0:00:00.000,0:00:06.750 start the broadcast right now so thank

0:00:03.090,0:00:11.030 you all who have tuned in for the

0:00:06.750,0:00:15.420
Twitter webinar presented by NAB CA and

0:00:11.030,0:00:18.779
Iowa and Virginia the ABCs of Iowa and

0:00:15.420,0:00:22.820
Iowa and Virginia we have with us

0:00:18.779,0:00:25.410 speaking today Tanya do sold of iowa

0:00:22.820,0:00:27.810 tanya is the communications director for

0:00:25.410,0:00:31.410 the iowa alcohol beverages the vision

0:00:27.810,0:00:33.120 she works with the local and state media

0:00:31.410,0:00:35.790 to relay information regarding

0:00:33.120,0:00:38.520 operations to the public she also writes

0:00:35.790,0:00:41.239 and designs content for the divisions

0:00:38.520,0:00:44.370 publications websites and social media

0:00:41.239,0:00:46.710 tanya leads the divisions communications

0:00:44.370,0:00:49.559 team which includes internal and

0:00:46.710,0:00:52.440 external communications education and

0:00:49.559,0:00:55.289 outreach and product product management

0:00:52.440,0:01:00.239

excuse me she has been with the division

0:00:55.289,0:01:02.219 since 2007 we also have with us Maureen

0:01:00.239,0:01:03.629 Haney she is public relations

0:01:02.219,0:01:06.270 specialists for the Virginia Department

0:01:03.629,0:01:08.340 of alcohol beverage control she

0:01:06.270,0:01:10.380 currently manages the agency's Twitter

0:01:08.340,0:01:12.890 account and is part of a public affairs

0:01:10.380,0:01:15.900 team that handles internal and external

0:01:12.890,0:01:18.810 communication media relations public

0:01:15.900,0:01:22.189 outreach website content social media

0:01:18.810,0:01:24.570 graphic design and everything in between

0:01:22.189,0:01:27.540 Maureen has been with the Virginia ABC

0:01:24.570,0:01:29.820 since November 2011 and prior to which

0:01:27.540,0:01:31.369 she held a similar position for seven

0:01:29.820,0:01:34.799 years with the state of New Mexico

0:01:31.369,0:01:37.680 office of state engineering and so

0:01:34.799,0:01:41.759 before we begin the broadcast I just

0:01:37.680,0:01:43.680 want to cover some housekeeping tips our

0:01:41.759,0:01:47.340 presentation today will last for about

0:01:43.680,0:01:48.899 an hour it is being recorded and we will

0:01:47.340,0:01:53.520 be able to make it available for

0:01:48.899,0:01:57.060 playback through gotomeeting each

0:01:53.520,0:01:59.729 presenter has about 20 minutes and we

0:01:57.060,0:02:03.509 will have about 20 minutes for Q&A at

0:01:59.729,0:02:05.759 the end all callers have been muted and

0:02:03.509,0:02:08.039 if you have any questions I invite you

0:02:05.759,0:02:10.509 to look at the lower right hand or the

0:02:08.039,0:02:13.450 right hand corner of the screen

0:02:10.509,0:02:15.220 to type in your questions and we are

0:02:13.450,0:02:17.439 collecting the questions and at the end

0:02:15.220,0:02:21.010 of the presentation I will come back on

0:02:17.439,0:02:22.900 the call and ask the questions that you

0:02:21.010,0:02:25.689 guys have submitted to our presenters

0:02:22.900,0:02:28.720 who will answer them so without further

0:02:25.689,0:02:33.280 ado again thank you all for listening in

0:02:28.720,0:02:41.950 and participating I give the baton so to

0:02:33.280,0:02:44.590 speak to Tanya Tanya we have a wide

0:02:41.950,0:02:47.290 variety of audiences today from people

0:02:44.590,0:02:49.959 who have never used Twitter to some

0:02:47.290,0:02:51.760 long-term users so those of you who are

0:02:49.959,0:02:53.319 very familiar with Twitter hang in there

0:02:51.760,0:02:57.480 we're going to start with a very basic

0:02:53.319,0:02:59.560 overview first but that will be brief

0:02:57.480,0:03:01.750 we'll follow that with the Iowa

0:02:59.560,0:03:03.760 experience and the Virginia experience

0:03:01.750,0:03:07.930 and wrap up with what's next in the

0:03:03.760,0:03:10.750
Twitter universe so what is twitter

0:03:07.930,0:03:13.989 twitter is a micro blogging social

0:03:10.750,0:03:16.959 network it's most frequently used for

0:03:13.989,0:03:20.019 people to make personal updates work

0:03:16.959,0:03:23.889 updates share links to news stories

0:03:20.019,0:03:27.129 general life observations retweeting or

0:03:23.889,0:03:29.260

sharing other other's messages you can

0:03:27.129,0:03:32.169 also send direct or private messages

0:03:29.260,0:03:38.169 share photos videos or check in or share

0:03:32.169,0:03:41.470 your location the white wheat the number

0:03:38.169,0:03:44.650 one reason that Iowa's abd decided to

0:03:41.470,0:03:46.750 get on Twitter with customer service our

0:03:44.650,0:03:49.419 customers and citizens are already out

0:03:46.750,0:03:52.120 there on Twitter so it really takes no

0:03:49.419,0:03:55.659 special effort on their part to interact

0:03:52.120,0:03:57.730 with us it's also very quick affordable

0:03:55.659,0:04:00.060 or cheap way to interact with and

0:03:57.730,0:04:03.099 respond to our customers and citizens

0:04:00.060,0:04:06.639 and their it's constant contact their

0:04:03.099,0:04:08.530 twitter is latest statistics is there's

0:04:06.639,0:04:12.190 up to a million new users worldwide

0:04:08.530,0:04:14.019 every day most active users of Twitter

0:04:12.190,0:04:16.060 are checking their accounts multiple

0:04:14.019,0:04:22.479 times every day so it's really constant 0:04:16.060,0:04:24.200 interaction how do you get started the

0:04:22.479,0:04:26.840 first thing you need to do is create

0:04:24.200,0:04:29.030 handle or a username I would really

0:04:26.840,0:04:31.220 recommend using your agency's name or a

0:04:29.030,0:04:34.690 shortened version of your agency's name

0:04:31.220,0:04:38.000 will use Iowa avd something easy to find

0:04:34.690,0:04:40.640 remember and recognize for your

0:04:38.000,0:04:43.660 customers and your users want to be able

0:04:40.640,0:04:46.040 to them to be able to find you easily

0:04:43.660,0:04:48.970 the next thing that you're going to want

0:04:46.040,0:04:52.010 to do is to create and upload an avatar

0:04:48.970,0:04:54.440 the Avatar is basically the little

0:04:52.010,0:04:59.120 symbol or picture that will show up next

0:04:54.440,0:05:06.590 to your your name as you tweet on other

0:04:59.120,0:05:09.260 pages and on your own specific show that

0:05:06.590,0:05:11.420 that users on Twitter that use pictures

0:05:09.260,0:05:14.710 or have an avatar have about 10 times 0:05:11.420,0:05:17.480 more followers than those who do not

