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Public Issues identified by community leaders and the general public important to Wisconsin Rapids and surrounding communities are: **Economy** including jobs and unemployment; **Government** including national, state and local; **Environment** including wildlife and management; **Education** including opportunities and costs; **Health** including safety, insurance coverage and sickness.

Economy: Date Aired: January 4, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 Drivers paid the second cheapest gas prices in 10 years during 2015. Prices haven't been that low since 2009 according to AAA. The annual average price of gas in 2015 was \$2.40 per gallon, about 94 cents less than in 2014.

Date Aired: January 20, 2016 Time; 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 Governor Walker vows to help those looking for jobs in Wisconsin. In his annual State-of-the-State address last night, the Republican Walker said he'll add three-million dollars in grant money to the Fast Forward program, to train students in fields with high demands. Democrats say the Governor could have offered real solutions but instead laid out meager crumbs.

Date Aired: January 22, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :11 Unemployment is up a little in Wisconsin. State officials report a seasonally-adjusted jobless rate of four-point-three percent for December -- up one-tenth from November, but smaller than the national rate of five-percent.

Date Aired: January 27, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Verso Corporation, which owns paper mills in Stevens Point and Wisconsin Rapids, has filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection. The Memphis-based company said Tuesday the bankruptcy filing is intended to help the company restructure debt. . Verso President David Paterson says the plan is to eliminate \$2.4 billion of outstanding debt and workers will see no impact at all.

Date Aired: February 2, 2016 Time; 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length: 19 Wisconsin bankruptcy filings dropped to their lowest level in eight years in 2015. Economists say it's due to the improving employment picture, and to tighter credit standards making it harder for consumers to get over their head in debt. Bankruptcy petitions filed in the state last year are down 11 percent from 2014. It was the first year since 2007 that Wisconsin recorded fewer than 20-thousand.

Date Aired: February 10, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 Ninety-nine cent gasoline could be in the immediate future. That's according to Gas Buddy-Dot-Com, which says fuel prices in the Midwest are at their lowest in 12 years and go lower. Gas Buddy says the average price of regular unleaded in Wisconsin is at one-dollar, 54 cents a gallon, 63-cents cheaper than last year at this time.

Date Aired: February 24, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :13 Earnings at Wisconsin's banks rose almost 26 percent last year. A report from the FDIC shows the rise came from lending increases, and the reduction of delinquent loans. Only eight of 243 state banks lost money in 2015.

Date Aired: February 26, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :13 Poverty in Wisconsin is at its highest level in 30 years. U-S Census data shows the number of Wisconsin residents living in poverty averaged 13 percent across the post-recession time frame, the highest since 1984. It also found the gap between the richest and poorest American communities is widening.

Date Aired: March 8, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 The average price of gasoline has jumped by 7 cents over the past two weeks, to \$1.84 a gallon. Industry analyst Trilby Lundberg said Sunday that despite the increase, the pump price is 70 cents per gallon cheaper than a year ago. Lundberg says the moderate hike is due to growing demand for gasoline across the nation and higher crude oil prices.

Date Aired: March 9, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 Wisconsin employers expect to hire more people in the next three months than in the first three. That's according to a quarterly survey by Manpower Incorporated. Twenty-six percent of the state companies surveyed expect to add workers from April through June, and four-percent project layoffs. Manpower says the spring hiring outlook is a bit slower than one-year ago.

Date Aired: March 10, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 Wisconsin continues to lag behind the nation in creating private sector jobs. The U-S Bureau of Labor Statistics said Wednesday the state expanded its job numbers by one-point-two percent for the year ending last September. That's much lower than the national growth rate of two-point-two percent, ranking Wisconsin 36th among the states in their pace of job creation.

Date Aired: March 10, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 The financial group Wallet-Hub says Wisconsin still has the nation's fourth-highest property taxes. Wallet-Hub says the state's median home prices and tax payments come out to an average effective tax rate of one-point-nine-seven percent. Only New Jersey Illinois and New Hampshire have higher rates

than Wisconsin.

Date Aired: March 23, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 A new report shows 25-thousand Wisconsin workers are employed in the clean energy industry. Most of the Wisconsin jobs involve work like installing and maintaining energy-efficient appliances. Wisconsin ranks ninth out of 12 Midwestern states included in the report.

