## Media Partnerships: Editorial Independence

Wyoming Public Media (WPM) partners with many public media entities to bring local, regional, national, and global news to Wyoming.

WPM believes in the editorial independence of news media and the journalists who work there. In WPM's operation, this means being able to report on issues in a way that takes all perspectives into consideration and avoids advocacy for any one perspective. Wyoming expects nothing less from WPM -- its statewide public media network. At the same time, WPM honors the editorial independence of other news media and journalists.

WPM is a member station of National Public Radio (NPR.) WPM shares a mission to inform the public, increase understanding of the world, and enrich the experience of everyday life; however, WPM remains fundamentally independent of NPR. A similar understanding applies to partners such as BBC, National Native News, Mountain West News Bureau, among others.

As per Corporation for Public Broadcasting Community Service Grant requirements, WPM publishes its annual Diversity Statement and protocols online at <a href="https://npr.brightspotcdn.com/02/a4/282e2d8b4cc693679e483a725ef6/copy-of-wpm-diversity-statement-activity-2023-final.pdf">https://npr.brightspotcdn.com/02/a4/282e2d8b4cc693679e483a725ef6/copy-of-wpm-diversity-statement-activity-2023-final.pdf</a>