0:05:14.710,0:05:19.640 next make sure you write your short bio

0:05:17.480,0:05:23.680 users with files have about eight times

0:05:19.640,0:05:23.680 more followers than users without

0:05:24.490,0:05:28.520 following other users is the next step

0:05:26.810,0:05:31.670 after you get that bio and picture and

0:05:28.520,0:05:34.070 your username uploaded you already have

0:05:31.670,0:05:36.380 a lot of existing contacts that you can

0:05:34.070,0:05:38.380 use to find people to follow who then

0:05:36.380,0:05:41.540 hopefully in return will follow you back

0:05:38.380,0:05:44.690 use those existing contacts like napkin

0:05:41.540,0:05:46.610 other control state agencies other

0:05:44.690,0:05:48.380 agencies in your own state other

0:05:46.610,0:05:50.210 government agencies look and see who

0:05:48.380,0:05:53.780 they're following and follow those same

0:05:50.210,0:05:56.570 people also there's something super

0:05:53.780,0:05:58.340 users most communities have on people

0:05:56.570,0:06:00.230

who have tens of thousands of followers

0:05:58.340,0:06:02.030 you can find those in your community

0:06:00.230,0:06:05.180 follow them if you can get them to

0:06:02.030,0:06:06.830 follow you back and retweet some of your

0:06:05.180,0:06:10.190 messages that just exponentially

0:06:06.830,0:06:12.080 increases your reach right away I'm

0:06:10.190,0:06:14.660 after that you want to continue to grow

0:06:12.080,0:06:17.120 your network the best way to do that in

0:06:14.660,0:06:19.370 my opinion is to drive traffic to

0:06:17.120,0:06:22.070
Twitter from other sources and again you

0:06:19.370,0:06:24.200 have already have a lot of resources to

0:06:22.070,0:06:26.030 do that make sure you're putting links

0:06:24.200,0:06:29.030 to your Twitter account on your website

0:06:26.030,0:06:31.780 on your email distribution list print

0:06:29.030,0:06:35.120 publications really everything you

0:06:31.780,0:06:37.760 should have your links to facebook and

0:06:35.120,0:06:41.030 twitter it's not just the logos

0:06:37.760,0:06:42.650 more the actual URL we in Iowa actually

0:06:41.030,0:06:44.360 have links to all our social media on

0:06:42.650,0:06:46.430 the back side of everyone's business

0:06:44.360,0:06:48.710 card so every time we pass that out

0:06:46.430,0:06:54.200 we're letting people know that we are we

0:06:48.710,0:06:55.700 are out there on social media the next

0:06:54.200,0:06:57.350 thing that I think is really important

0:06:55.700,0:07:00.500 to start and this is one of those

0:06:57.350,0:07:03.610 lessons learned that hopefully you guys

0:07:00.500,0:07:05.690 can learn the easy way create lists and

0:07:03.610,0:07:08.240 basically all that is doing is

0:07:05.690,0:07:09.800 categorizing everyone that you follow

0:07:08.240,0:07:13.010 and marine we'll get into this a little

0:07:09.800,0:07:14.540 bit more later but there's on the screen

0:07:13.010,0:07:16.010 you can see the list of who you're

0:07:14.540,0:07:17.720 following and right there on Twitter you

0:07:16.010,0:07:20.510 can add or remove them from lips it'll

0:07:17.720,0:07:22.100 pop up the list you have created and you 0:07:20.510,0:07:24.080 can create more you can see there those

0:07:22.100,0:07:26.560 are what we have an aisle with education

0:07:24.080,0:07:29.300 prevention social media related

0:07:26.560,0:07:32.810 companies individuals press government

0:07:29.300,0:07:34.880 licensees and industries let's allow for

0:07:32.810,0:07:37.520 a lot better time management and ease of

0:07:34.880,0:07:38.570 retweeting we try to balance our tweets

0:07:37.520,0:07:41.210 so if i'm looking for something

0:07:38.570,0:07:42.980 prevention related to send out i can

0:07:41.210,0:07:44.870 just go to that list quickly and see

0:07:42.980,0:07:50.120 what what's fresh and new that i can be

0:07:44.870,0:07:53.420 sending out as well what makes an

0:07:50.120,0:07:55.970 effective tweet the first thing i think

0:07:53.420,0:07:58.310 is important is know your audience and

0:07:55.970,0:08:01.670 your audience is not necessarily the

0:07:58.310,0:08:04.250 same for every tweet you send out we

0:08:01.670,0:08:07.310 send things pacific to industry to

0:08:04.250,0:08:09.140

prevention to government and as we write

0:08:07.310,0:08:12.380 them thinking about who your audiences

0:08:09.140,0:08:14.660 is important also be a conduit and what

0:08:12.380,0:08:17.540 i mean by that is is making you a

0:08:14.660,0:08:21.290 one-stop shop or a resource for your

0:08:17.540,0:08:23.180 followers retweeting from established

0:08:21.290,0:08:25.520 credible resources like news

0:08:23.180,0:08:27.470 organizations can help that then they're

0:08:25.520,0:08:29.180 not jumping all over twitter trying to

0:08:27.470,0:08:30.800 find information they know they can come

0:08:29.180,0:08:33.410 to you if it's alcohol-related and in

0:08:30.800,0:08:38.120 their state or nationwide they can find

0:08:33.410,0:08:40.310 that information right away I also think

0:08:38.120,0:08:43.900 it's important to clearly identify your

0:08:40.310,0:08:48.050 tweets by using a headline essentially

0:08:43.900,0:08:49.520 you're already very short on Twitter but

0:08:48.050,0:08:51.030 people are blasted every day with

0:08:49.520,0:08:54.360 literally tens of thousand 0:08:51.030,0:08:56.340 of tweets a quick statistic it took over

