

OREGON PUBLIC BROADCASTING

Quarterly Issues/Programs List

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Below is a listing of some of the significant issues raised by the Oregon Public Broadcasting radio network of KOAC-AM Corvallis, KOPB-FM Portland, KOAB-FM Bend, KRBM-FM Pendleton, KOAP-FM Lakeview, KTVR-FM La Grande, KOBK-FM Baker City, KTMK Tillamook-FM, KOPB-AM Eugene, KOGL-FM Gleneden Beach, KOTD-FM The Dalles, KOBK-FM Burns, KOAC-FM Astoria, KHRV-FM, Hood River, KETP-FM Enterprise, and KOJD-FM John Day along with the specific programming treatment of these issues for the period **October 1 – December 31, 2018**. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

ISSUE TOPICS

Aging and Retirement
Agriculture and Environment
Arts and Entertainment
Business, Economics and Finance
Crime and Law Enforcement

Education
Immigration and Refugees
Medicine and Health
Military, War and Veterans
Politics and Government

Race, Identity and Culture
Religion
Science and Technology

AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/1/18	504-506p	0:50	How the new U.S. Mexico, Canada agreement changes agriculture in the NW.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/2/18	804-807a	0:47	Oregon bans tree-killing herbicide amid sweeping investigation.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/4/18	404-406p	0:44	State and federal agencies throughout the Northwest are starting to lift burn restrictions on some lands.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/18/18	804-807a	0:43	Judge rules EPA must protect salmon from warming waters.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/22/18	804-807a	0:57	Oregon to give residents unusual opportunity to weigh in on federal air quality rules.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/23/18	704-707a	0:51	EPA proposes scaling back Portland harbor superfund cleanup.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/30/18	404-406p	0:45	Washington board says dairies don't need additional groundwater protections.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/1/18	804-807a	0:48	After pesticide use denial, oyster growers file appeal.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/2/18	704-707a	0:50	First Coho in 40 years Reach Oregon's Lostine River.
OPB Newscast – WE	11/4/18	804-806a	0:45	Judge blocks BLM from spaying wild horses.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/12/18	704-707a	0:41	Crews begin repairing a leaky dam in downtown Bend this week.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/14/18	704-707a	0:50	Study finds Kalama Methanol plant would reduce global carbon emissions.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/26/18	504-506p	0:50	New climate assessment finds dire consequences for the Northwest.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/4/18	504-506p	0:45	Audit flags with Portland's environmental project management.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/7/18	704-707a	0:47	Grazing restrictions could be lifted on some of Oregon's sage grouse habitat.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/11/18	504-506p	0:42	Congress passes bill to make it easier to kill Sea Lions.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/17/18	804-807a	0:55	Oregon Land Board to discuss Elliott State Forest ownership options.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/18/18	404-406p	0:50	EPA says Portland Harbor Superfund cleanup is behind schedule.

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ME	10/16/18	704-707a	0:43	Paul Allen remembered for contributions to the arts.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/6/18	804-807a	0:46	Hoffman Gallery fires curator, limits focus.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/25/18	804-807a	0:45	New Chinatown museum open in Portland.

BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND FINANCE

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Philosophy Talk	10/22/18	3-4a	53:00	The ethics of debt.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/25/18	704-707a	0:42	Troubled Oregon dairy announces shut down.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/3/18	704-707a	0:48	Prospective national legalization of hemp cheers Northwest entrepreneurs.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/6/18	404-406p	0:45	Lagging Northwest apple exports worry farmers, packing houses.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/26/18	704-707a	0:50	Oregon's new Equal Pay Act goes into full effect in 2019.

