

WWNC

**Quarterly Issues
Third Quarter, 2013**

**Program: NCNN News Makers
Saturday 7:00 AM**

Duration: 30 minutes

**Program: CHANGES
Saturday 7:30 AM**

Duration: 30 minutes

WWNC PUBLIC SERVICE (TRAFFIC/WEATHER/NEWS)

2:00 LOCAL NEWS-

- 9 PER WEEKDAY
- 45 PER WEEK
- (AVERAGE OF) 180 PER MONTH

4:00 LOCAL NEWS-

- 5 PER WEEKDAY
- 25 PER WEEK
- (AVERAGE OF) 100 PER MONTH

:60 LOCAL NEWS-

- 15 PER WEEKDAY
- 75 PER WEEK
- (AVERAGE OF) 300 PER MONTH

:30 LOCAL WEATHER-

- 2 every ten minutes/6A-9A/2 PER HOUR ALL OTHER HOURS/60 PER DAY plus 2 per hour on weekends totaling 96
- 396 PER WEEK
- (AVERAGE OF) 1584 PER MONTH

:30 LOCAL TRAFFIC

- 13 IN MORNING/5 IN AFTERNOON (WEEKDAYS ONLY)
- 18 PER DAY
- 90 PER WEEK
- (AVERAGE OF) 360 PER MONTH

Total local information commitment... units

- Average of 508 minutes per week
- Average of 2032 minutes per month

WWNC
Asheville, NC
Quarterly Issues/Programs List
Second Quarter, 2013
07/02/2013

WWNC
Quarterly Issues/Programs List

WWNC provides its listeners with programming and public service announcements that address issues of concern to our local community. Among the issues determined to be of most concern to the community during the preceding calendar quarter were:

- **CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION:** April is Child Abuse Awareness Month. Child Abuse Prevention Services talk about the issue.
- **D DAY VET:** Marking The 69th Anniversary of D-Day With Black Mountain, NC WW2 Veteran Andy Andrews
- **FATE FOOD BANK:** Funding America Through Entertainment, Helping Local Food Banks Survive.
- **FATE OF BELE CHERE:** Bele Chere 2013, Will It Be Asheville's Last ? A Closer Look At What's At Stake
- **FOLK HERITAGE COMMITTEE:** Asheville's 47th Annual Shindig On The Green And The Folk Heritage Committee
- **HOMELESS UPDATE:** Homelessness is decreasing locally, Homeward Bound of AVL is one organization helping that trend
- **INTEGRATIVE HEALTH:** With Integrative Health practices, nurses at Mission are working to make hospital stays more comfor
- **MANNA HUNGER:** Hunger persists on a large scale in WNC. MANNA Food Bank is trying to address all of the need.
- **MARCH OF DIMES:** The March of Dimes strives to help prevent prematurity and birth defects. Learn how you can help.
- **MARIJUANA LAWS:** Should Marijuana be legal in NC? Efforts to reform marijuana laws in North Carolina discussed
- **ORGAN DONATION:** April is Organ Donation Awareness Month. A donor and recipient tell their story & explain process
- **Wildlife Concerns:** Spring and Summer Wildlife Concerns In The Region, Including Rabies and Lyme Disease

**Section I
LOCAL PROGRAMMING**

Section I lists regularly-scheduled and special programs that represent the station's issue-responsive programming providing the most significant treatment of the issues listed above for the calendar quarter.

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GUEST	DATE/TIME	DURATION
MARCH OF DIMES	CHANGES-MARCH OF DIMES (4/6/13)	The March of Dimes strives to help prevent prematurity and birth defects. Learn how you can help.	Michala Blanton Lowe	04/06/2013 07:30 AM	029:45
CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION	CHANGES-CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION (4/13/13)	April is Child Abuse Awareness Month. Child Abuse Prevention Services talk about the issue.	Bill McGuire & Ilene Procida	04/13/2013 07:30 AM	029:44
MARIJUANA LAWS	CHANGES-MARIJUANA LAWS (4/20/13)	Should Marijuana be legal in NC? Efforts to reform marijuana laws in North Carolina discussed	Jon Kennedy	04/20/2013 07:29 AM	029:44
ORGAN DONATION	CHANGES-ORGAN DONATION (4/27/13)	April is Organ Donation Awareness Month. A donor and recipient tell their story & explain process	Josh and Aaron Michael	04/27/2013 07:30 AM	029:44
FATE FOOD BANK	CHANGES-FATE FOOD BANK (5/11/2013)	Funding America Through Entertainment, Helping Local Food Banks Survive.	Joshua Stack	05/11/2013 07:30 AM	029:36
INTEGRATIVE HEALTH	CHANGES-INTEGRATIVE HEALTH (5/18/13)	With Integrative Health practices, nurses at Mission are working to make hospital stays more comfor	Lourdes Lorenz	05/18/2013 07:30 AM	029:45
MANNA HUNGER	CHANGES-MANNA HUNGER (5/25/13)	Hunger persists on a large scale in WNC. MANNA Food Bank is trying to address all of the need.	Cindy Threlkeld/Alisa Hixson	05/25/2013 07:30 AM	029:42

