

**Federal Communications Commission Section 73.3527
Community Issues Programs for April 2018
Prairie Public Television – KFME, KBME, KCGE, KMDE, KDSE, KJRE, KSRE, KWSE**

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If you would like a more detailed memo about preparation of quarterly issues/programs lists, please contact our office.

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**Friday, March 30, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, March 31, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB – 1
Prairie Pulse 1524** – [30-minute News PA program] (origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

An interview with University of North Dakota History Professor William Caraher, and UND Social Work Professor Bret Weber about their book "The Bakken: An Archaeology of an Industrial Landscape" about their research into man camps and other activities during the North Dakota oil boom.

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**Friday, April 6, 2018 at 7:30 PM on Saturday, April 7, 2018 at 6:30 PM – Primary Channel PPB – 1
Prairie Pulse 1523** [30-minute - News PA program] (origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

John Harris interview Sanford Hospital Interventional Cardiologist Dr. Thomas Haldis, and Sanford Neurologist Dr. Michael Manchak about preventing heart attacks and strokes, and what to do if you think you are having a heart attack, or if you think someone else is having a heart attack or stroke.

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**Friday, April 13, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, April 14, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB – 1
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**Friday, April 20, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, April 21, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB – 1
Prairie Pulse 1525** – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

John Harris interviews Fargo-Moorhead Community Theatre Artistic Director Adam Pankow about FMCT productions, and why Adam took the job with FMCT, after leaving West Fargo High School. Music Session from Max Johnk/Fargo.

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Community Issues Programs for May 2018

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**Friday, May 4, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, May 5, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB –1
Prairie Pulse 1529** – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

John Harris interviews Retiring Prairie Public Producer Kim Stenehem about the many documentaries she's produced at Prairie Public, including a trip to Uganda, "I am a Person" and the history of the Non Partisan League. Also, a music performance from Connie Gjermundson of Albertville, Minnesota.

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**Friday, May 11, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, May 12, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB –1
Prairie Pulse 1530** - [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

An interview with North Dakota film producer and writer Dan Bielinski about his new short film "The Badlands Girl," which was shot near Medora. Also a story about the North Dakota Veterans Home in Lisbon.

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**Friday, May 18, 2018 at 7:30 PM & May 19, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB –1
Prairie Pulse 1531** – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

John Harris interviews North Dakota Tourism Director Sara Otte Coleman about the upcoming summer tourism season in North Dakota. Topics include gas prices, motel availability, Josh Duhamel, and Teddy Roosevelt's Cabin.

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**Friday, April 27, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, April 28, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB–1
Prairie Pulse 1532** – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)

John Harris interviews Emerging Prairie Executive Director Greg Tehven about an upcoming Drone focus conference, about the future of drones, and what Emerging Prairie does to help young entrepreneurs. Also, a story on NPL founder A.C. Townley.

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**Friday, June 1, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, June 2 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB-1
Prairie Pulse 1533 – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)**

John Harris interviews North Dakota Boys State Director Neil Litton about the upcoming Boys State in June at NDSCS in Wahpeton. He talks about how Boys State readies boys for college, and talks about some of the past luminaries who attended Boys State. A story on former North Dakota Governor Lynn Frazier.

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June Pledge — June 1, 2018 to June 12, 2018

**Friday, June 15, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, June 16, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB-1
Prairie Pulse 1534 – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)**

John Harris interviews North Dakota legendary Businessman and Hotel Magnate Gary Tharaldson. Patrick McCloskey has written a new book about Tharaldson called "Open Secrets of Success: The Gary Tharaldson Story". Gary talks about his humble beginnings and how he bought his first motel in Valley City.

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**Friday, June 22, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, June 23, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB-1
Prairie Pulse 1535 – [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)**

John Harris interviews the new Executive Director of the North Dakota Council on the Arts, Kim Konikow. She talks about her past experience in positions in Utah, and her plans for the Council. Also, a story on Otter Tail's County 150th birthday celebration this year.

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**Friday, June 29, 2018 at 7:30 PM & Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 6:30 PM on Primary Channel PPB-1
Prairie Pulse 1536– [30-minute News PA program] (Origin: Prairie Public - Fargo)**

John Harris interviews Safety Instructor and Safety expert Skyler Dutton. He talks about people being concerned about safety and what he teaches them in order to protect themselves. He also talks about seat belt use and other areas of safety. Also, a profile of the 2018 North Dakota Poetry Out Loud winner Maria Modituya.

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