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Q4 2023 Issues Report (Oct 1, 2023-Dec 31, 2023)

Reports for Local Programs, Reporting, and Shows for WSCL and WSDL

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Story List

10-1-23 to 12-31-23

12-22-23 Interview by Don Rush with Coastal Point reporter Susan Canfora on election of Valerie Jones Giltner to retain GOP legislative seat. (4:00)

12-20-23 Feature by Don Rush on celebration of the life of local journalist Greg Bassett. (4:00)

12-19-23 Interview by Don Rush with Bay Journal editor-at-large Karl Blankenship on the 40th anniversary of efforts to clean up the Chesapeake Bay. (4:00)

12-18-23 Interview by Don Rush with Shikha Narula, budgeting expert with Bank of American on holiday spending. (4:00)

12-15-23 Feature by Don Rush on the news of the passing of Salisbury Independent managing editor Greg Bassett. (4:00)

12-13-23 Interview by Don Rush with Bay Journal associate editor and senior writer Tim Wheeler about the decline in Striped Bass. (4:00)

12-12-23 Feature by Don Rush with political and local leaders on the passing of Greg Bassett. (4:00)

12-8-23 Interview by Don Rush with Monica Brooks, president of the Wicomico County Branch of the NAACP on lawsuit challenging the at-large-district in Wicomico County Council. (4:00)

12-7-23 Interview by Susan Canfora with Wicomico County Executive Julie Giordano on fight over personnel. (4:00)

12-6-23 Interview by Don Rush with Jermichael Mitchell, local activist and former mayoral candidate in Salisbury, on usage of psych evaluations for students in Wicomico County Public Schools. (4:00)

12-6-23 Interview by Don Rush with talks with Angela Ford, director of Maple Shade Youth and Family Services which provides support for children with emotional disabilities in Wicomico County about new psych report on Wicomico County Public Schools and psych evals. (4:00)

12-5-23 Interview by Don Rush with bay journal associate editor and senior writer Tim Wheeler on smallest dead zone in the bay in forty years. (4:00)

11-30-23 Interview by Don Rush with Steve Green, editor and publisher of the Maryland Coast Dispatch, on the final disposition of the Black Eyed Susan river boat. (4:00)

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11-29-23 Interview by Don Rush with Bay Journal staff writer Jeremy Cox on new program to preserve land around Bay watershed. (4:00)

11-16-23 Feature by Don Rush on new Harriet Tubman statue in downtown Salisbury. (4:00)

11-15-23 Interview by Don Rush with AAA Mid-Atlantic spokesperson Regina Cooper on expected travelers during the holiday. (4:00)

11-14-23 Feature by Don Rush on address by Salisbury University president Carolyn Lepre (4:00)

11-13-23 Feature by Don Rush on the Rise in Endangered Species numbers in Chesapeake Bay Watershed (4:00)

11-10-23 Feature by Don Rush on newly elected Salisbury Mayor Randy Taylor (4:00)

11-8-23 Feature by Don Rush chronicling the Salisbury Mayoral Race and the final vote tally (4:00)

11-7-23 Feature by Don Rush about how a local Salisbury synagogue is mourning the tragic deaths and the conflict in the Gaza Strip. (4:00)

11-2-23 Interview by Don Rush with Chesapeake Bay Journal reporter on Maryland Governor's call for new focus in Chesapeake Bay restoration efforts. (4:00)

10-30-23 Feature by reporter Brian Shane about the decade long debate surrounding Offshore Wind off the coast of Ocean City. (4:00)

10-25-23 Essay by retired SU professor Michael O'Loughlin on the conflict in Gaza (4:00)

10-24-23 Interview by Don Rush with Maryland Eastern Shore haunted history expert Mindie Burgoyne (4:00)

10-23-23 Feature by Don Rush about composting and other recycling efforts in Ocean City (4:00)

10-20-23 Feature by Don Rush about a candidate debate for the Salisbury mayoral race (4:00)

10-19-23 Feature by Don Rush about local Delaware muslim's concerns over the conflict in Gaza (4:00)

10-18-23 Interview with Don Rush and Wicomico County Sheriff on the verdict in the trial in the killing of a local police officer (4:00)

10-17-23 Feature by Don Rush on Virginia's decision to pull out of Environmental agreement concerning solar energy. (4:00)

10-16-23 Feature by Don Rush about a 15 year survey about the Nanticoke River Watershed. (4:00)

10-13-23 Interview by Don Rush with a local Rabbi about the horrific attacks in Gaza (4:00)

10-11-23 Essay by retired SU professor Michael O'Loughlin about the attacks in Gaza (4:00)

10-10-23 feature by Don Rush about how development is impacting tree cover in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. (4:00)

10-9-23 feature by Don Rush about October being Breast Cancer Awareness Month (4:00)

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10-6-23 feature by Don Rush about Salisbury Mayoral candidate Randy Taylor's assessment on downtown redevelopment and the city's future. (4:00)

10-5-23 essay by retired SU professor Michael O'Loughlin on the FDR precedent in American politics and policy (4:00)

10-4-23 feature by Don Rush on how a judge has struck down portions of Maryland gun laws (4:00)

10-3-23 feature by Don Rush on how a natural gas compressor in Virginia has created controversy. (4:00)

10-2-23 feature by Don Rush about the call for young children to get the Covid-19 vaccine. (4:00)

WATERWAYS TO AIRWAVES Series (grant funded 8-episode series hosted by the No I Know Podcast)

Episode 1 (aired 10-3-23) "All Aboard the Strawberry Express"

Episode 2 (aired 10-10-23) "The Future of the Green Workforce"

Episode 3 (aired 10-16-23) "How to Make Golf Courses Better For the Environment"

Episode 4 (aired 10-23-23) "Faith in Action: Healing the Bay"

Episode 5 (aired 10-3-23) "Watershed Stewards Academy"

Episode 6 (aired 11-9-23) "Minorities in Aquaculture"

Episode 7 (aired 11-16-23) "Land Preservation"

Episode 8 (aired 11-23-23) "What's Green on Delmarva"

Delmarva Today stories 10-1-23 TO 12-31-23

12-29-23 Rebroadcast—Don Rush focuses on the homelessness issue on the Eastern Shore (59:00)

12-22-23 Voices of Salisbury: Building a Sustainable Downtown (SU produced audio documentary) (59:00)

12-15-23 Tribute to Greg Bassett, editor of the Salisbury Independent (59:00)

12-8-23 Pysch avails and the Wicomico School System (59:00)

12-1-23 Wicomico County Fire Service Agreement, etc (59:00)

11-24-23 Encryption of Police Scanner Data in Shore counties, etc (59:00)

11-17-23 A Delaware State Senator Resigns, etc (59:00)

11-10-23 New Salisbury Mayor Takes Office, etc (59:00)

11-3-23 Salisbury election preview, etc. (59:00)

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10-27-23 To Build or Not to Build at Buckingham Elementary, etc (59:00)

10-20-23 Salisbury Mayoral Candidates Spar in Debate, etc (59:00)

10-13-23 Hamas Attacks Stun Jewish Community, etc (59:00)

10-6-23 The Battle Over Bottled Water, etc. (59:00)