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HOMELESS UPDATE	CHANGES-HOMELESS UPDATE (6/1/13)	Homelessness is decreasing locally, Homeward Bound of AVL is one organization helping that trend	Emily Ball	06/01/2013 07:30 AM	029:41
D DAY VET	CHANGES-D DAY VET (6/8/13)	Marking The 69th Anniversary of D-Day With Black Mountain, NC WW2 Veteran Andy Andrews	Andy Andrews	06/08/2013 07:30 AM	029:36
Wildlife Concerns	CHANGES-WILDLIFE CONCERNS (6/15/13)	Spring and Summer Wildlife Concerns In The Region, Including Rabies and Lyme Disease	Mike Caraway	06/15/2013 07:30 AM	029:40
FATE OF BELE CHERE	CHANGES-BELE CHERE (6/22/13)	Bele Chere 2013, Will It Be Asheville's Last ? A Closer Look At What's At Stake	Sandra Travis	06/22/2013 07:30 AM	029:45
FOLK HERITAGE COMMITTEE	CHANGES-SHINDIG (6/29/13)	Asheville's 47th Annual Shindig On The Green And The Folk Heritage Committee	Kevin Hamlin	06/29/2013 07:30 AM	029:42

**Section II
NETWORK (and/or SYNDICATED) PROGRAMMING**

Section II lists the network-provided (and/or syndicated) programming that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that addresses community issues.

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	DATE/TIME	DURATION
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(Insert network and/or syndicator-provided programs lists here.)

**Section III
PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Section III lists public service announcements that the station broadcast during the preceding calendar quarter that address community issues.

ISSUE	ORGANIZATION OR TITLE	DURATION	RUNS
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- **AARP - Baby Boomers:** Retiring Baby Boomers Bound For North Carolina, A Closer Look
- **BREAST CANCER AWARE:** Early detection is a key to surviving breast cancer. The Ladies Night Out program helps women..
- **CAREGIVERS:** As the working population gets older, so do their parents. Can employers give support to caregivers
- **Haywood Co Emergency Services:** Out enjoying nature this summer? Haywood Co. Emergency Services will tell you how to be safe.
- **HOMELESS:** Examining Homelessness In Asheville with Homeward Bound Of Western North Carolina
- **IMMUNIZATION AND ILLNESS:** Immunization And Food Borne Illness As The School Year Starts, A Closer Look
- **MEDIA AND KIDS:** How does media affect child development? A "Mediatrician" from Harvard University discusses
- **MTN CITY ECON DEVELOPMENT:** A closer look at economic development In NC Mountain Counties
- **N.C. LEGISLATURE RECAP PT 1:** Buncombe County Reps. debate the major legislation passed in Raleigh this past session
- **N.C. LEGISLATURE RECAP PT 2:** Buncombe County Reps. Nathan Ramsey & Susan Fisher join us for a review of the legislative session
- **REMEMBERING SEPT 11:** Remembering Sept 11 with Buncombe Cty Emergency Management Director Jerry Vehaun

- **Vision Source:** How is your eye health? Dr. Michelle Reames of Vision Source discusses eye disease and protection

