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**[106.7FM, WJFK] Programs That Address Community Issues
(Regularly Scheduled Public Affairs Programs)
4th Quarter, 2011**

<u><i>Public Affairs Program</i></u>	<u><i>Schedule and Description</i></u>
1. [The Washington Report]	[(Sundays, 6:00 a.m.-6:30 a.m.) Magazine style Public Affairs program produced by Stevie Bridgwaters. This show highlights regional concerns and issues.]
2. [Focus on Manassas]	[(Sundays, 6:30 a.m.-6:30 a.m.) Magazine style Public Affairs program produced by Stevie Bridgwaters. This show highlights local concerns and issues.]

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ISSUE: **[Washington Report]**

[Washington Report]
[October 2, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Transportation]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

HOT lanes in Virginia are on time and on budget for completion by the end of the year. This project is one of the biggest in the country. The project, along 14 miles between Springfield and the Dulles Toll Road, will widen the Beltway by four lanes and convert the inner lanes to HOT lanes

[Washington Report]
[October 9, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Immigration/Economic]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Office cleaners in Washington, Maryland and Virginia are threatening to strike when their contract expires at midnight, October 15th. Wage increases and lack of adequate health insurance are the main reasons for the upheaval.

[Washington Report]
[October 16, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Immigration]
[15 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

Fairfax County is scrambling to meet new federal requirements to provide language assistance for English speaking deficient Hispanic voters with state and local elections less than four weeks away. The U.S. Census Bureau identified Fairfax and Montgomery County as two of nearly 250 jurisdictions required to do so under the Section 203 of the Voting Rights Act.

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[Washington Report]
[October 23, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Transportation]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

The Montgomery county Council's transportation committee will hold a special meeting to discuss the often broken metro escalators at the Bethesda station. The transit authority has plans to replace the escalators at the stop beginning in 2014, but some riders have expressed concern regarding the timing. Escalators are a problem throughout the Metro system.

[Washington Report]
[October 30, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Culture/Transportation]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Nearly half the nationwide traffic deaths during the Halloween period are caused by drunk drivers, according to the Washington Regional Alcohol Program. The program will sponsor free cab rides home for adults in the D.C. area who should not drive themselves. The program is in effect until Monday morning. Snow may keep some people from participating in festivities.

[Washington Report]
[November 6, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Culture/Financial/Government]
[20 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

600 imams, pastors, members of Congress and community activists across the country participated in the second nationwide Food Stamp Challenge, part of an annual interfaith campaign to raise awareness about America's poor. They lived on food stamps for one week in order to bring awareness to the government decision makers to keep funding for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), food stamp program.

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[Washington Report]
[November 13, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Financial/Health/Youth]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Services for seniors, pregnant teens, funding for local jails and libraries, and investigators who go after tax scofflaws are all on the chopping block under cuts proposed to Gov. Bob McDonnell. K-12 and higher education, Medicaid, and behavioral health will get a more support from the Governor.

[Washington Report]
[November 20, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Homelessness]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Fannie Mae Help the Homeless Walkathon marched on the Mall for the last time as one big event. The financially troubled federal chartered mortgage company hopes to raise more money by decentralizing the event. They will reach out to cities such as Atlanta, Dallas, Chicago and Philadelphia. Martha's Table is already planning on holding several events in 2012 with all proceeds going to their organization. They are a non-profit that helps the homeless in the District.

[Washington Report]
[November 27, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Education]
[15 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

K12 of Herndon has become the country's largest provider of full-time public virtual schools, upending the traditional view of schools and how children learn. K12's virtual schools' learning is largely solidarity, with lessons delivered on line to a child who progress at their own pace. A community in Greenfield Mass., has a virtual school, but it did not come without a challenge.

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[Washington Report]
[December 4, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Drugs/Financial]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Seventeen applicants still have the desire to set up medical marijuana dispensaries in the District of Columbia. A panel set up by the D.C. Department of Health will select five dispensaries from the pool of applicants, who list potential sites near Eastern Market, Dupont Circle, Shaw and the H Street corridor.

[Washington Report]
[December 11, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Culture/Education]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Immigration advocacy group, Casa de Maryland has conceded the validity of signatures gathered against the Maryland dream Act but will continue its lawsuit to block a 2012 referendum on the issue. The Act would allow many illegal immigrants to pay in-state college tuition. (Follow up)

[Washington Report]
[December 18, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Elderly/Culture]
[20 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

Volunteers are urgently needed to deliver Kosher Meals on Wheels to homebound seniors in Montgomery county. The non-profit Jewish Social Services Agency reports nearly 30,000 such meals are delivered each year through the program. The JSSA has been helping people across the Washington area meet challenges for more than 118 years.

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[Focus On Manassas]
[October 2, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Economic]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Prince William County was named number one in job growth in Virginia, according to a newly-released U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics study. Prince William netted the highest registered employment increases from March 2010 to March 2011, resulting in a 4.3 percent overall upturn with 108,300 people employed this March. Prince William was also placed on the top ten national list of the fastest over-the-year job growth, placing third among the 322 largest counties in the country.

[Focus On Manassas]
[October 9, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Homelessness]
[10 minutes of a 30 minute program]

About 100 people showed up at the Hilda Barg Homeless Prevention Center to walk along U.S. 1 and clean up the side of the road, The event, sponsored by AfterShare, raised money that initially goes to Fannie Mae and is subsequently re-disbursed to the homeless shelter. AfterShare is a program under Volunteers of America Chesapeake made up of formerly homeless residents who volunteer to give back to the Center and the Community.

