

MANAGER'S DESK FOR WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2020

WELCOME TO THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.

WHAT A DIFFERENCE A DAY MAKES! YESTERDAY I SHARED AN EMAIL WE RECEIVED FROM A NEKOOSA LISTENER OVER THE WEEKEND TELLING US THE TRANSLATOR THERE WAS OFF THE AIR. YESTERDAY MORNING, ALAN KILGORE, OUR CHIEF ENGINEER CAME INTO MY OFFICE TO LET ME KNOW THAT THE TRANSLATOR WAS NOW BACK ON THE AIR. ALAN'S ASSISTANT, DAVE OGREN, TRAVELED DOWN TO THE TRANSLATOR SITE AND FOUND THAT THE RECEIVER HAD GOTTEN OFF FREQUENCY; MOST LIKELY DUE TO A POWER OUTAGE. NORMALLY WHEN THE POWER TO THE RECEIVER WOULD COME BACK ON IT WOULD AUTOMATICALLY TUNE TO THE FREQUENCY WE HAD PROGRAMMED IT FOR. FOR UNKNOWN REASONS, THIS TIME THAT DIDN'T HAPPEN. SO A SIMPLE REPROGRAMMING OF THE RECEIVER WAS ALL THAT WAS NEEDED AND WRVM IS NOW BACK ON THE AIR IN BOTH NEKOOSA AND WISCONSIN RAPIDS. THAT'S GOOD NEWS.

LET ME ADD A WORD OF THANKS TO THE LISTENER WHO ALERTED OF THE PROBLEM WITH THIS TRANSLATOR. WE ARE UNABLE TO MONITOR THEM FROM HERE. THE ONLY WAY WE KNOW OF A PROBLEM IS IF YOU TELL US. YOU CAN CALL US AT 920-842-2900. OR EMAIL US AT ENGINEER@WRVM.ORG. WE APPRECIATE YOUR HELP IN SUCH MATTERS.

YESTERDAY WE ALSO SAW THE MACKINAC BUS TRIP COMPLETELY FILL UP. THAT'S GOOD NEWS FOR US BUT BAD NEWS FOR THOSE WHO MIGHT HAVE BEEN CONSIDERING GOING BUT WAITED TOO LONG.

A LISTENER EMAILED SAYING, "I wanted to know if masks are going to be required aboard the bus? At this time we are not sure if we could go, but as the day gets closer we will make a decision if there is still space available at that time.

THE QUESTION ABOUT MASKS ON THE BUS IS A QUESTION ON MANY PEOPLE'S MINDS. IT'S ONE WE TAKE SERIOUSLY. THE TRIP IS ABOUT 6 WEEKS AWAY AND WE ARE GOING TO WAIT TO SEE WHAT THE SITUATION IS AT THAT TIME TO MAKE A DECISION. WE WILL BE GIVING EVERYONE TRAVELING WITH US ONE OF OUR WRVM FACE MASKS. RIGHT NOW THE HOTEL REQUIRES ONE.

WE ARE TAKING NAMES FOR A WAITING LIST. OR, THERE IS STILL A WAY YOU CAN TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SPECIAL PRICING WE HAVE FOR THE TWO NIGHT STAY AT THE GRAND HOTEL. CALL US AT 920-842-2900 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

THANKS FOR LISTENING AND SUPPORTING CHRISTIAN RADIO.

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING ME FOR THE MANAGER'S DESK, I'M MIKE CORNELL.