0:08:54.360,0:08:58.470 three years for the first billion tweets

0:08:56.340,0:09:01.230 to be sent out and now there's about a

0:08:58.470,0:09:03.180 billion tweets every week people are

0:09:01.230,0:09:05.490 blasted with a lot of things so the

0:09:03.180,0:09:07.950 quick short headline at the beginning

0:09:05.490,0:09:10.040 can tell them what's it about and if

0:09:07.950,0:09:12.480 that's something they're interested in

0:09:10.040,0:09:14.370 also using hashtags and that's the

0:09:12.480,0:09:17.670 little pound sign or the number tag with

0:09:14.370,0:09:21.510 keywords people use those to watch

0:09:17.670,0:09:22.680 trends and if you incorporate those in

0:09:21.510,0:09:25.200 your tweets you're going to have more

0:09:22.680,0:09:27.680 reach people not may not necessarily be

0:09:25.200,0:09:30.360 following you can find you be a subject

0:09:27.680,0:09:32.160 make sure you're only using that ones

0:09:30.360,0:09:34.950 that are relevant to the tweet you're

0:09:32.160,0:09:36.420 sending out have the next thing for

0:09:34.950,0:09:39.330 effective tweeting is shortening your

0:09:36.420,0:09:42.930 link links take up valuable character

0:09:39.330,0:09:45.240 space you only get 140 characters many

0:09:42.930,0:09:47.010 Twitter apps have this built-in so to

0:09:45.240,0:09:48.540 automatically shorten those but there's

0:09:47.010,0:09:50.160 also a lot of free websites out there

0:09:48.540,0:09:53.670 that it just takes a quick copy and

0:09:50.160,0:09:55.710 paste there used to be kind of a idea

0:09:53.670,0:09:58.370 that these shortened links may not be

0:09:55.710,0:09:59.730 safe that's less prevalent now

0:09:58.370,0:10:01.920 especially if you've established

0:09:59.730,0:10:04.080 yourself as a reputable to your

0:10:01.920,0:10:07.740 followers how they'll trust those links

0:10:04.080,0:10:10.770 and as I tend you get 140 characters for

0:10:07.740,0:10:12.780 a tweet but I recommend only using 120

0:10:10.770, 0:10:15.030 and the reason why is that allows for

0:10:12.780,0:10:17.760

easy retweeting of your messages by

0:10:15.030,0:10:19.860 others especially on mobile devices they

0:10:17.760,0:10:23.160 click one button it says we retweet

0:10:19.860,0:10:25.380 think it'll add your handle there and

0:10:23.160,0:10:27.450 the RT which means retweet and it will

0:10:25.380,0:10:29.730 still keep them under 140 characters

0:10:27.450,0:10:31.470 without them having to to shuffle around

0:10:29.730,0:10:34.920 and figure out how to edit that take

0:10:31.470,0:10:36.810 bits of space um I'm going to turn it

0:10:34.920,0:10:40.970 over to marine right now for some more

0:10:36.810,0:10:43.380 of the simple starter tips from Virginia

0:10:40.970,0:10:45.150 so now that tanya has gone over the

0:10:43.380,0:10:48.360 basics I'd like to give you a little

0:10:45.150,0:10:50.280 information on how Virginia ABC has

0:10:48.360,0:10:53.580 found the best ways to manage this

0:10:50.280,0:10:56.610 monster we call Twitter and we manage

0:10:53.580,0:11:00.380 our account by using a social media

0:10:56.610,0:11:03.930 dashboard monitoring streams and lists

0:11:00.380,0:11:05.070 analytic and avoiding getting sand is it

0:11:03.930,0:11:09.960 is also very

0:11:05.070,0:11:15.570 important part of that so what is a

0:11:09.960,0:11:18.930 social media dashboard my my mouse is

0:11:15.570,0:11:21.540 not there it is okay so especial media

0:11:18.930,0:11:24.420 dashboard allows you to use multiple

0:11:21.540,0:11:26.970 social networks on one screen so you can

0:11:24.420,0:11:30.450 actually link facebook twitter all of

0:11:26.970,0:11:32.850 that it's AIT's time and it also helps

0:11:30.450,0:11:36.060 you organize especially with Twitter and

0:11:32.850,0:11:38.520 it allows you to monitor multiple topics

0:11:36.060,0:11:40.620 at one time which is very handy

0:11:38.520,0:11:43.110 especially when you're dealing with that

0:11:40.620,0:11:47.190 balance between the prevention and the

0:11:43.110,0:11:52.470 retail side of things like we do and so

0:11:47.190,0:11:56.460
I here at Virginia ABC we use HootSuite

0:11:52.470,0:11:57.780 as our social media dashboard and there

0:11:56.460,0:12:00.870 are various different ones you can use

0:11:57.780,0:12:03.180 this is the one that we can see the best

0:12:00.870,0:12:05.100 for us so this is a screenshot of what

0:12:03.180,0:12:08.070 HootSuite looks like in this particular

0:12:05.100,0:12:11.430 shot you'll see all these different

0:12:08.070,0:12:13.800 columns here and in this screen you can

0:12:11.430,0:12:15.480 see the home feed which is a running

0:12:13.800,0:12:18.300 list of all the things that are tweeted

0:12:15.480,0:12:20.310 by all the people that we follow and

0:12:18.300,0:12:22.920 this moves very quickly it's constantly

0:12:20.310,0:12:25.620 updating you'll see direct mentions

0:12:22.920,0:12:28.580 which shows any tweets that specifically

0:12:25.620,0:12:31.620 mention the at Virginia ABC handle

0:12:28.580,0:12:33.450 you'll see direct messages which are

0:12:31.620,0:12:36.690 private messages that followers might

0:12:33.450,0:12:39.270 send us you can also see the sent tweets

0:12:36.690, 0:12:42.450 here which are any tweets that we sent

0:12:39.270,0:12:44.480

or any retweet that we have done and if

0:12:42.450,0:12:47.580

I could continue to scroll to the right

0:12:44.480,0:12:51.140

you would see that I also have more

0:12:47.580,0:12:55.440

columns that we use to monitor keywords

0:12:51.140,0:12:57.300

so for example we follow anyone that

0:12:55.440,0:13:00.120

uses the term yay tap because that is

0:12:57.300,0:13:05.130

one of our youth programs anytime they

0:13:00.120,0:13:08.460

say Virginia ABC or ABC stores or VA ABC

0:13:05.130,0:13:10.170

those are all keywords that we have that

0:13:08.460,0:13:12.210

allow us to monitor people who are

0:13:10.170,0:13:14.520

talking about us even when they're not

0:13:12.210,0:13:18.540

using our official handle in their

0:13:14.520,0:13:21.780

tweets and then across the top here

0:13:18.540,0:13:26.310

this is where we have tabs that allow us

0:13:21.780,0:13:29.310

to categorize our list and the listserv

0:13:26.310,0:13:32.040

what Connie was showing you earlier and

0:13:29.310,0:13:34.430

the categories that I've chosen that are

0:13:32.040,0:13:37.610

helpful for me for example I have

0:13:34.430,0:13:41.070 industry which is where I follow with

0:13:37.610,0:13:43.980 people like our licensees wineries

0:13:41.070,0:13:46.620 breweries that kind of thing then I have

0:13:43.980,0:13:49.080
an education tab where I follow mad

0:13:46.620,0:13:54.930 drive smart any kind of prevention or

0:13:49.080,0:13:58.050 education entities the media tab which

0:13:54.930,0:14:00.510 is self-explanatory organizations and we

0:13:58.050,0:14:03.570 follow colleges and universities and

0:14:00.510,0:14:05.280 other state agencies and then you'll see

0:14:03.570,0:14:07.140 here to that you know this is where our

0:14:05.280,0:14:12.360 Facebook comes into play if you wanted

0:14:07.140,0:14:18.240 to use that as well so let's try and get

0:14:12.360,0:14:20.940 to the cream so whoops okay so here just

0:14:18.240, 0:14:22.830 so I showed where the column on the side

0:14:20.940,0:14:25.500 pops out just you could kind of see what

0:14:22.830,0:14:28.020 was here the streams is the screen that

0:14:25.500,0:14:30.000 we're on right now and then you can use

0:14:28.020,0:14:32.700

this to check your analytics and then

0:14:30.000,0:14:35.690

this button this little head right here

0:14:32.700,0:14:38.640

is what will take you to your contacts

0:14:35.690,0:14:41.520

so when you want to send a tweet from

0:14:38.640,0:14:43.710

hootsuite first of all as tanya was

0:14:41.520,0:14:46.800

mentioning you it's going to get a short

0:14:43.710,0:14:49.950

year links so you can cut and paste a

0:14:46.800,0:14:52.830

link into this area right here hit

0:14:49.950,0:14:55.860

shrink HootSuite will shrink it for you

0:14:52.830,0:14:57.990

and then you can type your tweet and it

0:14:55.860,0:15:00.840

will it will go out with a little link

0:14:57.990,0:15:03.540

right here in the event that you wanted

0:15:00.840,0:15:04.650

to this area right here is where you put

0:15:03.540,0:15:06.060

in that you want to send it from your

0:15:04.650,0:15:07.650

twitter account you could also click

0:15:06.060,0:15:11.660

your facebook account and send it all to

0:15:07.650,0:15:11.660

one all at once if you wanted to do that

0:15:12.680,0:15:19.500

and then those lists that that we are

0:15:16.890,0:15:22.410 referring to you in order to make new

0:15:19.500,0:15:24.900 list you click here which says add

0:15:22.410,0:15:28.080 stream and once you do that you get this

0:15:24.900,0:15:31.140 screen and you'll see some ability that

0:15:28.080,0:15:31.960 we have here law enforcement media wine

0:15:31.140,0:15:34.450 and social

0:15:31.960,0:15:37.660 and you just create a new list and then

0:15:34.450,0:15:39.820 the list will be in your contacts when

0:15:37.660,0:15:41.740 you click on that and i'll show you how

0:15:39.820,0:15:43.360 you would you add that to the list in a

0:15:41.740,0:15:46.810 minute this is also where you would

0:15:43.360,0:15:48.820 develop your streams with keywords and

0:15:46.810,0:15:53.290 you can also search from from this

0:15:48.820,0:15:56.230 window right here well on the next

0:15:53.290,0:15:58.840 screen this is what you see when you go

0:15:56.230,0:16:02.110 into the contacts and you'll see my

0:15:58.840,0:16:05.290 lists right here so let's say I wanted 0:16:02.110,0:16:08.230 you know don't text and drive to be

