

## **WLRN News Apr 1-Jun 30, 2022**

### ***WLRN News***

Two dozen times each weekday, the WLRN news team reports on the stories that affect South Floridians. This multiple award winning team is led by Vice President of News Tom Hudson, News Director Terence Shepherd, Editorial Director Alicia Zuckerman and Senior Editor for News Jessica Bakeman. WLRN continues to partner with the Miami Herald news organization.

### ***The Florida News Exchange***

Founded and managed by WLRN, this cloud-based exchange platform serves as a nexus for Florida news as partner public radio stations across the state share coverage with each other, broadening our audience's knowledge and awareness.

## **WLRN PROGRAMS**

### ***The Florida Roundup***

From the statehouse to the Everglades including the panhandle and the Keys, Florida has a unique story. Join us every Friday at noon or Saturday at 7 am for The Florida Roundup. Hear from newsmakers, journalists and Floridians from across the state about the issues that matter to you. Produced through a partnership between WLRN in Miami and WJCT in Jacksonville, The Florida Roundup covers politics, business, the environment and culture; providing context and conversation with Floridians about the issues facing our state. The Florida Roundup is hosted by Melissa Ross in Jacksonville and Tom Hudson in Miami. The program also is carried statewide on WUSF-Tampa, WGCU-Fort Myers, WQCS-Fort Pierce, WFIT-Melbourne, WMFE-Orlando, WFSU-Tallahassee, and WUFT-Gainesville.

6/27/22 After the U.S. Supreme Court ruling, Florida's focus shifts to state's new 15-week abortion ban 50:21

6/17/22 Florida's political pandemic continues, with availability of COVID shots for

young kids at issue 50:13

6/10/22 The pendulum of public health power, fewer kids getting regular vaccinations and the fight against opioids across the state 50:23

5/27/22 How Florida lawmakers responded to a tragic school shooting four years ago, and the impact today 50:29

5/20/22 Florida's home and condo property insurance market 'is collapsing – a mess beyond proportions' 50:14

5/13/22 Skyrocketing housing costs spark calls for state leaders to respond 50:29

5/6/22 If abortion laws are left to states, what will that mean for Florida? 50:29

4/29/22 Florida drops survey on teen health and mental health at 'worst time,' says pediatric expert 50:28

4/22/22 'I don't have a lot of hope' says Florida Ag Commissioner about her own renewable energy targets 50:29

4/15/22 A 'farce' or 'very much involved' – the special session to draw new political boundaries in Florida 50:29

4/8/22 The DeSantis-Disney dispute: Is it performative politics or could it lead to changes in Disney's longstanding favored status? 50:29

4/1/22 Top redistricting Democrat worries state Legislature 'will do what the governor wants' 50:29

## ***The South Florida Roundup***

Every Friday, journalists discuss the week in news from and affecting South Florida. Broadcast Fridays at 1 pm and rebroadcast Saturdays at 6 am, the hour-long program is hosted by Tom Hudson, Vice President of News at WLRN and former host of the Nightly Business Report and periodically, WLRN reporters guest host. Listeners can join the conversation by telephone, email, posting to our Facebook page or tweeting @WLRN.

6/24/22 One year since the collapse in Surfside, Roe v. Wade overturned, and rising costs in South Florida 50:55

6/20/22 Synagogue challenges state abortion law, COVID in South Florida, Miami gets first Michelin stars 50:54

6/10/22 Heavy rain brings flooding and sewage spills to South Florida 49:59

6/6/22 Books in PBC schools, bike safety in Miami-Dade, the start of hurricane season and more 50:55

6/3/22 The high — and getting higher — cost of living in Florida 50:59

5/30/22 The effect of Uvalde on Cruz's jury selection, COVID and the economy in South Florida, and a Surfside inspired law 50:59

5/23/22 Some sanctions on Cuba lifted, historic settlement reached for Surfside victims, and phase two in the Cruz trial begins 50:55

5/16/22 Potential pay raises in Broward, Miami-Dade's Heat Season, and unionizing in South Florida 50:17

5/9/22 Rental protection in Miami-Dade, F1's journey to Miami Gardens, and the legacy of Michael Tilson Thomas 50:53

5/2/22 The trial resumes, COVID cases rise again, and unanswered calls in Broward County 50:54

4/25/22 Cuba and the U.S. resume immigration talks, and Miami might get a new stadium 50:59

4/18/22 A potential delay to the Nikolas Cruz trial, an affordable housing crisis and cut bonuses for public schools 51:04

4/11/22 Cruz's sentencing trial, increase in Cuban migrants, and an apartment complex evacuated 35:36

4/1/22 Settlement for owners in Surfside, and the expected jump of Alzheimer's in Florida 33:08

## ***The Sunshine Economy***

The Sunshine Economy takes a fresh look at key industries and economic trends transforming South Florida into a regional powerhouse. From investments in health care, storm preparedness, international trade, real estate and technology based start-ups, tune in to learn more about one of the world's most vibrant and diverse economies. This hour long program hosted by Vice President of News, Tom Hudson, airs Mondays at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on WLRN. The Sunshine Economy is on summer hiatus from June through August.

5/23/22 A 'perfect storm' of problems plagues Florida's home insurance market 48:58

5/10/22 How Disney and DeSantis clashed over power and policy, and what it means for business and politics in Florida 49:00

5/2/22 'If we don't open, mom can't go to work' — the pandemic puts a priority on child care 49:00

4/18/22 BONUS: Why a veteran climate activist thinks Russia's war in Ukraine may be a turning point for fossil fuels 10:34

4/18/22 How two generations are fighting climate change by focusing on finance and age 48:58

4/11/22 How a banker, baker and cleaner survived, then thrived during the pandemic, and new challenges they face 49:00

4/4/22 The South Florida economy experiences 'a different kind of surge' while sentiment wanes 24:52

### ***The Latin America Report***

Venezuelan exiles buy South Florida real estate. Haitian disaster survivors attend South Florida schools. Cuban emigres influence national elections and international relations. What happens in Latin America and the Caribbean has a profound effect on South Florida. WLRN's coverage of the region is led by Americas editor Tim Padgett, a 23-year veteran of TIME and Newsweek magazines. He covers a region whose cultural wealth, environmental complexity, political turbulence, and vast agricultural output offer no shortage of important and fascinating stories. The Latin America Report airs each Tuesday throughout the year.

**6/23/22 Payá biography recounts how the Varela Project laid the groundwork for today's Cuban dissident push 1:44**

6/17/22 Mambí Mess: What does the sale of two iconic radio stations tell us about Miami? 4:45

6/5/22 From cocaine cowboys to trade captains: how the 1994 summit transformed Miami 4:45

5/24/22 Miami's fixated on Biden's Cuba moves — but his Venezuela move matters, too. 4:31

5/3/22 Bitcoin boosters see Latin America as 'cryptopia.' Does the idea have any currency? 4:45

4/26/The controversial sale of Miami's Radio Caracol halts — but the controversy doesn't 4:45

4/12/22 Iguanacorn Dreams: Miami's upstart tech joins Latin America's tech startups 7:45

4/5/22 Miami's International Queer Tango Festival invites LGBTQ dancers to the milonga 4:40

3/29/22 Being a republic would be symbolism for Jamaica — but powerful enough to change it? 4:45