend to learn more than they would if they just went as tourists. She gives listeners more tips about how to get around and eat their delicious foods!

ISSUE: SPORTS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 10th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 28:44 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Michael MacKelvie / YouTube Content Creator. KXL's Brett Reckamp enjoys a long and interesting conversation with Mike about how he has turned his love for certain sports and financial topics and video making into a career. Michael grew up in the Portland area and was a basketball star at Wilsonville High School. He went on to play basketball in college, then began an already successful career as a financial strategist for a company in Seattle. During that time, Michael decided he wanted to start making videos so he basically learned how from scratch. After some good financial ones, he wanted to move on to some sports topics that interested him. So, he started doing deep dives on things like statistics for NBA players, the NFL draft, college basketball wins and other things. Before long, Mike had taken his videos to the next level professionally - making them essentially network quality. He's nearing 60,000 YouTube subscribers now and counting. And he has managed to find ways to monetize the platform. Mike also talks about how to help young student athletes in the Northwest make themselves more attractive to try and get on with a school of their choice and play basketball at the next level.

ISSUE: WEATHER

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

4:04 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Brianna Muhlestein / Meteorologist National Weather Service in Portland. KXL's Brett Reckamp & Veronica Carter get a lowdown on how the weather is doing a 180 around the Portland Metro area. We have been enjoying a lovely spring-like weather pattern over the past several days - but Brianna says a cold front is coming down from Alaska. Whether we actually see any snow on the valley floor remains to be seen, but she says anywhere from 500' to 1,000' will. And the cold and wet spell should last much of next week after arriving on Sunday.

ISSUE: REAL ESTATE

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

2:45 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Rick Sadle / Sadle Real Estate Group. KXL's Brett Reckamp hears from Rick about a report on black people and homeownership. It's from Lending Tree and spells out how far too many people of color are still having a hard time breaking through into home ownership in the Northwest. Rick says they are required by law to make sure they don't discriminate against people of color.

ISSUE: EMERGENCY SERVICES

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

7:20 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Vince Jones Dixon / Gresham City Councilor. KXL's Brett Reckamp and Veronica Carter talk with Vince after the council passed a resolution demanding that the Multnomah County Chair Jessica Vega Pederson change her mind on holding American Medical Response or AMR to the 2 paramedics per call model. They want to move to a 1 paramedic 1 EMT plan. Ambulance response times are getting slower and sometimes are at level zero which means there aren't any available.

ISSUE: EMERGENCY SERVICES

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 6:11 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Rick Graves / Portland Fire & Rescue. KXL's Brett Reckamp and Veronica Carter hear from Rick about how paramedics and EMT's differ. Rick describes how a paramedic can do more things once on scene of a trauma situation. He says they usually take the lead and are able to start IV's and do more during transport of patients.

ISSUE: CYBER SECURITY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 4:45 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Chris Moschovitis / Cyber Security Expert. Chris joins Portland's Morning News to lay out the president's plan for trying to protect the nation's ports from cyber attacks. Chris says the Port of Portland is a big one and he talks about what some kind of cyber attack could and likely would do in terms of supply chain issues.

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 17th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:01 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Grae Drake / Movie critic. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets Grae's opinions on 2 new movies debuting this weekend. She looks at the new Orlando Bloom movie called "Red Right Hand" and also "Drive Away Dolls". Turns out Grae likes them both!

ISSUE: SPORTS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 24th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

16:59 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Jed Tai / Prep Hoops Oregon. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets an in-depth interview with Jed first on what Prep Hoops does and how they do it. Jed covers boys' high school basketball at all levels in the state of Oregon. He goes to hundreds if not thousands of games every year and reports on them by documenting student-athletes. Jed takes time out ahead of the start of the OSAA 6A Boys Basketball Championships. It involves 32 teams in a one-and-done tournament. After the 1st 2 games, 8 teams will qualify for the quarterfinals and a spot at the Chiles Center at The University of Portland. Jed has a few predictions and also talks about the kinds of teams that do well at these tournaments. He says senior leadership with tough guard play along with one star often equal success.

ISSUE: BLACK HISTORY MONTH

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 24th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

3:11 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Gresham Firefighter Lt. Jeff Hairston. KXL's James Shippy goes in-depth with Lt. Hairston on his life and experience as one of only 3 African American firefighters in the entire city. Jeff says he was a professional baseball player for a time in his younger days. He says being a firefighter is also like being part of a baseball team. You do whatever it takes for the team.

ISSUE: LEAP YEAR

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

February 24th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

8:19 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Dr. Azia Inan / Professor of Electrical Engineering at the University of Portland. KXL's James Shippy gets an in-depth lesson on how the Romans came up with leap day every 4 years in the Gregorian Calendar. He says they had to do some deep calculations to come up with the plan to create a February 29th every 4 years. If they didn't do this, Dr. Inan says the seasons for the northern and southern hemispheres would literally switch, and here in the U.S. - summer would become winter. Dr. Inan also gets into the weeds with some of the long-term concerns about the calendar like how things might look in 900 years without leap years.

ISSUE: NEW BUSINESS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 2nd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

7:28 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Nick Frye / Co-Founder I'D Golf . KXL's Brett Reckamp talks with Nick from the Portland Golf Show. Nick describes how he and his buddies over a few beers came up with the idea to create a new golf apparel company. They have enjoyed coming up with new designs for polo shirts and hats and what not. He says literally everything they do has a Northwest feel for either Oregon, Washington or Idaho or all 3 states. They added a Saskatchewan design to one of their shirts and have really taken off since then.