Date Aired: March 25, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :10 Department of Workforce Development data shows the state's unemployment rate was 4.6 percent in February, unchanged from January. The national unemployment rate was 4.9 percent.

Government: Date Aired: January 8, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Starting tomorrow it will be easier for most Wisconsinites to renew their driver's licenses or get new vehicle stickers. The D-O-T's Division of Motor Vehicles will start offering Saturday hours at offices in Madison, Eau Claire, Wausau, La Crosse, and Appleton. Also, 15 D-M-V centers will have more convenient kiosks for obtaining new auto-and-light truck registrations.

Date Aired: January 12, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 Assembly Republican Dave Heaton of Wausau announced yesterday he will not seek a second two-year term this fall, saying he needs to be closer to home to help raise his three young children. The departure sets up what could be a rematch of two candidates from 2012. Former Wausau radio host Pat Snyder said he would try again to win the post as a Republican. Snyder, lost to Democrat Mandy Wright in 2012 by 900 votes, and Wright has already announced her bid to win back the post in November.

Date Aired: January 21, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Wisconsin senators have sent a bill to Governor Walker which critics say would give rank-and-file state government jobs to friends of the party in power. All members voted with their parties, as they agreed to scrap civil service exams in favor of a resume-based hiring procedure. G-O-P lawmakers call it a simpler system that creates firmer and more uniform discipline.

Date Aired: February 1, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 About 15-thousand able-bodied Wisconsin residents have been dropped from the federal food stamp program for failing to comply with new requirements. More than one million poor people in 21 states could lose the benefits if they fail to spend enough time looking for work, volunteering or getting an education or training.

Date Aired: February 9, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 It could be a long day at the State Capitol, as the Assembly is scheduled to act on almost 70 bills while the Senate considers more than 60 others. One bill would require seventh-and-eighth graders learn C-P-R in their health classes. Lawmakers want to end their two-year session within the next month, so most can focus on their re-election bids.

Date Aired: February 11, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 The U-W Extension Service now says it will cut about 80 jobs from the county offices for agriculture agents, Four-H-and-youth specialists, and family living advisers. Extension chancellor Cathy Sandeen said yesterday that each county would still have Extension offices and programs for Four-H and Master Gardeners -- but in some cases, staffers would be shared among counties.

Date Aired: February 12, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :24 Governor Walker will sign a bill this afternoon that changes the ways that 30-thousand state government employees are

hired-and-fired. The Republican will sign an overhaul of the state's century-old civil service system during a ceremony at the Manpower Group's office in Appleton. Among other things it eliminates civil service exams for those applying for rank-and-file state agency jobs. Republicans say it will make it easier to replace retiring baby boomers. Democrats say it will lead to more hiring's as political favors, and fewer employee protections.

Date Aired: February 15, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 Tomorrow's primary elections in Wisconsin will include eleven school referendum proposals or tax increases beyond the state's revenue limits. Rhinelander has the state's largest revenue-cap exemption request, at almost five-million dollars for each of the next three years.

Date Aired: February 16, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 About one of every ten Wisconsin adults are expected to vote in today's primary elections. They'll decide who the finalists will be for the Wisconsin Supreme Court and hundreds of other local government and school board seats. Wisconsin's voter I-D law will get its first major test in four years today, now that court challenges have been settled. The polls open at seven this morning and close at eight tonight.

Date Aired: February 17, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 State Supreme Court Justice Rebecca Bradley will run against Appeals Judge JoAnne Kloppenburg in the April fifth general election. Both won yesterday's primary. Bradley, who was appointed to the post by Governor Walker last fall, led the way with 52-percent Kloppenburg, finished second with 32-percent. Milwaukee County Judge Joe Donald was eliminated with 16-percent.

Date Aired: February 17, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 Wausau voters are a step closer to choosing a successor to Mayor Jim Tipple. Wausau City Council President Robert Mielke and Marathon County defense attorney Jay Kronenwetter will advance to the April 5 Spring Election. Mielke edged out Kronenwetter by 88 votes.

