

FREQUENCIES

KUNC Broadcasts on

Front Range	91.5
Boulder	102.7
Breckenridge	90.7
Buena Vista/Salida	89.9
Dillon	88.1
Eagle Valley	99.7
Estes Park	90.7
Golden	91.7
Grand County	91.9
Haxtun/Holyoke	90.5
Julesburg/Ovid	89.1

Leadville	91.7
Minturn/Vail	90.9
Morgan County	96.7
North Park	101.3
Steamboat Springs	88.5
Sterling	90.3
Wray	93.5
Yuma	88.3

KJAC Broadcasts on

Front Range	105.5
Steamboat Springs	88.9
Breckenridge	94.3



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DEAR FRIENDS,

2019 has been a year of opportunities and challenges for Community Radio for Northern Colorado (CRNC). As an organization both were addressed with enthusiasm and a continuing commitment to serve the community.



NEIL BEST
PRESIDENT & CEO



BILL KURTZ
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One of the large challenges facing our society is the rapidly encroaching “news deserts” i.e. communities without local news reporting. In Colorado in the last few years one out of five newspapers no longer exist. There are 40% fewer professional journalists working in Colorado than just a decade ago.

As an organization we are focused on a providing a strong, vibrant and independent news source. This year the CRNC Board of Directors looked to community needs in developing a strategic vision for the future. As adopted, this vision includes KUNC being “The most trusted news leader for the Front Range, informing, connecting and representing communities across the region, reflecting and amplifying issues important to them locally, regionally and nationally—We embrace local and give voice to unheard Colorado.”

In 2019 we focused on developing additional reporting resources to cover vital issues. In September we launched a Monday-Thursday 30-minute news magazine, Colorado Edition, that focuses specifically on reporting on those issues

which are vital to all of us who call Colorado home. At the same time our strategic vision calls on KUNC to “deepen relationships with existing audiences and grow new ones across platforms.” To that end we continued the expansion of our community events where our staff can meet the community to hear differing perspectives. We also expanded our commitment to reporting on digital platforms, along with the strong broadcast schedule.

Relating to the music discovery found on the Colorado Sound, the Board of Directors approved a commitment to “Curating the unique musical spirit of Colorado for audiences wherever they are—uncovering and re-discovering eclectic music that people actually want to listen to. Distinctively creating the sound and feeling of Colorado.” We have established a separate set of initiatives to accomplish this vision: to engage with the Colorado music scene across platforms; to grow by building on Colorado roots; and position for national opportunity.

Working to accomplish these initiatives, the Colorado Sound is building on its commitment to

Colorado music with an increased presence of artists who call Colorado home on the daily playlists. Our staff also partnered with the Fort Collins Musicians Association to encourage and support Colorado bands who entered NPR’s Tiny Desk Contest, with a chance to gain national attention.

We recognize 2020 offers new opportunities and challenges. Please know that as a board of directors and staff we are prepared to address both with a continuing zeal.

WARM REGARDS,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Neil Best".

P.S. We are focused on looking forward but can’t help but notice that next year will mark 20 years since KUNC left the University of Northern Colorado and became an independent community organization. Our strength, moving forward, will be the same as it was in 2001. A wonderfully supportive community of members. Thank you.

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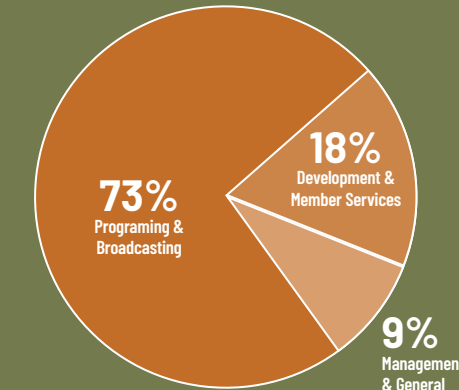
The Colorado Sound: The Sound and Feeling of Colorado

The Colorado Sound furthered its vision to curate the unique musical spirit of Colorado for audiences wherever they are and to distinctively create the sound and feeling of Colorado. Whether celebrating significant dates like International Women's Day with a full day music from female artists, the 50th anniversary of Apollo 11 with 24 hours of moon music from every genre under the sun, or Colorado Day with only Colorado performers all day long, The Colorado Sound brought creative and informative programming to its growing audience of music fans. The station deepened its commitment to supporting and developing the local music scene by helping several Northern Colorado artists record and submit entries to NPR's Tiny Desk Contest, and partnered with the Fort Collins Musicians Association on In Tune- A series of conversations about mental health and creatives.

