

ISSUES PROGRAMMING FOR:

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In our ongoing effort to serve the public interest, Cumulus stations broadcast programming responsive to issues of concern to Columbia, Jefferson City and the surrounding service area. The following is a list of those issues and of the stations' most significant programming treatment of them.

Issues are addressed within the weekly programming feature, "At Issue."

"At Issue" airs on:

Saturdays

At

11:55am

WRITER	SOURCE	CART	DUR	Tot.	SLUG	DATE
LUKE			00:00	03:53	Q1 AT ISSUE	4/3/2024 12:42

ISSUES COVERED: A preview of the 2024 legislative session

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 1/6/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: A preview of the 2024 legislative session

- Representative Kathy Steinhoff

ISSUES COVERED: Winter weather and schooling

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 1/13/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Columbia Public Schools Superintendent Dr Brian Yearwood

- Dr. Yearwood discusses how CPS handles severe weather

ISSUES COVERED: Recycling collection and policing

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 1/20/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: The City has approved a reorganization of the Police Department and curbside recycling services are set to resume soon

- City Manager De'Carlton Seewood

ISSUES COVERED: Governor Mike Parson's final State of the State Address

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 1/27/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Governor Mike Parson laid out the agenda for his final year in office at the State of the State

- Governor Mike Parson

ISSUES COVERED: Property taxes in Boone County

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 2/3/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Boone County will be voting on a property tax freeze for seniors in April

- State Representative Cheri Toalson Reisch

ISSUES COVERED: Short Term Rentals in Columbia

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 2/10/2024

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Second Ward Council Member Rachel Proffitt

- Columbia is considering new regulations for short term rental properties such as AirBnBs

ISSUES COVERED: Gun laws in Missouri

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LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 2/17/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Senate President Pro Tem Caleb Rowden

- Senator Rowden discusses the recent shooting at the Chiefs super bowl rally and the state's current gun laws

ISSUES COVERED: The departure of Mizzou AD Desiree Reed Francois

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 2/24/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Eli Hoff with the STL Post Dispatch

- Mizzou AD Desiree Reed Francois has departed to take the same position at Arizona

ISSUES COVERED: Abortion rights in Missouri

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 3/2/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Tori Schaefer, Missourians for Constitutional Freedom

- Missourians for Constitutional Freedom is collecting signatures to get a question on the November ballot to overturn the state's abortion ban

ISSUES COVERED: Staffing at the Columbia Police Department

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 3/9/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Police Chief Jill Schlude

- Chief Schlude discusses how CPD can address its chronic staffing issues

ISSUES COVERED: Property Taxes in Boone County

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 3/16/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Presiding Commissioner Kip Kendrick

- Boone County voters will be voting on a property tax freeze for seniors in April

ISSUES COVERED: Boone County Commission issues

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 3/23/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: Northern District Commissioner Janet Thompson

- Thompson discusses her re-election bid and a new juvenile justice program

ISSUES COVERED: The recall of Councilman Nick Knoth

LENGTH: 3:00

DATE/TIME AIRED: 3/30/24

GUESTS AND PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: 1st Ward Councilman Nick Knoth

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- Knoth defends himself ahead of a recall vote, his constituents are upset with his new job as a lobbyist for Missouri Realtors