

Public Information for Programs/Issues

**The following program "Focus" playbacks at the following times.
Program length is 25 minutes. "Focus" deals with issues facing our
community and our State.**

WDBR-FM 103.7 Mhz Every Sunday 5 – 5:30am

WTAX-AM 1240Khz Every Sunday 5 – 5:30am

WYMG-FM 100.5Mhz Every Sunday 6 – 6:30am

WLFZ-FM 101.9Mhz Every Sunday 6 – 6:30am

WQQL-FM 93.0Mhz Every Sunday 6 – 6:30am

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Issue:

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* **Illinois Policy**
* **Institute attorney Mailee Smith on the Janus v AFSCME case**
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* **Springfield**
* **Ward 10 Alderman Ralph Hanauer on the Springfield City Council meeting.**
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* **The New Curator**
* **of the Illinois Governor's Mansion Justin Blandford.**
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* **The new Director**
* **for the Henson Robinson Zoo, John Wright.**
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* **President of**
* **United Way of Central Illinois, John Kelker.**
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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 7-1-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Issue:

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* **Springfield**
* **Mayor Jim Langfelder on the Morning Newswatch segment 'Ask the Mayor' to discuss Springfield Sister Cities, Springfield city operations, waste hauler, decorum at city council meetings, road construction, annexation, the Convention Visitors and Bureau job and more.**
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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 7-8-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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* **Executive Director**
* **of Helping Hands in Springfield about the homeless issues that Springfield is facing.**
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* **Springfield**
* **Ward 7 Alderman Joe McMenamin on the Springfield City Council Meeting.**
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* **Illinois Attorney**

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General Candidate Erika Harold on the election.

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Illinois State

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Senator Andy Manar with the latest on school funding and the teacher minimum wage bill.

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 7-15-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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Eric Burglund,

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the new president and CEO of the Land of Lincoln Economic

Development Corporation.

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Springfield

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Ward 9 Alderman Jim Doneln on the Springfield City Council

Meeting.

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Springfield

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Ward 5 Alderman Andrew Proctor on a forum held to discuss the future of the campus of Benedictine College.

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* **The Publisher**
* **of the Springfield Business Journal, Michelle Ownbey.**
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Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 7-22-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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* **Congressman**
* **Darin Lahood**
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* **Congressman**
* **Rodney Davis**
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* **Springfield**
* **Ward 7 Alderman Joe McMenamin.**
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* **Illinois State**
* **Representative Tim Butler.**
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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 7-29-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Issue:

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* **Springfield**

* **Mayor Jim Langfelder on the Morning Newswatch segment 'Ask the Mayor' to discuss**

CWLP, limb pickup, road construction, infrastructure, and more.

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 8-5-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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* **Illinois State**

* **Fair Manager Luke Sailer,**

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* **Registered**

* **dietitian Erin Zepp on how to eat healthy at the fair.**

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* **Lt. Governor**

* **Evelyn Sanguinetti.**

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* **Mike Chamness**

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey

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McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 8-12-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Illinois State

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Representative Tim butler.

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Illinois State

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Senator Andy Manar.

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Springfield

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ward 5 Alderman Andrew Proctor

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Body Quest

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store owner Dave Utinski on the news weight rooms at

springfield's three public high schools.

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey

McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 8-19-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Three Springfield

High School Seniors, Amerion Nawdin, Zaire Harris and Jessie

Harris on raising funds

to restore the Lincoln Colored Home.

Springfield

ward 9 alderman Jim Donelan.

Springfield

School Superintendent Jennifer Gill.

United Way

of Central Illinois President John Kelker on volunteers.

How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 8-26-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

University

of Illinois Springfield chancellor Susan Koch on the tek over of

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Innovate Illinois.

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Springfield

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Ward 7 Alderman Joe McMenemy.

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An Iroquois

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County Farmer on the future of industrial hemp in Illinois.

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UIS police

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officer on keeping college kids safe on campus.

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The Regional

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Superintendent of Schools, Jeff Vose on teacher minimum wages.

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How was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 9-2-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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Springfield

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Mayor Jim Langfelder on the Morning Newswatch segment 'Ask the Mayor' to discuss

Rail consolidation the new CWLP solar farm, limb pickup, and more.

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey

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McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 9-9-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

Issue:

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Illinois State

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Representative Tim Butler.

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Illinois State

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Senator Andy Manar.

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How will Illinois

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fare in another recession.

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Springfield

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Ward 1 Alderman Chuck Redpath.

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New CDC concussion

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protocols for children.

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How it was treated: Interview with WTAX Morning News Watch host Joey

McLaughlin Program

Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 9-16-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Issue:

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CWLP's Doug

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Brown about the new solar installation.

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Springfield

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Ward 5 Alderman Andrew Proctor.

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Springfield

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School Superintendent Jennifer Gill.

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Brian Rivas

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University of Illinois Springfield Performing Arts Center

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Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 9-21-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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Sangamon County

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Clerk Don Gray on early voting.

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Land of Lincoln

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Economic Development Corporation President and CEO Eric

Berglund.

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Springfield
Ward 10 Alderman Ralph Hanauer.

Central Illinois
Better Business Bureau on a social security scam.

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Description: Focus public affairs program

Time/Date: 8-19-18

Length: 25 minutes

Type of program: Local interview program

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