SECOND QUARTER REPORT WFLO AM FARMVILLE, VIRGINIA

January, February, & March 2023

Issues and Concerns

Concerns about Buckingham County Voter Register intimidating its officers until they quit.

CALL-FLO Radio Show Interviews

04-05-2023 at 8:10 Interviewed Frank Cardella and Natalie Mesitous from Longwood University theatre department. Discussed their last show of the year and the theatre department.

04-06-2023 at 8:10 Jordon Miles talked about tax increases and Buckingham County supervisor issues. Callers concerned about tax increases.

04-14-2023 at 8:10 Doug Stanley County administrator of Prince Edward County provided information about projects starting and future projects for the area. There is a 50000 square foot building approved for shed building CO. Also, a large solar array is going to be built on private land

05-18-2023 at 8:05 interviewed Cheryl Gibson and Frank Lacey from Meals on Wheels and their fundraiser. The Farmville Wine Festival is their biggest fundraiser for the year. This year it was postponed due to rain. Discussed the services that Meals on Wheels provides Farmville and the surrounding area.

05-02-2023 at 8:10AM interviewed Mayor Frank Vincent – discussed what is happening in Farmville and projects that have been approved and projects that are in process. One being a water park for young children at Wilkes Lake, discussed the challenges of getting things done in a divisive society

05-02-2023 at 8:10AM interviewed Andrea Walker from the UMFC – we discussed the process of fostering children in the Farmville area. We talked about the challenges and the rewards of Fostering. We discussed the impact of ACEs scores on foster children. The main thing that can change a child's life is having a person in their life they can count on

05-16-2023 at 8:10 interviewed Dr Maria Almond – supervisor for Piedmont Health District - we discussed the pandemic and how it has changed the land scape. The Piedmont Health District serves 7 counties and helps families in many ways including septic and water. We discussed mental health and how Fentanyl and Opioids has affected our community. Dr. Almond talked about available services they offer and how the community can receive help.

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06-02-2023 at 8:05 interviewed Jordan Miles who discussed a lawsuit in Buckingham over the voting registration – there has been significant drama and a few politicians acting like spoiled children. Part of it being that documentation was being withheld. Discussed problems pertaining to inadequate and unreliable internet service. He talked about budgets and ongoing projects.

06-07-2023 at 8:06 interviewed Caryn Kayton and Nancy Alexander from the Farmville Downtown Partnership and their upcoming fundraiser – they are a non-profit focused on improving downtown. Rock the block event is their event. They talked about grants and accreditation to the Virginia Mainstreet program.

06-07-2023 at 8:05 interviewed Mayor Bryan Vincent. Discussed projects happening in Farmville – such as paving. Talked about Wilkes Lake and rebuilding of the play ground next to the library. Talked about the Lion club playground and the splash pad. Discussed Municipal legislative committee and the process and goals. Talked also of accessory dwelling units. Asked about fireworks and the process to hold an event.

06-13-2023 at 8:07 interviewed Jimmy Hurt and Bob Flippen talked about the 120th birthday of the train depot – They were representing the historical society and discussed many historical facts about Farmville.

06-15-2023 April Ross-2023 at 8:05 interviewed April Ross and Briauna Marecum from Piedmont Senior Resource PSR who do amazing work in the community for senior citizens. The were promoting a Health and Wellness day where they will provide extensive services for 2 days.

06-16-2023 at 8:05 interviewed Doug Stanley County administrator of Prince Edward County provided information about projects starting and future projects for the area. We discussed solar project – Farmville Fireworks and the reopening of the golf course. Talked about flag sizes – probation services – radio communication services – increased fire house funding – economic development – Longwood student internship