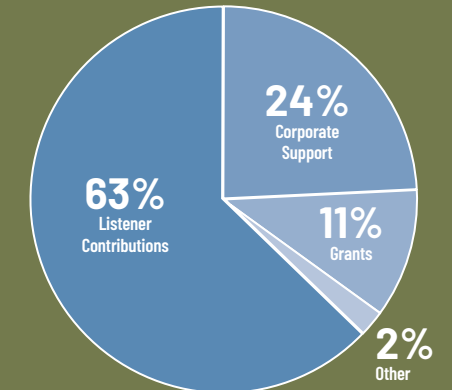


FINANCIALS AT A GLANCE

Thank you to the 16,262 Members who helped KUNC & The Colorado Sound inform, inspire, and strengthen the community through public media!



TOTAL EXPENSES
\$4,369,501



TOTAL REVENUE
\$5,056,525

KUNC: Committed to being the most trusted news leader for the Front Range



KUNC's commitment to being the most trusted news leader for the Front Range brought more local reporting to our listeners and national recognition to one of our reporters. KUNC launched Colorado Edition, as a 4-times a week, half-hour, locally produced news magazine that's also available as a podcast. Hosted by Erin O'Toole and Henry Zimmerman, Colorado Edition allows greater opportunity to partner with with other organizations to expand our coverage and take a deeper look at the important stories happening in our local communities.



KUNC reporter Michael de Yoanna won a national Murrow Award for investigative reporting for his story on a Denver landlord who refused to rent a space to restaurant owners who are Muslims, and we continued to find ways to engage listeners in live settings. Luke Runyon hosted River Voices: The Confluence of Art & Science,

an experimental music exhibition featuring music created from hydrographs of Colorado rivers along with conversation about water-related issues facing our region, and Erin O'Toole hosted a discussion with NPR Public Editor Elizabeth Jensen and Ad Fontes Media Founder Vanessa Otero about NPR's standards of journalism, and media bias.



In June, KUNC hosted Science Friday for a live broadcast from our studio, and a sold-out live event at Chautauqua Auditorium in Boulder. Science Friday is just one of the national programs that featured contributions from KUNC reporters; many of our reporters and hosts were heard on Morning Edition, All Things Considered, 1A, The Takeaway, and Reveal.

