

## **WLRN News July 1 - Sept 30, 2021**

### ***WLRN News***

Two dozen times each weekday, our news team reports on the stories that affect all of us in South Florida. This multiple award winning team is led by Vice President of News Tom Hudson, News Director Terence Shepherd, and Editorial Director Alicia Zuckerman. 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 beaches, Florida has a unique story. Join us every Friday at noon for The Florida Roundup or Saturday at 7 am. 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.

9/24/21 Florida Gets A New Surgeon General, And Lawmakers May Consider Texas-Style Abortion Bill 50:29

9/17/21 DeSantis Threatens Vaccine Mandate Fines, The End Of Standardized Testing?, And An All-Civilian Space Trip 49:36

9/10/21 Sponsor Of Law Driving Florida's Mask Fight Says State Has Right To Act On Masks, Not School Boards 50:29

9/3/21 Schools Vs. The State Over Masks, And Different COVID-19 Death Data 49:30

8/27/21 Judge Strikes Down Ban On Florida School Mask Mandates — "A Sound Victory," Says Parents' Lawyer 50:30

8/20/21 Feds Ready To Investigate Florida Schools If Student Right To Safe Education Violated 50:22

8/13/21 DeSantis Faces Lawsuit Over School Mask-Mandate Ban, And Florida Physicians Urge Action Amid COVID Surge 49:23

8/6/21 Classes Set To Resume As Mask Debate Continues, COVID-19 Cases And Hospitalizations Intensify 50:29

7/30/21 Climbing COVID Cases, And Pressure Over Masks In The Classroom 50:30

7/23/21 Hospitals And Health Care Workers Respond To Florida's COVID Surge, And Red Tide Persists Along Suncoast 49:26

7/16/21 COVID Cases On the Rise, Governor's Anti-Fauci Merchandise, And Updates On Civil Unrest In Cuba & Haiti 49:26

7/9/21 Val Demings: 'Time Is Now' To Get Rid Of Senate Filibuster, Eviction Pause Expiring, And COVID Climbing 50:30

7/2/21 Surfside Update, Florida's Real Estate Boom And Federal Court Blocks State's Social Media Law 49:13

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

Each week a panel of journalists discuss the week in news from South Florida and around the state. 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. Listeners can join the conversation by telephone, email, posting to our Facebook page or tweeting @WLRN.

9/24/21 Haitian Migrants In Texas, Sanctuary Cities Court Ruling, And Booster Shot Questions 50:54

9/17/21 Public School Staffing Shortages, HUD's Flood-Prone Homes, And A Surfside Update 50:00

9/10/21 Florida Connections To 9/11, Life For South Florida Muslim Americans, And South Florida Budget Talks 50:59

9/3/21 Miami-Dade's 'Operation Summer Heat' Program Yields Results, But There's Work To Be Done 51:34

8/27/21 Doctors Ask Public To Get COVID Vaccine, The Red Hot Real Estate Market And Haiti Earthquake Recovery 51:43

8/20/21 The Latest On Mask Mandates In South Florida Schools And Recovery Efforts In Haiti 51:46

8/13/21 Navigating Mask Policies Across South Florida As Back-To-School Season Begins 51:00  
8/6/21 Masks In Broward Schools, Broward's Building Recertification Backlog And An Update On Haiti 50:49  
7/30/21 COVID Cases On Rise In Florida, Mask Mandates Return, And Website Draws Attention To Missing Cubans 51:03  
7/23/21 South Florida Hospitals Respond To Surge In COVID-19 Cases, And What We Know One Month After The Surfside Collapse 50:49  
7/16/21 The Latest From Surfside, Rising COVID-19 Numbers, Donald Fennoy's Resignation, & Protests in Cuba 51:04  
7/9/21 The Push For Florida Condo Law Reform, NMB Mayor On Crestview Condos, And The Latest On Haiti's Intelligence In Moise Assassination 50:59  
7/2/21 Incoming Storm, Shifting Debris Complicate Search Effort In Surfside 51:06

### ***The Sunshine Economy***

The Sunshine Economy takes a fresh look at the key industries 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 Tom Hudson airs Mondays at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on WLRN. The Sunshine Economy is on hiatus each summer from June through August.

9/27/21 A \$1 Billion Deal Brings New Player To South Florida Hospital Market 49:03  
9/20/21 Related Group's Next Generation Talks South Florida Real Estate After Surfside, And During COVID 48:59  
9/14/21 Vaccines And Vacancies: Navigating Pandemic Protocols In The Workplace 48:59

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

Venezuelan exiles buy South Florida real estate. Haitian disaster survivors attend South Florida schools. 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.

9/14/21 Venezuelans Say Most Of Guyana Is Theirs. Guyanese Call That A 'Jumbie' Story 7:45

9/7/21 Photographic Memory: Gentile's 'Wait For Me' Recalls 1980s Central America Conflicts 4:45

8/31/21 'We Have Nothing.' Earthquake Aid Arriving — Slowly — In Haiti's Desperate Communities 4:45

8/24/21 'We Know Haiti.' After 2010 Debacle, Diaspora Wants Bigger Earthquake Aid Role 4:50

8/10/21 Vaccine Tourist Season: How South Florida Became A Shot In The Arm For Colombia 4:45

8/3/21 Why The Cuban Regime's Post-Protest Crackdown Isn't Surprising — And Yet It Is 4:45

7/20/21 Change In The Caribbean: A New PM In Haiti — And A New Protest Paradigm In Cuba? 4:02

7/13/21 Moïse Assassination Leads Diaspora To Question Its Involvement In Haitian Politics 4:45

7/6/21 Elsa Not As Destructive To Caribbean As Feared — But Raises Specter Of Earlier Hurricanes 3:53