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – WE	10/6/18	804-807a	0:49	Lawsuit alleges negligence against Clackamas County.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/10/18	804-8007a	0:47	The Multnomah County District Attorney's Office released grand jury transcripts into the death of an African American man shot by two PSU police officers.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/17/18	704-707a	0:49	Portland Police Bureau give new details about armed parking garage protesters.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/18/18	704-707a	0:52	Oregon Appeals Court to hear case contesting non-unanimous juries.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/23/18	504-506p	0:46	City says Elifritz was at fault for his fatal shooting death.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/31/18	404-406p	0:46	No criminal charges will be filed against two Portland Police officers who shot and killed a 27-year-old black man last month.
OPB Newscast - ME	11/1/18	804-807a	0:46	Oregon to reduce incarceration of people who have mental illnesses.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/8/18	504-506p	0:49	Multnomah jails report shows most inmates need treatment services.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/9/18	704-707a	0:53	A Portland city commissioner is pressing the Police Bureau to answer questions about whether its officers treat right wing and left-wing protesters differently.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/16/18	804-807a	0:41	Oregon jail has release inmates while saving space for ICE detainees.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/19/18	504-506p	0:45	The Oregon State Treasury has joined the national conversation on gun safety.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/20/18	804-807a	0:42	The FBI categorizes the Proud Boys as an extremist group with ties to white nationalism.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/27/18	804-807a	0:54	Portland officers describe witnessing shooting before they killed Patrick Kimmons.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/28/18	804-807a	0:46	Six weeks and still no charges in Deschutes officer-involved shooting.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/4/18	504-506p	0:44	Dick's Sporting Goods settles lawsuit over gun sale age restrictions.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/5/18	704-707a	0:44	FBI makes a case for Portland to remain in the Joint Terrorism Task Force.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/6/18	704-707a	0:48	Portland Council unanimously approves deal for unarmed police 'safety specialists'.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/7/18	804-807a	0:44	Oregon Supreme Court tosses out murder confessions over interview techniques.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/10/18	804-807a	0:57	9 th Circuit to rehear case challenging deportations for minors.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/13/18	704-707a	0:51	OSU student with white nationalist ties sentenced for 2017 incident.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/14/18	504-506p	0:53	Portland Mayor Ted Wheeler wants the city to stay in the FBI's Joint Terrorism Task Force.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/18/18	804-807a	0:53	The Portland Police Bureau is looking for an expert to improve officers' response to people who are homeless.

EDUCATION

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/2/18	404-406p	0:45	Portland Superintendent Guadalupe Guerrero is lobbying for more state funding for schools, as he starts his second year in charge of Oregon's largest district.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/10/18	704-707a	0:49	Portland District diverts \$200,000 from schools to cover court loss.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/11/18	704-707a	0:51	Former CIO Strangfield to sue Oregon Department of Education.
OPB Newscast – WE	10/27/18	804-807a	0:49	Report card summaries.

OPB Newscast – ME	10/31/18	704-707a	0:49	PSU police forums.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/1/18	704-707a	0:47	After more shootings, students doubt effects of school security.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/5/18	404-406p	0:50	Linfield College buys a permanent Portland home for nursing program.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/9/18	804-807a	0:49	Oregon lawmakers draft wish list to improve schools.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/13/18	704-707a	0:51	Enrollment continues to decline at Oregon colleges, universities.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/14/18	804-707a	0:45	Governor Kate Brown questions looser high school class time rules.
OPB Newscast – WE	12/2/18	804-807a	0:49	Students spend weekend learning how to talk about tough topics.
OPB Newscast – WE	12/8/18	804-807a	0:50	Portland Public Schools is starting plans for a bond measure in 2020.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/20/18	504-506p	0:51	Portland school officials are celebrating a clean audit, a year after being faulted for significant gaps in financial reporting.

IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEES

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/3/18	404-406p	0:46	ICE union seeks criminal investigation of Portland mayor.
OPB Newscast – WE	10/13/18	804-807a	0:43	Some of Oregon’s largest companies oppose a measure that would repeal the state’s 31-year-old sanctuary law.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/19/18	404-406p	0:43	U.S. ICE has dramatically reduced its use of federal prisons to house detainees.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/2/18	504-506p	0:55	New complaint says religious freedoms denied for Sheridan ICE detainees.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/7/18	804-807a	0:44	Oregonians rejected efforts to repeal the state’s sanctuary law.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/20/18	404-406p	0:47	Federal judge grants Portland group’s request to block Trump’s ban on asylum.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/19/18	704-707a	0:55	Final ICE detainees leave federal prison in Oregon.

