

## RADIO PENNSYLVANIA ROUNDTABLE ISSUES REPORT 3rd Quarter - 2021

<u>Date</u>	<u>Topic</u>	Guests / Speakers
July 3, 2021	Budget	-Governor Tom Wolf -State Rep. Mike Schlossberg (D-Lehigh)
	COVID-19	-Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting Physician General, PA Dpt. Of Health -Allison Hess, VP of Health Services, LIFE Geisinger, Wilkes-Barre
	Public Safety	-Josh Shapiro, PA State Attorney General
July 12, 2021	Election	-Josh Shapiro, PA Attorney General
	Education Funding	-Governor Tom Wolf -Rep. Carol Evans-Holl (D-York) -Mindy Sweitzer, Principal, Phineas Davis K-8, York County School District -Noe Ortega, PA Education Secretary
	Wildlife/Agriculture	-Rachel Handel, Communications Director, Audubon Society of Western Pennsylvania
July 19, 2021	Politics	-President Joe Biden
	Environment	-Hayley Book. Special Adviser to the Secretary on Energy and Climate, Department of Environment Protection -Rep. Daryl Metcalfe (R-Butler) -Rep. Greg Vital (D-Delaware/Montgomery
	COVID-19	-Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting Physician General, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania -Dr. Vasu Singh, Medical Director, Health Insurance Division, UPMC



July 26, 2021 Public Safety/USPS -Josh Shapiro, PA Attorney General COVID-19 -Alison Beam, Acting PA Secretary of Health -Kim Jackson, Licensed Practical Nurse -Meghan Clark, Chief Operating Officer/VP of Finance COVID-19/Children Safety Whitake Center, Harrisburg -Meg Snead, Acting Secretary, PA Department of **Human Services** -Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting PA Physician General July 31, 2021 COVID-19 -Alison Beam, Acting PA Health Secretary -Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting PA Physician General -President Joe Biden Politics/Visit to PA -Governor Tom Wolf COVID-19/Economy Sam Guo, Owner, Silantra Asian Street Kitchen, Lancaster -Rep. Mike Sturla (D-Lancaster) August 7, 2021 -Attorney General Josh Shapiro Crime/Economy Politics/Legislative Districts -Jenny Henry, Statewide Strategist, Free the Ballot! -Salewa Ogunmefun, Executive Director, Pennsylvania Voice -Alex Reinhart, Assistant Teaching Professor of COVID-19 Statistics and Data Science, Carnegie Mellon University August 14, 2021 COVID-19/Vaccinations -Governor Tom Wolf -Dr. Michael Ripchinski, Chief Clinical Officer, Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health -Dennis David, Secretary, PA Dpt. Of Community Economy/Jobs And Economic Development -Rick Stafford, Professor of Public Policy, Heinz -Representative Mary Jo Daley (D-Montgomery) Economy/Business -Dwan Walker, Mayor, City of Aliquippa, PA

-Deborah Grass, Act 47 Coordinator, Aliquippa, PA



August 21, 2021 Education -Alison Beam, Acting PA Secretary of Health

-Noe Ortega, Secretary, PA Department of Education

Agriculture -Russell Redding, Secretary, PA Department of

Agriculture

-Senator Elder Vogel (R-Lawrence/Butler/Beaver),

Chair, Senate Agriculture and Rural Affairs

Health/Blood Donation -Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting PA Physician General

-Dr. John Nobiletti, Medical Director, American

Red Cross Greater Pennsylvania Region

August 28, 2021 Drug Addiction/Opioid -Jen Smith, Secretary, PA Department of

Drug and Alcohol Programs

-Dr. Chuck Barbera, Emergency Medicine Physician,

Reading Hospital-Tower Health

Education -Noe Ortega, PA Secretary of Education

-Dr. Timothy Steinhauer, Superintendent, Mt.

Lebanon School District

Agriculture -Russell Redding, PA Secretary of Agriculture

-Jane Clements, CEO, Feeding Pennsylvania

September 4, 2021 COVID-19/Education -Governor Tom Wolf

-Alison Beam, Acting Secretary, PA Department of

Health

Unemployment/Jobs -Jennifer Berrier, Secretary, PA Department of Labor

And Industry

-Inez Titus, Deputy Secretary, Office of Income Maintenance, PA Department of Human Services

Environment/Weather -Ruth Miller, Communications Director, Pennsylvania

**Emergency Management Agency** 



September 11, 2021 Environment/Emergency -Randy Padfield, Secretary Pennsylvania Emergency

Declaration Management Agency (PEMA)

Education -Governor Tom Wolf

-Senator Amanda Cappelletti (D-Delaware/

Montgomery)

9/11 -Tim Lambert, Multi-Media News Director,

"Morning Edition" host, WITF, Harrisburg

September 18, 2021 COVID-19 -Dr. Michael Ripchinski, Chief Clinical Officer,

Penn Medicine Lancaster General Hospital -Alison Brown, Acting Secretary of Health,

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Economy -Timothy DeFoor, Auditor General, Commonwealth

Of Pennsylvania

Public Health -Jane Clements, CEO, Feeding Pennsylvania

-Meg Sneed, Acting Secretary, Department of Human

Services, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

September 25, 2021 COVID-19 -Alison Beam, Acting Secretary of Health,

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

-Dr. Denise Johnson, Acting Physician General

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Climate/Environmental -Patrick McDonnell, Secretary, PA Department

Of Environmental Protection (DEP)

-Alison Acevedo, Director, Office of Environmental

Justice, PA Department of Environment

-Yasmin Gramian, Secretary, PA Department of

Transportation (PennDOT)

Tourism -Carrie Fischer Lepore, Deputy Secretary for Marketing,

Tourism and Film, PA Department of Community and

**Economic Development** 

-Frances Wolf, First Lady, Commonwealth of

Pennsylvania