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Rubber City Radio Group, Inc.**

2020 2nd Quarter Community Issues/Programs

During 2019, a survey was conducted by the Center for Marketing and Opinion Research to assess the community needs facing Akron and Summit County. The result of the survey is the 2019 Community Pulse report, which is provided to area agencies to assist them in focusing their services and programs where they are needed most.

According to their final report, the most important problems facing Summit County in 2019 fell into the following categories (presented in order of importance):

1. Substance Abuse/Heroin
2. Government & Infrastructure
 - a. Roads & Bridges
 - b. Water & Sewer Infrastructure
 - c. Poor Government
 - d. Current Govt. Upheaval
3. Economic Issues
 - a. High Taxes
 - b. Poverty
 - c. Cost of Living
 - d. Lack of Economic Development
 - e. Financial Stability of Local Govt.
4. Crime & Safety Concerns
 - a. Gun Violence
 - b. Law Enforcement Issues
5. Employment
 - a. Not Enough Jobs
 - b. Low Wages
 - c. Retaining Talent
6. Housing
 - a. Homelessness
 - b. Property Values
 - c. Lack of Affordable Housing
 - d. Vacant or Neglected Properties
7. Education
 - a. School Funding
 - b. Ineffective Education System

- 8. Healthcare
 - a. Access to Services
 - b. Cost of Services
- 9. Equality Issues
 - a. Racial Hatred
 - b. Religious Hatred
 - c. Discrimination
 - d. Lack of Ethics/Morals
- 10. Environmental Issues
 - a. Pollution
 - b. Climate Change
 - c. Carbon Emissions
 - d. Lack of Green Space

CORONAVIRUS: During 1st quarter of this year, the Coronavirus Pandemic emerged as a #1 most important concern for all of our constituencies. As a result, all stations are airing regularly scheduled updates featuring the latest facts and statistics as we receive them. In addition, we are including announcements from local authorities, Ohio Dept. of Health and the Governor of the State of Ohio, as well as advice on best practices and advising listeners of mis-information which may from time to time be trending on other media.

BLACK LIVES MATTER: During the 2nd Quarter, events taking place in Minneapolis, MN led to nationwide boycotts and demonstrations against racism and police brutality. Our stations provided coverage of local activities and afforded lawmakers and community leaders opportunities to discuss these sensitive issues.

WAKR-WONE-WQMX focused on the following issues for this quarter:

- 1. Health & Wellness (including COVID19)
- 2. Social Services
- 3. Diversity (including Black Lives Matter)
- 4. Political Leadership
- 5. Economy and Jobs
- 6. Education
- 7. Housing Development

Regularly Scheduled Programs

In addition to the programs listed, stations also provided the following regularly scheduled news and community service programming:

WAKR News – 3:00 length local newscasts 5am-9am M-F at the top and bottom of each of each hour 5:30a-8:30a and top of the hour following CBS News 9a-1p.

CBS News – airs on 1590 WAKR Newscasts are 6:00 in length until 9am M-F, with the exception of the World News Roundup at 8:00 a.m. M-F (10 minutes) and 1-min hourly updates throughout the day.

WAKR Ray Horner Show – 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Monday-Friday. News, sports, weather, traffic, business and topical interviews of local, national and community interest.

America in the Morning - airs on 1590 WAKR 5a-6a M-F with topical news, sports, business and information. 54:00 length. Network program.

WONE News – 1:30 length hourly local newscasts 6a-8a weekdays.

WQMX News – 2:30 length local newscasts 5:30a-8:30a at the top and bottom of each hour weekdays.

Akron Weather Updates - all stations present weather updates at least every hour during live programming and break in to programming when severe weather events warrant.

Akron Traffic Updates - All stations: regular traffic and highway construction updates at least four times each hour on WAKR, WONE & WQMX during weekday mornings. Updates are provided weekday afternoons as needed.

Need To Know: one-minute news, community service and public service reports airing on WONE during varied rotations seven days a week.

Spectrum – produced by the RCRG Newsroom presenting in-depth treatment of local, regional and national issues. Some programs also include presentations of the City Club of Cleveland highlighting a wide range of programming. Airs on WAKR and WONE.

Forum 360 – produced by the Jewish Community Center of Akron in association with the Rubber City Radio Group, a 30-minute program airs each Monday morning at 12:30 a.m. on WAKR and Sunday at 6:30 a.m. on WONE at 5:30 p.m. on WAKR depending on sports schedules.

Center Talks – produced by the Akron Urban League and 1590 WAKR with information on agencies and programs of benefit to the Akron urban community. This program runs 30:00.

Ready, Set Grow - on 1590 WAKR with host Tom Dayton offering advice for gardening and landscaping. Saturday 8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. This program also airs Sunday evenings on a replay.

