



MODEL ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

**98.5 WNCX-HD2
CLEVELAND, OHIO**

**4TH QUARTER 2018
(October 1 THROUGH December 31)**

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**ISSUES OF CONCERN TO CLEVELAND
ADDRESSED IN RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING
4th QUARTER, 2018**

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Description of Issue of Concern</i>
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1. Education

- City Club Forum discussing the evolution of our economy by bringing together voices from the civic, public, and private sectors to discuss the region's successes, failures, and challenges.
- The City Club Forum discusses the debate over free speech on college and university campuses has become the dominant issue facing higher education. Reports of the implementation of university speech codes and trigger warning policies, commencement speaker "dis-invitations," and protests, many of them violent, over the views expressed by faculty or invited speakers have ignited fierce controversy from both the right and the left
- Discussed how the Girl Scouts are 2.6 million strong—1.8 million girls and 800,000 adults who believe in the power of every G.I.R.L. to change the world.

2. Arts

- The Cleveland Comedy Festival began in 2008 as a celebration of local, independent comedy and has grown into much, much more in 10 years.
- Beck Center for the Arts is a non-profit, performing arts and arts education organization dedicated to inspiring and enriching the quality of life for Northeastern Ohioans. They combine professional theatrical productions with comprehensive curriculum-based arts education in Creative Arts Therapies, dance, music, theater, and visual arts, serving over 60,000 annually in Cuyahoga, Lorain, Lake, Medina, and Summit Counties.

3. Charities

- The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors.

4. Children & Family

WISH Cleveland is northeast Ohio's the first local news source for change makers, social justice seekers and idealists. Through honest reporting and sincere, thought-provoking essays, they connect readers with people and organizations that are a force for good in greater Cleveland.

- **The First Tee** is an international youth development organization introducing the game of golf and its inherent values to young people.

5. Community

- OhioMeansJobs is the resume and job bank resource that is refocused on efforts to increase the number of employment opportunities.
- Better Business Bureau has been helping people find businesses, brands and charities they can trust. BBB Serving Greater Cleveland services include: BBB Standards for Trust, BBB Business Profiles, Scam Tracker, Customer Reviews, complaints, dispute resolution, and speaking engagements/workshops. BBB Cleveland serves Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, and Lorain counties.
- The Ohio 529 plan is to encourage American families to save for higher education, these provide a tax-advantaged way to save.
- Discussed various new year changes regarding the Social Security Administration with Cleveland representative Brandon Smith.

6. Health

- The Emerald Jenny site includes listings for rehab facilities, healthcare providers, counselors and other organizations – all so you or a loved one can take that important first step. Every dollar raised helps expand the site and helps save more lives.
- Discussed the annual Holiday Organization Fundraiser for Lupus which is an unpredictable and misunderstood disease that ravages different parts of the body. It is difficult to diagnose, hard to live with, a challenge to treat, and can be fatal.
- Cleveland Rape Crisis Center's mission is to support survivors of rape and sexual abuse, promote healing and prevention, and advocate for social change. Their vision is the elimination of sexual violence.

**98.5 WNCX-HD2 PROGRAM THAT ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES
(REGULARLY SCHEDULED PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM)
4th QUARTER 2018**

<i>Public Affairs Program</i>	<i>Schedule and Description</i>
Cleveland Connection	<p>WNCX-HD2/Sunday 6:00am-7:00am</p> <p>Produced and hosted by Michelle O'Dell, this program features interviews with heads of non-profit organizations, medical professionals, neighborhood and community leaders, government officials of all levels, authors, doctors, and others who are asked about issues of local and national concern.</p>

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MOST SIGNIFICANT ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING
4th QUARTER, 2018
(OCTOBER 1, 2018 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2018)

EDUCATION

Cleveland Connection

6:00am - 7:00am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 10-14-18

City Club Forum discussing the evolution of our economy by bringing together voices from the civic, public, and private sectors to discuss the region's successes, failures, and challenges.

EDUCATION

Cleveland Connection

6:00am - 7:00am

20 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 12-30-18

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EDUCATION

Cleveland Connection

6:00am - 7:00am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 10-07-18

Discussed how the Girl Scouts are 2.6 million strong—1.8 million girls and 800,000 adults who believe in the power of every G.I.R.L. to change the world.

EDUCATION

Cleveland Connection

6:00am - 7:00am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 11-25-18 and 12-09-18

Discussed Cuyahoga Community College (Tri-C) President Alex Johnson's recently published book on leadership — *Change the Lapel Pin* — reflects his passion for developing leaders, educating students and building on the academic achievements seen at Tri-C.

ARTS

Cleveland Connection

6:00am - 7:00am

25 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 11-04-18 and 11-11-18

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CHARITIES

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Sunday 12-02-2018

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CHILDREN AND FAMILY

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6:00am – 7:00am

26 minutes of a 60 minute program

Sunday 12-16-18 and 12-23-18

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Sunday 11-18-2018, 11-25-18 and 12-16-18

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The Northern Ohio Italian American Foundation (NOIA) is the region's premier organization dedicated to supporting the community in ways that celebrate Italian heritage. The organization is comprised of the area's most distinguished leaders, whose reach extends to the highest levels of business, community and philanthropy.

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