

**FAKE NEWS UPDATE**

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**AD BREAK****PERENNIAL**

The Fake News Update...[sigh]

**ANNUAL**

I'm sorry, ok!?! I didn't know it was going to be such a big deal!

**PERENNIAL**

Ohh he didn't know it was going to be a big deal! Of course he knew it was going to be a big deal!

**ANNUAL**

Perennial - we've done so much work - I'm sorry, ok!? I thought I was helping!

**PERENNIAL**

Oh he's sorry! He's sorry - here's a third one: Sorry!

**DAILY HEADLINES**

***MUSIC IN. F.N.U. Theme***

**ANNUAL**

Should we just do a re-run? Are you up for this?

**PERENNIAL**

No - we do the show - we do this! This is my home! These are my family! John! John in the booth! He's my family!

**JOHN**

Uh...no.

***MUSIC OUT.***

**ANNUAL**

Well, uh... With all the news you never knew you needed and all the news you needed to know, I'm Annual Eschner

**PERENNIAL**

And he's "SORRY!"!!!

**ANNUAL**

And now, today's headlines. Look - okay, maybe pushed things too far too fast - I thought you needed a helping hand -

**PERENNIAL**

I didn't need a helping hand - I - I - I -

**ANNUAL**

You need a hand to hold.

[PERENNIAL weeps]

**ANNUAL**

Hey, hey, hey, hey, P-Dog. P-Dog - Look at me. I'm sorry. I thought you'd have a good time with Tony.

**PERENNIAL**

I'm not ready for a Tony! I'm not ready for THE Tonys. And how do you know I even want a Tony - maybe I want a Maria!

**ANNUAL**

Perennial.

**PERENNIAL**

What?!?

**ANNUAL**

We know. I know. Mother knows. Your listeners know. You work in public radio. Your cat's name is Argyle. Heck - why do you sign off on the tote bags with your name in rainbow letters?

**PERENNIAL**

I like the flair.

**ANNUAL**

It's ok, Perennial. We all love you. John in the booth, he loves you.

**JOHN**

Uh...no.

**PERENNIAL**

Given recent events, I have decided on behalf of the Fake News Update it would be best if you stepped down as interim Anahita.

**ANNUAL**

P-dog.

**PERENNIAL**

You heard me. You are not welcome. Go on, get outta here! Can't you see I don't love you anymore!

**ANNUAL**

Harry and the Hendersons. Nice.

**PERENNIAL**

Get out!!!

**ANNUAL**

If that's what you want...

**PERENNIAL**

It is.

**ANNUAL**

[while walking away] Join us every morning Monday through Thursday for all the news you never knew you needed and all the news you needed to know.

From KLMNOP Thank you for listening to Fake News Update, and until next time...

[door slams, it's just Perennial]

**PERENNIAL**

*I'll* be FNU.