

Proposed Educational Programming for LPFM in Murfreesboro, TN

by SRCMA

We propose that the station be used to educate the community in many ways; from promoting local arts and music to covering local government activity to sharing everyday life experiences of local citizens to exploring our city's deep history. We want to share the city with its citizens and connect the citizens to each other.

Murfreesboro, TN has a lush, colorful, and interesting history and has been a hotbed for creatives due in part to the Recording Industry Program offered at MTSU, the university that calls Murfreesboro home. The sheer amount of musical content created in this city will provide years of programming alone. But, even more importantly than showcasing local talent we see the station as an opportunity to educate the citizens about one-another and our various ways of life.

Programs may include:

- A 'Grow Show' that will guide listeners through the trials and tribulations of gardening during our growing season.

- Local News; including city council meeting notes, elections, local business developments, city planning etc.

- Quick coverage of the Murfreesboro Farmer's Market every Saturday morning

- A 'History Show' that will highlight moments in Murfreesboro's History; including our involvement in the Civil War, our stint as the state capitol, our music boom in the 90's, visits from persons of import, and more.

- Workshops and Instruction for various projects; Home-Improvement, Music, Art, Decorations, Gardens, Vehicle-Maintenance, Cooking, and more.

- Live broadcast of local events

- A 'Community Forum' or 'City Talk Show' where open discussion of various topics relevant to Murfreesboro will be moderated.

We believe this kind of programming will truly be an educational service to this city and its people and look forward to watching these ideas take shape.

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