[Focus On Manassas]
[October 16, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Culture]
[15 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

The dedication of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial is scheduled to take place today from 9:00am to 11:00am.. No tickets are required and the public will watch from the West Potomac park. All are encouraged to bring folding chairs and picnic blankets. Thousands are expected to attend and there will be music and guest speakers at the event. The event was rescheduled due to extremely poor weather conditions. Road closures given.

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[October 23, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Culture/Youth/Economic]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

The Prince William County Library System estimates that more than 15 million e-readers will be purchased in the United States in 2011. With that in mind, the library system is now offering that technology to its readers. In the few months the technology has been available, there have been 3,800 books “checked out” from the library system. Eighty-five percent of the e-books the library carries can be read on Kindles. Books can also be checked out on other devices such as Nooks, I-Pads and smart phones.

[Focus On Manassas]
[October 30, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Safety/Youth/Culture]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

The People’s Marathon will bring thousands of runners and spectators to Arlington, Rosslyn, and Washington, D.C. Sunday as the 36th annual Marine Corps Marathon kicks off. Runners will be supporting various charities. Those planning to go into D.C. should check for closed roads. Monday is Halloween night, and considered a big party night for a lot of adults. Sober Ride information given. Safety tips given to parents of Trick or Treaters.

[Focus On Manassas]
[November 6, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Environment]
[15 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

Potomac Landfill, the source of the recent rotten egg stench in Dumfries, may have violated state air pollution laws. Following an unusually high amount of rain in September, Dumfries residents, drivers on Interstate 95 and others complained to the town and the Department of Environmental Quality about an odor in the area around the landfill. DEQ sent a “Notice of Violation” to Potomac Landfill. In its response, landfill officials contend the alleged violations have either been resolved or they will refute them. (Follow up)

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[November 13, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Safety/Culture]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Wegmans Food Markets has recalled 5,000 pounds of pine nuts sold in the bulk foods department of its stores in Virginia, Maryland, and other east coast states after salmonella sickened 42 people. Salmonella bacteria can cause diarrhea, fever, and abdominal cramps. In some cases, the diarrhea may be so severe that the patient needs to be hospitalized. Four people became ill in Virginia. The recall applies only to Turkish pine nuts sold in bulk.

[Focus On Manassas]
[November 20, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Culture/Government]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Christmas at Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1503 in Dale City will have hundreds of community volunteers come together for a Purple Heart ornament stuffing party. Approximately 9,500 envelopes – the majority destined for every combat wounded Marine who has been injured since the attacks of Sept. 11, 2011 will be stuffed with a Purple Heart ornament during the event. The event is hosted by the Wounded Warrior Regiment and the Semper Fi Fund, a non-profit organization that assists wounded marines and sailors throughout their recovery process.

[Focus On Manassas]
[November 27, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Government/Culture]
[15 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

Marine Corps supporters near Camp Lejeune are launching a national effort to build a \$12 million museum documenting the service's history in North and South Carolina. The museum will showcase the service's development of amphibious and airborne battle tactics along the shores of North Carolina, as well as the inclusion of females and the training of the first blacks to serve in its ranks. In contrast to other military-centered collections, organizers say they want to pay special attention to the role civilian communities played in supporting the Marine Corps during the crucial years of their development in both states.

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[December 4, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Youth/Families]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

In the spirit of giving, 25 Raytheon employee volunteers recently partnered with the USO of Metropolitan Washington for a holiday bike build. Volunteers put the two-wheelers together, inflated tires, completed quality checks and personally signed gift cards that were attached to each bicycle. The finished bikes will be presented by the USO on Dec. 15 to the children of military families at Fort Belvoir as part of the organization's Project Elf holiday program.

[Focus On Manassas]
[December 11, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Animal welfare]
[20 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Equestrian and canine police units in Prince William County are expected to receive donations. The Prince William County Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association will be giving \$1,500 to the mounted unit, and \$500 to the canine unit. The association, among other things, sponsors the National Police Week Service and Tribute at the Ferlazzo building in Woodbridge, and they participate in National Night Out.

[Focus On Manassas]
[December 18, 2011]
[6:30a.m.]
[Financial/Culture/Transportation/Education]
[20 Minutes of a 30 minute program]

Virginia Governor Bob McDonnell is planning on unveiling a two-year state budget that would stabilize the state's underfunded pension system, spend more on education and transportation. He plans to do this without raising taxes. The Republican governor's national profile is on the rise. His budget is likely to contain cuts to services and programs that are sure to draw sharp criticisms.

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[Focus On Manassas]

[December 25, 2011]

[6:30a.m.]

[Health/Youth]

[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Wal-Mart has pulled a batch of powdered infant formula from more than 3,000 of its stores nationwide after a newborn Missouri boy who was fed the formula died from what preliminary tests indicate was a rare bacterial infection. The government has not ordered a recall of the 12.5-ounce cans of Enfamil Newborn powder with the lot number ZP1K7G. The company decided to pull the lot "out of an abundance of caution" while health officials investigate the death of a 10-day-old. The product could go back on shelves depending on the outcome of the investigation, but customers who bought the cans have the option of returning them for a refund or exchange.

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[Washington Report]
[December 25, 2011]
[6:00a.m.]
[Financial]
[15 minutes of a 30 minute program]

Maryland's utility regulator fined Pepco \$1 million for failing to provide Maryland with customers with reliable electrical service. In addition to the fine, they are required to file a five year work plan detailing how the company will improve both customer service and reliability of electrical service. The People's Counsel recommended a fine of \$14.7 million and no less than \$10 million. They estimate it cost residents an estimated \$23 million to \$115 million dollars during power outages.