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Haywood Co Emergency Services	CHANGES-OUTDOOR SAFETY (7/6/13)	Out enjoying nature this summer? Haywood Co. Emergency Services will tell you how to be safe.	Greg Shuping	07/06/2013 07:30 AM	029:45
Vision Source	CHANGES-EYE HEALTH (7/13/13)	How is your eye health? Dr. Michelle Reames of Vision Source discusses eye disease and protection	Dr. Michelle Reames	07/13/2013 07:30 AM	029:44
HOMELESS	CHANGES - HOMELESS (7/27/13)	Examining Homelessness In Asheville with Homeward Bound Of Western North Carolina	Emily Ball	07/27/2013 07:30 AM	029:40
CAREGIVERS	CHANGES - CAREGIVERS (8/3/13)	As the working population gets older, so do their parents. Can employers give support to caregivers	Emily Ball	08/03/2013 07:30 AM	029:44
AARP - Baby Boomers	CHANGES - RETIREES (08/10/2013)	Retiring Baby Boomers Bound For North Carolina, A Closer Look	Doug Dickerson	08/10/2013 07:30 AM	029:46
IMMUNIZATION AND ILLNESS	CHANGES - IMMUNIZATION AND	Immunization And Food Borne Illness	Suellen Morrison	08/17/2013 07:30 AM	029:36

ISSUE	PROGRAM / TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GUEST	DATE/TIME	DURATION
	ILLNESS (8/17/13)	As The School Year Starts, A Closer Look			
N.C. LEGISLATURE RECAP PT 1	CHANGES-NCLEG RECAP PT 1 (8/24/13)	Buncombe County Reps. debate the major legislation passed in Raleigh this past session	Susan Fisher & Nathan Ramsey	08/24/2013 07:30 AM	029:46
N.C. LEGISLATURE RECAP PT 1	CHANGES-NCLEG RECAP PT 1 (8/31/13)	Buncombe County Reps. debate the major legislation passed in Raleigh this past session	Susan Fisher & Nathan Ramsey	08/31/2013 07:00 AM	029:46
N.C. LEGISLATURE RECAP PT 2	CHANGES-NCLEG RECAP 2 (8/31/13)	Buncombe County Reps. Nathan Ramsey & Susan Fisher join us for a review of the legislative session	Susan Fisher & Nathan Ramsey	08/31/2013 07:30 AM	029:42
MEDIA AND KIDS	CHANGES-MEDIA AND KIDS (9/7/13)	How does media affect child development? A "Mediatrician" from Harvard University discusses	Dr. Michael Rich	09/07/2013 07:30 AM	029:43
REMEMBERING SEPT 11	CHANGES-REMEMBERING SEPT 11 (9/14/13)	Remembering Sept 11 with Buncombe Cty Emergency Management Director Jerry Vehaun	Jerry Vehaun	09/14/2013 07:30 AM	029:41
MTN CITY ECON DEVELOPMENT	CHANGES-MTN CITY ECON DEVELOPMENT(9/21/13)	A closer look at economic development In NC Mountain Counties	Scott Hamilton	09/21/2013 07:30 AM	029:40
BREAST CANCER AWARE	CHANGES-BREAST CANCER AWARE (9/27/13)	Early detection is a key to surviving breast cancer. The Ladies Night Out program helps women..	Debbie Sprouse-Wanda Anderson	09/28/2013 07:30 AM	029:41

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ISSUE	ORGANIZATION OR TITLE	DURATION	RUNS
Various		000:16	012
Various		000:17	200
Various	AD COUNCIL	000:59	599
Various	AD COUNCIL	001:00	336
Various	AD COUNCIL	001:01	681
Heart Health	AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION	001:00	581
Scouting	BOY SCOUTS/FALL 2013-A/30	000:31	012
Scouting	BOY SCOUTS/FALL 2013-B/30	000:32	015
Highway Safety	NC HIGHWAY PATROL	000:31	028
Day of Service	PSA 911 DAY	000:30	017
Fines Creek BG Fest	PSA/FinesCreekBGFest/30	000:30	001
Fines Creek BG Fest	PSA/FinesCreekBGFest/30	000:31	013
Registration	PSA/SELECTIVE SERVICE/30	000:30	143
Volunteering	Rotary Club	000:30	021
Vet Hiring	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:31	031
Vet Hiring	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:32	032
ADOPT	PSA/FOSTER CARE/30	000:30	034
ANIMAL ADOPTION	PSA/SAVE MANATEES/30	000:30	039