My Beautiful Home - on 1590 WAKR with hosts Katherine DeLong and Andy January with information on home décor and preserving value for homeowners. Saturday 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. This program also airs Sunday evenings on replay.

CBS Weekend Roundup - a 48:00 minute review of the week's biggest news stories. Program airs Sundays on WAKR.

CBS Face the Nation - a 58:00 program with news and debate originating in Washington, D.C. Program airs Sundays on WAKR.

RCRG Public Service Announcements

Need To Know is a :60 prerecorded public service announcement airing on an ROS (run of station) basis on 1590 WAKR and 97.5 WONE. A listing of the “Need To Know” topics covered in the Quarter are found at the bottom of this report.

Ohio Governor DeWine PSAs on Covid-19 aired during the quarter. These were aired on an ROS (run-of-station) basis on WAKR, WONE-FM and WQMX.

Ohio Dept. of Job & Family Services PSAs encouraging listeners who need to apply for unemployment benefits to do so online if possible because in light of lay-offs resulting from the Covid-19 virus, the toll-free line is experiencing extremely high volumes. These we’re aired on an ROS (run-of-station) basis on WAKR, WONE-FM and WQMX, and included from time to time in regularly scheduled Coronavirus news updates.

RCRG Community Outreach

As part of our continued community outreach, RCRG works in partnership with various community groups to both raise funds and help operations of non-profit charitable groups and profile worthwhile community events. Among the initiatives for this quarter:

All Stations Participated in these Community Events

During the quarter, nearly all community events were cancelled or rescheduled. Our Community Outreach staff has maintained close contact with our local community

groups in order to plan for activities that will return when health concerns are addressed.

WQMX Hosted or Participated in the Following Community Events:

AKRON CANTON REGIONAL FOODBANK:

WQMX teamed up with The Akron Canton Regional Foodbank, WEWS-TV & The Akron Beacon Journal for a Double Your Impact Matching Donation Day on Thursday, June 11th.

The event raised \$113,000, which equals to 452,000 meals.

WQMX's involvement included Public Service Announcements, support with our Social Media and our Website.

WQMX COUNTRY PET RESCUE

This is an ongoing activity. Each week, the rescue organization, "Pay It Forward for Pets", is featured on the WQMX morning show. The feature airs every Thursday morning, at 8:40am. An adoptable pet is featured as well as a discussion of the need for homes for these rescue animals, especially during the COVID19 Pandemic.

WONE Hosted or Participated in the Following Community Events:

HUMANE SOCIETY OF SUMMIT COUNTY

This is an ongoing feature. Each Wednesday, during the 8am hour, the WONE Morning Show is visited by Colleen Brannigan, representing the Summit County Humane Society. Colleen always features to rescues available for adoption and discusses the shelter.

STEWART'S CARING PLACE VIRTUAL HOPE WALK

Stewart's is a local cancer patient support organization. WONE participated in this socially distanced version of the agencies annual fundraiser. WONE Personality, Tim Daugherty, joined the occasion by video, to help raise money for Stewart's programs.

ROCK THE LOCK (DOWN)

Each summer, WONE partners with the City of Akron to sponsor this weekly event at Akron's Canal Lock "3". Each week, a classic rock "Tribute" band is featured on stage and WONE raises \$\$\$ for various charities. This year, WONE is producing a "Virtual" event, featuring the music of a single classic rock band during the evening.

WAKR Hosted or Participated in the Following Community Events:

All of WAKR’s external community events were cancelled, or delayed, as a result of the social distancing orders. Our public relations staff continues to stay in contact with organizational leaders in order to pick back up when distancing regulations are changed.

Ray Horner Morning Show

This program airs 5:30a – 9:00a, Monday-Friday with the exception of major holidays. It provides regular newscasts, sports, traffic and weather in addition to a regular listing of community, news and topical interviews.

Here is a summary of the Issues and Topics covered during the quarter:

Date	Time	Guest/Topic	Category
04/01/20	06:10 AM	Robert Didaro, Prism Wealth Management: how to come out of the Pandemic economically	Economy
04/01/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Brian Harte, Cleveland Clinic Akron General President: changes in health care with the Pandemic.	Health Care
04/01/20	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Mayor of Akron: update on the fight against the Pandemic.	Political Leadership
04/01/20	07:40 AM	Frank LaRose, Ohio Secretary of State: on the changes in voting in April in Ohio.	Political Leadership
04/01/20	08:10 AM	Illene Shapiro, Summit County Executive: on the small business grant from Summit County.	Political Leadership
04/02/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Richard Londrville, University of Akron: cells affected during the Covid 19 virus attack.	Health Care
04/02/20	07:10 AM	Tony Tsaruhaus, Attorney: putting together a living and regular will.	Health Care

