

**West Virginia Radio Corporation – Martinsburg**  
**Quarterly Community Issues and Programs Report**  
**for Third Quarter 2023 – WCST 93.5 FM/1010 AM**

**NOTE – OUR STATIONS ALSO RUN LOCAL NEWS CASTS  
THROUGHOUT EACH WEEKDAY. OUR NEWS/TALK STATIONS RUN  
A WEEKDAY PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAM, PANHANDLE LIVE**

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Addiction Recovery; Local Events; Public Service

**Date/Time/Duration** July 02, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** -- Berkeley Recovery Resources Caity Morgan and Will Carpenter --  
New Miss West Virginia Karrington Childress

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Local government; Parks and Rec; Infrastructure; Homelessness

**Date/Time/Duration:** July 09, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** -- Martinsburg Assistant City Manager Andy Blake on the Frog Hollow  
Spur Opening Ceremony - 94th District Del Larry Kump talking about infrastructure;  
the idea of a Rt. 9 Bypass around Hedgesville; staffing issues at the Welcome  
Centers- Martinsburg Union Rescue Mission Pastor Tim Guerino on 604 Project

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Public Safety; Taxpayer Advocacy; Minority Affairs; Agriculture

**Date/Time/Duration:** July 16, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** -- Berkeley County Ambulance Authority Brian Costello talks about  
new fee structure - HHOMA Jill Upson - Wash Ag Expo Madison Toms

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**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Local Sporting Events; Veterans Issues; Physical Fitness; Mental Health

**Date/Time/Duration:** July 23, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** -- Hagerstown Box Cars - Martinsburg VA Medical Center Golden Age and Wheelchair Athletes and Coach Yowell

**Issue:** Taxpayer Issues; Public Safety; Hot Weather Health; Public Health

**Date/Time/Duration** July 30, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** 97th District Delegate John Hardy of Berkeley County with Tax news - Jefferson Sheriff Tom Hansen on National Night Out - Berkeley/Morgan County Health Department Director Bill Kearns on Heat Tips and Back to School Immunizations

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Military Affairs; Public Safety; Higher Education; Entrepreneurship; Economic Development

**Date/Time/Duration:** August 06, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** 167th Airlift Wing Lt Col McCullough on upcoming Drill; Hagerstown City Administrator Scott Nicewarner on Closure Alderson Broadus – Berkeley County Development Authority Executive Director Jennifer Smith and Krista Hoffman on Build Up Berkeley program for budding entrepreneurs.

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Parks/Recreation; City Issues; Blood Supply; Public Safety; Hazard Mitigation

**Date/Time/Duration:** August 13, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** Martinsburg City Manager Mark Baldwin on Lambert Pool issues/possible solutions – American Red Cross/Shenandoah Valley Region’s Stacy McFarland on Blood Supply Issues and Changes for Donors – Jefferson County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management’s Steve Allen and Dick Myers on Mitigation Efforts and Recent Wind Storm.

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**Issue:** Public Education; Drug Addiction/Recovery

**Date/Time/Duration:** August 20, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** Berkeley County Schools Superintendent Ron Stephens on start of school - Berkeley County Recovery Resources Caity Morgan.

**Issue:** Higher Education; Regional Air History; Public Events; Public Transportation; Infrastructure

**Date/Time/Duration:** August 27, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** Shepherd University President Dr. Mary JC Hendrix on enrollment numbers and realignment of programming - "West Virginia's Greatest Air Show" Nic Diehl, Executive Director of The Eastern West Virginia Regional Airport - Eastern Panhandle Transit Authority Director Elaine Bartoldson and Hagerstown Eastern Panhandle Planning Organization Matt Mullenax on the new transit hub that's planned for Martinsburg.

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Economic Development; Public Safety; Commuter Issues; Parks and Rec; Philanthropy

**Date/Time/Duration:** September 03, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)

**Explanation:** Brad McElhinny on Treplar Announcement - Liz Cook on Embrace on Charles Town's Embrace Your Third Place - Buzz Poland on Labor Day Breakfast at War Memorial Park

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**Issue:** Education; Literacy; Homelessness

**Date/Time/Duration:** **September 10, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)**

**Explanation:** -- Read Aloud Berkeley County Casey Wilson and Bob Fleenor -- Pastor Tim from MURM on Hope and Haven Houses

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Regional History; Voter Registration; Public Safety; Student Safety

**Date/Time/Duration:** **September 17, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)**

**Explanation:** Steve French on Buffalo Bill Show that came to Martinsburg in 1907 - WVSOS Mac Warner on Voter Registration Month - MPD Chief Erin Gibbons on recent North Middle School lockdown due to online threat.

**Program Name:** Panhandle Spotlight

**Issue:** Public Safety; Criminal Justice; Higher Education; Community Events

**Date/Time/Duration:** **September 24, 2023 (8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - various segments)**

**Explanation:** Berkeley County Assistant Prosecutor Joe Kinser on Cold Case that resulted in double murder conviction; Shepherd President Mary JC Hendrix – Berkeley County Councilman HD Boyd and Dolly Fergus on Rapture at Roundhouse event which benefits the historic Roundhouse.