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WRRN HAS DETERMINED THE FOLLOWING ISSUES TO BE IMPORTANT TO LISTENERS DURING THE FIRST QUARTER OF 2019.

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AMERICAN RADIO JOURNAL IS BROADCAST EACH SUNDAY MORNING AT 5:00 AM. AMERICAN RADIO JOURNAL IS A THIRTY MINUTE PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAM PRODUCED BY THE LINCOLN INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH, INC. A LISTING OF THE AMERICAN RADIO JOURNAL PROGRAMS BROADCAST IN THE SECOND QUARTER OF 2019 IS ATTACHED.

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#### **American Radio Journal Program Notes**

#### 2019 Q2

(June 22, 2019 - June 28, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Christopher Koopman** from the Center for Growth and Opportunity at Utah State University about the impact on consumers of anti-trust actions against big tech firms; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the 2020 Presidential race; **Eric Boehm** and **CJ Ciaramella** of *Reason* magazine discuss Chicago's car towing policies; and Dr. **Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith and Freedom has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on religious intolerance.

(June 15, 2019 - June 21, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Jason Pye** of Freedom Works about rethinking post-secondary education; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on that proposed congressional pay raise; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine talks with **Rick Frommer** at the Institute for Justice about government regulation of food trucks; And, **Colin Hanna** of Let Freedom Ring, USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the real battle of 2020.

(June 8, 2019 - June 14, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Adam Carrington** of Hillsdale College about the end of the U.S. Supreme Court term; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the demise of Senator Rand Paul's 'Penny Plan'; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine talks with **Marlo Lewis** of the Competitive Enterprise Institute about the latest carbon tax plan; And, Col. **Frank Ryan**, USMC (Ret.) has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the impact of our growing national debt.

June 1, 2019 - June 7, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Amy Swearer** of the Heritage Foundation about the constitutional basis for birthright citizenship; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the 2020 U.S. Senate elections; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine looks at President Trump's statements on war with Iran; And, **Dr. Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith and Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the pending sainthood of Bishop Fulton Sheen.

(May 25, 2019 - May 31, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Adam Brandon** of FreedomWorks about President Trump's latest immigration plan; **Scott Parkinson** from the *Club for Growth* has the Real Story on a special congressional election victory in Pennsylvania; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine and **Dan Ikenson** of the *Cato Institute* discuss the lifting of steel tariffs on Mexico and Canada; And, **Colin Hanna** from *Let Freedom Ring*.

USA has an American Radio Journal commentary on President Trump's Chinese foreign policy.

(May 18, 2019 - May 24, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Wayne Crews** about the cost of federal regulations to the American consumer; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on a special congressional election in North Carolina; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine discusses the Export-Import Bank with **Veronique DeRugy** from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University; And, Col. **Frank Ryan**, USMC (Ret.) has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the theater of President Trump's tax returns.

(May 11, 2019 - May 17, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Dan Griswold** from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University about the speed bump in U.S./China trade talks; **Scott Parkinson** of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the Export/Import Bank; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine talks about rite of passage trends among American teenagers; And, Dr. **Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith and Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the Leftward movement of the Left.

(May 4, 2019 - May 10, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Dr. Lee Edwards** of the Heritage Foundation about the failure of socialism; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the proposed \$2 trillion infrastructure plan; **Eric Boehm**and **Peter Suderman** of *Reason* magazine look at Joe Biden's presidential candidacy; And, **Colin Hanna** of Let Freedom Ring, USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on Attorney General Barr's appearance before congress.

(April 27, 2019 - May 3, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Noah Wall** of Freedom Works about the balance of power between congress and the president; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on efforts to break federal spending limits; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine looks at reports Social Security will become insolvent in 16 years; And, Col. **Frank Ryan**, USMC (Ret.) has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on skyrocketing student debt.

(April 20, 2019 - April 26, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Rachel Greszler** of the Heritage Foundation about Tax Freedom Day; **Scott Parkinson** of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the mounting national debt; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason*magazine talks with **Dan Ikensen** of the Cato Institute about progress in U.s./China trade talks; And, **Dr. Paul Kengor** from the

Center for Vision & Values at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on Christianity and the fire at the Cathedral at Notre Dame.

(April 13, 2019 - April 19, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Matthew Mitchell** from the Mercatus Center at George Mason
University about their *Culture of Favoritism* survey; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for
Growth has the *Real Story* on three congressional special elections; **Eric Boehm** from *Reason* magazine gets details of a Nashville law banning in-home
recording studios from **Braden Boucek** of the Beacon Center; And, **Colin Hanna** of Let
Freedom Ring, USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the folly of
"Medicare for All."

(April 6, 2019 - April 12, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Jason Pye** of Freedom Works about needed reforms to Social Security; **Scott Parkinson** of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on Democrat plans to raise taxes; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine talks with **Liz Mair** about FDA policies affecting e-cigarettes and vaping; And, Col. **Frank Ryan**, USMC (Ret.) has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on holding elected officials accountable.