ISSUE	ORGANIZATION OR TITLE	DURATION	RUNS
CHILDREN HEALTHCARE	AD COUNCIL	000:15	272
CHILDREN HEALTHCARE	PSA/SPEC NEEDS WEB/30	000:31	141
DISABLED VETS	HONOR RIDE ASHEVILLE	000:31	047
DRUNK DRIVING	PSA/BUZZ DRIVING/30	000:30	039
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS	AD COUNCIL	000:16	179
EXCHANGE STUDENTS		000:15	276
EXCHANGE STUDENTS	PSA/AAFA EVENT/30	000:28	002
EXCHANGE STUDENTS	PSA/EXCHANGE STUDENTS/30	000:30	158
HEALTH AND FITNESS	AD COUNCIL	000:16	177
ILL CHILDREN	VICTORY JUNCTION	000:30	128
INVASIVE SPECIES	Brother Wolf	001:00	577
LITTLEST GOLFER	BILTMORE FOREST CC	000:31	072
MILITARY AND VETERANS	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:30	060
MILITARY AND VETERANS	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:31	195
MILITARY AND VETERANS	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:32	044
OUTDOORS	PSA/FOREST SERVICE/15	000:15	268
PET ADOPTION	AD COUNCIL	000:15	175
POVERTY	PSA/ABCCM/30	000:32	032
PSA	AT&T	000:30	027
PSA	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:30	128
PSA	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:31	033
PUBLIC SAFETY	ASHEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT	000:31	018
RECRUITMENT	NC HIGHWAY PATROL	000:32	061
RECRUITMENT	SHOW YOUR STRIPES	000:30	092
VETERANS		000:15	104
VETERANS	AD COUNCIL	000:15	171



NCNN PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING

3RD QUARTER 2013
(JULY 1ST – SEPTEMBER 30TH)

PEOPLE IN POLITICS AND CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS ARE PRESENTED IN BOTH
30-MINUTE AND 60-MINUTE VERSIONS.

PA BLOCK FOR 07-07-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH MIKE WALDEN”, WILLIAM NEAL REYNOLDS DISTINGUISHED
PROFESSOR, AND AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION AND RESOURCE ECONOMICS
SPECIALIST

****ISSUES COVERED: EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT; THE 2008 RECESSION;
ECONOMIC RECOVERY; URBAN/RURAL AREAS OF NC; NC GAS TAX; REFORMING
THE STATE TAX STRUCTURE; SALES TAXES, INCOME TAXES, PROPERTY TAXES;
STATE TAX SYSTEM; LOWERING CORPORATE TAXES; JOB GROWTH; MORTGAGE
RATES AND THE PRIME RATE; LOAN DEMAND; INVESTMENTS; CHANGES TO THE
BOND MARKET AND BOND RATES; INTEREST RATES****

PA BLOCK FOR 07-14-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH PETER HANS”, CHAIRMAN OF THE UNC BOARD OF
GOVERNORS

****ISSUES COVERED: EDUCATION AND THE COST OF HIGHER EDUCATION; NC
COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM; PRIVATE AND PUBLIC EDUCATION;
POPULATION GROWTH; ADVANCED PLACEMENT CLASSES IN NC HIGH SCHOOLS;
LEARNING AND TECHNOLOGY; THE UNC 16-CAMPUS SYSTEM; NC SCHOOL OF
SCIENCE AND MATH; FEDERAL AND PRIVATE FUNDING OF UNIVERSITY
RESEARCH; TUITION INCREASES; PUBLIC WELFARE****

PA BLOCK FOR 07-21-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH NC STATE AUDITOR, BETH WOOD”

****ISSUES COVERED: FRAUD AND INVESTIGATION; AUDITING; GROWTH OF LOCAL AND STATE GOVERNMENT; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; STATE AGENCIES; COLLECTION OF DATA FROM EACH AGENCY; FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; FEDERAL GRANT MONEY; PERFORMANCE AUDITS; FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDITS; STATE BUDGET CUTS; NCDHHS AND FEDERAL PROGRAMS; NC DOT; ELECTED OFFICIALS/APPOINTED OFFICIALS; BLUE CROSS/BLUE SHIELD; MEDICAL CLAIMS; NC STATE TREASURER’S OFFICE; FIRE SAFETY; ELEVATOR SAFETY; NC DEPARTMENT OF LABOR****

PA BLOCK FOR 07-28-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEWS WITH REPORTERS FROM THE NORTH CAROLINA NEWS NETWORK: STEPHANIE HAWCO; RHONDA GARRISON; AND BRUCE FERRELL”