04/02/20	07:40 AM	David Pepper, Chair of Ohio Democratic Party: moving elections in Ohio.	Political Leadership
04/02/20	08:10 AM	Ken Ball, Akron Police Chief: how his officers have been affected by the Pandemic.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/02/20	08:40 AM	Shaerrod Brown, Senator: dollars to Ohio	Political Leadership
04/03/20	06:10 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Security: scamming during the Pandemic.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/03/20	06:40 AM	Sarah Johnston, Old Trail School: elementary school during the Pandemic.	Education
04/03/20	08:10 AM	Partick Dahan, Gasbuddy.com: update on falling oil prices in USA and globally.	Transportation
04/03/20	08:40 AM	Marco Summerville, SummervilleFuneral Home: his business during the pandemic.	Economy
04/06/20	06:20 AM	Doug Klein, BDO: stimulus money coming from government.	Economy
04/06/20	06:40 AM	Illene Shapiro, Summit County Executive: dollars with a grant for small businesses in Summit County.	Political Leadership
04/06/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: changes at the Vet. with the virus.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/06/20	08:20 AM	Tim Ryan, Congressman: update on the Pandemic fight economically.	Political Leadership
04/06/20	08:40 AM	Richard Peterson, Capital Financial Group: recovering economically from virus.	Economy
04/07/20	06:10 AM	Ann Armao, SummaCare: update to listeners on available health care.	Health Care
04/07/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Margo Erme, Retired Disease Doctor: update on her take on the coronavirus.	Health Care
04/07/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: what the hospitals are doing during the pandemic for their staffs.	Gen. Health and Wellness

04/07/20	07:40 AM	Gary Miller, President of the University of Akron: update on the school with the Pandemic.	Education
04/08/20	06:10 AM	Dr. Thomas File, Summa Health Care: update on the coronavirus.	Health Care
04/08/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Stacy Willet, Emergency Task Force in Summit County: being prepared for a Pandemic.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/08/20	07:10 AM	Tim Streid, OHSAA: update on winter sports season and spring season.	Education
04/08/20	07:40 AM	Dan Horrigan, Mayor of Akron: Pandemic update for Akron.	Political Leadership
04/08/20	08:40 AM	Steve Barry, Summit County Sheriff: How Pandemic has affected his officers.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/09/20	06:10 AM	David James, Superintendent of Akron Public Schools: what if school does not re-open.	Education
04/09/20	06:40 AM	Toni Bisconte, University of Akron: isolation leads to depression.	Health Care
04/09/20	07:10 AM	Lindsay McCoy, WFMJ TV: Portage County virus hot spots.	Economy
04/09/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: home projects for early spring.	Education
04/09/20	08:10 AM	Sherrod Brown, Senator: getting small business dollars into Ohio	Political Leadership
04/10/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Brian Harte, CEO Cleveland Clinic Akron General: being prepared for the Pandemic in Akron.	Health Care
04/10/20	07:10 AM	Justin Herdman, Attorney General Attorney Ohio: on price gouging crimes	Crime and Personal Safety
04/10/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Sacharita Ghosh, University of Akron: economic impact of the Pandemic.	Economy
04/13/20	06:20 AM	Doug Klein, BDO: relief check process.	Economy

04/13/20	06:40 AM	Terri Heckman, Battered Women's Shelter: emergency calls of domestic violence.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/13/20	07:10 AM	Pam Hickson-Stevenson, Executive Director of the Akron/Summit County Public Library: layoffs and how to use the Pandemic library.	Education
04/13/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: making your Dr. appointments for your pets during the pandemic.	Social Service Agencies
04/14/20	06:10 AM	Dr. John Soza, Malone University: needing faith during the Pandemic.	Race, Religion and Diversity
04/14/20	06:40 AM	Dr. George Dagnino, PHD Economics Editor: global economics during the Pandemic.	Economy
04/14/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: symptoms of the coronavirus.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/14/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Richard Londraville, University of Akron: antibody testing.	Education
04/14/20	08:10 AM	John Barker, CEO Ohio Restaurant Association: relief fund set up for restaurant workers.	Economy
04/14/20	08:40 AM	Emilia Sykes, Ohio State Representative: minority fights against the virus in Ohio.	Political Leadership
04/15/20	07:10 AM	Ty Higgins, Ohio Farm Bureau: how farmers in Ohio are doing during the pandemic.	Economy
04/15/20	07:20 AM	Dr. Matt Kleinhenz, Ohio State University: Ohio	Economy
04/15/20	07:40 AM	Dan Flowers, Akron/Canton Foodbank: on the worries of the shortage of food.	Social Service Agencies
04/15/20	08:45 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Akron Children Hospital: High School Athletes training during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/16/20	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Mayor of Akron: update on the fight against the Pandemic.	Political Leadership
04/16/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: yard tips for new projects.	Education