(March 30, 2019 - April 5, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Jeff Trimbath** of the Center for Vision & Values about a "religion shaming" incident in the Pennsylvania state House; **Scott Parkinson** of the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on a federal judge declaring Obamacare unconstitutional; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine reports on a congressional bill to save small internet businesses from out of state sales taxes; And, **Dr. Paul Kengor** of Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the mob mentality of Twitter.

# Lincoln Radio Journal Program Notes 2091 Q2

(June 29, 2019 - July 5, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Matthew Brouillette** from the Commonwealth Partners Chamber of Entrepreneurs is joined by **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business and **Carl Marrara** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association for a *Capitol Watch* look at the good, the bad, and the ugly of the June legislative session; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on Governor Tom Wolf's immoral veto for expanded EITC funding.

(June 22, 2019 - June 28, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Jeff Lord** author of the new book *Swamp Wars*; **Eric Montarti** and **Frank Gamrat** have an *Allegheny Institute Report* on state tax revenue as the budget deadline nears; And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on parole reform.

(June 15, 2019 - June 21, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Matthew Brouillette** from the Commonwealth Partners Chamber of Entrepreneurs hosts a *Capitol Watch* look at state budget issues with **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business and with **Nathan Benefield** of the Commonwealth Foundation; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on whether the state legislature can police itself.

(June 8, 2019 - June 14, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Dan Bartkowiak** of the Pennsylvania Family Institute about the impact of legalizing recreational marijuana; **Joe Geiger** from the First Nonprofit Foundation has **Larry Wasser** of the Student Author Movement in the *Community Benefit Spotlight*; And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on the need to continue making progress on criminal justice reform.

(June 1, 2019 "" June 7, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **David Taylor** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association hosts a *Capitol Watch* roundtable discussion on why socialism doesn't work with **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business-PA and with **Steve** Bloom of the Commonwealth Foundation; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on two proposed changes to how we elect statewide officials.

(May 25, 2019 - May 31, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** gets election results from **Leo Knepper** from the Citizens Alliance of
Pennsylvania; **Frank Gamrat** and **Eric Montarti** have an *Allegheny Institute Report* on
population trends in the Pittsburgh region; And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for
Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on removing barriers to
professional licensure.

(May 18, 2019 - May 24, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **David Taylor** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association hosts a *Capitol Watch* roundtable discussion with **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business-PA and with **Steve Bloom** of the Commonwealth Foundation on the closing of the Three Mile Island Nuclear plant and energy competition; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on the rising intolerance of Philadelphia's Left-wing lawmakers.

(May 11, 2019 - May 17, 2019) This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** gets details of the upcoming Primary Election from **Chris Nicholas** of Eagle Consulting; **Joe Geiger** from the First Nonprofit Foundation has **Pat Zook** from First Tee of the Low County in the *Community Benefit Spotlight*; And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on cutting state regulations.

(May 4, 2019 - May 10, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **David Taylor** and **Carl Marrara** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association are joined by **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business for a *Capitol Watch* look at results of the *Spring 2019 Keystone Business Climate Survey*; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on two competing visions of Pennsylvania's energy future.

(April 27, 2019 - May 3, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Gordon Denlinger** from the National Federation of Independent
Business about regulators trying to impost a Cap & Trade program on energy
consumers; **Frank Gamrat** and **Eric Montarti** have an *Allegheny Institute Report* on a
public-private partnership gone awry; And, **Anna McCauslin** of Americans for
Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on a proposed federal gas tax
hike.

(April 20, 2019 - April 26, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **David Taylor** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association and **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business-PA are joined by **Jonathan Williams** of the American Legislative Exchange Council for a *Capitol Watch* look at the latest *Rich* 

States/Poor States report; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on Exelon and the Death of Competitive Energy Markets.

(April 13, 2019 - April 19, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** has a *Newsmaker* interview with **Nathan McGrath** of the Fairness Center detailing lawsuits filed to protect workers' Janus rights; **Joe Geiger** from the First Nonprofit Foundation has **Katie Maxwell** of Teal It's Gone in the *Community Benefit Spotlight*; And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on cutting spending in the new federal budget.

(April 6, 2019 - April 12, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **David Taylor** from the Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association hosts a *Capitol Watch* roundtable discussion on protecting public employees' Janus Rights with **Matthew Brouillette** from the Commonwealth Partners Chamber of Entrepreneurs and with **Rebecca Oyler** from the National Federation of Independent Business-PA; And, **Lowman Henry** has a *Town Hall Commentary* on the religious intolerance of the Left.

(March 30, 2019 - April 5, 2019) This week on *Lincoln Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** has a *Newsmaker* interview with state Senate Transportation Committee
Chairperson **Kim Ward** (R-Westmoreland) about financial challenges facing the
Pennsylvania Turnpike; **Frank Gamrat** and **Eric Montarti** have an *Allegheny Institute Report* on the financial impact of a minimum wage for public school teachers;
And, **Anna McCauslin** from Americans for Prosperity-PA has a *Lincoln Radio Journal* commentary on the proposed bail-out of the nuclear power industry.