****ISSUES COVERED: NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY; STATE BUDGET; SCHOOL VOUCHERS; SMART START AND COLLEGE AID; TEACHER TENURE AND CONTRACTS FOR TEACHERS; STATE TAX REFORM; SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS; BALANCING THE STATE’S BUDGET; MEDICAID AND MEDICARE; INCOME TAXES AND SALES TAXES; VOTER ID; CHANGES TO THE ABORTION LAWS; THE REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND A REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR; JOBLESS BENEFITS; AGRICULTURE AND WEATHER CONDITIONS; NC AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND PRODUCTS; WHEAT HARVEST/PRODUCTION; USE OF CORN FOR ETHANOL AND FEED; NC APPLE AND PEACH CROPS; WATERMELON AND OTHER FRUIT CROPS IN N.C.; AFFECT OF WEATHER ON PRODUCTION AND PRICES; NC FARM ACT; NC TOURISM; CLOSING OF PARTS OF THE BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY; NC GEOGRAPHY; NATIONAL PARKS IN N.C.; THE COST EFFECTIVENESS OF TOURISM IN N.C.****

PA BLOCK FOR 08-04-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH ANDY TAYLOR”, PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AT NC STATE UNIVERSITY

****ISSUES COVERED: STATE GOVERNMENT; ANALYSIS OF THE NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY’S SESSION; 2014 AND 2016 ELECTIONS; NC ECONOMY; “MORAL

MONDAYS”; REPUBLICAN, DEMOCRATIC, AND INDEPENDENT VOTERS; BALANCING THE STATE’S BUDGET; STATE TAX REFORM; NC PAYMENTS TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; MEDICAID; 2008 RECESSION; VOTER ID REQUIREMENTS AND THE ADMINISTRATION OF VOTER ID; FORMS OF IDENTIFICATION USED AT THE POLLING PLACES; PREVENTING VOTER FRAUD; EARLY VOTING; SAME-DAY REGISTRATION; PARTISAN POLITICS; MOTIVATING VOTER TURNOUT; REDISTRICTING; NC GEOGRAPHY; VOTING TRENDS IN 2014/2016; U.S. SENATE RACE IN 2014; ADVANTAGES OF INCUMBENTS; THE ECONOMY’S EFFECT ON THE SENATE RACE; ANALYSIS OF THE REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC PARTIES IN NORTH CAROLINA; LIBERAL/CONSERVATIVE VALUES; THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES AND PRIMARY FOR THE U.S. SENATE RACE; NATIONAL VIEW OF NORTH CAROLINA***

PA BLOCK FOR 08-11-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH ROBERT ORR, FORMER MEMBER OF THE NC SUPREME COURT, AND FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE NC INSTITUTE FOR CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

****ISSUES COVERED: NC CONSTITUTION; NC SUPREME COURT; STRUCTURE OF STATE AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; BALANCED BUDGET; EDUCATION AND TEACHER’S SALARIES; LIMITATION ON LEGISLATIVE POWER; LOCAL GOVERNMENT; THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION; THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT IN N.C.; ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION; THE STATE’S CONSTITUTION’S DEFINITION OF MARRIAGE; STATE CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES; NC COURT SYSTEM; EA SPORTS; THE DEBATE OF COMPENSATING COLLEGE ATHLETES; ATHLETICS BUDGETS AT COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; ECONOMIC BOUNDARIES OF COLLEGE ATHLETES; THE BUSINESS OF COLLEGE ATHLETICS****

PA BLOCK FOR 08-18-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH SCOTT RALLS”, PRESIDENT OF THE NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

****ISSUES COVERED: NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM; THE RECESSION AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY; EDUCATION; NC GEOGRAPHY; STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM; DEGREES AND COURSES OFFERED AT NC COMMUNITY COLLEGES; TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING; STATE BUDGET; PREVALENCE OF

BIOLOGY/PRE-MED CLASSES; STATE GOVERNMENT AND LEADERSHIP IN NORTH CAROLINA****

PA BLOCK FOR 08-25-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH U.S. REPRESENTATIVE RENEE ELMERS”

****ISSUES COVERED: LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; THE ECONOMY AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY; EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT; JOB CREATION; NC STATE LEGISLATURE; OBAMACARE; HEALTH CARE OPTIONS; FEDERAL AND STATE REGULATION ON BUSINESSES; IMMIGRATION REFORM; BORDER SECURITY; LEGAL AND ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION; STATE FARM WORKERS; STATE AGRICULTURE; 2014 ELECTIONS; THE ENERGY AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE; ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE PLANS; PATIENT-DOCTOR RELATIONSHIP; SOCIAL SECURITY; MEDICARE AND MEDICAID; THE AGING POPULATION; NEW CURES FOR DISEASES; NC COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM AND CLINICS; WOMEN IN POLITICS; NRCC; FEDERAL DEBT AND THE AMERICAN FAMILY; THE AMERICAN MIDDLE CLASS****