0:16:05.290,0:16:09.460 under my prevention and control list all

0:16:08.230,0:16:12.700
I would have to do is just drag that

0:16:09.460,0:16:16.090 into there drop it in and then every

0:16:12.700,0:16:18.280 time don't text and drive tweet

0:16:16.090,0:16:20.650 something then it will show up in mind

0:16:18.280,0:16:22.690 my prevention and control list and it

0:16:20.650,0:16:26.410 makes it easier to categorize and

0:16:22.690,0:16:28.030 monitor all of those things so then that

0:16:26.410,0:16:29.440 begs the question why do we feel the

0:16:28.030,0:16:31.930 need to monitor all these different

0:16:29.440,0:16:34.510 entities well there are lots of reasons

0:16:31.930,0:16:36.550 obviously but for us I should say the

0:16:34.510,0:16:38.770 most important three reasons our

0:16:36.550,0:16:42.130 customer service education and

0:16:38.770,0:16:45.490 enforcement customer service you know

0:16:42.130,0:16:50.680 we've had instances where you know one

0:16:45.490,0:16:53.290 of our licensees or our establishments

0:16:50.680,0:16:54.820 I've had a complaint and rather than

0:16:53.290,0:16:58.270 coming to us with it they just sort of

0:16:54.820,0:17:00.340 tweet about it and we can catch it and

0:16:58.270,0:17:02.110 then we can maybe tell the people that

0:17:00.340,0:17:04.420 might be able to make things better and

0:17:02.110,0:17:06.310 and they could give those people a call

0:17:04.420,0:17:09.010 i mean it's it's just sort of an

0:17:06.310,0:17:10.750 immediate customer service need that's

0:17:09.010,0:17:12.700 being met in it and if we weren't

0:17:10.750,0:17:15.190 monitoring that we might not even know

0:17:12.700,0:17:17.740 that our customers are unhappy with us

0:17:15.190,0:17:19.959 and then of course the education

0:17:17.740,0:17:21.880 component goes without saying we monitor

0:17:19.959,0:17:23.680 what other people are tweeting about we

0:17:21.880,0:17:26.110 learn about what's going on industry

0:17:23.680,0:17:29.710 those in the retail and prevention side

0:17:26.110,0:17:32.560

and we also you know emphasize our

0:17:29.710,0:17:35.080 education components and our events and

0:17:32.560,0:17:37.270 things like that and then for

0:17:35.080,0:17:39.790 enforcement I actually have an example

0:17:37.270,0:17:42.670 this is um this is one of my favorites

0:17:39.790,0:17:45.490 that i thought i would share with you on

0:17:42.670,0:17:45.700 how monitoring twitter can be useful on

0:17:45.490,0:17:50.169 the

0:17:45.700,0:17:53.440 enforcement side so here's some start

0:17:50.169,0:17:55.419 here's Ali an ally has decided to tweet

0:17:53.440,0:17:57.690 with pride about sending her dad to the

0:17:55.419,0:17:59.880 ABC store to stock up for the semester

0:17:57.690,0:18:03.429 so you'll see this tweet right here

0:17:59.880,0:18:05.230 sending my dad on ABC store run stock up

0:18:03.429,0:18:09.190 on a few bottles to start the year off

0:18:05.230,0:18:11.559 right hashtag love him so this piqued my

0:18:09.190,0:18:13.600 interest just a little bit so I decided

0:18:11.559,0:18:16.360 to dive a little deeper into Ali's

0:18:13.600,0:18:19.590 profile and I noticed her pictures or

0:18:16.360,0:18:22.870 images down here and she was kind enough

0:18:19.590,0:18:24.909 to post a photo on Twitter of her

0:18:22.870,0:18:27.850 children's license which had her date of

0:18:24.909,0:18:30.840 birth telling me she was only 19 and her

0:18:27.850,0:18:34.000 full name and address and big red

0:18:30.840,0:18:37.419 highlight is said under 21 and so August

0:18:34.000,0:18:40.120 2014 so Ali was very accommodating I

0:18:37.419,0:18:41.799 didn't even have to do the math and some

0:18:40.120,0:18:44.200 other details I learned was that she was

0:18:41.799,0:18:46.299 a sophomore at Longwood University for

0:18:44.200,0:18:48.940 sorority when she was going to be

0:18:46.299,0:18:50.769 arriving back on campus and of course my

0:18:48.940,0:18:53.260 main concern was that Ali's dad was

0:18:50.769,0:18:56.529 buying a bunch of alcohol for underage

0:18:53.260,0:18:57.940 sorority girls so long story short I

0:18:56.529,0:19:00.669 called our agent who deals with that

0:18:57.940,0:19:04.120 University and he was very excited to

0:19:00.669,0:19:08.590 meet Ali on her first day back through

0:19:04.120,0:19:11.320 college and she also assisted us by

0:19:08.590,0:19:12.730 posting a photo of all of the bottles of

0:19:11.320,0:19:15.909 alcohol that her father had purchased

0:19:12.730,0:19:18.820 for her so the apple doesn't fall far

0:19:15.909,0:19:20.440 from the tree in fact it's no wonder

0:19:18.820,0:19:22.480 that Ali doesn't have her information

0:19:20.440,0:19:25.570 sets aside of it because cedar does her

0:19:22.480,0:19:27.220 father so here's a picture of her dad

0:19:25.570,0:19:30.510 he's probably on the way to the ABC

0:19:27.220,0:19:34.090 store as we speak so that's just a quick

0:19:30.510,0:19:36.570 example of how you have used Twitter to

0:19:34.090,0:19:40.929 sort of help are our enforcement and

0:19:36.570,0:19:43.809 underage drinking so the next thing is

0:19:40.929,0:19:45.669 analytics so whose suite is a good place

0:19:43.809,0:19:47.889 to go for analytics depending on what

0:19:45.669,0:19:51.029

you're interested in we use the basic

0:19:47.889,0:19:53.080 HootSuite but you can also pay to get

0:19:51.029,0:19:56.049 upgraded and get more detailed

0:19:53.080,0:19:58.299 information but you you know as it

0:19:56.049,0:19:59.680 stands with the basic one you're able to

0:19:58.299,0:20:02.620 see how many people click

0:19:59.680,0:20:05.350 our link number of followers number of

0:20:02.620,0:20:07.750 mentions and our reach all things that

0:20:05.350,0:20:11.860 can be useful in determining how you're

0:20:07.750,0:20:15.310 getting your message out there and safe

0:20:11.860,0:20:17.080 tweeting the basically just don't click

0:20:15.310,0:20:20.890 on anything that you think is out of the

0:20:17.080,0:20:26.640 ordinary is it looks strange it probably

0:20:20.890,0:20:29.500 is and I have an example here either two

0:20:26.640,0:20:31.960 people that we follow and that follow us

0:20:29.500,0:20:34.660 to send us direct messages and their

0:20:31.960,0:20:37.180 accounts have been hacked and this is

0:20:34.660,0:20:38.830 just an example of a weird thing hey

0:20:37.180,0:20:40.450 this user is making of dreadful things

0:20:38.830,0:20:43.870 about you and then they encourage you to

0:20:40.450,0:20:45.670 click that link best ideas not to if it

0:20:43.870,0:20:48.160 looks like i said if it looks a little

0:20:45.670,0:20:50.020 shady and assess and if you click on

0:20:48.160,0:20:52.810 something and it prompts you to enter

0:20:50.020,0:20:55.270 any information about your account like

0:20:52.810,0:20:57.550 your email or password don't do it

0:20:55.270,0:20:59.440 because they're fishing to try and hack

0:20:57.550,0:21:02.710 your account and do this to other people

