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In our ongoing efforts to serve the public interest, KSOO Radio broadcasts programming responsive to issues of concern to Sioux Falls and the surrounding area.

Following is a list of those issues and our station's programming treatment of them.

Issue Covered:

Sioux Falls Police Transition

Program:

"Viewpoint University"

Length:

30 minutes

Date/Time Aired:

1/4/16 4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: For the first time in over 12 years Sioux Falls has a different Chief of Police. Matt Burns was named Chief of Police in late 2015 and spoke about the direction he wants to take the Department during his time in charge. He also detailed a recent incident involving an officer-involved shooting that included coordination with U.S. Marshalls.

Issue Covered: South Dakota Legislature

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 60 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 1/12/16 4:00pm

Guests and Program Description: Program host was live at the state Capitol in Pierre to report on the opening day of the 2016 Legislative Session. Senator Bernie Hunhoff-Yankton and Lee Schoenbeck-Watertown gave an outlook on their plans for the session.

Issue Covered: South Dakota Legislature

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 60 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 1/13/16 4:00pm

Guests and Program Description: Program host was live at the state Capitol in Pierre to report on the State of the Judiciary message at the 2016 Legislative Session. Senator Troy Heinert of Mission and Representative Mark Mickelson of Sioux Falls provided their response to Judicial reforms in South Dakota.

Issue Covered: South Dakota Legislature

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 40 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 3/14/16 4:15pm

Guests and Program Description: Program host spoke with Representative Jim Bolin of Canton to discuss events transpired at the recently concluded main run of the session.

Issue Covered: South Dakota Legislature

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 3/15/16 4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program host spoke with Senator Deb Soholt of Sioux Falls about the recently concluded main run of the session. Special emphasis placed on the reforms designed to increase teacher pay in South Dakota. Soholt was a co-chair of a Gubernatorial Task Force to study the issue.

Issue Covered: Mentoring Programs in Sioux Falls

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 1/21/16 4:00 pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Randell Beck who is spearheading an effort to involve more people in programs designed to have adults mentoring youth within the Sioux Falls community. Beck emphasized the need for mentors being in the hundreds that would provide immeasurable benefits.

Issue Covered: Snow Storm Coverage

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 2/1/16 4:30 pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Sioux Falls Street Fleet Manager Galynn Huber about preparation for snow removal from a storm affecting the Sioux Falls area. In addition, hosts spoke with Jeff DeVaney of the South Dakota Highway Patrol about road condition reports in area specifically on the regional controlled access highways.

Issue Covered: Local Elections

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 3/23/16 4:30 pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Theresa Stehly about her candidacy for Sioux Falls City Council who is seeking the at-large position.

Issue Covered: Local Elections

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 3/24/16 4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Peter Vaughn Pischke about his candidacy for the Sioux Falls School Board.

Issue Covered: Local Elections

Program: "Viewpoint University"

Length: 20 minutes

Date/Time Aired: 3/28/16 4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with John Paulson about his candidacy for the Sioux Falls City Council at-large position.

Issue Covered:

Local Elections

Program:

"Viewpoint University"

Length:

20 minutes

Date/Time Aired:

3/29/16

4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Kent Alberty about his candidacy for Sioux Falls School Board.

Issue Covered:

Local Elections

Program:

"Viewpoint University"

Length:

20 minutes

Date/Time Aired:

3/30/16

4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Carly Reiter about her candidacy for Sioux Falls School Board.

Issue Covered:

Local Elections

Program:

"Viewpoint University"

Length:

20 minutes

Date/Time Aired:

3/31/16

4:30pm

Guests and Program Description: Program hosts spoke with Kent Alberty about her candidacy for Sioux Falls School Board.