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South Carolina Public Radio welcomes Reagan Knight as new local host for *All Things Considered*

COLUMBIA, S.C. – South Carolina Public Radio (SC Public Radio) is proud to announce Reagan Knight has joined the team as the new local afternoon host for *All Things Considered*.

Knight discovered his love for public media while earning his journalism degree at the University of Florida. As a student, Knight worked as a fill-in host for *All Things Considered and Morning Edition* at WUFT, Gainesville, Florida's PBS and NPR member station. Knight served as a student ambassador for the university's College of Journalism, guiding incoming students and organizing events. He also became a prominent voice for smaller communities within the WUFT coverage area, distinguishing himself by focusing on regions with limited coverage. Knight's outstanding reporting and dedication earned him the prestigious Doris Bardon Award for Excellence in Broadcasting.

After graduation, Knight became the Creative Services Director for MARC Radio Group in Gainesville, Florida. Despite his success, his aspiration to return to public media never wavered. The move to SC Public Radio brings Knight's career full circle as he shares his unique talents and enthusiasm in his role as the new afternoon local host for SC Public Radio's *All Things Considered*.

All Things Considered is the most listened-to afternoon drive-time news radio program in the country. All Things Considered is hosted nationally by NPR talent and supplemented with local news and information by NPR member station producers and reporters. Knight hosts All Things Considered locally for SC Public Radio and can be heard each Monday through Friday from 4 – 6:30 p.m. sharing daily news updates from across South Carolina. Knight's afternoon news can also be heard on the SC Public Radio website.

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"Reagan's decision to return to public media is a tremendous asset to SC Public Radio and the entire state of South Carolina. At SC Public Radio, we are committed to delivering accurate, unbiased and impactful news coverage that keeps South Carolinians informed about the issues that matter most. Reagan's dedication to excellence in journalism aligns perfectly with our mission to provide trusted reporting and meaningful stories that showcase our communities across the state. His expertise will strengthen our efforts to foster transparency, accountability and a deeper understanding of the challenges and opportunities facing South Carolina today. We are confident that his contributions will help us continue to serve as a reliable source of information for our listeners." **–SCETV President and CEO Adrienne Fairwell**

"We are thrilled to welcome Reagan Knight as our new local *All Things Considered* host. With his dynamic presence, sharp insights and ability to connect with listeners, we know he will bring energy and continue the legacy of success that SC Public Radio is known for." **–SCETV News Director Darryl Huger**

"Reagan Knight's passion for public media and his dedication to covering underrepresented areas make him a perfect fit for SC Public Radio. His unique perspective and skills will undoubtedly enrich our programming and provide listeners with the news and information they seek." **–SC Public Radio Director Sean Birch**



"I'm incredibly excited to join the team at South Carolina Public Radio and return to public media—a place that has always felt like home to me. Local journalism plays such an important role in keeping communities informed, and I look forward to sharing stories that matter to the people of South Carolina each afternoon on All Things Considered." –Local Host, SC Public Radio's All Things Considered Reagan Knight

FAST FACTS:

- SC Public Radio announces Reagan Knight as the new local host for SC Public Radio's All Things Considered.
- Knight graduated from the School of Journalism at the University of Florida.
- As a student, Knight worked as a fill-in host for All Things Considered and Morning Edition at WUFT, Gainesville's PBS member station in Gainesville, Florida.
- While at the University of Florida, Knight earned the prestigious Doris Bardon Award for Excellence in Broadcasting honoring his exceptional contribution to WUFT.
- Knight can be heard each Monday through Friday from 4 6:30 p.m. sharing daily news updates from across South Carolina.

About South Carolina ETV and Public Radio

South Carolina ETV and Public Radio (SCETV) is the state's public educational broadcasting network. SCETV amplifies South Carolina voices, provides educational experiences and strengthens communities, while working toward creating a stronger, more connected and informed South Carolina. In addition to airing local programs, such as *Carolina Classrooms, Making It Grow,* and *This Week in South Carolina*, SCETV also presents multiple programs to regional and national audiences, including *By The River, After Action, Reconnecting Roots, Reel South, Somewhere South, Yoga in Practice, Downing of a Flag and How She Rolls.* In addition, SC Public Radio produces the national radio production, *Chamber Music from Spoleto Festival USA*.

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