

## **PROBLEMS & ISSUES JULY - SEPTEMBER 2023**

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--July 3, 2023--Angela talks with Congresswoman Foxx about the economy, national security, and the bipartisan battles in DC

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--July 11, 2023--Angela talks with the new Executive Director of the Wilkes Pregnancy Care Center, Karey Macfarland. They discuss the services of the Center for women and men and the sanctity of life.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--July 18 and July 25, 2023--Angela talks with Jennifer Furr of the Wilkes Heritage Museum about the upcoming Peach Festival in Downtown Wilkesboro and the activities at the museum.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--August 1, 2023-- Angela talks with Congresswoman Foxx about the economy, national security, and the national budget.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--August 8 & 22, 2023--Angela talks with Wilkes County Schools Superintendent Mark Byrd about the beginning of the new school year locally and changes that parents should know, including upgrades to local school facilities

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--August 15, 2023--Angela talks with the Jared Belk and Letha Gregory of the Wilkes County Health Dept about the upcoming school year, immunizations for children, and staying health during the school year.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--August 24, 2023--Angela talks with Amanda Hooper about Wilkes Recovery Revolution and how they are working locally to help those with substance abuse addiction issues.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--September 5, 2023-- Angela talks with Congresswoman Foxx about the economy, national security, and the national budget.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--September 12, 2023--Angela talks with Mable Nance of the VFW Auxiliary and Mandy Johnson of the VFW Post 1142 about the services of the local VFW and the opportunity for students and scholarships.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--September 19, 2023-- Angela talks with John Johnson of Wilkes DSS about adoption services locally and the need locally for more certified foster parents.

**FOCUS ON THE FOOTHILLS**--September 26, 2023--Angela talks with Becca Staley of the Ruby Pardue Blackburn Adult Daycare, their services, benefits, financing for families, and Daycare hours.