PA BLOCK FOR 09-01-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH RANDY WOODSON, CHANCELLOR, NC STATE UNIVERSITY

****ISSUES COVERED: TUITION COSTS AND THE RISING COST OF EDUCATION; HIGHER EDUCATION IN NORTH CAROLINA; AGRICULTURE AND THE STATE'S GDP; NC STATE AGRICULTURE EXTENSION SERVICE; SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; NC STATE UNIVERSITY AND ITS LEGACY; ENGINEERING; NC STATE COLLEGE OF TEXTILES; NORTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM; DATA ANALYSIS AND DATA SECURITY; ECONOMIC GROWTH; COLLEGE ATHLETICS****

PA BLOCK FOR 09-08-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH JUNE ATKINSON”, NC SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

****ISSUES COVERED: PUBLIC EDUCATION; CHILDREN AND YOUTH ISSUES; STATE BUDGET CUTS; REDUCTION OF TEACHERS AND TEACHER'S ASSISTANTS; CUTS TO SCHOOL COUNSELORS AND SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS; CUTS TO INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES; CUTS TO ONLINE SOFTWARE AND TEXTBOOKS; CHARTER SCHOOLS; NC STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION; ACT; RURAL/URBAN AREAS; THE VIRTUAL HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM; FOREIGN LANGUAGE OFFERINGS IN NC HIGH SCHOOLS; ANALYSIS OF NC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; DISCIPLINE IN SCHOOLS; DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOR IN THE CLASSROOM; BULLYING IN SCHOOLS; HISPANIC POPULATION IN NORTH CAROLINA; SPANISH AS THE PRIMARY LANGUAGE AND HOW THAT IS HANDLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TEACHING ENGLISH TO FOREIGN STUDENTS; NC PAY RAISES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS****

PA BLOCK FOR 09-15-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH DAVID THOMPSON”, NC ASS'N OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

****ISSUES COVERED: NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY; 2012-2013 LEGISLATIVE SESSION; STATE, COUNTY, AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT; URBAN/RURAL AREAS OF NC; NC ASS'N OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; NC GEOGRAPHY; SIZE/POPULATION OF COUNTIES IN NORTH CAROLINA; EDUCATION AND THE COST OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS; THE STATE BUDGET; THE ECONOMY AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY; HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; TRANSPORTATION; STATE AND COUNTY REVENUE****

PA BLOCK FOR 9-22-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH RAN COBLE”, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY RESEARCH

****ISSUES COVERED: NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY; STATE TAX REFORM AND CHANGES TO THE STATE TAX LAWS; STATE BUDGET; BROADENING THE STATE SALES TAX; TAX CUTS AND STIMULATING THE ECONOMY; POPULATION GROWTH; GROWTH IN STUDENT ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND HIGHER EDUCATION; TEACHER SALARIES AND SUPPLEMENTS; ELDERLY CARE AND NURSING HOMES; NEW REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE AND THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION; URBAN/RURAL ISSUES; RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER; NC DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE; STATE TUITION FOR NC COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM; VOTER ID AND CHANGES TO THE ELECTION LAWS; EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT;

NORTH CAROLINA BORROWING FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND PAYING
BACK THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT****

PA BLOCK FOR 09-29-13

CAROLINA NEWSMAKERS

“INTERVIEW WITH CHRIS SINCLAIR”, POLITICAL CONSULTANT FOR
CORNERSTONE SOLUTIONS

****ISSUES COVERED: POLITICAL PARTIES; MEDIA AND INFORMATION;
POLITICAL AND SOCIETAL VIEWPOINTS; LOBBYING AND CONSULTING; CHANGE
IN THE NC GENERAL ASSEMBLY; REDISTRICTING; VOTER ID; CHANGES TO
VOTER REGISTRATION; CHANGES TO EARLY VOTING; UNAFFILIATED VOTERS;
“MORAL MONDAY” DEMONSTRATIONS; IMMIGRATION AND THE ECONOMY;
LEGAL AND ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION****