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South Carolina Public Radio wins "Best of Charleston"

Station named Best Talk/News Radio Station

COLUMBIA, S.C. – South Carolina Public Radio (SC Public Radio) has been named the "Best of Charleston" by the Charleston City Paper in the **Best Talk/News Radio Station** category.

The yearly, crowdsourced awards are voted on by readers of the Charleston City Paper and show support of Charleston's favorite local people, places and businesses who keep the city vibrant and informed.

This year's issue included over 300 categories. SC Public Radio took the top spot in the **Best Talk/News Radio Station** category of the Politics, News and Media section.

For more information or to see a full list of the winners, visit the Charleston City Paper website.

QUOTES:

"We have an amazingly talented team at SC Public Radio. I am proud that they have been recognized by Charleston listeners for their work in providing top-notch programming each day. This honor speaks to the value of public media in local communities." **–SCETV Interim President and CEO Dr. Stephanie Cook**

"Our team is tremendously diligent in bringing informative and engaging programming to listeners across South Carolina. We are honored that the Charleston community selected our station as its top choice for talk/news radio." **–Director of SC Public Radio Sean Birch**

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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* and *How She Rolls*. In addition, SC Public Radio produces the national radio production, *Chamber Music from Spoleto Festival USA*.

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