

# KFTK

"97.1 FM Talk". QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT FOR KFTK-FM KFTK – HD1 1st Quarter, 2023 (January 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024)

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#### Issues of Concern to St. Louis

#### Addressed in Responsive Programming in the 1st Quarter, 2024 (January 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024)

The attached Quarterly Listing of Problems and Needs being filed in the Public Inspection File of Station KFTK-FM, KFTK – HD1, in accordance with FCC requirements for the three-month period January 1, 2024 –March 31, 2024. While this list contains a brief description of much of KFTK-FM, KFTK – HD1, most significant typical and illustrative programs and program segments, it does not include all programs and program segments broadcast by the station during the three months which related to other issues.

2. Environment
3. Current Events
4. Government/Politics
5. Commentary
6. Health/Healthcare
7. Personal, Family, Social
Concerns
8. Education
9. Business/Economy
10. Immigration

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2.	The Marc Cox Morning Show	Monday – Friday 5a – 9a Locally Produced. Hosted by Marc Cox. In-depth coverage of today's top stories. Breaking News. News maker guests.
3.	The Annie Frey Show	Monday – Friday 12p – 3p. Locally Produced show discussing current events and developing news stories, with a special focus on Illinois news.
4	The Mark Reardon Show	Locally-produced program hosted by Mark Reardon containing in-depth coverage of the day's top story, top names in the news, celebrity interviews or ordinary people with extraordinary stories, plus listener phone calls
5	The Heidi Harris Show	(Sunday, 7:00 p.m. through 9:00 p.m.) - Locally Produced show discussing current events and developing news stories. Breaking News. News maker guests.

#### **<u>1 - Public Affairs</u>**

SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/22/2024
LENGTH:	13:07
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	David Stokes
ORGANIZATION:	Show Me Institute
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Expanding MetroLink
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	3/26/2024
LENGTH:	5:44
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Holly Klaesner
ORGANIZATION:	FOCUS Marine Foundation
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Charity Mess Night event

#### 2 - Environment

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/25/2024
LENGTH:	7:17
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Shannon Bream
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Electric vehicles
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/2/2024
LENGTH:	9:08
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Avery Frank
ORGANIZATION:	Show Me Institute
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Government funded EV chargers in St. Louis - HB1511

#### 3 - Current Events

SHOW:	Т
DATE:	1
LENGTH:	9
HOST:	Ν
GUEST:	J
ORGANIZATION:	Ν
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	S

The Marc Cox Morning Show 1/8/2024 9:11 Marc Cox Jay Ashcroft Missouri Secretary of State Swatting incident in Jefferson City

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/9/2024
LENGTH:	8:45
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Mark Walters
ORGANIZATION:	Second Amendment Foundation
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	School protection officers
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/9/2024
LENGTH:	5:00
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Jared Halpern
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Sec. of Defense Lloyd Austin hospitalization
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/11/2024
LENGTH:	13:11
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Ann Wagner
ORGANIZATION:	US House of Representatives
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Recent trip to the Middle East
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/12/2024
LENGTH:	7:55
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Chad Pergram
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	UFO sightings
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/12/2024
LENGTH:	10:36
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Mack Bradley
ORGANIZATION:	Himself
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	NASA's Artemis Mission
SHOW:	Wiggins America
DATE:	1/14/2024
LENGTH:	10:08
HOST:	Ryan Wiggins

GUEST:	Chris Woolsey
ORGANIZATION:	Streaming correspondent
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Latest series and movies streaming
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/13/2024
LENGTH:	8:11
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Trey Yingst
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Rescue operation for Israeli hostages
SHOW:	Wiggins America
DATE:	2/18/2024
LENGTH:	9:41
HOST:	Ryan Wiggins
GUEST:	Neil Mammen
ORGANIZATION:	Every Black Life Matters
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Defining "wokism" and what it means to broader society
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/22/2024
LENGTH:	7:50
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	George Rosenthal
ORGANIZATION:	ThrottleNet
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Cell phone outages
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/23/2024
LENGTH:	15:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Joe DeVito
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Current events Comedy
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	2/26/2024
LENGTH:	10:15
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Avi Melamed
ORGANIZATION:	Former Israeli Intelligence Officer
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Israel-Hamas war

SHOW:	Wiggins America
DATE:	3/10/2024
LENGTH:	12:38
HOST:	Ryan Wiggins
GUEST:	Jason Jones
ORGANIZATION:	Author/Film Producer/Human Rights and Relief Organization
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	new book, "The Great Campaign: Against The Great Reset"
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	3/19/2024
LENGTH:	16:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Lou Holtz
ORGANIZATION:	America First Policy Institute
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	American Values
SHOW: DATE: LENGTH: HOST: GUEST: ORGANIZATION: SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: movie "Bosco"	The Marc Cox Morning Show 3/20/2024 11:22 Marc Cox Jim Weber Retired federal agent Former federal agent and arresting officer of the subject of the new
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	3/25/2024
LENGTH:	25:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Will Scharf
ORGANIZATION:	Attorney/Candidate for Missouri AG
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump NY hush money trial
<u>4 - Government/Politics</u>	
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/24/2023
LENGTH:	10:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Andy McCarthy
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump Legal
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/3/2024

