### **Quarterly Issues and Programs Report**

KFNB-TV Casper, WY

January 1 – March 31, 2023

Attached are the listings of broadcast segments and stories that reflect the stations' most significant programming treatment of community issues during the 1st quarter of 2023.

KFNB-TV regularly airs a local news program "YourWyomingLink".

Public Service Announcements – KFNB-TV airs multiple public service announcements throughout its broadcast day not only locally, but also through its affiliation with the FOX Television Network.

### 2023 FIRST QUARTER FCC REPORT

# YourWyomingLink at 5:00 pm, 6:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m. January 2023

| DATE   | FIELD | TIME | STORY  |
|--------|-------|------|--|
| 10-Jan | CRI   | 1:41 | Following a 16 year old being stabbed on Friday, a 16 year old was shot and killed in Cheyenne.                    |
| 11-Jan | CRI   | 1:30 | Sextortion is an ongoing problem in Wyoming, how parents can keep their kids safe.                                 |
| 12-Jan | CRI   | 1:46 | Updated information on the 16 year old that was shot and killed  |
| 13-Jan | HEA   | 1:48 | Multiple Wyoming resources are coming together to help residents prioritize their health.                          |
| 16-Jan | CRI   | :34  | Police are looking for a man suspected of robbing three local businesses.  |
| 17-Jan | ENV   | 1:36 | Electric power Customers will see an increase on their power bills, a surcharge to fund a carbon capture project.  |
| 18-Jan | ECON  | 1:33 | Gas bills have dramatically increased, concerning some residents as colder temperatures continue to stick around.  |
| 19-Jan | HEA   | 1:30 | A bill that would prohibit vaccine requirements for public school placement is concerning parents.                 |
| 20-Jan | GOV   | :52  | A workers compensation bill failed to get through the legislation, while a gender education bill passed the senate |
| 23-Jan | СОМ   | 1:40 | A new indoor playground opened to help kids stay active, even in the coldest of temperatures                       |
| 24-Jan | ECON  | 1:30 | With the cost of everything rising, small businesses are struggling to stay open.                                  |
| 25-Jan | ECON  | 1:37 | Wyoming residents are seeing the highest gas bills they've ever received.  |
| 26-Jan | GOV   | 1:58 | Legislators are looking at overturning the no idling law.  |
| 27-Jan | GOV   | :53  | A law that would make child sex changes illegal is passed in a senate committee                                    |
| 30-Jan | EDU   | 1:43 | The Natrona County School District made the decision to cancel school after a third of their buses broke down.     |
| 31-Jan | EDU   | :52  | High school graduation rates decreased in 2022.  |

#### 2023 FIRST QUARTER FCC REPORT

# YourWyomingLink at 5:00 pm, 6:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m. February 2023

| DATE   | FIELD | TIME | STORY   |
|--------|-------|------|---|
| 1-Feb  | HEA   | 1:32 | The government has ended the free COVID vaccine program, Wyoming clinics will still offer the vaccine.              |
| 2-Feb  | HEA   | 1:30 | What the presidents lifting of the COVID national emergency will mean for hospitals in Wyoming                      |
| 3-Feb  | CRI   | :25  | A Rock Springs mall closed after a bomb threat. Police searched and cleared the mall to reopen                      |
| 6-Feb  | СОМ   | 1:33 | The Friends of the Library book sale is also raising food to feed hungry children in the community.                 |
| 7-Feb  | GOV   | :42  | A bill that would allow more businesses to sell liquor has passed through a house committee.                        |
| 8-Feb  | GOV   | 1:16 | Lawmakers are discussing building a mental health crisis center in Wyoming.   |
| 9-Feb  | GOV   | :55  | The legislature is a step closer to banning child marriages those under 16 years old.                               |
| 10-Feb | GOV   | :48  | A bill that would have made drone flyovers on private property illegal failed to pass the house judiciary committee |
| 13-Feb | GOV   | :58  | A bill seeking to provide legal protection to doctors failed a senate committee.                                    |
| 14-Feb | CRI   | :30  | Laramie Sheriff Office is looking into an incident where a student posted an image brandishing a gun                |
| 15-Feb | HEA   | 1:38 | Wyoming has been selected for this years don't quit campaign, to bring three schools a new fitness center.          |
| 16-Feb | CRI   | :31  | A group of juveniles are facing criminal charges after shooting at road signs.                                      |
| 17-Feb | GOV   | :45  | Lawmakers pass a bill that would no longer make it illegal to leave cars idling unattended.                         |
| 20-Feb | ENV   | 1:03 | Casper prepares for another winter storm expected to bring 6 to 12 inches of snow                                   |
| 21-Feb | ENV   | 1:53 | Wind and snow shut down I-80 stranding drivers in Cheyenne. Drivers talk about the impact of the shutdown.          |
| 22-Feb | ENV   | 1:38 | School closures and business closures across the state as the winter storm rolls through.                           |
| 23-Feb | СОМ   | 1:42 | Despite most roads closing down, families traveled early to attend the state wrestling tournament.                  |
| 24-Feb | ENV   | 1:39 | With the consecutive winter storms, WYDOT is running out of room in areas to store the snow.                        |
| 27-Feb | RDV   | 1:46 | A grant is allowing LCCC to offer a CDL course to train new drivers.  |
| 28-Feb | EDU   | 1:45 | Kiwanis club is gifting books to all kindergartners to encourage early literacy.                                    |
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### 2023 FIRST QUARTER FCC REPORT