UNDERWRITERS

Advanced Medical Imaging	Candlelight Dinner Playhouse	Colorado Ballet	Dellenbach Motors	Fort Collins Museum of Art	Hixon Interiors	Loveland Family Dentistry	Orthopedic & Spine Center of The Rockies	Sonoran Institute	UNC – Schulze Speaker Series
AEG Presents Denver	Caribou Office	Colorado Energy Office	Dermatology Center of The Rockies	Fort Collins Museum of Discovery	Houska Automotive	Loveland Housing Authority	Outpost Sunsport	Spellbinders	UNC /Greeley Jazz Festival
Aims Community College	Center for Health, Work & Environment	Colorado Iron & Metal	Desk Chair Workspace	Fort Collins Nursery	Iconergy	Loveland Youth Gardeners	Pathways Hospice of Northern Colorado	Steve Ray Law	Union Colony Civic Center
Alpine Ear Nose & Throat, Inc.	Chippers Lanes	Colorado New Play Festival	Devotchka—Una Volta Tours LLC	Fort Collins Symphony	IECRM: Independent Electrical Contractors	Macdonald Financial Services	Peloton Cycles	Strings Music Festival	University of Denver -Sturm College of Law
Amara Massage Therapy & Wellness	City of Cheyenne – Cheyenne Civic Center	Colorado Water Center	Eagle Chamber of Commerce	Fortified Collaborations	Jax Mercantile	Mental Health Connections	Platte River Half	Summit Stone Health Partners	University of Northern Colorado
Amy's Green Cleaners	City of Fort Collins – Golf	Columbine Health Systems	Ehrlich Toyota	Front Range Pool Table Company	Johnstown Ace Hardware	Metier Law Firm, LLC	Plymouth Congregational Church	Surgery Center of Fort Collins	Ute Lodge
Arc of Larimer County	City of Fort Collins – Climatewise Program	Comcast	Elderhaus	Garden City Business Association	Kaiser Permanente	Minor & Brown Law	Poudre Pet and Feed Supply	Swallow Hill Music Association	Vail Health
Arktos Direct Care	City of Fort Collins Communications	Community Foundation of Northern Colorado	Elevated Sandwiches	Gay & Lesbian Fund for Colorado	Kilwin's Chocolates & Ice Cream	Mishawaka Amphitheatre	Poudre Valley REA	Tagawa Gardens	Washington's LLC
Art On The Rockies	City of Fort Collins Environmental Services-Recycling	Coopersmith's Pub and Brewing	Elevations Credit Union	Golden Poppy Herbs	Lake Dillon Theatre Company	Moraine Music	Pringles Wine & Spirits	Ten Thousand Villages	Wellness Your Way Festival
A-Train Marketing Communications Inc.	City of Fort Collins Environmental Services-Air Quality	Cordillera Property Owners Association	Emporium Presents	Google-PHD USAC	Larimer Humane Society	Nancy Rebek PR	Purvis Gray Thomson, LLP	The Colorado Marathon	Whisky X
B.A.S.E Camp	City of Fort Collins Lincoln Center	Credit Union of Colorado	Estes Park Wedding Association	Greeley DDA	Lawson Adventure Park	Northern Colorado Food Cluster	Reformation Dance Company	The Cupboard	Wild Birds Unlimited
Bath Garden Center and Nursery	City of Fort Collins-Civic Engagement	CSU College of Business	Eye Center of Northern Colorado	Greeley Museums	Leadville Colorado & Southern Railroad	Northern Colorado Intertribal Pow-Wow Association, Inc.	Regis University	The Gardens on Spring Creek	Wilderness Exchange Unlimited
Beaver Meadows Resort	City of Greeley	CSU Communications Studies	FC Bikes	Greeley Stampede	Lesa Ringkjob Agency Inc.	Nuance Chocolate	Revolution Markets	The Heart Distillery	Wing Shack
Better Electric, Inc	City of Greeley – Festivals	CSU Ethics Colloquium	Firefly Handmade	Griggs Achievement	Little Theatre of The Rockies	Of Monsters and Mountains	Rocky Mountain Family Physicians	The Imaging Center	Women's Clinic of Northern Colorado
Big O Tires	City of Greeley Water Conservation	CSU Institute for The Built Environment	Fireplace Warehouse Etc.	Growing Self Counseling & Coaching	Lodovran,LLC	Off The Hook Arts	Sandstone Entertainment, Inc	The Light Center	Wonderbound
Boulder County Farmers Market	City of Longmont	CSU Libraries	First National Bank	GSG Architecture	Lomax Window & Door Co.	Old Firehouse Books	Senior Access Points of Larimer County	The Lyric	Wunder Health
BreckCreate	Colorado Allergy & Asthma Centers, P. C.	CSU Veterinary Teaching Hospital	Fiske Planetarium	Guaranty Bank & Trust Company	Longmont Museum	Old Town Spice Shop	Seniors Helping Seniors	The Savory Spice Shop	Wyoming Historic Governors' Mansion
Breckenridge Film Festival		CU Presents Colorado Shakespeare Fest	FOCO Cafe	Hank's Pet Food	Loveland Design Carpet One	Open Studios, Inc.	Shambhala Center	The Welsh Rabbit	YMCA of The Rockies
Brewster Timber Frame Company		David Chase Furniture and Design	Food Bank for Larimer County	Happy Lucky's Teahouse	Loveland Downtown District	Opera Fort Collins	Shining Mountain Waldorf School	The Windsor Gardener	Z2 Entertainment
Can'D Aid		David Vinci Sign Systems, Inc.	Fort Collins Connexion	Health District of Northern Larimer County		Opera Fort Collins Guild	Ski Haus Steamboat	Town of Frisco	Zerorez Northern Colorado
			Fort Collins DDA	High Hops Brewery		Opera Steamboat	Snowy Range Ski & Recreation Area	Tri-State Generation & Transmission	
								UNC – School of Theatre, Arts & Dance	

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