LENGTH: 11:08 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: Mike Parson **ORGANIZATION:** Missouri Governor SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: 2024 legislative session SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 1/4/2024 LENGTH: 11:19 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: Shannon Bream **ORGANIZATION:** Fox News SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Voter registration SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 1/5/2024 LENGTH: 12:13 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: Blaine Leutkemeyer **ORGANIZATION: US House of Representatives** SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Decision to retire SHOW: The Annie Frey Show DATE: 1/8/2024 LENGTH: 15:00 HOST: Annie Frey GUEST: Mike Bost **ORGANIZATION: US House of Representatives** SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: **Trumps Ballot Removal** SHOW: The Annie Frey Show DATE: 1/9/2024 LENGTH: 9:00 HOST: Annie Frey GUEST: Joe Concha **ORGANIZATION:** Fox News SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Joe Biden's messaging SHOW: The Annie Frey Show DATE: 1/9/2024 LENGTH: 14:44 HOST: Annie Frey GUEST: Chad Wolf **ORGANIZATION:** America First Policy Institute SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Southern Border

SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/10/2024
LENGTH:	16:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Keith Kellogg
ORGANIZATION:	America First Policy Institute
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Israel-Hamas war
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/10/2024
LENGTH:	10:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Andy McCarthy
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump Legal
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/15/24
LENGTH:	12:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Kayleigh McEnany
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Iowa Caucus
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/16/2024
LENGTH:	11:45
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	James Fishback
ORGANIZATION:	Incubate Debate
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	National Speech & Debate Association's fed. civil rights complaint
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/16/2024
LENGTH:	10:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Tyler Bowyer
ORGANIZATION:	Turning Point Action
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Iowa Caucus
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/17/2024
LENGTH:	8:40
HOST:	Marc Cox

GUEST:	Eric Bulison
ORGANIZATION:	US House of Representatives
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Government funding/looming shutdown
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/18/2024
LENGTH:	12:25
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Drew Holden
ORGANIZATION:	Free Beacon in Washington DC
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Migrant drowning at the border
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/19/2024
LENGTH:	7:09
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Stephanie Bell
ORGANIZATION:	Missouri Stands with Women
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Reversing efforts to add abortion to Missouri Initiative Petition
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/23/2024
LENGTH:	10:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Harris Faulkner
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump's Presidential Campaign
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/24/2024
LENGTH:	8:17
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Caleb Rowden
ORGANIZATION:	Missouri State Senate President pro tem
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	stripping Freedom Caucus members of chairmanships
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/24/2024
LENGTH:	12:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Robert C. Cahaly
ORGANIZATION:	The Trafalgar Group
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Presidential Polling

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/25/2024
LENGTH:	10:40
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Scott Charton
ORGANIZATION:	Missourians for Fair Governance
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Initiative petition reform
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/30/2024
LENGTH:	13:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Mike Bost
ORGANIZATION:	US House of Representatives
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Southern Border
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/6/2024
LENGTH:	9:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Mary Miller
ORGANIZATION:	US House of Representatives
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Mayorkas Impeachment
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/7/2024
LENGTH:	10:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Eric Schmitt
ORGANIZATION:	United States Senate
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Souther Border Legislation
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/9/2024
LENGTH:	9:04
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Josh Hawley
ORGANIZATION:	United States Senate
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Special counsel on Biden handling of classified documents
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/12/2024
LENGTH:	9:34
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Valentina Gomez

ORGANIZATION:	Candidate for Missouri Secretary of State
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Campaign for Missouri Secretary of State
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/12/2024
LENGTH:	11:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Andrew Bailey
ORGANIZATION:	Missouri Attorney General
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Southern Border
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	2/14/2024
LENGTH:	11:33
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Jonathan Martian
ORGANIZATION:	Politico
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	2024 presidential election
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/14/2024
LENGTH:	11:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Jason Smith
ORGANIZATION:	US House of Representatives
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Tony Bobulinski Hearing
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/20/2024
LENGTH:	11:30
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Gregg Jarrett
ORGANIZATION:	Fox News
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump Legal
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/21/2024
LENGTH:	20:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Will Scharf
ORGANIZATION:	Trump Lawyer
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Trump Legal
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/26/2024