Date Aired: March 1, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 Governor Walker has signed a bill that prohibits a county executive from serving in the Wisconsin Legislature at the same time. It was among 46 measures the Governor signed yesterday -- including bills allowing libraries to give users' names to collection agencies to recover overdue fines and letting landlords evict tenants for criminal activity in their units.

Date Aired: March 2, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 The Wisconsin Elections Board is banning hole-punched I.D. cards when people register to vote. The D.M.V. punches holes through expiration dates of old driver's licenses and state I.D. cards when the cards are renewed. Now, the Government Accountability Board is banning people from using expired forms of I.D. when registering if the expiration date is punched out.

Date Aired: March 3, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Governor Walker signed a bill yesterday afternoon that gives home buyers-and-sellers less time to sue real estate agents. It's part of a package that modifies state regulations for the industry. Among other things, it gives home buyers-and-sellers two years to file legal complaints against home brokerage firms instead of the current six-years.

Date Aired: March 15, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 The Wisconsin D-O-T says it will use temporary, portable rumble strips at 12 road construction sites around the state this year to urge motorists to slow down. Operations engineer Erin Schoon says drivers often ignore signs that they're entering work zones. The state says 12 people died in work-zone crashes last year.

Date Aired: March 16, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 Governor Walker is expected to sign a bill as early as today to let voters register online -- and stop creating municipal deputies to run large voter registration drives. The bill also adds federal veterans' I-Ds to the list of allowable I-D cards that voters are now required to show at the polls.

Date Aired: March 16, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 The Senate voted to ban communities from prohibiting plastic bags for shoppers, and to stop having cities ban real Christmas trees in churches and the State Capitol. The state Senate also has approved a bill that would impose a \$5,000 fine for flying drones over Wisconsin's prisons.

Date Aired: March 21, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 Voters wanting to cast their ballots early in the April 5th primary can vote absentee starting today. Most election offices in Wisconsin are open from 8:00 A-M to 5:00 P-M. A reminder -- the state's voter I-D law is in effect and you will need to present a photo I-D to obtain the absentee ballot.

Date Aired: March 22, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 The president of the Wisconsin Senate will not run for re-election this fall. Republican Mary Lazich of New Berlin will leave after serving 24 years in the Legislature -- first in the Assembly in 1993, then as a senator since '98. Lazich did not say why she's stepping down. Assembly Republican Dave Craig of Big Bend says he'll run for the Senate seat.

Date Aired: March 24, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 A case arguing extreme gerrymandering could go before a panel of three federal judges in May. Twelve Democratic voters allege the district boundaries drawn up by Republicans represent an illegal partisan effort. Democrats point out that their party's candidates got 186-thousand more votes than Republican candidates, yet the G-O-P wound up with 60 seats in the Assembly and the Democrats got 39. The case can be appealed directly to the U-S Supreme Court.

Date Aired: March 28, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :26 With the Wisconsin primary about a week away, the remaining presidential candidates will be making more appearances in the badger state. Democrat Hillary Clinton has a late afternoon speech today at UW Madison, Bernie Sanders spoke before a large Madison crowd on Saturday and is due back for appearances tomorrow. On the Republican side Ted Cruz will be in Rothschild this afternoon, John Kasich has events in La Crosse and Madison today. Tomorrow, Donald Trump has a rally in Janesville. All three candidates will meet tomorrow for a CNN town hall in Milwaukee.

Date Aired: March 28, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :10 Wisconsin is expected to ban hand-held cell phone use while driving in construction zones. The governor's office says Scott Walker will sign a Republican bill passed earlier this month to fine drivers at least 20-dollars for the offense.

Date Aired: March 29, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :24 Republican Senator Ted Cruz called on Donald Trump for a one-on-one debate in Wisconsin after he stopped yesterday at a rally in Rothschild. Cruz appeared with former presidential candidate Carly Fiorina at the Central Wisconsin Convention and Expo Center. Trump is set to appear in Janesville today. Democrat Hillary Clinton spoke in Madison yesterday attacking Bernie Sanders while both Democrats have more appearances in Wisconsin today.