04/16/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Hazel Barton, University of Akron: micro biologist on the coronavirus.	Health Care
04/16/20	08:40 AM	Georjette Thomas, payitforwardforpets.org : animal adoption.	Social Service Agencies
04/20/20	06:10 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Security: relief check scamming.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/20/20	06:40 AM	Richard Peterson, Capital Financial Group: re-opening the economy.	Economy
04/20/20	07:10 AM	Gerard Nuegebauer, Mayor of Green: small business loans for Green residents.	Political Leadership
04/20/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet. on Your Pet: wild animal farms in Ohio, how safe are they.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/20/20	08:10 AM	Rella Rotondao, Summa Health System: nutritionist on good eating while you are home working.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/20/20	08:50 AM	Open for Business: JW Didaddo Electric.	Economy
04/21/20	06:40 AM	Farhad Sethna, Attorney: on immigration changes during the pandemic.	Race, Religion and Diversity
04/21/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: symptoms of covid 19	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/21/20	07:40 AM	David James, Superintendent of Akron Public Schools: graduation changes.	Education
04/21/20	08:40 AM	Illene Shapiro, Summit County Executive: on securing dollars for small businesses in Summit County.	Political Leadership
04/22/20	06:20 AM	Dr. Thomas File, Summa Health System: on the work for a vaccine for the virus.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/22/20	07:10 AM	Tim Ryan, Congressman: small business dollars during the pandemic.	Political Leadership
04/22/20	07:40 AM	Justin Chesnic, ODOT: projects put on hold during the pandemic.	Transportation

04/23/20	06:10 AM	Dr. Hazel Barton, University of Akron: cell structure of the covid 19 virus.	Health Care
04/23/20	07:40 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: on leading the city through the pandemic.	Political Leadership
04/23/20	08:10 AM	Sherrod Brown, Senator: dollars to Ohio for virus fight.	Political Leadership
04/23/20	08:40 AM	Dave Yost, Ohio Attorney General: on scammers during the pandemic.	Political Leadership
04/27/20	06:40 AM	Dean Carro, Attorney: constitutional law.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/27/20	07:10 AM	Jeff Laybourne, Attorney: labor law.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/27/20	07:40 AM	Linda Ulinski, Attorney: family law.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/27/20	08:10 AM	Gary Rosen, Attorney: medical law.	Crime and Personal Safety
04/28/20	06:40 AM	Major Steven Stoopes, Salvation Army: on their giving of food during the pandemic.	Social Service Agencies
04/28/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: the new visit to the hospital.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/28/20	07:40 AM	Bill Judge, Mayor of Barberton: economics of the battle against the pandemic in a small city.	Economy
04/29/20	09:00 AM	Description	N/A
04/30/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Toni Bisconte, University of Akron: staying healthy, mentally during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
04/30/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Cliff Deveny, President of Summa Health System: new guidelines at Summa during the pandemic.	Health Care
04/30/20	07:40 AM	Don Walters, Cuyahoga Falls Mayor: economics of pandemic in his city.	Economy

04/30/20	08:10 AM	Rella Rotondo, Summa Health System: eating the right way during the pandemic.	Health Care
05/01/20	07:10 AM	Ty Higgins, Ohio Farm Bureau: how Ohio farms are doing during the pandemic.	Economy
05/01/20	07:40 AM	Ren Camacho, Director of the Akron/Canton Airport: adjustments at the airport during the pandemic.	Economy
05/01/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Toni Bisconte, University of Akron: fighting depression during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/01/20	08:40 AM	Dr. Rob McGregor, Akron Children Hospital: visiting ACH during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/04/20	06:10 AM	Brian Caperones, Guidance Counselor Akron Public Schools: on leading and helping students during a pandemic.	Education
05/04/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Mindy Farmer, Kent State University: May 4th, 50 years ago at KSU.	Education
05/04/20	07:10 AM	Dr. David Bonn, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: surgical procedures during the pandemic.	Health Care
05/04/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: how to treat pets during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/04/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Lori Verlotta, President of Hiram College: working on a fall comeback for students.	Education
05/05/20	06:10 AM	David James, Akron Public Schools Superintendent: update on schools commencement.	Education
05/05/20	06:40 AM	Joe Mazur, President of the CVSRR: on cancellation of the season.	Economy
05/05/20	06:50 AM	Steve Millard, President of the Greater Akron Chamber of Commerce: on seminar with small business owners.	Economy
05/05/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: on the new hospital visit.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/05/20	07:40 AM	Bruce Alexander, Ohio Board of Education: on budget cuts for education from the Governor.	Education

