# Issues and Programs Report 3rd Quarter, 2023 - July 1 -September 30, 2023

The following is a sampling of community interest programming produced and broadcast by stations KLCC, KLCO, KLFR, KLBR, KMPQ and KLFO between July 1 and September 30, 2023. Areas of concern were ascertained through interviews with community leaders and members of the public.

The stations broadcast daily local newscasts and features, a regular schedule of public service announcements and a daily schedule of news and cultural programming, including NPR's Morning Edition, All Things Considered and Weekend Edition.

Additional on demand coverage is available at KLCC.org. Air times approximate.

### **Health and Medicine**

Oregon healthcare providers win millions to boost abortion access, Duration 1:00, Jul 21, 4:00pm, 6:00pm, July 22, 6:30am, 8:30am

<u>PeaceHealth wants to close Eugene's only hospital</u> Duration 2:57, August 22, 3:45 pm, 5:45 pm, August 23, 6:45 am, 8:45 am

<u>Checking off your back to school list? Health officials say update student vaccine records</u> Duration 1:03, August 31, 6:00am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

As syphilis case numbers surge in Lane County, health officials urge testing and prompt treatment, Duration 1:05, September 7, 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm, September 8, 6:00 am, 8:00 am.

<u>Lane County sees "significant increase" in COVID hospitalizations, says top</u> <u>health official</u> Duration 1:00, September 14, 6:00am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

### **Politics and Government**

<u>City Club of Eugene: What Did the 2023 Oregon Legislature Accomplish?</u>, Duration 59:00, July 17, 7:00pm

<u>Legislation may finally let two tribes based in Oregon do traditional food</u> <u>gathering on their lands</u> Duration 4:38, July 25, 3:45 pm, 5:45pm, July 26, 7:45 a.m.

Recall effort targets three Cottage Grove city councilors Duration 3:15, August 28, 3:45 pm, 5:45pm, August 29 7:45 am

<u>Vinis endorses Knudson for Eugene's next mayor</u> Duration 1:03, September 12, 3:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m., September 13, 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.

<u>The Attempted Recall of Representative Paul Holvey</u> Duration 59:00, September 22, 3:00 p.m

### Education

New UO president says the job is 'the opportunity of a lifetime', Duration 4:09, July 17, 6:45am, 8:45am, 3:45pm, 5:45pm

<u>UO faculty aim to solve their own childcare problems by funding preschool</u> <u>expansion at Willamalane,</u> Duration 0:59, August 7, 4:30 pm, 6:00 pm, August 8 6:00 am, 8:30 am

<u>Local School Boards: The Frontlines in Our Cultural Divide</u>, Duration 48:46, August 25, 3:00 pm

OSBA to school boards: Hold off on those stipend votes, Duration 1:06, September 19, 3:00pm, 5:00 p.m., September 20, 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. LCC Board of Education explores budget cuts as unions demand to be part of the conversation, Duration 1:12, September 28, 6:00am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

#### **Environment**

<u>Legislation will fund communities' efforts to acquire forest land that feeds water supply,</u> Duration 1:03, July 3, 6:00am, 8:00am, 3:30pm, 5:30pm

UO researchers and Coquille Tribe team up against climate change,
Duration 1:03, August 13, 7:30am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, 5:30pm

The Pacific Crest Trail: The People and the Problems that Visit Oregon's Most
Famous Path, Duration 50:18, September 8, 3:00 pm

Restoration projects on McKenzie River have co-benefits for habitat and fire resiliency, Duration 1:03, September 26, 4:00pm, 6:00pm, September 27, 6:00am, 8:00am

Environmental organization sees a sunny side to J.H. Baxter plant's future Duration 1:05, September 26, 6:30am, 8:30am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

## **Economy and Business**

Eugene City Council to consider new rules for building along the Willamette River,
Duration 0:53, July 11, 7:00am, 9:00am, 3:30pm, 5:30pm
Oregon's Magic Mushrooms: Our State's New Psilocybin Industry, Duration
49:11, August 11, 3:00pm

Coos Bay officials try again for federal Mega Grant, Duration 1:04, August 23,

3:00pm, 5:00pm, August 24, 7:00am, 9:00am

<u>Oregon Tradeswomen bring training program to Springfield,</u> Duration 4:05, September 14, 6:45am, 8:45am, 3:45pm, 5:45pm

City Club of Eugene: The Manufacturing Economy of Metro Eugene,

Duration 59:00, September 25, 7:00pm

#### **Crime and Justice**

<u>City Club of Eugene: Protecting Children from Online Predators,</u> Duration 59:00, July 10, 7:00pm

Hate in Our State: Incidents of Bias and Hate are Up around Oregon

Duration 49:18, August 4, 3:00 pm

Anti-poaching campaign launches across Oregon, Duration 1:04, August 7, 6:00 am, 8:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00 pm

<u>Tagged: The Problem of Graffiti and Low-Level Crime On Our Streets,</u> Duration 49:01, September 1, 3:00 pm

'A fabulous, terrible handful:' Mother of Eugene shooting victim remembers her son, Duration 3:41, September 10, 4:45pm, September 11, 6:45 am, 8:45 am

### **Arts and Culture**

<u>Peace and Prosperity in the Year of the Rabbit: Eugene's Asian Celebration</u> <u>marks its 38th year,</u> Duration 1:04, July 28, 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm, July 29, 7:00 am . <u>Arts Institutions in our Community: The Curtain is Up, But Challenges Remain</u> Duration 48:53, August 18, 3:00 pm

<u>Documentary film about the history and impact of lesbians in Eugene nears completion</u> Duration 1:02, September 13, 7:00am, 9:00am, 4:00pm, 6:00pm.

<u>Museum exhibit shows the fight for farmworkers' rights in Lane County, Duration 1:00, September 21, 3:45 p.m. and 5:45 p.m., September 22,, 6:45 a.m. and 8:45 a.m.</u>

<u>Chef at Newport's Sylvia Beach Hotel finds literary inspiration</u>, Duration 5:44, September 27, 3:45 pm, 5:45 pm

## **Disasters and Accidents**

<u>Lane County joins statewide emergency alert system.</u> Duration 0:54, July 18, 7:00am, 9:00am, 4:00pm, 6:00pm

Walk at Your Own Risk: The Disturbing Rise in Pedestrian Fatalities, Duration 47:30, July 28, 3:00 pm

<u>Crews take on Bedrock Fire from the ground and from the sky</u> Duration 3:24, July 31, 3:45pm, 5:45pm

<u>As Smith River Complex grows, dangerous weather prompts additional concerns,</u> Duration 0:57, August 25, 3:00pm, 5:00pm, August 26, 6:00am, 8:00am

New earthquake research center receives \$15M to advance understanding of the Cascadia Subduction Zone, Duration 1:10, September 13, 3:00pm, 5:00pm, September 14, 7:00am, 9:00am

## **Housing and Homelessness**

Lane County's unhoused population jumps 72% since 2018, Duration 1:01, July 13, 6:00 am, 8:00 am, 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm

<u>Lincoln County announces plans for permanent winter shelter,</u> Duration 0:48, July 31, 7:00am, 9:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm

<u>City Club of Eugene: Ending Homelessness in Eugene: All Hands on Deck,</u> Duration 59:00, July 31, 7:00 pm

<u>Affordable housing organization in Corvallis prepares to launch 46-unit</u> <u>development</u>, Duration 1:05, August 23 3:00pm, 5:00pm, August 24, 7:00am, 9:00am

Program that teaches trade skills while helping the homeless embarks on its second year, Duration 1:08, September 20, 6:00am, 8:00am, 3:00pm, 5:00pm