



Quarterly Issues Programs Report
Second Quarter 2017
April 1st, 2017 to June 30th, 2017

Section 1. Issues

- A. Health, Nutrition, & Fitness:** Issues relating to medical conditions, healthy lifestyles and fitness
- B. Education:** Issues relating to education in the community
- C. Politics & Government:** Issues relating to politics and government
- D. Community:** Issues relating to legislation, legal, and environment
- E. Quality of Life:** Activities, initiatives and topics of general interest to the community

Section 2. Responsive Programs

Program Title: Legislative Report with Representative Mike Tobash (FEB2017)

Episode Title: “Marcellus Shale Industry & The 2017 Harrisburg Farm Show”

Air Date(s)/Time(s): 04/03/17 11:21:30P; 04/10/17 11:30P; 04/24/17 11:30P; 05/08/17 11:00P; 05/22/17 11:00P; 06/05/17 11:30P; 06/19/17 11:30P

Length: 30:00

Host(s): Anthony Tezak

Issue(s) Addressed: D. Community, B. Education, E. Quality of Life

Topic: Marcellus Shale Industry, 2017 Harrisburg Farm Show

Description: Host Anthony Tezak spoke with Representative Mike Tobash about the following topics in this episode.

Topic #1 – Marcellus Shale Industry

- Employers in need of trained skills from vocational schools
- Committee to align industry & vocational schools

Topic #2 – 2017 Harrisburg Farm Show

- Representative Mike Tobash interviews PA Secretary of Agriculture/Russ Reading, PA preferred
- Homegrown by Heroes (program for veterans in PA agriculture)
- Christmas tree farms
- Farm animal health

Program Title: Pennsylvania Report with Senator Judy Schwank (APRIL2017)

Air Date(s)/Time(s): 04/10/17 11:00P; 04/17/17 11:30P; 05/01/17 11:00P; 05/08/17 11:30P

Length: 30:00

Host(s): Hugh Baird

Issue(s) Addressed: A. Health, Nutrition, Fitness, C. Politics & Government, D. Community

Topic: PA State Budget, Government Offices Consolidation, Health Care

Description: Host Hugh Baird spoke with Senator Judy Schwank about the following topics in this episode.

Topic #1 – 2017-2018 Pennsylvania State Budget

- Three million dollar deficit growing over time and no broad based tax increase in plans
- Deciding what can be cut without too much negative effect
- Priorities: opioid crisis funding, mental health services, healthcare issues, environmental
- Discussed committees Judy Schwank is involved with
- Budget deadline is June 30th
- Federal government might have impact on timeline

Topic #2 – Department Consolidation

- Health and Human Services, Department of Health, Department of Drug & Alcohol, and Department of Aging
- Merging all into one functioning administration to improve services and save money
- Streamline bureaucracies
- Series of four hearings scheduled with representatives from all departments to talk about the impact

Topic #3 – Health Care

- 1.1 million Pennsylvanian's get health care from Medicaid or AHCA
- Discussed the good points about the programs and public push back about repealing
- Concern about Federal Government's uncertainty for future AHCA

Program Title: Capitol Connection (APRIL2017)

Air Date(s)/Time(s): 04/17/17 11:00P; 04/24/17 11:00P; 05/01/17 11:30P; 05/15/17 11:30P; 05/30/17 11:00P

Length: 30:00

Host(s): Don Rooney

Issue(s) Addressed: A. Health, Nutrition, & Fitness, C. Politics & Government, E. Quality of Life

Topic: Healthcare, Environment, Pennsylvania State Budget, Driver Legislation, Casey's Law, Citizen Participation

Description: Host Don Rooney spoke about the following topics in this episode.

Topic #1 – Healthcare

- Effects of Federal Government changes on the Commonwealth
- What happens in Pennsylvania if AHCA is repealed?

Topic #2 – Environment

- Federal budget cuts on programs for Pennsylvania
- Elimination of Federal Air & Water programs affecting Pennsylvania

Topic #3 – Pennsylvania State Budget

- Governor Tom Wolfe's plan to consolidate four agencies into one
- Interview with Senator Judy Schwank

Topic #4 – Hit & Run Driver Legislation

- Accountability for crimes
- J-Alert/Enabling system between police and car repair shops similar to Amber Alert to aid in Hit & Run cases

Topic #5 – Casey's Law

- Bill will allow family member to commit another family member with opioid addiction

Topic #6 – Citizen Participation

- Good Government Seminar for students to learn and get involved in civics

Program Title: Pennsylvania Report with Senator Judy Schwank (MAY2017)

Air Date(s)/Time(s): 05/15/17 11:00P; 05/22/17 11:30P; 05/29/17 11:30P; 06/12/17 11:00P; 06/26/17 11:00P

Length: 30:00

Host(s): Don Rooney

Issue(s) Addressed: A. Health, Nutrition, & Fitness, C. Politics & Government, D. Community

Topic: Opioid Epidemic, 2017-2018 Pennsylvania State Budgets

Description: Host Don Rooney spoke with Senator Judy Schwank about the following topics in this episode.

