

WPRV-AM Public Service Report
First Quarter 2024 (January 1 to March 31)
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Following is a list of the treatment of the issues ascertained by WPRV-AM as the most important to our listening community. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority of significance.

Here are the surveys of community leaders on the issues most important to RI:

Keeping the athletes able to participate at no cost/ fundraising goals, housing crisis, primary Dr shortage, closing female pay gaps. population growth, wildlife threatened by environmental changes, river overflows, Education, crime, and caregiving access to people with elderly parents, Chronic Absenteeism, School Dropout, Education, Traffic, construction & more women focused events, Bridge, education and access to child care for underemployed, Technology in schools, school lunch, transportation, PC relations with RI, Student recruitment, Financial assistance, Highway construction, bridgework & air pollution

CUMULUS COMMUNITY: ALL shows Air Sunday Mornings, 6:30am

- Jan 7** **Host Bekah Berger. Guest Ed Pacheco of Special Olympics, Rhode Island.**
The Penguin Plunge recap, initiatives for 2024 and upcoming events.
- Jan 14/21** **Host Mike D. Guest Bridget Newman, Director of Institutional Giving for Year Up**
Rhode Island. How to get into the programs that help local adults of low income
Develop skills, college credits and corporate internships to give them a better start to life after high school.
- Jan 28** **Host Bekah Berger. Guest Elissa Kalver Wegothis.org**
Fundraising for cancer patients, breast cancer awareness and new ways of
Fundraising for research.
- Feb 4** **Host Amy Pontes. Guest Carla Mulhern, Izzy Foundation**
The Izzy foundation, how it began, functions and Winterfest fundraiser this month.
- Feb 11** **Host Nick G. Guest Angelica Infante-Green Education Commissioner**
Rhode Island Department of Education. Discussed critical attendance matters, the
state of education in 2024 and school drop-out solutions.
- Feb 18** **Host Vic Edwards. Guest Michelle Wilcox, President Crossroads Rhode Island**

The homeless crisis in our state, winter weather challenges and solutions

Feb 25 **Host Jess Schiano. Women with Vision featuring Jennifer Santos and colleagues.**

Women's History Month, networking events for women, self-care practices.

March 3/10 **Host Amy Pontes. Guest Mary-Kate O'Leary, A Wish Come True**

Details on organization and benefits, Shamrocks & Shenanigans fundraiser.

March 17 **Host Mike D. Guest Chachi Carvalho, Transform RI Scholarship**

Part of United Way 401 Gives outreach/scholarships offered to high school students.
to fund their community cause. Direct give and take with students helping others.

March 24 **Host Vic Edwards. Greg Waldron, PC Development & Relations Programs.**

Providence College program. Student Myles Johnson joins conversation on how students are supported, and ways they participate on the community through Friars Give.

March 31 **Host Jess Schiano. Gust Cori Dubie O'Conner & Brenda Figueroa**

American Lung Association. Fight for Air Climb, Lung Force Walk and where funds raised benefit research and families.