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ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

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WMFR PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS COMMUNITY ISSUES

WMFR-AM, Burlington-Graham, NC
Issues and Concerns
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Issue: CD Crime/Drugs
EC Economy
ED Education
EH Environment/Health
IN Infrastructure
NS National Security
HC Healthcare
MI Military Appreciation/Awareness
TAX Tax Reform/Taxes
IM Immigration
COVID COVID-19
ART The Arts/Fine Arts
SB Small Bussiness
GC Gun Control
FY Family/Youth
GR Growth/Roads/Transportation
HO Housing
PA Private/Public/Accountability
POL Politics
PS Public Saftey
AG Agriculture
HA High School Athletics
ME Media
LE Law Enforcment
RUS, War in Ukraine
EQ Equal Opportunity
PF Personal Finances
CC Climate Control

Shows: American Radio Journal Sundays 6:30am-7:00am

WMFR-AM 1200
1st Quarter Community Affairs
January 1 – March 31, 2023

1/1/23 6a-6:30a **Lowman Henry** talks with **Jason Dudash** of Oregon Freedom Foundation about declining teacher union membership; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the new political landscape in the nation's capital; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine discusses the rising cost of work and child care with **Scott Lincicome** of the Cato Institute; And, **Jonathan Williams** had an *American Radio Journal* commentary on why 2022 was a banner year for tax reform.

1/8/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **E.J. Antoni** of the Heritage Foundation about the impact of inflation on family budgets; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on Infrastructure Bill spending; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* Magazine gets details on the backlog processing legal immigrants from **David Bier** of the Cato Institute; And, **Colin Hanna** from Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the new book *Toward A More Perfect Union*.

1/15/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Will Rinehart** from the Center for Growth and Opportunity at Utah State University about congressional investigations into government interference in Big Tech; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the impact of the U.S. House Speaker battle; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine reports the Speaker battle was about restoring the regular order of business; And, Dr. **Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the passing of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI.

1/22/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Roger Valdez** from the Foundation for Research on Equal Opportunity about solutions to the affordable housing shortage; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on how long Americans must work to pay for government; **Eric Boehm** and **Stephanie Slade** of *Reason* magazine look at how the New Right is a lot like the Left; And, **Colin Hanna** from Let Freedom Ring, USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on slavery reparations.

1/29/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with Dr. **Chad Savage** from Your Choice Direct Care about more consumer options in health care; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on raising the nation's debt ceiling; **Eric Boehm** from *Reason* magazine talks with **Andrew Wilford** of the National Taxpayers Union Foundation about tax issues facing remote workers; And, Dr. **Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary of Socialists winning seats in Congress.

2/5/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with Jason Bedrick of the Heritage Foundation about recent school choice victories; **Scott Parkinson** has the *Real Story* on the state of the U.S. economy; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine analyzes the State of the Union address; And, **Jonathan Williams** from the American Legislative Exchange Council has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the proposed wealth tax.

2/12/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: Lowman Henry talks with Dr. Joel Zinberg of the Competitive Enterprise Institute & the Paragon Health Institute about a new report on the impact of state COVID-19 policies; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the latest entry into the 2024 Presidential race; Eric Boehm of *Reason* magazine reports on new efforts by the IRS to crack down on the reporting of tips and gratuities; And, Colin Hanna from Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on why Russia's Spring offensive in Ukraine is likely to fail.

2/19/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Rainer Zitelmann** author of the new book *In Defense of Capitalism*; **Scott Parkinson** has the *Real Story* on the latest entrant into the 2024 Presidential race; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine talks with **Elizabeth Stelle** of the Commonwealth Foundation about a new study on poverty in Pennsylvania; And, Dr. **Paul Kengor** has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on influential Black columnist George Schuyler.

2/26/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Joel Griffith** from the Heritage Foundation about the *2023 Index of Economic Freedom*; **Scott Parkinson** has the *Real Story* on congress blocking ESG investing; **Eric Boehm** from *Reason* magazine talks about Carter-era deregulating of home brewing; And, **Jonathan Williams** from the American Legislative Exchange Council has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the continuing migration from blue to red states.

3/5/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with former Congressman **Francis Rooney** about key issues confronting the GOP controlled U.S. House of Representatives; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the proposed new federal budget; **Eric Boehm** from *Reason* magazine gets details on U.S. Supreme Court arguments over the proposed transfer of student loan debt to taxpayers from **Jessica Thompson** of the Pacific Legal Foundation; And, **Colin Hanna** of Let Freedom Ring USA has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on who will be the 2024 Presidential nominees.

3/12/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: **Lowman Henry** talks with **Patrick Horan** from the Mercatus Center at George Mason University about the impact of the Silicon Valley Bank failure; **Scott Parkinson** from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the race for an open U.S. Senate seat in California; **Eric Boehm** of *Reason* magazine reports on the skyrocketing national debt; And, Dr. **Paul Kengor** from the Institute for Faith & Freedom at Grove City College has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on the slow death of the American movie theater.

3/19/23 6a-6:30a This week on *American Radio Journal*: Lowman Henry talks with Richard Morrison of the Competitive Enterprise Institute about President Joe Biden's first veto preserving ESG investing; Scott Parkinson from the Club for Growth has the *Real Story* on the President's plummeting poll numbers; Eric Boehm from *Reason* magazine and Chris Edwards of the Cato Institute discuss the massive spending in the proposed federal budget; And, Jonathan Williams from the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) has an *American Radio Journal* commentary on how states can combat politically-motivated investing.