Date Aired: March 29, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :13 Wausau Mayoral candidates Robert Mielke and Jay Kronenwetter went head to head at UW-Marathon County Monday in the final debate before the April 5 election. The candidates went back and forth on a wide range of issues including the city councils dysfunctional culture and the Wausau Mall loan.

Date Aired: March 30, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :28 All of the Presidential candidates criss-crossed the state yesterday. Front-runner Donald Trump says the G-O-P race for the White House will be "pretty much over" if he wins the Wisconsin primary next Tuesday. Trump told one-thousand supporters in Janesville he expects to win in the Badger State -- and he also cut down Governor Walker, saying the state's economy is not performing well. Meanwhile Ted Cruz, who Governor Walker endorsed yesterday and John Kasich appeared with Trump at a town hall meeting.

Date Aired: March 30, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 On the Democratic side Hillary Clinton told a crowd in Green Bay yesterday she vows to fight for economic "justice" and opportunity for the middle class. Bernie Sanders told an Appleton crowd he would challenge Wisconsin's voter I-D law, calling it un-American.

Date Aired: March 30, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 A bill to help protect victims of hit-and-runs is expected to become law today. Governor Walker will sign the Yellow Alert bill this afternoon in Madison. A Yellow Alert will be used to issue a description of a car and suspect in the event of a hit and run. The bill was inspired by the 1995 death of Deidre Week near Vesper.

Date Aired: March 31, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :10 Governor Walker signed a bill yesterday banning the use of handheld cell phones in highway maintenance or construction areas or utility work areas. The bill makes an exception for a voice-operated or hands-free devices.

Environment: Date Aired: January 19, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20

Assembly Republicans are pushing to eliminate the minimum hunting age in Wisconsin. Currently children as young as 10 can hunt with a mentor. But the mentor and student can have only one weapon between them. Rep. Joel Kleefisch has introduced a bill doing away with the minimum age limit and allowing both the mentor and the student to have a weapon. The Wisconsin Hunter Education Instructor Association opposes the legislation.

Date Aired: January 21, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 The state Senate has approved a bill that would allow hunters to wear fluorescent pink rather than traditional blaze orange. Right now at least half of all clothing deer hunters wear above the waist must be blaze orange. The bill would allow hunters swap that color for pink if they so choose. The measure's authors say the bill is designed to draw more women into hunting.

Date Aired: January 27, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 Wisconsin has joined other coal-producing and consuming states in asking the U-S Supreme Court to block President Obama's new rules to fight climate change. Yesterday dozens of states asked the justices for an emergency stay that would block the E-P-A's new policies saying the E-P-A would exceed its authority by enforcing the new mandate, which calls for power plants to cut their greenhouse gas emissions by 32-percent by 2030.

Date Aired: February 5, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 Governor Walker has signed a bill allowing hunters to wear fluorescent pink instead of the traditional blaze orange. The bill's authors have said the measure is designed to provide more options for hunters and attract more women into hunting. Governor Walker signed that bill along with 20 other bills into law Thursday.

Date Aired: February 11, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 Groups that put trees into Wisconsin lakes to improve fish habitat would no longer face civil liability under a bill passed by state lawmakers. The D-N-R allows the trees as long as they're hooked to the bottom of a lake by cables, and part of the tree is exposed above the water. Assembly Republican Rob Swearingen of Rhineland says groups fear lawsuits in the event of boating accidents and other incidents involving the trees. The bill removes liability for lake property owners and the Governor is expected to sign it into law.

Date Aired: February 15, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 Wisconsin loggers would have fewer legal obstacles to moving their products, under a bill that's moving through the state Legislature. Senator Jerry Petrowski is the main author of a bill to let equipment like skidders and harvesters travel on state highways without permits for up to one-half mile at a time.

Date Aired: February 18, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 With warmer temperatures coming the snowmobile season is proving to be very short in much of the state. Trails that opened as recently as two weeks ago will close tonight in Portage County All Marathon County snowmobile trails will be closing at 8 tomorrow morning and most neighboring counties will close all or part of their trails today or tomorrow.

Date Aired: February 22, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 A report from the American Road and Transportation Builders Association indicates one out of every 11 Wisconsin bridges might need some work soon. It estimates nine percent of this state's more than 14-thousand bridges are rated structurally deficient. The Wisconsin DOT says the bridges aren't are going to collapse, but it does mean they need to be monitored closely. The study found more than 58-thousand structurally deficient bridges nationwide.

