

# Access Soapbox

## Your 5-Minute Video "Letter to the Editor"

### *Speak Out!*

*Access Soapbox* provides Ann Arbor residents and non-profit organizations the opportunity to voice an opinion or promote an event. The program is video taped at the CTN studio every second and fourth Thursday of the month @ 3:30 PM – 6 PM

"*Access Soapbox*" you can:

- Give an editorial
- Express an opinion
- Announce upcoming events
- Discuss activities

## Scheduling Your Appearance

To schedule an appearance call 734.794.6150. Studio time is reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservations are accepted one month in advance of your appearance. However, sign-ups are welcome on the day of production if slots are available. *Access Soapbox* may be used only once every three months. If you are interested in more air time, we encourage you to become a CTN Producer by signing up for the CTN Preview and Production Workshops to learn how to make your TV show.

## Copies of Your Appearance

You may purchase up to three DVD copies of your taping for \$10/copy, however you may instead wish to record your segment from home during its Cablecast.

## Video Production (Max. 5 minute)

- You will have up to 30 minutes to record your 5 minute segment.
- This is a "point and shoot" production.
- One to three persons speaking directly to the camera.
- May include up to two screens of graphics.
- Do NOT WEAR blue, as we use blue screen.

## Content

Your segment may concern a topic of your choice within CTN requirements. You must sign a release accepting responsibility for the content and verifying that your message has no: *Defamatory material which invades personal privacy; material which infringes on copyrights or trademarks; obscene material; material which advertises or promotes a commercial product or service; direct solicitations of funds; or*

## Watch *Access Soapbox* on CTN Ch. 17

Sundays: 5 PM

Mondays: 6:30 PM

Tuesdays: 11:30 AM & 9:30 PM

Wednesdays: 10:30 AM & 6 PM

Thursdays: 7:30 PM

Fridays: 12:30 PM

Saturdays: 3:30 PM

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