05/05/20	08:10 AM	Tim Ryan, Congressman: on how trade will change post Pandemic.	Political Leadership
05/06/20	06:10 AM	Dr. Thomas File, President of the Infectious Disease Society: update on a possible vaccine for COVID 19	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/06/20	06:40 AM	Richard Peterson, Capital Financial Group: how to recover financially from a Pandemic.	Economy
05/06/20	07:10 AM	Mike Dewine, Ohio Governor: update on the Pandemic in Ohio.	Political Leadership
05/06/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Robert Joel Duff, University of Akron: mutation of cells in a virus.	Health Care
05/07/20	06:20 AM	Dr. Para Jones, President of Stark State University: how school is doing during the Pandemic.	Education
05/07/20	06:40 AM	Patrick Bravo, President of Akron Public Schools Board of Education: on the education budget cuts from Columbus.	Education
05/07/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: under cover options in lawn.	Education
05/07/20	08:10 AM	Sherrod Brown, U.S Senator: on the need for more money for state use during the Pandemic.	Political Leadership
05/07/20	08:20 AM	Dr. Margo Erme, Retired Disease Doctor: on the mutation of a virus.	Health Care
05/08/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Joe Lahoora, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: heart procedures rolling even with a Pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/08/20	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: dollars coming to Akron to help shortage from the Pandemic.	Political Leadership
05/08/20	08:10 AM	Patrick DeHaan, GasBuddy.com: Oil and Gasoline prices on the rise.	Economy
05/11/20	06:40 AM	Gregg Mervis, Executive Director of the Visitors / Convention Bureau: dangers of re-opening Ohio.	Economy
05/11/20	07:10 AM	Dr. David Beer, Malone University: a look at politics during the Pandemic.	Political Leadership

05/11/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet, on Your Pet: the importance of flea and tick medicine.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/11/20	08:15 AM	Dr. Toni Bisconte, University of Akron: ways to stay out of a depression during a Pandemic.	Health Care
05/12/20	06:40 AM	David James, Superintendent of Akron Public Schools: spring semester grades, how do you add to other grades.	Education
05/12/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: what the new CCAG looks like during a pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/12/20	07:40 AM	Marco Sommerville, Planning Director of the City of Akron: local businesses needs during the pandemic.	Economy
05/13/20	06:10 AM	Dr. Cliff Deveny, President of Summa Health System: update on what to expect at Summa during pandemic.	Health Care
05/13/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Hazel Barton, University of Akron: a look at the covid 19 coronavirus.	Health Care
05/13/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Tara Smith, Kent State University: historic look at pandemics.	Health Care
05/13/20	07:40 AM	Raven Gayheart, Akron/ Canton Foodbank: the need for food during the pandemic.	Social Service Agencies
05/13/20	08:10 AM	Bill Roemer, State Representative: on the need for local business money during the pandemic.	Political Leadership
05/14/20	06:20 AM	Lisa Dipliaz, Akron /Canton Airport: adjustments by airport during the pandemic.	Transportation
05/14/20	06:40 AM	Jerry Craig, ADM board: how there work is even more important during the pandemic.	Social Service Agencies
05/14/20	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: pandemic update.	Political Leadership
05/14/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: update on lawn care for the spring.	Education
05/14/20	08:10 AM	Frank LaRose, Ohio Secretary of State: voting in Ohio update and changes.	Political Leadership

05/15/20	06:40 AM	Justin Herdman, Ohio Attorney: housing scams in Ohio.	Crime and Personal Safety
05/15/20	07:10 AM	Christy Peters, American Red Cross: need for blood.	Social Service Agencies
05/15/20	07:40 AM	Jon Husted, Lt. Governor: fight against covid 19.	Political Leadership
05/15/20	08:10 AM	Larry Williams, University of Akron Athletic Director: on the future of sports at University.	Education
05/18/20	06:10 AM	Sergie Lash, Akron Fire Department: how department has changed during the pandemic.	Crime and Personal Safety
05/18/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Erin Makarius, University of Akron: working at home may be the new normal.	Economy
05/18/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: staying the course with your pets during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/18/20	08:10 AM	Robert DeJournett, Greater Akron Chamber: minority business incentives.	Economy
05/19/20	06:10 AM	Dean Carro, Akron Bar Association: taking legal action against China for pandemic.	Crime and Personal Safety
05/19/20	07:10 AM	Esther Remus, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: how front line nurses are holding up during the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/19/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Stacy Willett, University of Akron: on emergency situations like a pandemic, being prepared.	Crime and Personal Safety
05/19/20	08:40 AM	Katie Rhodes, University of Akron Student: on fighting pandemic in New York City.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/20/20	06:20 AM	Dr. Thomas File, Summa Health System: update on vaccine for covid 19.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/20/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Brian Harte, President of Cleveland Clinic Akron General: re-opening the hospital, what to expect.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/20/20	08:10 AM	Tim Ryan, Congressman: paycheck protection program.	Political Leadership