Topic #1 – Opioid Epidemic

- Understanding how issues escalated so quickly
- Economic affect – not just stereotypical urban issue
- All ages affected
- Better treatment for addiction
- Decline in doctor shopping due to pharmacy monitoring
- Understanding legislative effect on population with actual needs for opioid treatment
- Narcane availability
- Centers of Excellence/funding available to institutions dealing with epidemic
- Insurance companies cooperating in better treatments for addiction

Topic #2 – 2017-2018 Pennsylvania State Budgets

- Known deficit/revenue intake is down/previous projections inaccurate
- One time fixes and effect
- Discussion of more shale taxation – majority legislators disagree
- Unification of four Pennsylvania departments to consolidate/eliminate cost
- Minimum wage increase

Program Title: Capitol Connection (MAY2017)

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Host(s): Don Rooney

Issue(s) Addressed: C. Politics & Government, D. Community, E. Quality of Life

Topic: Pennsylvania State Budget Issues, Pennsylvania Labor Department/Unemployment System, Growing Greener Program. Hunger Garden

Description: Host Don Rooney spoke with Senator Vincent Hughes about the following topics in this episode.

Topic #1 – Pennsylvania Budget Issues

- 32.3 billion dollar budget/1.2 million deficit
- Revenue – slow, creating bigger deficit
- Debate – increase in minimum wage, gaming, taxes
- Lack of investment from previous years
- Will the budget be on time? Best efforts according to the right thing.
- Fair Share Tax proposal

Topic #2 – Legislation to update budget for Pennsylvania Labor Department/Unemployment System

Topic #3 – Growing Greener Program

Topic #4 – Hunger Garden

Section 3. PSA's

Below are some of the topics covered by PSA's which ran in the 2nd quarter 2017.

TRT	Title/Topic	Organization
:30	Opioid Abuse	Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters (PAB)
:30	Clean Up PA 2017	Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters (PAB)
:30	Success Starts Here	Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters (PAB)
:30	Tax Amnesty Program	Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters (PAB)
:30	PA Dept. of Human Services/SWAN	Pennsylvania Association of Broadcasters (PAB)
:30	Because of This House	Habitat for Humanity/habitat.org
:30	Puppy Mills	Best Friends Society/bestfriends.org
:60	Be Vocal – Demi Lovato	Bipolar Awareness/BeVocalSpeakUp.com
:60	Chris	National Council of Adoption/ichooseAdoption.org
:30	Smart About Money	Financial Education/smartaboutmoney.org
:60	Greater Than Poverty	Poverty Awareness/WorldVision.org
:60	Victories for Vets	Veterans Affairs/dav.org
:60	Your Adventure Starts Here	Air Force Reserve/afreserve.com
:60	Life & Times of Strawberries	National Resources Defense Council
:60	Spirit of Community Awards	spirit.prudential.com
:30	Cancer Research 2	The V Foundation/sidelineprostatecancer.org
:15	Success Stories 2	Help for Homeless Vet/va.gov/homeless
:30	Signs	Autism Foundation/autismspeaks.org
:30	Go Coast Guard	Coast Guard Reserve/gocoastguard.org
:30	Stop Childhood Cancer	St. Baldrick Foundation/stbaldricks.org
:60	Mindy	National Council of Adoption/ichooseadoption.org
:30	Federal Student Aid	Federal Student Aid/studentaid.gov
:30	Little Things Count	US Olympic Committee/teamUSA.org
:30	Lazy Bones	PA Orthopedic Society/orthoinfo.org
:30	Levine	Adult ADHD/ownyourADHD.com
:30	Help Vets Get Benefits	Veterans Affairs/dav.org
:30	Your Adventure Starts Here	Air Force Reserve/afreserve.com
:30	Canine Revised	Bullying/TheBullyProject.com
:15	Break Up	American Heart Association/heart.org
:60	Our Home	Flood Smart TV/FloodSmart.gov
:30	Queen Latifa & Mom	American Heart Association/riseabovehf.org
:30	4 Key Steps	Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics/homefoodsafety.org
:30	What Do You Like Best?	American Planning Association/planning.org
:30	Barbara Eden Serious Read	US Postal Inspection Service/deliveringtrust.org
:30	Scholarship 2	Scholarships for Military Children/ThanksUSA.org
:30	Reading is Fundamental	Reading is Fundamental/rif.org
:30	Adopt a Kid	Adoption/adoptakid.org
:30	Embrace Ambition	Tory Burch Foundation/EmbraceAmbition.org
:30	Bittersweet	US Department of Veteran Affairs/VeteransCrisisLine.net
:30	I Am Living Proof	Wounded Warrior Project/IamLivingProofWWP.org
:60	Aging & Money: Know Signs	Financial Education/SmartAboutMoney.org
:60	Protect Life On Our Planet	World Wildlife Fund/worldwildlife.org