

## WDHR

### 3<sup>rd</sup> QUARTER ISSUES 2022

July 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> – announced a free fireworks show put on by a local volunteer fire department. The Belfry Volunteer fire department asked if we could announce the dates and times of the free fireworks even for the community.

July 5<sup>th</sup> – provided updates and asked for community support after the brutal slaying of 3 local police officers and a police k-9 unit. We directed the community to provide support with thoughts and prayers. Our continued coverage of the event and up to date news helped the community mourn and get back to some semblance of normalcy.

July 11<sup>th</sup> – Announced that a wreck on northbound lanes of US 119 had slowed traffic to a crawl in the area. We also made sure that when the scene was cleared of all wreckage and debris we informed motorists.

July 19<sup>th</sup> - Live break ins on the station to inform motorists in the Ivel community that there is a 18 wheeler on the side of the road that had burst into flames. We kept updating the public as the emergency personal arrived and continued to do so as the debris was cleared and motorists could return to their normal routes.

July 28<sup>th</sup> – Interviewed Pike County Judge Executive Ray Jones, during the morning show about rampant flooding in the area. He declared a state of emergency which we reiterated throughout the morning with live break ins and weather updates. Aired the Kentucky State Governor Andy Beshear's address to the state about the flooding in Eastern Kentucky. Spoke with Les Stapleton Mayor of Prestonsburg on the air about the flooding in this community. Shantana Woodward with the KY District 12 Department of Transportation gave updates on air about the state of many of the roads in our area. Ashley Litteral the Marketing Director of Appalachian Wireless, a prominent cellular service provider in the area did several break-in reports throughout the day about the state of some of the cell phone services issues that resulted from the flooding. We also put several people on air that called in from the effected communities to let everyone know firsthand how the flooding is effecting them.

August 3<sup>rd</sup> We spoke to Pike County Judge Executive Ray Jones, Pike County Emergency Director Nee Jackson, Rhonda Price of the city of Warfield about flooding in the respective cities. Tammy Riley, Director at the Pike County Health Department about tetanus shots and the dangers of getting into flood water and debris. We also discussed clean up efforts with Robby Williams, Floyd County Judge Executive.

August 4<sup>th</sup> We aired an update from Pike County Emergency Director Nee Jackson about the clean up efforts of the flooded areas of the county.

August 10<sup>th</sup> Spoke to Pike County Emergency Director Nee Jackson about clean up efforts in the flooded zones as well as assistance that is available to those who lost items and or everything in the flooding. Representatives from FEMA also went on air giving people information on how to file claims.

We spoke with a member of FEMA every other day from August 10<sup>th</sup> until the end of the month on air about where people can go to get assistance.

September 11<sup>th</sup> played special compilations of patriotic and uplifting music as part of a remembrance and memorial ceremony for 9-11.

September 30<sup>th</sup> Announced a car accident that was blocking several lanes of traffic on US 23. We kept with the coverage announcing updates until the wreckage was cleared and cars could once again safely pass through.

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American Heart Association

National Highway Safety Council

KY Department of Transportation

National Library Association

KY Drug Control Policy

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