05/21/20	06:40 AM	Dan Horrigan, re-opening Akron.	Political Leadership
05/21/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: transplanting during late spring, complications.	Education
05/21/20	08:10 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Health Department: update on the pandemic fight.	Gen. Health and Wellness
05/21/20	08:40 AM	Georjette Thomas, payitforwardforpets.org: animal adoption.	Social Service Agencies
05/22/20	06:40 AM	Robert Dodado, Prism Wealth Management: stock market recovery, how long?	Economy
05/22/20	07:20 AM	Kevin Thomas, Akron AAA President: Memorial Day travel, much different.	Transportation
06/01/20	06:10 AM	Tim Dimoff, SACS Security: Minneapolis Police procedure and death.	Crime and Personal Safety
06/01/20	06:40 AM	LeAnne Graham, VictimsAssistance Program: bringing a community back together.	Race, Religion and Diversity
06/01/20	07:20 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: Akron race protests over the weekend.	Political Leadership
06/01/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: can your pets get Covid 19?	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/02/20	06:10 AM	Ken Ball, Akron Police chief: on police procedure during an arrest.	Crime and Personal Safety
06/02/20	06:40 AM	Margo Sommerville, President of Akron City Council: legislation to change police procedures in Akron.	Political Leadership
06/02/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: high heat health.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/02/20	07:40 AM	Emilia Sykes, State Representative: on Black Lives Matter protests.	Political Leadership
06/03/20	06:10 AM	Eddie Sipplin, Attorney: looking at Minneapolis shooting.	Race, Religion and Diversity

06/03/20	08:15 AM	Dr. Joel Souza, Malone University: how communities can heal during racial unrest.	Race, Religion and Diversity
06/03/20	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Akron Children's Hospital: worries about summer league training.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/04/20	06:10 AM	David James, Superintendent Akron Public Schools: on what the new school year will look like in the fall.	Education
06/04/20	07:10 AM	Eric Mansfield, Military Update: on the mission on the National guard.	Crime and Personal Safety
06/04/20	07:40 AM	Donna Skoda, Summit County Director of Health: on social distancing.	Crime and Personal Safety
06/04/20	08:10 AM	Robert Dodaro, Prism Wealth Management: an update on the market.	Economy
06/04/20	08:40 AM	Georjette Thomas, payitforwardofpets.org: animal adoption.	Social Service Agencies
06/05/20	07:10 AM	Richard Peterson, Capital Financial Group: saving silver and gold.	Economy
06/05/20	08:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: protests in Akron on racism.	Political Leadership
06/05/20	08:40 AM	Jason Segedy, Akron Planning Director: a new downtown after pandemic.	Economy
06/08/20	07:10 AM	Dean Carro, Attorney: on the murder charges in Minnesota against four police officers	Crime and Personal Safety
06/08/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: Covid 19, can it get to our pets.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/08/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Toni Bisconte, University of Akron: on talking to our family members about racism.	Race, Religion and Diversity
06/09/20	08:15 AM	Margo Sommerville, President of Akron City Council: on race unrest in Akron and legislation for police reform.	Political Leadership
06/09/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: on high heat health.	Gen. Health and Wellness

06/09/20	07:40 AM	Maggie Oliver, Akron Public Schools Teacher: named APS Teacher of the year.	Education
06/09/20	07:50 AM	Elena Bell, Akron Zoo: on re-opening the zoo.	Economy
06/10/20	06:20 AM	Dr. Thomas File, Summa Health System: update on vaccine for Covid-19.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/10/20	07:10 AM	Clay Cozart, FOP Local President: new legislation in Akron on police training.	Crime and Personal Safety
06/10/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Cliff Deveny, President/CEO Summa Health System: on expansion into Tallmadge and Stow.	Health Care
06/10/20	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Akron Children	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/11/20	06:40 AM	Patrick Bravo, Akron Public Schools Board of Education President: on racism being a top priority in the district.	Education
06/11/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Hazel Barton, University of Akron: on the Covid-19 cell structure, it	Health Care
06/11/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: roses having problems in 2020.	Education
06/11/20	08:40 AM	Georjette Thomas, payitforwardforpets.org: animal adoption.	Social Service Agencies
06/12/20	07:10 AM	Richard Peterson, Capital Financial Group: global economies recovering.	Economy
06/12/20	08:15 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: on protests in city, civil unrest.	Political Leadership
06/15/20	07:10 AM	Dr. David Licate, University of Akron: on the use of force by our nations police	Crime and Personal Safety
06/15/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: animal cruelty.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/15/20	08:15 AM	Ilene Shapiro, Summit County Executive: on the fallout of the Pandemic economically in Summit County.	Economy