0:20:59.440,0:21:05.710 and we did learn the hard way on that

0:21:02.710,0:21:10.690 one so there i'm going to turn back over

0:21:05.710,0:21:14.650 to Tonya for some Iowa experience thanks

0:21:10.690,0:21:20.020
Laureen I would have been on Twitter

0:21:14.650,0:21:23.080 since early 2009 and our methods and our

0:21:20.020,0:21:26.200 our opinion on how we want to use that

0:21:23.080,0:21:29.320 have grown over the years so right now

0:21:26.200,0:21:32.890 our biggest use for twitter is promote

0:21:29.320,0:21:35.680 positive messages that we have and also

0:21:32.890,0:21:38.080 to respond to negative its negativity or

0:21:35.680,0:21:40.210 misconceptions that people are posting

0:21:38.080,0:21:44.100 out there about our agents they are the

0:21:40.210,0:21:48.490 state primarily though we do use it to

0:21:44.100,0:21:50.200 post news links and updates to both

0:21:48.490,0:21:54.190 industry and prevention education

0:21:50.200,0:21:56.800 related messages we also constantly are

0:21:54.190,0:21:59.140 having conversations with licensees they

0:21:56.800,0:22:01.390 know they can message us we're on there

0:21:59.140,0:22:04.150 all the time and we'll get back to them

0:22:01.390,0:22:07.150 really really quickly a lot of

0:22:04.150,0:22:10.030 conversations with licensees we also use

0:22:07.150,0:22:12.850 it to promote joint messages what I mean

0:22:10.030,0:22:15.190 by that is other control states or nav

0:22:12.850,0:22:17.950 or other state agencies in Iowa like

0:22:15.190,0:22:19.570

Iowa Department of Public Health get

0:22:17.950,0:22:21.880 their message out there and in hopes

0:22:19.570,0:22:24.490 that they'll return the favor we also

0:22:21.880,0:22:26.530 try to promote right messages that we

0:22:24.490,0:22:31.120 have with local and national prevention

0:22:26.530,0:22:32.890 group and we cover tobacco too we also

0:22:31.120,0:22:35.460 use Twitter to drive traffic to our

0:22:32.890,0:22:37.900 website we have a lot of different what

0:22:35.460,0:22:40.690 resources on our website and we will

0:22:37.900,0:22:44.760 tweet directly to those resources such

0:22:40.690,0:22:48.150 as our server online e-learning course

0:22:44.760,0:22:50.470 safety messages press releases

0:22:48.150,0:22:52.840 educational materials like printable

0:22:50.470,0:22:55.510 posters or tips and talking points to

0:22:52.840,0:22:58.600 talk to your kids about alcohol now the

0:22:55.510,0:23:00.700 cost of duis and we strategically kind

0:22:58.600,0:23:02.530 of time those spread those out people

0:23:00.700,0:23:04.420 know those resources are available on

0:23:02.530,0:23:07.060 our website we get a lot of hits through

0:23:04.420,0:23:08.590 that we also use it to drive traffic

0:23:07.060,0:23:10.870 back and forth between Twitter and

0:23:08.590,0:23:14.590
Facebook trying to catch people on both

0:23:10.870,0:23:17.560 of those social media outlets we also

0:23:14.590,0:23:20.380 use it before during and after events

0:23:17.560,0:23:23.620 this summer we partnered with the local

0:23:20.380,0:23:25.570 zoo for an event that they have a zoo

0:23:23.620,0:23:27.970 brew essentially every Wednesday night

0:23:25.570,0:23:30.340 in the summer they shut down the zoo to

0:23:27.970,0:23:32.980 children and open it up to 21 and older

0:23:30.340,0:23:34.690 have beer and wine samples and live

0:23:32.980,0:23:37.060 music and you know want around the zoo

0:23:34.690,0:23:40.320 and see the animals we partnered with

0:23:37.060,0:23:43.540 them to have a designated driver booth

0:23:40.320,0:23:45.280 so every Wednesday before we go we send

0:23:43.540,0:23:47.590 out tweets saying and we're will be a 0:23:45.280,0:23:49.480 zoo zoo brew tonight come and visit the

0:23:47.590,0:23:52.450 designated driver table register to win

0:23:49.480,0:23:54.730 a prize we tweeted pictures while we

0:23:52.450,0:23:57.400 were at zoo brew of our administrator at

0:23:54.730,0:23:59.170 manning the booth and things like that

0:23:57.400,0:24:01.660 and then afterwards thanks for coming

0:23:59.170,0:24:03.460 out and hanging out with us we've done

0:24:01.660,0:24:05.590 the same thing when we participated in a

0:24:03.460,0:24:07.660 veterans parade and we also have an

0:24:05.590,0:24:11.800 event coming up here in November that

0:24:07.660,0:24:15.190 will start tweeting about before as we

0:24:11.800,0:24:17.620 firm up on speakers and agenda you know

0:24:15.190,0:24:19.660 join us here's how to register how will

0:24:17.620,0:24:21.370 tweet during the event of speakers are

0:24:19.660,0:24:25.270 presenting and I know navika does the

0:24:21.370,0:24:27.670 same thing and then afterwards as well

0:24:25.270,0:24:29.500 marine talked a little bit about oopsie

0:24:27.670,0:24:31.660

and then is the same tool that we use in

0:24:29.500,0:24:33.610

Iowa I have gone through a couple of

0:24:31.660,0:24:36.190 different ones tweetdeck and a few

0:24:33.610,0:24:39.130 others and HootSuite really seems to

0:24:36.190,0:24:41.050 have the whole package for us managing

0:24:39.130,0:24:43.630 those lists and tracking analytics all

0:24:41.050,0:24:46.720 kind of in one stop the great thing

0:24:43.630,0:24:49.270 about them I think one of the best

0:24:46.720,0:24:52.090 things about who's we does it allows you

0:24:49.270,0:24:54.130 to schedule your tweets so in the

0:24:52.090,0:24:55.960 morning you can easily and quickly set

0:24:54.130,0:25:01.150 up your pretty much your entire days

0:24:55.960,0:25:04.720 worth of social media can also schedule

0:25:01.150,0:25:07.480 out days weeks months in advance so when

0:25:04.720,0:25:09.480 alcohol was April awareness month I'm

0:25:07.480,0:25:12.010 sorry April was alcohol Awareness Month

0:25:09.480,0:25:13.510 we went out and scheduled the tweets for

0:25:12.010,0:25:15.550 the entire month so we made sure 0:25:13.510,0:25:17.020 somebody called in sick or anything like

0:25:15.550,0:25:20.770 that we were still getting those message

0:25:17.020,0:25:22.780 about it's just great time saver also

0:25:20.770,0:25:24.130 your hottest times during the day for

0:25:22.780,0:25:25.570 Twitter are nine to eleven in the

0:25:24.130,0:25:28.780 morning and one two three in the

0:25:25.570,0:25:30.640 afternoon so scheduling your tweets on

0:25:28.780,0:25:32.440 those high traffic times without having

0:25:30.640,0:25:36.100 to remember to go back to it is very

0:25:32.440,0:25:38.140 helpful you can also schedule tweets for

0:25:36.100,0:25:40.360 weekends and evenings without your staff

0:25:38.140,0:25:41.950 having to work after hours or pay

0:25:40.360,0:25:44.410 attention to that those will catch

0:25:41.950,0:25:45.970 audiences that are completely different

0:25:44.410,0:25:49.960 than who you're seeing on Twitter during

0:25:45.970,0:25:51.970 the weekday scheduling also allows for

0:25:49.960,0:25:53.590 an easy balance as I schedule those 0:25:51.970,0:25:54.910 tweets you can go out and say oh you