Date Aired: March 2, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Wisconsin hunters no longer have to wear number-tags on their backs while they're in the woods. It was one of 58 bills signed yesterday by Governor Walker. The Wisconsin Force group, calls the back-tags an "obstacle" to enjoying the state's sporting heritage -- while opponents say the new law makes it harder to identify hunters who trespass and break other laws.

Date Aired: March 3, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 Groups that put trees into Wisconsin waters to improve their fish habitat will no longer face civil lawsuits under a bill signed by Governor Walker. The D-N-R allows trees if they're hooked to the bottom of lakes by cables and parts of the trees are exposed above the water. The new law prevents lake groups from being sued in the event of boating mishaps.

Date Aired: March 18, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 Flood waters have

receded in some parts of Wisconsin, but at least eight rivers continue to have flood warnings in the wake of heavy rains and melting snow. Moderate flooding is expected along the Wisconsin River at Rothschild. Business highway 51 between Eagle Nest Boulevard and Military Road in Rothschild is closed due to flooding. No word on when that portion of the road will reopen.

Date Aired: March 24, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Most schools are closed in Central Wisconsin as roads are snow covered and hazardous this morning. Strong winds are also reducing visibilities. The big storm is winding down and most areas ended up with 10 to 12 inches of snow. Many cities have declared snow emergencies to make it easier for plows to clear streets.

Date Aired: March 29, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 A study at U-W Madison shows that the battle against invasive species is not limited to the Great Lakes. The spiny water-flea is said to be in at least 22 Wisconsin waters including Lake Mendota. The D-N-R says there are 37 kinds of foreign species in Wisconsin's inland lakes, plus 180 more in the Great Lakes.

Education: Date Aired: January 14, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 The president of the Wisconsin Senate wants to allow concealed weapons on public school grounds, and in classrooms if local school boards allow it. New Berlin Republican Mary Lazich and

Assembly Republican Robert Brooks of Saukville unveiled their proposed bill yesterday and a public hearing on it could be held by the end of the month.

Date Aired: January 15, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 A bill to let permit-holders carry concealed guns on Wisconsin school grounds is "highly unlikely" to pass this session. G-O-P Assembly Speaker Robin Vos says he supports it, but time is running out for a session he hopes to end in February. Vos says guns-in-schools is not a high priority for his fellow Republicans, and there are not many in the public who are asking for it.

Date Aired: January 26, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 Democratic legislators are proposing a bill to give Wisconsin college students grants to cover living expenses, tuition, student fees and text books. Students would have to maintain a 3.0 grade point average and would have to work for three years in Wisconsin after graduating. If they leave the state or do not graduate, the money would roll into a regular loan account.

Date Aired: February 4, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 The I-R-S says 65 Wisconsinites have lost 250-thousand dollars to tax scammers over the past 27 months. Now that it's tax-filing season, the government says Americans are facing a "deluge" of calls from fake I-R-S agents who threaten arrest, deportation, and a loss of driving privileges unless they pay up. Once again officials say the I-R-S will always write you and never call you about tax payments that may be due.

Date Aired: February 25, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 The University of Wisconsin-Madison is one of three schools working with a non-profit research institute under a five-point-three million dollar federal grant to develop technology to thwart cyber attacks. University of Georgia and Purdue are the other schools involved.

Date Aired: February 29, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 The number of people caught up in the theft of tax-payer data last year is seven times larger than originally thought. Last May, the Internal Revenue Service said cyber criminals stole the tax forms of 104,000 people. In August, the IRS revised that number up to 330,000. Friday, the agency said the number is now closer to 720,000. Starting next week, the agency will warn affected taxpayers about potential identity theft.

Date Aired: March 11, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 University of Wisconsin faculty members will get fewer job protections under a new tenure package the Board of Regents approved Thursday. The measures will let chancellors terminate instructors for poor job performance, and lay them off if their programs are cut for economic reasons.