MEDICINE AND HEALTH

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ME	10/9/18	704-707a	0:49	Nurse complaint says Bend hospital staffing “is putting the community at severe risk”.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/17/18	404-406p	0:49	New leukemia research harnesses the power of big data.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/29/18	704-707a	0:47	The Oregon Health Authority has published new guidelines for prescribing opioids
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/28/18	404-406p	0:46	Oregonians are taking more control of their deaths — according to a new study in the Journal of Palliative Medicine.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/30/18	404-406p	0:44	Oregon considers Hepatitis C coverage for Medicaid patients.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/12/18	704-707a	0:50	A new 500-bed state hospital? Inslee budget has money to explore the idea.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/17/18	504-5-6p	0:46	Oregon Sen. Wyden calls for 911-like suicide prevention number.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/18/18	404-406p	0:49	Oregon and Washington health care organizations merge.

MILITARY, WAR AND VETERANS

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/20/18	404-406p	0:50	Veterans suicide study.

POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ME	10/3/18	804-807a	0:52	Portland is challenging a new federal rule that limits local control over publicly owned utility poles and rights of way.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/4/18	704-707a	0:53	Federal lawmakers closely watching SW Oregon nickel mine proposal.
OPB Newscast - ATC	10/5/18	504-506p	0:52	Portland City Council candidates disagree on policing, public safety.
OPB Newscast – ATC	10/9/18	404-406p	0:51	Vanished! Gun control initiative goes missing from list of statewide initiatives.

OPB Newscast – ATC	10/10/18	704-707a	0:50	Opponents say Portland Clean Energy measure could cost more than originally thought.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/17/18	804-807a	0:49	A change of heart: Knute Buehler now supports nonmedical vaccine exemptions.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/18/18	704-707a	0:49	Bend City Councilor Nathan Boddie was formally reprimanded by his colleagues last night.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/22/18	704-707a	0:54	Democrats, Republicans find common ground in rooftop solar.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/25/18	704-707a	0:54	After officials first delayed release of an annual schools’ report, Oregon Governor Kate Brown has reversed course.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/31/18	804-807a	0:51	SW Washington flooded with TV ads.
OPB Newscast – ME	11/7/18	804-807a	0:48	Voters in Bend got to pick their mayor for the first time in nearly a century.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/13/18	504-506p	0:46	Top Oregon Dems call harassment investigation ‘personal or political’.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/14/18	404-406p	0:45	Portland Mayor’s controversial protest ordinance fails in city council.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/23/18	404-406p	0:49	Group launches effort to allow cannabis cafes in Oregon.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/27/18	504-506p	0:46	Unions and Nike announce new tax effort.
OPB Newscast - WE	12/2/18	804-807a	0:57	Inslee raising money for possible presidential run.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/5/18	504-506p	0:44	Kotek: Lawmakers will comply with sexual harassment investigation.
OPB Newscast – ATC	12/6/18	504-506p	0:46	Bend City Council is hiring.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/14/18	804-807a	0:42	Inslee budgets \$17.5 for I-5 Bridge project.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/20/18	704-707a	0:46	Oregon moves closer to winning 6 th Congressional seat.

RACE, IDENTITY AND CULTURE

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
OPB Newscast – ME	10/2/18	704-707a	0:53	Grand Ronde launch upstream battle to build a fishing platform at Willamette Falls.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/25/18	804-807a	0:49	Violence against native women highlighted in congressional run for eastern Washington seat.
OPB Newscast – ME	10/30/18	804-807a	0:49	U.S. Supreme Court hears arguments in ‘landmark’ Yakama Nation gas tax case.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/20/18	504-506p	0:54	Fifty-nine culturally specific housing units are being built in Portland’s Cully neighborhood.
OPB Newscast – ATC	11/21/18	504-506p	0:54	Portland housing audit says disparate treatment still exists in Portland.
OPB Newscast – ME	12/30/18	704-707a	0:48	Double Tree Portland fires 2 employee accused of racial profiling.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Program	Date	Approx. Time	Length	Topic
Philosophy Talk	11/26/18	3-4a	53:00	The science of happiness.
Philosophy Talk	12/31/18	3-4a	53:00	The Ancient Cosmos - when the Earth stood still.

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