0:25:53.590,0:25:56.830 know we're seem a little heavy on

0:25:54.910,0:25:58.900 industry related things right now we

0:25:56.830,0:26:01.630 need to go find some prevention stuff

0:25:58.900,0:26:03.970 and intermix that with it too to make

0:26:01.630,0:26:05.830 sure we're balancing the types of

0:26:03.970,0:26:09.460 messages were sending out on a given day

0:26:05.830,0:26:13.980 week or month and you want to talk a

0:26:09.460,0:26:13.980 little bit about Twitter etiquette

0:26:16.440,0:26:23.140 twitter is a two-way conversation and I

0:26:20.230,0:26:25.180 i think it's it's a really bad idea to

0:26:23.140,0:26:28.810 ignore people that are talking to your

0:26:25.180,0:26:31.420 about you I equate it to the customer

0:26:28.810,0:26:33.160 calls into your office and has a

0:26:31.420,0:26:35.440 complaint or a comment you don't just

0:26:33.160,0:26:37.060 hang up on them you make a response in

0:26:35.440,0:26:38.140 some way shape or form and they think

0:26:37.060,0:26:40.960

that's important

0:26:38.140,0:26:44.050 and once that conversation is started go

0:26:40.960,0:26:45.880 ahead and try to keep it going it's also

0:26:44.050,0:26:48.010 very important to be honest and

0:26:45.880,0:26:50.170 transparent social media is the first

0:26:48.010,0:26:52.780 place agencies will get called out for

0:26:50.170,0:26:54.550 putting too much spin on something we're

0:26:52.780,0:26:56.650 not being completely honest if it's

0:26:54.550,0:27:00.190 something you feel like you need to then

0:26:56.650,0:27:01.810 a lot it's maybe not the best message to

0:27:00.190,0:27:05.140 be putting out there on social media you

0:27:01.810,0:27:06.910 will get called out very quickly I think

0:27:05.140,0:27:10.390 it's important to say thank you and I

0:27:06.910,0:27:12.580 don't usually mean that literally saying

0:27:10.390,0:27:14.500 thank you on Twitter a lot of times is

0:27:12.580,0:27:18.010 through retweeting others messages

0:27:14.500,0:27:20.410 replying commenting things like that to

0:27:18.010,0:27:22.090 show that I am aware that you're sending

0:27:20.410,0:27:23.560 out your retweeting my messages and I

0:27:22.090,0:27:29.170 appreciate it i'm going to do the same

0:27:23.560,0:27:31.330 for you again on the ignoring things we

0:27:29.170,0:27:34.300 try not to ignore delete or attempt to

0:27:31.330,0:27:37.060 bury negativity most of the time these

0:27:34.300,0:27:39.490 are opportunities to respond publicly to

0:27:37.060,0:27:41.320 the negative poster and they're not the

0:27:39.490,0:27:43.510 only ones that will see it they say

0:27:41.320,0:27:46.630 something nasty or untrue and you

0:27:43.510,0:27:48.640 respond politely and correct it not only

0:27:46.630,0:27:50.320 will they see it but a lot of other

0:27:48.640,0:27:52.240 people will see it too so if somebody

0:27:50.320,0:27:54.430 was thinking that they hadn't posted it

0:27:52.240,0:27:57.460 but now they have the right answer as

0:27:54.430,0:28:00.580 well there are instances where things

0:27:57.460,0:28:03.490 are clearly inflammatory and unsolvable

0:28:00.580,0:28:06.310 and sometimes it's best to leave those

0:28:03.490,0:28:08.500 alone shield the final thing for

0:28:06.310,0:28:11.380 etiquette for us is to be human and

0:28:08.500,0:28:13.180 right casually I think social media is a

0:28:11.380,0:28:16.150 lot more like a phone conversation with

0:28:13.180,0:28:19.120 a friend than writing a press release be

0:28:16.150,0:28:21.100 human not just marketing as active

0:28:19.120,0:28:23.770 listening and aging and responding the

0:28:21.100,0:28:25.450 customers I'm gonna send it back over to

0:28:23.770,0:28:27.760
marine again and she's going to cover a

0:28:25.450,0:28:35.080 few more specifics on how Virginia's

0:28:27.760,0:28:37.510 using Twitter to so we pretty much

0:28:35.080,0:28:40.570 shared the same philosophy as Iowa and

0:28:37.510,0:28:42.820 and echo what Tonya just said a little

0:28:40.570,0:28:46.990 bit more about our philosophy you know

0:28:42.820,0:28:51.380 when she says you know be human I kind

0:28:46.990,0:28:55.070 of I used the word hip but the

0:28:51.380,0:28:57.650 hip the social find balance is very

0:28:55.070,0:28:59.920

important especially for us being you

0:28:57.650,0:29:03.080 know part retail and then parts

0:28:59.920,0:29:04.970 education and Prevention sort of you

0:29:03.080,0:29:07.640 know getting a nice balance of messages

0:29:04.970,0:29:10.730 on their learns to pick your battles

0:29:07.640,0:29:12.980 sometimes you just you just can't win an

0:29:10.730,0:29:15.590 argument with some of these people and

0:29:12.980,0:29:18.490 then kind of avoid having an opinion you

0:29:15.590,0:29:22.670 have to remember that you know you are

0:29:18.490,0:29:26.600 the agency people see the logo out there

0:29:22.670,0:29:29.750 they don't see the human behind it so an

0:29:26.600,0:29:31.280 example of being hip and when I use the

0:29:29.750,0:29:34.400 word hip I mean as hip as you can be

0:29:31.280,0:29:36.430 eating with the government agency so you

0:29:34.400,0:29:39.770 know just feel have a little fun with it

0:29:36.430,0:29:42.230 this tweet just showing this as an

0:29:39.770,0:29:45.320 example because if actually got this

0:29:42.230,0:29:46.970 link got clicked on potentially more 0:29:45.320,0:29:50.810 than a lot of other links that we had

0:29:46.970,0:29:52.610 and retweeted quite a bit and if you

0:29:50.810,0:29:54.350 can't read it even chickens can suffer

0:29:52.610,0:29:56.570 when you don't drink responsibly I mean

0:29:54.350,0:29:58.250 I think just the use of chickens and

0:29:56.570,0:30:01.580 drinking responsibly in the same tweet

0:29:58.250,0:30:05.630
people's interests so it encouraged them

0:30:01.580,0:30:07.640 to click on it and then being social

0:30:05.630,0:30:10.490 like tanya was saying twitter is a

0:30:07.640,0:30:12.590 two-way communication tool it's not just

0:30:10.490,0:30:15.710 a place for us to post stuff and leave

0:30:12.590,0:30:19.520 it alone the way to be social is linking

0:30:15.710,0:30:21.350 engaging and sharing and she also said

0:30:19.520,0:30:23.210 Twitter its Twitter courtesy to give

0:30:21.350,0:30:25.580 others recognition by using their

0:30:23.210,0:30:28.460 handles and then you hope for the same

0:30:25.580,0:30:31.760 in return so this example just kind of

0:30:28.460,0:30:33.800 shows where we tweeted about an employee

0:30:31.760,0:30:36.170 that was going to appear on a local TV

0:30:33.800,0:30:39.440 network and we use the station's handles

0:30:36.170,0:30:42.050 and we tweeted back to our or more than

0:30:39.440,0:30:44.150 2,000 followers and then in return they

0:30:42.050,0:30:47.330 retweeted and in the click of a button

0:30:44.150,0:30:51.710 we hit another 10,000 followers because

0:30:47.330,0:30:53.630 they had a very wide reach so and I like

0:30:51.710,0:30:55.400 this particular one can say their answer

0:30:53.630,0:30:59.600 was sort of cute and personable that you

0:30:55.400,0:31:01.910 know come on they said to you so I liked

0:30:59.600,0:31:03.740 that example and then what she was

0:31:01.910,0:31:04.760 saying about you know people can just be

0:31:03.740,0:31:06.590 inflammatory

0:31:04.760,0:31:12.310 and you do have to learn to pick your

0:31:06.590,0:31:15.500 battles this is an example of um we had

0:31:12.310,0:31:17.270 stopped a club from having a performer

0:31:15.500,0:31:19.820

because he was related with gangs and

0:31:17.270,0:31:22.730 this person was not particularly happy

0:31:19.820,0:31:24.140 about it and so they you know in the

0:31:22.730,0:31:26.480 matter of I don't know a few minutes

0:31:24.140,0:31:28.880 they spent about seven nasty tweets and

0:31:26.480,0:31:30.560 we decided not to poke the bear on this

0:31:28.880,0:31:33.170 one so to speak and just let them vents

0:31:30.560,0:31:35.810 and move on and sure enough it was over

0:31:33.170,0:31:38.060 shortly and I don't think anybody really

0:31:35.810,0:31:41.240 remembers it and we haven't heard from

0:31:38.060,0:31:45.350 this person again so we just chose not

0:31:41.240,0:31:48.500 to respond to this one and then decide

0:31:45.350,0:31:50.030 lessons learned for us as I'm sure it is

0:31:48.500,0:31:52.820 with a lot of you the twitter has been

0:31:50.030,0:31:54.950 on the job training and we've learned a

0:31:52.820,0:31:58.070 few lessons along the way in this

0:31:54.950,0:32:00.230 example we ABT tweeted a link to an

0:31:58.070,0:32:02.150 article about a pending case involving a

0:32:00.230,0:32:04.580 man who allegedly performed a strip to

0:32:02.150,0:32:06.740 you the case was ongoing and the tweet

0:32:04.580,0:32:08.750 garnered some interest probably because

0:32:06.740,0:32:11.060 the word striptease was in it but

0:32:08.750,0:32:12.800 whatever the reason the man was on who

0:32:11.060,0:32:15.640 was on trial didn't appreciate of

0:32:12.800,0:32:18.980 posting it because it was an article

0:32:15.640,0:32:21.350 that had maybe a little bit of a slant

0:32:18.980,0:32:23.600 to it and he hadn't even the case i've

0:32:21.350,0:32:25.400 been fully adjudicated yet so we

0:32:23.600,0:32:28.910 realized that he had a very valid point

0:32:25.400,0:32:32.000 and ABC kind of came up with some rules

0:32:28.910,0:32:33.860 after that not to tweet any coverage of

0:32:32.000,0:32:36.740 a case that has not been fully

0:32:33.860,0:32:39.110 adjudicated yet and we try and link

0:32:36.740,0:32:42.350 directly to a press release that we've

0:32:39.110,0:32:44.810 issued rather than linking people to

0:32:42.350,0:32:47.060 coverage in the event that it would be

0:32:44.810,0:32:49.070 planted or have an opinion of any of any

0:32:47.060,0:32:50.810 sort and of course we do retweet

0:32:49.070,0:32:53.120 articles all the time but we make sure

0:32:50.810,0:32:55.370 that we cite the source and we are very

0:32:53.120,0:32:57.380 picky about you know the ones that we

0:32:55.370,0:33:01.910 put up there we don't we avoid opening

0:32:57.380,0:33:08.870 that can of worms so on that note i will

0:33:01.910,0:33:11.000 give it that to tanya to finish up so if

0:33:08.870,0:33:14.180 you've decided to make the leap and get

0:33:11.000,0:33:16.850 your agency on twitter how what's next i

0:33:14.180,0:33:18.559
I think once you get signed up the

0:33:16.850,0:33:22.519 ongoing like I said we've

0:33:18.559,0:33:24.769 on for four years or so you got to

0:33:22.519,0:33:28.730 continue to grow your network social

0:33:24.769,0:33:31.999 media is not going away continue to grow

0:33:28.730,0:33:34.249 and increase your reach do that by again

0:33:31.999,0:33:37.340

driving traffic from other sources I

0:33:34.249,0:33:39.590 give people motivation to stay people

0:33:37.340,0:33:43.009 want to know or see what's in it for

0:33:39.590,0:33:45.019 them to follow you and also personalize

0:33:43.009,0:33:46.370 it hit all your audiences make sure

0:33:45.019,0:33:50.230 you're trying to balance between

0:33:46.370,0:33:53.149 industry prevention local information

0:33:50.230,0:33:55.519 you know the general public at varying

0:33:53.149,0:33:58.279 times of the day increase your

0:33:55.519,0:34:01.070 conversations by replying to others that

0:33:58.279,0:34:02.899 will get you more followers as well and

0:34:01.070,0:34:05.179 not everything must be relevant to your

0:34:02.899,0:34:08.089 mission and that will help expand your

0:34:05.179,0:34:10.369 audience we started out very strict and

0:34:08.089,0:34:14.510 dry and they're trying to change that

0:34:10.369,0:34:16.909 now humor is the number one thing that

0:34:14.510,0:34:19.669 will make something go viral online so

0:34:16.909,0:34:24.710 like Marines example of the chickens 0:34:19.669,0:34:27.290 story of using things like that is going