Health: Date Aired: January 5, 2015 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 Wisconsin transportation officials say traffic deaths increased by 13 percent in 2015. The state ended the year with 556 fatalities, up from 494 in 2014. DOT officials said that warm spring weather and cheap gas likely contributed to more vehicles on the road and miles traveled.

Date Aired: January 7, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 Campus officials report several cases of the mumps at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. University Health Services say the cases are connected to current outbreaks at other Midwestern universities, including U-W-Whitewater. Health Services officials say all students should check to see if they have been immunized and to contact them if they haven't.

Date Aired: January 15, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 A former doctor in central Wisconsin is due in court January 25th on ten charges of sexually-assaulting at least seven women at a clinic in Plover. 45-year-old Wilton Calderon who now lives in Connecticut left the Ministry Medical Group's clinic in Plover last January. Reports say he groped and fondled female patients during routine medical exams -- and officials say at least 13 more people have called police in recent days about the doctor's behavior.

Date Aired: January 18, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Plover Police are asking Portage County prosecutors to file four more assault charges against 45-year-old Wilton Calderon. The doctor was recently accused of groping and fondling seven female patients during routine exams at the Ministry Medical Group's clinic in Plover. Calderon left the clinic last January, and he now lives in Connecticut where he recently left a job at another clinic.

Date Aired: January 21, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin would lose seven-and-a-half million federal dollars each year, under a pair of bills passed by the state Senate. All Republicans on hand voted yes, and all Democrats voted no late yesterday, One measure reduces Planned Parenthood's Medicaid reimbursements for prescription drugs, another makes the group ineligible for federal Title-Ten family planning funds

Date Aired: January 25, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 A former Portage County doctor accused of having unwanted sexual contact with patients will make his initial appearance in court today. Dr. Wilton Calderon is expected to be charged with ten counts of third and fourth degree sexual assault. Police have already identified more than half a dozen women who have accused him of unwanted sexual contact and said they have received even more calls from potential victims.

Date Aired: January 26, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 A former Plover doctor is now formally charged with sexually assaulting patients during exams. Authorities said the charges against Dr. Wilton Calderon come after an eight-month investigation. Conditions of Calderon's bond include no contact with any of the women, or his former clinic, he also must surrender his medical license and passport.

Date Aired: January 27, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 Wisconsin's largest

medical clinic gets the okay to build a new hospital in its hometown. The Marshfield Common Council approved conditional use permits last night which allow Marshfield Clinic to build a state-of-the-art hospital with 202 beds and up to 500 employees and is due to open in 2018.

Date Aired: February 3, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :12 Traffic deaths in January were the second lowest for the month since the 1940's. Twenty-eight people died in Wisconsin traffic crashes last month, which made it the second safest month of January since World War Two. The deadliest January on record was in 1964 with 82 fatalities.

Date Aired: February 5, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 The number of Wisconsinites signing up for healthcare is 16-percent higher than one year ago -- more than the national increase of eleven-percent. The U-S health agency says 239-thousand Wisconsin residents enrolled in new plans from the federal purchasing exchange before the enrollment period ended last weekend. Nationally, 12-point-seven million people are now enrolled in plans arranged through the Affordable Care Act.

Date Aired: February 12, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 The Wisconsin Assembly has sent a bill to Governor Walker that would reduce Planned Parenthood's Medicaid reimbursements by four-million dollars a year. The lower house voted 60-to-31 yesterday to limit the amount that clinics can be reimbursed to provide birth control to low-income women. All Republicans voted yes and all Democrats voted no.

Date Aired: February 18, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 A bill to help protect and provide services for victims of child sex trafficking passed both houses of the state legislature, and is headed to Governor Walker's desk. The bill lines up Wisconsin statutes with the new federal Justice for Victims of Trafficking Act. Among other things the bill expands what constitutes the crime of child sex trafficking.

Date Aired: February 23, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 A number of Wisconsin hospitals find the new health care law to be very profitable. At least three networks in southeast Wisconsin report increases of more than 100-percent in their operating incomes during their last fiscal years, and Aurora Health Care has the largest increase of 221-percent for 2014. Analysts say hospitals are giving less charity care with fewer bad debts -- because those who could not previously afford insurance are now covered.

Date Aired: March 3, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 The Village of Kronenwetter is testing their water after concerns on its discoloration was brought up by residents. The village administrator said it was caused when a contractor tapped into one of their two water mains to begin work on a new subdivision. Village Administrator Richard Downey said the work caused minerals to break loose. Downey says the water naturally has minerals in it and is safe to drink.

Date Aired: March 4, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 Wisconsin health officials expect the number of deadly bacterial cases to rise, after 18 people died and 26 others got sick from the Elizabeth-kingia infection. The Badger State is the only one in the country affected by the outbreak. Elizabeth-kingia is a rare bacteria, that, in this case, is causing a blood stream infection that affects older people with underlying disease and is not affecting individuals who are otherwise healthy. So far, the outbreak is isolated to the southern Wisconsin region.

Date Aired: March 4, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :13 President Obama says 20-million more Americans have health insurance thanks to his sweeping health care reform law. The president appeared in Milwaukee yesterday, where he congratulated the city for winning a contest to sign up the largest percentage of those eligible for the Affordable Care Act.

Date Aired: March 7, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 Wisconsin is one of more than two dozen states struggling with an invasion of so-called super lice. The lice are resistant to over-the-counter treatments which usually work. Doctors say the symptoms are the same as traditional lice but these lice are much harder to get rid of. Doctors say prescription medication is still relatively effective.

Date Aired: March 8, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 The number of babies born addicted to heroin and other opiates has seen a sharp increase throughout Wisconsin. A report from the Wisconsin Rapids Tribune shows over 500 addicted infants are born a year, a number that has more than doubled since 2009. State data shows that the number of babies born with opiate addiction in Wisconsin increased by 125 percent between 2009 and 2014.

Date Aired: March 9, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 Federal health officials say they have found two more suspected cases of the deadly Elizabeth-kingia bacterial infection in Wisconsin. So far there have been 18 deaths and 26 illnesses. State-and-federal health

investigators continue to look for where and how the disease might have originated. Officials say most of those infected have been 65-and-older, all from the southern half of the state, and most with serious underlying health issues.

Date Aired: March 10, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 Wisconsin health officials have confirmed four new cases of the Elizabeth-kingia bacterial infection, and they've made a downward revision in the death total from 18 to 15. Wisconsin remains the only state affected by the latest outbreak with 48 cases, although two suspected cases have cropped up in neighboring Illinois

Date Aired: March 17, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 Two more Wisconsinites have died after getting the Elizabeth-Kingia bacterial infection. State health officials say the death toll is now 17, and the total confirmed cases have risen by six in the past week to 54. The affected counties remain the same, 12 throughout southeast Wisconsin. Federal and state health experts are still looking for the cause of the outbreak

Date Aired: March 18, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 Bumble Bee Food is voluntarily recalling three UPC codes of canned Chunk Light tuna due possible contamination. Bumble Bee says the recalled tuna are marked with a can code that starts with a "T". Consumers are advised to throw away the recalled product.

Date Aired: March 23, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Wisconsin Department of Justice attorneys have asked the U-S Supreme Court to reverse an appeals court which struck down this state's law requiring abortion providers to have admitting privileges at nearby hospitals. They want the high court to rule the 7th U-S Circuit Court of Appeals was wrong when it determined the 2013 law is unconstitutional.

Date Aired: March 25, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :24 Governor Walker signed a measure into law yesterday that would ensure sexual assault victims and people who report sexual assaults can't be cited or disciplined for underage drinking. A U-S Bureau of Justice report shows about 80 percent of student rapes and sexual assaults go unreported. The bill's supporters hope the change will encourage more reporting of sexual assaults.

Date Aired: March 31, 2016 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 A former Plover doctor pleads not guilty to charges he sexually assaulted a number of female patients. Doctor Wilton Calderon is charged in Portage County with 10 counts of third and fourth-degree sexual assault. Prosecutors say Calderon could avoid additional charges by agreeing to resolve the case before trial.

Date Aired: March 31, 2016 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 One more Wisconsinite has died after getting the Elizabeth-Kingia bacterial infection, raising the state's death total to 18. State and federal health experts have still not found the source of the infections, which started being reported last November among senior citizens with underlying health problems.