



## Quarterly Issues/Program List

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March 2018 only

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### **Crime/Courts**

#### Sunshine Week: Mental Health & The Criminal Justice System

Thursday, March 15, 2018 [Morning Edition 7:49am TRT = 7:28]

By: 90.7's Catherine Welch & Nicole Creston | All this week we're looking into Florida's public records as a way to highlight Sunshine Week. This morning, we dig into how the criminal justice system handles people with mental illness. We start in the Orlando neighborhood of Audubon Park. It's where 90.7's Catherine Welch noticed messages on the Next Door App from residents worried about a man named Peter Dunn.

#### Noor Salman Trial

Friday, March 16, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:44pm TRT = 3:48]

By: 90.7's Crystal Chavez | The Pulse gunman's widow, Noor Salman, is facing federal charges of aiding and abetting and obstruction of justice. Prosecutors say she confessed helping her husband in three statements made to the FBI. Her defense lawyers say those statements were coerced. Joining us to discuss the trial is Barry Law University professor Samuel Kan.

#### Noor Salman Verdict

Friday, March 30, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:44pm TRT = 4:17]

By: 90.7's Crystal Chavez | Noor Salman, the widow of the Pulse gunman, was found not guilty on all charges. Salman was charged with providing material support to a terrorist organization and obstruction of justice. Prosecutors say she knew about her husband's plans for the 2016 mass shooting. Prosecutors spoke briefly to the media outside the courthouse saying they are disappointed with the verdict but respect the decision. Salman told FBI agents that she knew her husband was planning the massacre at Pulse that left 49 dead. Her attorneys contend her statements were coerced and are false.

**TRT** = Total Running Time

## **Economy**

### Squeezing The Gun Bill Into The State Budget

Tuesday, March 6, 2018 [Morning Edition 7:44 am TRT = 3:20]

By: 90.7's Catherine Welch & Hank Fishkind | Florida lawmakers have crafted a budget that needs to be wrapped up on Friday. That's when the legislative session ends. 90.7's economic analyst Hank Fishkind and news director Catherine Welch sat down to talk about how last-minute gun proposals would fit into the budget.

### President Trump Signs \$1.3 Trillion Spending Bill, But Is 'Unhappy' About It

Friday, March 23, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:21pm TRT = 4:26]

By: ATC host Alisa Chang with NPR Congressional reporter Kelsey Snell | Congress passed a \$1.3 trillion spending bill overnight, that President Trump sharply criticized as he signed it on Friday following a veto threat. The Senate was in session until nearly 1 a.m. this morning in order to pass a major government spending bill before a two-week spring break. Earlier, Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell had listed all the Republican achievements in the \$1.3 trillion bill. He said they were the product of a lot of negotiation.

### The Economy Is Soaring, But President Trump's Approval Rating Remains Low

Friday, March 30, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:26pm TRT = 3:32]

By: NPR's Asma Khalid | Where President Trump goes, controversy seems to follow. But despite that, his standing with the public seemed to firm up in some recent polls, perhaps in part because of the booming economy. And that has raised one of the central questions of the midterm elections - whether the economy will help Republicans keep control. NPR political correspondent Asma Khalid reports.

## **Environment**

### Who Is Central Florida's Biggest Polluter?

Wednesday, March 14, 2018 [Morning Edition 7:49 am TRT = 7:24]

By: 90.7's Amy Green & Nicole Darden Creston | 90.7 News is marking Sunshine Week with a series of stories based on Florida's public records. Environmental reporter Amy Green investigated central Florida's biggest polluters. Amy filed a public records request with the Environmental Protection Agency for toxic emissions data available through the Toxics Release Inventory. Anytime a facility manufactures, processes or otherwise uses certain toxic chemicals above established levels, the facility must report that activity to the EPA, and the EPA compiles that information into the Toxics Release Inventory.

## **Governments & Politics**

### Senate Intelligence Committee Recommends More Security For Midterms, Not How To Fund It

Wednesday, March 21, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:30 pm TRT = 4:22]

By: All Things Considered Host Michel Martin with NPR Justice Reporter Ryan

Lucas | The Senate intelligence committee met Wednesday to review its recommendations about improving election security ahead of the 2018 midterms. Senators recommend more funding and IT support, but there is no consensus about how much or how to pay for it. A big question is hanging over the midterm elections this fall. It's this. What is the best way to protect the vote from foreign interference? The Senate Intelligence Committee took up that question at a hearing today. NPR justice reporter Ryan Lucas is here to tell us more. Ryan, thanks for coming.

### A Comparison Of How The Government Responded To Hurricanes Harvey And Maria

Thursday, March 29, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:09 pm TRT = 3:54]

By: All Things Considered Host Ailsa Chang with Politico reporter Danny Vinik |

Politico reporter Danny Vinik has been looking into how the federal government responded to both disasters, and he found some striking differences. Danny Vinik joins me now in the studio to talk about those differences.

## **Health**

### Governor Signs PTSD Bill

Tuesday, March 27, 2018 [All Things Considered 4:44 pm TRT = 3:27]

By: 90.7's Abe Aboraya & Crystal Chavez | Florida Governor Rick Scott is expected to sign a bill Tuesday to expand workers' compensation coverage for first responders. Under current law, police officers, firefighters, paramedics and EMTs with post-traumatic stress disorder can get medical care paid for by their employers. Starting in October, they will also be eligible for lost wages if they become disabled from PTSD.

### When Healing Is As Simple As Listening

Thursday, March 22, 2018 [All Things Considered 5:44 pm TRT = 3:13]

By: 90.7's Danielle Prieur | Pastor Daniel Kelly of Trinity Center in Charlotte has come all the way to Florida Hospital in Winter Park just to sit at a parishioner's bedside and listen. Sitting across from his friend Jason O'Rourke, in front of a giant mosaic of Jesus healing the sick, he says modeling active listening is one of their most important roles. "We're not seeing a listening culture any longer, we're not seeing a listening society, so I think it should start with us as ministers, it should start with us as chaplains." That's what he's observed O'Rourke do in the intensive care unit of Florida Hospital Orlando. Since returning from his graduate studies at Claremont College in January, he has taught himself to listen to patients, and in turn his patients to listen to themselves, using full-spectrum listening.

### **Society and Culture**

#### Why Open Records Matter To A Free Society

Monday, March 12, 2018 [Morning Edition 7:49 am TRT = 7:00]

By: 90.7's Nicole Darden Creston | 90.7 WMFE News is rolling out a series about open records, how to access public information, and what can be learned by the public from a records request under the Freedom of Information Act. The series is built around what's called "Sunshine Week," an annual nationwide event started by the American Society of News Editors to recognize access to public information. To kick things off, ASNE Executive Director Teri Hayt tells 90.7's Nicole Darden Creston what Sunshine Week is all about and how it got started including its Florida roots.

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