0:34:24.710,0:34:29.599 to vastly increase your reach now you

0:34:27.290,0:34:32.089
may get a little bit of backlash on old

0:34:29.599,0:34:34.790 government employees spending time to

0:34:32.089,0:34:38.389 tell us about a guy who got drunk and

0:34:34.790,0:34:39.829 accidentally killed there's chickens but

0:34:38.389,0:34:43.069 it's worth it to be out there and

0:34:39.829,0:34:45.169 growing that network all the time the

0:34:43.069,0:34:47.210 other next thing I think that as big as

0:34:45.169,0:34:50.540 social media policies are becoming very

0:34:47.210,0:34:52.700 common Iowa has a statewide social media

0:34:50.540,0:34:55.369 policy and a DVD we're working on an

0:34:52.700,0:34:56.839 agency specific policy pretty much the

0:34:55.369,0:34:58.339 only reason we don't have one at this

0:34:56.839,0:35:00.920 point in time is there's only two of us

0:34:58.339,0:35:03.200 that have access to it at all and we've

0:35:00.920,0:35:06.380 been doing it for quite a while but it 0:35:03.200,0:35:08.780 is in the process policies can cover

0:35:06.380,0:35:11.540 both professional and personal use

0:35:08.780,0:35:15.020 there's a little conference controversy

0:35:11.540,0:35:18.349 or the personal use of things but it's

0:35:15.020,0:35:20.599 important also to cover what it when it

0:35:18.349,0:35:23.060 is and is not appropriate to speak on

0:35:20.599,0:35:25.220 behalf of the organization and be clear

0:35:23.060,0:35:29.210 on that definition sometimes the

0:35:25.220,0:35:31.339 employees is not intent intending to be

0:35:29.210,0:35:32.120 speaking for the company on their own

0:35:31.339,0:35:35.840 but it can

0:35:32.120,0:35:38.000 be perceived that way and also clearly

0:35:35.840,0:35:39.530 define in a social media policy the

0:35:38.000,0:35:42.080 information that employees may never

0:35:39.530,0:35:44.390 share on social networks which would be

0:35:42.080,0:35:46.220 confidential information I know some

0:35:44.390,0:35:50.390 agencies specifically say never to use

0:35:46.220,0:35:52.310

employee names things like that be

0:35:50.390,0:35:54.800 specific on who can create or have

0:35:52.310,0:35:56.780 access to those official accounts that

0:35:54.800,0:35:59.780 can even include how oft and passwords

0:35:56.780,0:36:03.860 are changed and the use of agency

0:35:59.780,0:36:05.450 computers for social networking defining

0:36:03.860,0:36:06.920 how the agency will or will not interact

0:36:05.450,0:36:09.490 with other users is a good thing to

0:36:06.920,0:36:12.410 include on social media policies and

0:36:09.490,0:36:14.600 posting a notice of how when and why

0:36:12.410,0:36:17.270
User Content would be deleted from

0:36:14.600,0:36:21.260 agency pages can save you headaches

0:36:17.270,0:36:23.090 sometimes down the road and the

0:36:21.260,0:36:25.190 final thing on social media policy is

0:36:23.090,0:36:27.680 kind of define your content what is and

0:36:25.190,0:36:29.420 is an appropriate should post and by

0:36:27.680,0:36:32.290 that I mean sometimes there's a fine

0:36:29.420,0:36:35.750 line and I all we don't post products 0:36:32.290,0:36:37.790 specials or drink recipes but we're also

0:36:35.750,0:36:39.500 not in the retail business like a lot of

0:36:37.790,0:36:43.760 you guys are so it where it may be

0:36:39.500,0:36:45.920 appropriate for Pennsylvania do that and

0:36:43.760,0:36:47.870 less so maybe for us so defining those

0:36:45.920,0:36:49.820 things in your social media policies can

0:36:47.870,0:36:53.690 make it easier and run smoother from the

0:36:49.820,0:36:55.040 very beginning on the Twitterverse on

0:36:53.690,0:36:56.990 the right-hand side of your screen you

0:36:55.040,0:36:59.750 can see kind of a galaxy and every

0:36:56.990,0:37:03.380 single one of those little circles are

0:36:59.750,0:37:05.630 an app or a service that is related to

0:37:03.380,0:37:08.690
Twitter it can be very overwhelming

0:37:05.630,0:37:12.320 there are services for mobile twitter

0:37:08.690,0:37:14.480 dashboards marketing analytics crm event

0:37:12.320,0:37:16.910 management advertising marketing the

0:37:14.480,0:37:18.620 list goes on and on and on we really 0:37:16.910,0:37:21.320 only use about three of those we use