ISSUE: EVERYDAY HERO

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 2nd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Jesse Franco / Friend of a hero. KXL's Jim Ferretti hears a first hand story from Jesse about the late Josh Brown. Josh was killed in a tragic car accident on Christmas Day last year. Jesse says Josh was a pillar in the community. He was a talented soccer player in high school and college and was even drafted by the Timbers. Josh made lots of time for the kids in the neighborhood and often played with them to give them exercise. Jesse says Josh was especially helpful during Covid when the kids needed to get outside. They're also raising money for a memorial bench at their favorite local park. He is our KXL Everyday hero.

ISSUE: WORKING REMOTELY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 2nd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

12:45 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Colby Hall / Saving our Appalachian Region. KXL's Veronica Carter hears from Colby about a legitimate new program that is inviting people to literally move and get paid for it. Colby says his region of the country is rather depressed economically. So he came up with the idea of paying people to move there and other places that need more residents - then work remotely. Colby says so far it's gone fairly well as they have attracted a few takers.

ISSUE: GUNS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 9th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

14:16 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Associate Professors at Oregon State University - Aimee Huff, Michelle Barnhardt, Brett Burkhardt. KXL's Brett Reckamp hears from the 3 authors of a study from OSU. They looked at guns and new women gun owners and how advertisements in Guns & Ammo magazine have changed over the last 2 decades. They say the ads targeting women have gone from sexy, to sexy with guns - to serious gun owners and they feel they have hit the mark - citing stats on how more women are becoming first time gun owners in America in recent years.

ISSUE: SPORTS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 9th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

3:28 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Wade Evanson / Beaverton Valley Times reporter. KXL's Brett Reckamp gets another take on the topic of referees and fans and how they interact. Wade wrote a column with his opinion on how too many fans in the stands are crossing the line. This is coming off the OSAA 6A High School championship where he noticed a lot of cackles coming from the stands.

ISSUE: RECRUITMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 9th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

3:34 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Portland Police Sergeant Joanna Buck. KXL's Veronica Carter hears from Sgt Buck about how there is a shortage of female police officers in Portland - and in fact around the country. She says a lot of cops have received a bad rap in recent years. Sgt Buck says she loves to visit with kids in neighborhoods while out on her beat, while trying to break down barriers. Sgt Joanna Buck is our KXL Everyday Hero this week.

ISSUE: TECHNOLOGY

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 9th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

4:02 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Brian Westbrook / KXL Tech Expert. KXL's Brett Reckamp & Veronica Carter hear from Brian about Apple's latest move. They admit that some of their security systems - specifically the ones that deal with passwords - may not be totally secure. He also chimes in about the doctored photo from Princess Kate that is making news. Brian talks about ways to look for details that don't make sense.

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 9th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am 3:13 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Grae Drake / KXL Movie Critic. KXL's Brett Reckamp hears about 2 new movies from Grae. One on Netflix starring Lindsay Lohan is kind of a snoozer. But Love Lies Bleeding is also out this weekend. This one Grae really liked. It's a thriller starring Kristen Stewart & Ed Harris.

ISSUE: SELF-DRIVING CARS

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 16, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

24:43 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest:Dr. Matt Markel / CEO Spartan Technologies. KLX's Brett Reckamp goes in-depth with Dr. Markel on what's happening in this world of self-driving cars. He says for now, most of the technology is aimed at assisting humans. But, there are self-driving cars already on the road. In cities like L.A. and Houston, they already have robo-taxis on the road. Dr. Markel says it's going to be a slow roll-out for those.

ISSUE: SAFETY/LANDSLIDE

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 16th, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

2:47 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Snohomish County & Oso, Washington emergency personnel and residents, Former President Barack Obama. KXL's Jim Ferretti goes in-depth on the deadly landslides that happened in the Northwest a decade ago. We hear from people who lost everything. It was the deadliest landslide in U.S. history.

ISSUE: ENTERTAINMENT

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 23rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

22:39 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Sport Oregon & Portland Police Bureau Chief Bob Day. KXL's Tim Lantz speaks with Sport Oregon about their efforts to get the tournament to make a stop in the first place. The Women's NCAA is playing Sweet 16 & Elite 8 games at Moda Center - half are here, the other half are taking place in Albany. It's a huge win for the Rose City including a major influx of tourist dollars. Then, KXL's Brett Reckamp gets an interview with Portland Police Chief Bob Day. Chief Day talks about all the security that goes into the 4 to 5 days when thousands of people will be visiting Portland and enjoying restaurants and hotels. He says they have extra patrols that will be visible and are prepared to also handle security and potential issues around the rest of the city.

ISSUE: BRIDGE COLLAPSE

KUPL (FM) PUBLIC AFFAIRS

March 23rd, 2024 5 am to 5:30 am

5:49 minutes of a: 30 minute show

Guest: Don Hamilton / ODOT. KXL's Brett Reckamp and Veronica Carter talk with Don the day a major bridge goes down in Baltimore. It was hit by a ship that was out of control. Don discusses some of Portland's concerns when it comes to bridges. We obviously have a lot of them here. Don says they work closely with the Coast Guard and other maritime agencies to coordinate bridge lifts.