LENGTH: 10:41 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: Will Scharf **ORGANIZATION:** Candidate for Missouri Attorney General AG race and former President Donald Trump's legal happenings SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: SHOW: The Annie Frey Show 2/29/2024 DATE: LENGTH: 11:00 HOST: Annie Frev GUEST: Jason Smith **ORGANIZATION: US House of Representatives** SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Hunter Biden Testimony SHOW: The Annie Frey Show DATE: 3/6/2024 20:00 LENGTH: HOST: Annie Frey GUEST: Will Scharf **ORGANIZATION:** Trump Lawyer SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Trump Legal SHOW: The Mark Reardon Show DATE: 3/7/2024 LENGTH: 11:18 HOST: Mark Reardon GUEST: **Eric Schmitt ORGANIZATION: Missouri Senator** SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: State of the Union address SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 3/12/2024 LENGTH: 6:49 Marc Cox HOST: GUEST: Jill Carter **ORGANIZATION:** Missouri State Senator SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Returning Missouri to a presidential primary SHOW: The Annie Frey Show DATE: 3/13/2024 LENGTH: 10:00 HOST: Annie Frey GUEST: Andy McCarthy **ORGANIZATION:** Fox News SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Trump Legal

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	3/18/2024
LENGTH:	14:47
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Ray Hartmann
ORGANIZATION:	Founder Riverfront Times
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Campaign for Congress in Missouri's 2nd District

# 5 - Commentary

SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/26/2024
LENGTH:	16:49
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Joanna Stern
ORGANIZATION:	Wall Street Journal
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Apple's Vision Pro headset
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE·	2/2/2024

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DATE:	2/2/2024
LENGTH:	10:47
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Bradley Haley
ORGANIZATION:	The Federalist
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Hunting

#### 6 - Health and Healthcare

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/3/2024
LENGTH:	9:18
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Mike Kehoe
ORGANIZATION:	Missouri Lt. Governor
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Masking policies
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	2/28/2024
LENGTH:	20:21
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	BJC Healthcare Worker

ORGANIZATION:Barnes Jewish HospitalSUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:Hospital employee masking policies

#### 7 - Personal/Family/Social

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/17/2024
LENGTH:	4:58
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Randy Jones
ORGANIZATION:	Financial Growth Partners
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Gen Zers living with parents longer
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	1/26/2024
LENGTH:	15:57
HOST:	Mark Reardon
GUEST:	Bud Haedike

HOST: GUEST: ORGANIZATION: SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:

SHOW:The AnnDATE:2/28/20LENGTH:15:00HOST:Annie FGUEST:Sarah GORGANIZATION:EveryLifSUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:Pro Life

The Annie Frey Show 2/28/2024 15:00 Annie Frey Sarah Gabel Seifert EveryLife Pro Life Issues

himself/WWII Veteran

Masters of Air airing on Apple TV+

#### 8 - Education

HOST:

SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/10/2024
LENGTH:	6:01
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Genevieve Wood
ORGANIZATION:	Heritage Foundation
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Evolution of school curriculum
SHOW:	The Mark Reardon Show
DATE:	3/12/2024
LENGTH:	9:09

Mark Reardon

GUEST: **Tiffany Justice ORGANIZATION:** Moms for Liberty SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Her appearance on "60 Minutes"/ removing certain books from school libraries SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 3/21/2024 LENGTH: 9:44 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: Susan Pendergrass **ORGANIZATION:** Show Me Institute SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: School choice/MO SB727 9 - Business/Economy SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 1/22/2024 LENGTH: 8:01 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: **Brian Agers ORGANIZATION:** Agers HVAC SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Regulator changes in the HVAC industry that could impact consumer prices SHOW: The Marc Cox Morning Show DATE: 2/1/2024 10:11 LENGTH: Marc Cox HOST: Patrick Holland GUEST: **ORGANIZATION:** Missouri Freedom Initiative SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: Central currency The Marc Cox Morning Show SHOW: DATE: 2/7/2024 LENGTH: 9:57 HOST: Marc Cox GUEST: **Charles Payne ORGANIZATION:** Fox Business SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: **Unemployment numbers** SHOW: The Mark Reardon Show DATE: 2/21/2024 12:11 LENGTH: Mark Reardon HOST: GUEST: Salena Zito

ORGANIZATION:	New York Post
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Middle America financial struggles
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	2/26/2024
LENGTH:	13:00
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Michael Seifert
ORGANIZATION:	PublicSQ
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Parallel Economy
SHOW: DATE: LENGTH: HOST: GUEST: ORGANIZATION: SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED: <u>10- Immigration</u>	The Annie Frey Show 3/14/2024 14:00 Annie Frey Michael Seifert PublicSQ Microchip manufacturers leaving US
SHOW:	The Annie Frey Show
DATE:	1/09/2024
LENGTH:	14:44
HOST:	Annie Frey
GUEST:	Chad Wolf
ORGANIZATION:	Secretary of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (former)
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Federal government losing control at the southern border
SHOW:	The Marc Cox Morning Show
DATE:	1/26/2024
LENGTH:	9:07
HOST:	Marc Cox
GUEST:	Tom Homan
ORGANIZATION:	ICE   U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (former)
SUMMARY OF DISCUSSED:	Governor Abbott installing razor wire at southern border