0:37:18.620,0:37:23.330 Twitter specifically how we use a

0:37:21.320,0:37:26.810 dashboard HootSuite like we've talked

0:37:23.330,0:37:28.880 about and then Twitter for mobile don't

0:37:26.810,0:37:30.800 let that overwhelm you don't need to

0:37:28.880,0:37:34.190 know every single one of those or be

0:37:30.800,0:37:35.960 using any of them do what works for you

0:37:34.190,0:37:38.870 don't don't get overwhelmed by

0:37:35.960,0:37:41.450 everything that's out there and the last

0:37:38.870,0:37:44.210 thing on what's next is targeted

0:37:41.450,0:37:45.829 accounts so we have had our Iowa a media

0:37:44.210,0:37:49.160 account for a number of years

0:37:45.829,0:37:51.109 we are considering now having an

0:37:49.160,0:37:53.979 entirely different account that is

0:37:51.109,0:37:56.479 specific to education and Prevention

0:37:53.979,0:37:59.930 like Maureen said sometimes we have

0:37:56.479,0:38:02.509 state agencies who have both the sale

0:37:59.930,0:38:05.089

either wholesale and or retail plus an

0:38:02.509,0:38:07.219 education prevention component um can

0:38:05.089,0:38:08.809 get some backlash depending on what

0:38:07.219,0:38:11.119 we're putting out there from one side or

0:38:08.809,0:38:13.819 the other we're considering it we have

0:38:11.119,0:38:26.509 not jumped in to do that but it's

0:38:13.819,0:38:30.140 possibility for the future okay so to

0:38:26.509,0:38:32.479 wrap up for best practices set up your

0:38:30.140,0:38:35.359 profile and include your picture by a

0:38:32.479,0:38:37.219 location your website your branding the

0:38:35.359,0:38:39.079 more of that you do the more followers

0:38:37.219,0:38:42.140 you'll end up with more authentic

0:38:39.079,0:38:45.259 accounts respond retweets and start

0:38:42.140,0:38:48.680 conversations balance information with

0:38:45.259,0:38:51.559 fun curate your tweets with headlines

0:38:48.680,0:38:53.690 and hashtags and don't forget you can't

0:38:51.559,0:38:56.029 floor until you leave the nest go ahead

0:38:53.690,0:38:59.449 and make that list or make that jump and

0:38:56.029,0:39:02.269 get out there so thank you so much for

0:38:59.449,0:39:03.529 participating in today's webinar marine

0:39:02.269,0:39:06.499 and I hope that you feel a little more

0:39:03.529,0:39:08.599 confident about tweeting and know that

0:39:06.499,0:39:11.930 you have both of us as a resource to get

0:39:08.599,0:39:14.329 you started there's our total heat

0:39:11.930,0:39:17.089
Twitter handles and then our emails feel

0:39:14.329,0:39:19.279 free to call us or email us message us

0:39:17.089,0:39:22.299 on twitter if you want any advice or

0:39:19.279,0:39:24.380 need any help as you get moving on

0:39:22.299,0:39:26.209
maybes going to take back over right now

0:39:24.380,0:39:27.619 and i think we'll be covering any

0:39:26.209,0:39:30.949 questions that people have submitted

0:39:27.619,0:39:37.039 through the webinar chat portal yes

0:39:30.949,0:39:40.130 thank you very much tonya questions that

0:39:37.039,0:39:43.699 i have here like how do you prioritize

0:39:40.130,0:39:46.579 what social media platform is is best to

0:39:43.699,0:39:48.890

be on i mean you talked about so many of

0:39:46.579,0:39:50.630

them that are out there you know

0:39:48.890,0:39:52.549

Facebook Twitter I mean there's also

0:39:50.630,0:39:55.099

YouTube although I know we're specific

0:39:52.549,0:40:00.069

to to Twitter today but how do you

0:39:55.099,0:40:00.069

prioritize which is the best one to be

0:40:01.270,0:40:07.280

um this is Tanya I can kind of cover

0:40:04.730,0:40:11.150

that when we decided to go ahead and get

0:40:07.280,0:40:13.220

on social media in 2009 please book in

0:40:11.150,0:40:16.070

Twitter we're definitely the top ones

0:40:13.220,0:40:19.340

out there and I think that's still true

0:40:16.070,0:40:21.560

today I know several agencies have had

0:40:19.340,0:40:25.070

great success on YouTube and I think

0:40:21.560,0:40:26.359

that's a good one too but primarily and

0:40:25.070,0:40:28.730

you'll just linked in their Pinterest

0:40:26.359,0:40:32.060

there's a million of them I think the

0:40:28.730,0:40:36.320

best place to start is facebook and or

0:40:32.060,0:40:38.750

Twitter in my opinion marine I agree I

0:40:36.320,0:40:41.060 mean we also have a youtube account we

0:40:38.750,0:40:45.920 use that primarily though when we have

0:40:41.060,0:40:48.140 videos we link from our Facebook to the

0:40:45.920,0:40:50.990 youtube account or from twitter to

0:40:48.140,0:40:53.240 youtube for we have PSAs or anything of

0:40:50.990,0:40:55.250 that nature but i but i agree that

0:40:53.240,0:40:57.200 twitter and facebook or where it's at at

0:40:55.250,0:41:03.550 least for the next five minutes anyway

0:40:57.200,0:41:07.540 so all right okay i just want to remind

0:41:03.550,0:41:12.830 listeners that there is a questions

0:41:07.540,0:41:15.619 section on the right side and you can

0:41:12.830,0:41:21.430 type in your questions and hit submit

0:41:15.619,0:41:27.400 and we will get the the questions and

0:41:21.430,0:41:27.400 we'll ask and answer them for you

0:41:27.520,0:41:37.790 another question with regard to to

0:41:34.430,0:41:40.670 twitter and being out there you are you

0:41:37.790,0:41:46.550 identified as yourself or are you

0:41:40.670,0:41:49.099

identified as the agency this is Maureen

0:41:46.550,0:41:52.540 um you are you are the agency and you're

0:41:49.099,0:41:54.920 putting on the face of the agency now

0:41:52.540,0:41:56.750 you may have seen like on my HootSuite

0:41:54.920,0:42:00.530 you saw my name all over it but that

0:41:56.750,0:42:06.109 that doesn't go out at all they just see

0:42:00.530,0:42:09.500 the ABC logo when when we tweet I would

0:42:06.109,0:42:12.160 also same specific to the agency you

0:42:09.500,0:42:13.440 don't know if it's me or Arron or

0:42:12.160,0:42:15.270 sending the

0:42:13.440,0:42:17.790 things out there and where you can see

0:42:15.270,0:42:19.650 that it's just backend stuff I do have

0:42:17.790,0:42:24.390 personal accountable Twitter and

0:42:19.650,0:42:26.790 Facebook and yes they are private so you

0:42:24.390,0:42:29.130 kind of separate the you have separate

0:42:26.790,0:42:31.530 the two although did they change it

0:42:29.130,0:42:33.300 where you could use the same email 0:42:31.530,0:42:34.890 address or you have to have you have one

0:42:33.300,0:42:36.599 that comes to work and then your

0:42:34.890,0:42:40.349 separate one is the one that goes

0:42:36.599,0:42:43.920 personally to your home email right but

0:42:40.349,0:42:46.410 yeah you have as a an individual you can

0:42:43.920,0:42:48.810 have a business page or a government

0:42:46.410,0:42:51.329 page that you basically are the

0:42:48.810,0:42:53.609 administrator of but they you switch

0:42:51.329,0:42:56.790 back and forth and HootSuite allows you

0:42:53.609,0:42:58.440 to have multiple streams goings you

0:42:56.790,0:43:00.780 could in theory have your personal

0:42:58.440,0:43:02.579
Facebook the work Facebook multiple

0:43:00.780,0:43:04.740
Twitter accounts and everything that

0:43:02.579,0:43:06.720 would just make me caution you to be

0:43:04.740,0:43:12.930 really careful about which one you're

0:43:06.720,0:43:17.790 sending things out from hmm ok all right

0:43:12.930,0:43:21.560 so the the other question is the social

0:43:17.790,0:43:26.760

media policy that you made reference to

0:43:21.560,0:43:32.130 do you have that available at all could

0:43:26.760,0:43:35.730 you make it available or yeah the state

0:43:32.130,0:43:37.980 of Iowa is policy is actually in place

0:43:35.730,0:43:41.760 and I can send that to Maggie who can

0:43:37.980,0:43:45.060 distribute it out to the committee's to

0:43:41.760,0:43:48.060 like I said that Iowa abd specific one

0:43:45.060,0:43:50.339 is still in progress but I'd be willing

0:43:48.060,0:43:54.390 to if you want to message me or email

0:43:50.339,0:43:56.880 you send you in draft form as well ok

0:43:54.390,0:44:01.650 all right and likewise with the with

0:43:56.880,0:44:04.560 Virginia we are policy is done our

0:44:01.650,0:44:07.440 agency one but it's based on the state

0:44:04.560,0:44:09.390 one with very little variances but we

0:44:07.440,0:44:12.540 would be happy to send that around if

0:44:09.390,0:44:15.420 that would be useful ok I'll um I'll

0:44:12.540,0:44:18.210 email you both and ask for them and

0:44:15.420,0:44:23.280 we'll send it out to the attendees

0:44:18.210,0:44:24.720 participating today ok just again to

0:44:23.280,0:44:27.330 remind everyone if you have any

0:44:24.720,0:44:30.210 questions there is that

0:44:27.330,0:44:33.960 question bar on the right you just click

0:44:30.210,0:44:38.670 on it and type in your question and hit

0:44:33.960,0:44:52.260 the send and we'll i'll ask it on your

0:44:38.670,0:45:01.620 behalf okay any more questions from

0:44:52.260,0:45:04.650 anyone tanya marine any other parting

0:45:01.620,0:45:12.180 comments or thoughts to share with folks

0:45:04.650,0:45:14.130 who came in today and like we said we're

0:45:12.180,0:45:16.740 both more than happy to be a resource if

0:45:14.130,0:45:19.440 you've got questions as you before you

0:45:16.740,0:45:21.900 start or as you get started feel free to

0:45:19.440,0:45:24.500 email us or message us the best we can

0:45:21.900,0:45:26.640 do is share our experiences and

0:45:24.500,0:45:29.580 hopefully you can learn from some of the

0:45:26.640,0:45:32.760 lessons we had to learn the hard way you

0:45:29.580,0:45:37.860 have like life here and please follow us

0:45:32.760,0:45:41.100 on Twitter absolutely alright well thank

0:45:37.860,0:45:44.370 you guys very much appreciate your time

0:45:41.100,0:45:47.400 Tanya and Maureen and thank you all for

0:45:44.370,0:45:51.600 tuning in and listening as i said we

0:45:47.400,0:45:55.170 recorded this webinar and we will have

0:45:51.600,0:45:57.000 it available for playback at your

0:45:55.170,0:45:58.640 convenience i believe it's a feature i'm

0:45:57.000,0:46:03.420 going to be able to take advantage of

0:45:58.640,0:46:10.620 with the GoToWebinar and if there are no

0:46:03.420,0:46:12.150 other questions I again thank you all

0:46:10.620,0:46:18.770 very much and you have a wonderful

0:46:12.150,0:46:18.770 afternoon thank you bye

0:46:31.109,0:46:33.170 I