06/16/20	06:10 AM	Robert Dodaro, Prism Wealth Management: investing with small dollars	Economy
06/16/20	06:40 AM	Dr. Mark Cipriani, Summa Health System: knee/ leg/ foot problems with more use during the Pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/16/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: still the need for social distancing and wearing a mask.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/16/20	07:40 AM	Tara Samples, Akron City Council: the need for more minorities on the police force.	Race, Religion and Diversity
06/17/20	06:10 AM	Ryan Lang, American Red Cross: on the continued need for blood.	Social Service Agencies
06/17/20	07:10 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: on race unrest and Covid 19	Political Leadership
06/17/20	07:40 AM	Ty Higgins, Ohio Farm Bureau: getting farms back to work.	Economy
06/17/20	08:40 AM	Ann Bitong, Akron Marathon: on the marathon going virtual this year.	Economy
06/19/20	06:10 AM	Dr. Richard Londraville, University of Akron: cell breakdown of Covid 19	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/19/20	06:40 AM	Dan Flowers Executive Director of the Akron/Canton Foodbank: how bank is surviving during the pandemic.	Social Service Agencies
06/19/20	07:40 AM	Jeanne Poremski, Master Gardener: bag worms	Education
06/19/20	08:15 AM	Sherrod Brown, Senator: on police reform.	Political Leadership
06/22/20	06:40 AM	Farhad Sethna, Immigration Attorney: Supreme Court ruling on DACA.	Race, Religion and Diversity
06/22/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Manfred Van Dulmen, Kent State University: creating a new education model during a pandemic.	Education
06/22/20	07:40 AM	Dr. Gary Riggs, Vet on Your Pet: heart conditions in our dogs.	Gen. Health and Wellness

06/23/20	06:10 AM	David James, APS New School Year: work to be done for a new school year in the fall.	Education
06/23/20	07:10 AM	Dr. Debbie Plate, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: proper sanitizer and social distancing still a key against the pandemic.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/23/20	08:10 AM	Tim Ryan, Congressman: on pandemic, China trade deal and US Auto industry.	Political Leadership
06/23/20	08:40 AM	Vernon Sykes, State Senator: police reform bills.	Political Leadership
06/24/20	06:20 AM	Dr. Thomas File, Summa Health System: update on covid 19.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/24/20	07:40 AM	Howard Parr, Akron Civic Theater: with Broadway shut down, what does that do to stage acts across the country.	Economy
06/24/20	08:40 AM	Dr. Joe Congeni, Akron Children's Hospital: a look at fall sports for young athletes.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/25/20	06:10 AM	Scott Callaghan, High School Teacher: on teaching virtually in the pandemic.	Education
06/25/20	06:40 AM	Dana Addis, Norton Schools Superintendent: schools during the pandemic.	Education
06/25/20	07:40 AM	Dan Horrigan, Akron Mayor: managing his city during the Pandemic.	Political Leadership
06/25/20	08:10 AM	Dr. Sucharita Ghosh, University of Akron: pandemic and economics globally during the pandemic.	Economy
06/26/20	06:20 AM	Kyle Anderson, Summa Health System: nurse unit director on the front line work	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/26/20	06:40 AM	Beth Srok, Cleveland Clinic Akron General: ICU nurse manager on the work of the front line nurses.	Gen. Health and Wellness
06/26/20	07:10 AM	Gary Miller, American Red Cross: virtual blood donors.	Social Service Agencies
06/26/20	08:10 AM	Rob Portman, Senator: on the battle against the pandemic.	Political Leadership

SPECTRUM Local Community/Public Affairs

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 Sundays on 97.5 WONE and 7:00 a.m. On 1590 WAKR. Center Talks airs at 9:00 a.m. on
 1590 WAKR Sundays.

A summary of each weekly program follows:

Date	Show Title	Speaker	Moderator Intro-Outro	Host
4-5-20	Coronavirus	Governor Mike DeWine explains an expanded "stay at home" order; Akron Police Chief Ken Ball talks about how police are protecting themselves during the pandemic; Summit County Executive Ilene Shapiro talks about the impact and the response Covid-19 is having on county government; Senior Analyst Patrick DeHaan with GasBuddy.com explains the extremely low gasoline prices and Curtis Dansby with the Cleveland Indians talks about disappointment over the delayed season start as well as what this could mean for the season as a whole.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
4-12-20	Coronavirus	Dr. Brian Harte, president of Cleveland Clinic Akron General talks about how the hospital is dealing with more patients and preparing for more; Dr. Thomas File of Summa and chair of Infectious Diseases Society of America talks about overall response; U.S. Attorney Justin Herdman talks about price gouging during the pandemic and Tim Stried with the Ohio High School Athletic Association discusses the possibility of canceling Spring sports	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
4-19-20	Coronavirus	Ohio Governor Mike DeWine explains that he'll allow some businesses to start reopening May 1; Dr. Hazel Barton at The University of Akron explains how common coronaviruses actually are and how they work; Greater Akron Chamber President Steve Millard talks about what the chamber is doing to try to help small businesses; University of Akron Athletic Director Larry Williams discusses how the pandemic is disappointing but also causes his department to lose money; John MacDonald, the director of University of Akron Student Wellness and Recreation Director talks about ways to stay in shape at home with no equipment.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner

4-26-20	Coronavirus	Ohio Governor Mike DeWine explains how a public-private partnership with a dental lab will help to ramp up Covid-19 testing this week; Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan talks about his reasoning for canceling all concerts, fetivals and other similar events at Lock 3 for the entire summer; Senators Sherrod Brown and Rob Portman talk about the latest relief package just passed by Congress and Ohio Turnpike Chief Engineer Tony Yacobucci talks about keeping turnpike employees and travelers safe during the pandemic.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
5-3-20	Coronavirus	Akron Children's Hospital Medical Director Dr. Rob McGregor talked about how things might look different as non-emergency medical procedures, veterinary and dentist vists are now allowed; Dr. Donald Dumford with Cleveland Clinic Akron General goes back to the basics, explaining how social distancing works; Ty Higgins with the Ohio Farm Bureau offers a state of the farming & agriculture segment and explains why we're seeing some food shortages; University of Akron Psychology Professor Dr. Toni Blsconti talks about grieving durind the pandemic.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
5-10-20	Coronavirus	Ohio Governor Mike DeWine talks about being careful as more of the economy reopens; Treva Weaver and Debbie Panzone talk about their respective advisory boards that came up with recommendations for restaurants/bars and hair salons/barber shops; Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan talked about ways to resume city services that can still be provided considering the loss of revenue; Cardiologist Dr. Joseph LaHorra discussed the state of operating rooms at Cleveland Clinic Akron General.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
5-17-20	Coronavirus	Lt. Gov. Jon Husted goes over several new reopening dates and guidelines; Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan explains budget cuts; Barberton Mayor Bill Judge talks about ways the city is trying to be creative to help the local economy; University of Akron Athletic Director Larry Williams explains the process of cutting his budget by \$4.4 million.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
5-24-20	Coronavirus	Summit County Health Commissioner Donna Skoda talked about way to stay safe from the virus while enjoying Memorial Day; Lt. Gov. Jon Husted explains reopening wedding receptions and youth sports; Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan discusses expectations as restaurants and bars begin serving inside; Bryan Edwards with Lake Erie Shores & Islands talks about what tourists can expect	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
5-31-20	Coronavirus	Ohio Governor Mike DeWine talks about allowing visits at some long term care facilities; Summit County Councilman talks about progress of the Summit County Nursing Homes & Facilities Task Force; Summit County Health Commissioner Donna Skoda explains how contact tracing works; Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh discusses reopening courts in August; Val Renner talks about local entertainment venues	Chris Keppler	Jeanne Destro

6-7-20	Coronavirus	Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan talks about recent protests as well as the city's commitment to minority-owned businesses; Akron Public Schools Superintendent Dr. David James discusses many of the considerations that have to be made when reopening schools in August; Lt. Gov. Jon Husted offers an update on the status of businesses and the economy in Ohio.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
6-14-20	Police Protocol & Coronavirus	Akron FOP President Clay Cozart, followed by Akron Mayor Dan Horrigan, discuss newly-passed legislation that changes use of force protocol by police; Dr. Thomas File of Summa Health and president of the Infectious Disease Society talks about the status of vaccine development.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
6-21-20	Coronavirus & Protests	Dr. Richard Landrville (University of Akron, biology) talks about whether we 're experiencing a new coronavirus surge or the original; Dr. Brian Harte (Cleveland Clinic/Akron General, president) talks about preparing for an Akron surge; Dan Flowers (Akron Canton Regional Foodbank President and CEO Dan Flowers discusses the need and how it's being fulfilled; Dr. Karl Kaltenthaler (University of Akron) talks about the source of violence at some protests.	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner
6-28-20	COVID-19, Race & Election	Drs. Thomas File (Summa, infectious disease), Jennifer Savitski (Cleveland Clinic/Akron General, OB/GYN) and Rob McGregor (Akron Childrens, chief medical officer) talked about the fight against COVID-19 from their unique perspectives; Dr. Toni Bisconti (University of Akron, psychology) offers tips on talking to kids about race & history; Dr. David Beer (Malone University, political science) talks about presidential candidates' campaigns and polling	Chris Keppler	Ray Horner