## YourWyomingLink at 5:00 pm, 6:00 p.m., 10:00 p.m. March 2023

| DATE     | FIELD | TIME | STORY  |
|----------|-------|------|--|
| 1-Mar    | ECON  | 1:48 | Winter storms may contribute to even higher monthly energy bills   |
| 2-Mar    | HEA   | :33  | Wyoming department of health announced they will be restarting its annual renewal process for medicaid                       |
| 3-Mar    | CRI   | 1:42 | Almost a year after an arson to a health clinic, police are still searching for the suspect, with a reward increase          |
| 6-Mar    | HEA   | 1:40 | The medicare postpartum bill will extend coverage from 90 days to 12 months.   |
| 7-Mar    | EDU   | 1:44 | Students from Natrona county are the only winners in the congressional app challenge.  |
| 8-Mar    | ECON  | 1:40 | This winter has been difficult for livestock producers, and has impacted several local meat processors.                      |
| 9-Mar    | ECON  | :30  | An agreement was reach with Delta airlines to keep them as a flight provider at the Casper International Airpot.             |
| 10-Mar   | HEA   | :25  | Registration is open for the second Governors Mental Health Summit.  |
| 13-Mar   | CRI   | :32  | Wyoming Highway Patrol seized 3.89 pounds of Methamphetamine, as well as fentanyl during a traffic stop.                     |
| 14-Mar   | СОМ   | 1:40 | Menards locations across Wyoming are holding a food drive to help fill local food pantries.                                  |
| 15-Mar   | HEA   | 1:57 | Suicide rates appear to be on the decline. The 988 Suicide Prevention line saw over 10,000 calls this year.                  |
| 16-Mar   | SAF   | 2:00 | A look at how to stay safe this St. Patricks day, while still having fun in Wyoming.   |
| 17-Mar   | ENV   | :26  | The governor is forming "The Colorado River Advisory Committee" which will help give input to the rivers usage.              |
| 20-Mar   | HEA   | 1:42 | Wyoming is the first state to hen the use of chartien nills  |
| 20-IVIAI | ПЕА   | 1.42 | Wyoming is the first state to ban the use of abortion pills.  Local banks are easing the worries of Wyomingites in the mists |
| 21-Mar   | ECON  | 1:42 | of the banking crisis.   |
| 22-Mar   | SAF   | 1:54 | One road has a pothole the size of a wading pool, that can cause issues for folks needing emergency services.                |
| 23-Mar   | GOV   | 1:53 | Cheyenne's city council will not decriminalize marijuana within city limits.   |
| 24-Mar   | CRI   | :27  | The Wyoming BLM is offering a reward for for the identity of people responsible for the vandalism in Roger's Canyon.         |
| 27-Mar   | ENV   | 2:01 | In Southern Wyoming, people are digging out after another winter storm, some places getting a half a foot of snow.           |
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| 28-Mar | SAF | 1:41 | Casper Police and NCSD collaborate in an active shooter training exercise to keep students safe.               |
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| 29-Mar | ENV | 1:57 | Upcoming warmer weather is expected to lead to flooding in parts of Wyoming.                                   |
| 30-Mar | POL | 1:55 | One group has created a lawsuit to challenge Wyoming's ban on transgender athletes competing in female sports. |
| 31-Mar | HEA | 1:43 | The World Health Organization is updating it's COVID Vaccine requirements, Children in can skip the shot.      |

**KEY** 

COM Community

CRI Crime

EDU Education

ENG Energy

ENV Environment

GOV Government

HEA Health

JUS Justice

LAB Labor

MIL Military

POL Politics

RDV Resource Development

SAF Safety