## WUIS FM Springfield IL Quarterly Issues Apr-Jun 2017

WUIS has identified the following issues as of concern to our community during this quarter and the most significant responding programming:

- A. <u>State Government Budget –</u> The impact on agencies and more
- B. <u>Economy</u> Effort to reshape public and private workforce and job growth
- C. <u>Criminal Justice And Reform</u> Includes attempts to improve the state system
- D. <u>Education</u> Issues related to education in Illinois
- E. Quality of Life Reflections of the community lifestyle

Date	Aired	Issue	Description	Length
4/2	12:20p,	Quality of Life	Landscape architect Keith	11:09
	7:20p		Nowakowski on native plants for	
			yards	
4/4	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Zach Savich and Hillary Plum,	18:00
	7:40p		writers share memoirs on cancer	
<u>4/5</u>	12:20p,	Education	Rep. Barb Wheeler on wanting to	<u>7:51</u>
	7:20p		<u>limit information on criminal</u>	
			records for college applications	
<u>4/5</u>	<u>12:40p,</u>	Quality of Life	Rachel Otwell previews the	<u>10:10</u>
	7:40p		Zombies concert in Springfield	
<u>4/6</u>	<u>12:20p,</u>	<u>Criminal Justice</u>	Columnist Charlie Wheeler on the	<u>12:31</u>
	<u>7:20p</u>	and Reform	case for legalizing recreational use	
			of marijuana	
<u>4/6</u>	<u>12:40p,</u>	Quality of life	Capital City Improv founder Drew	<u>18:00</u>
	7:40p		Stroud on the Scene	
<u>4/7</u>	<u>12:30p,</u>	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian	<u>29:00</u>
	<u>7:30p</u>	Budget	Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and guest	
	<u>and</u>		Monqiue Garcia of the Chicago	
	<u>6:30a</u>		<u>Tribune</u> . <u>Topics include the</u>	
	on 4/8		"lifeline" budget plan from	
			<u>Democrats</u>	
<u>4/10</u>	<u>12:10p,</u>	Education	Sean Crawford talks with Jenn	<u>7:20</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		Fuller of WSIU on money woes at	
			<u>SIU-C</u>	
<u>4/11</u>	7:45a,	Economy	Business Report with Tim Landis:	<u>4:55</u>
	4:45p		legacy Pointe development, video	

			gambling update, Gordman's future	
4/11	12:200	Criminal Justica		12:45
<u>4/11</u>	12:20p,	Criminal Justice	Illinois Innocence Project Dir. John	12:45
4/11	7:20p	and Reform	Hanlon gives an update on efforts	0.22
<u>4/11</u>	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Peter Hess of Popular Science	8:23
	7:40p		magazine on article about climate	
4/10	10.00	D1 c	change in 2100 A.D.	0.00
<u>4/12</u>	12:20p,	Education	Rep. Will Davis on new education	9:00
	7:20p		funding plan	1.00
<u>4/12</u>	12:40p,	Criminal Justice	Rep. Elaine Nekritz interview on	<u>12:00</u>
	7:40p	and Reform	bringing court fees under control	
<u>4/13</u>	12:20p,	Education	Sen. Jason Barickman introduces	<u>8:14</u>
	7:20p		another school funding plan	
4/14	7:45am	Quality of Life	Daisy Contreras talks with Maureen	<u>7:00</u>
	<u>12:10p,</u>		McKinney on LGBT in the time of	
	<u>4:45p,</u>		Trump	
	<u>7:10p</u>			
4/14	12:20p,	Quality of Life	Chris Wills of ALPLM on decision	10:16
	$\frac{12.20p}{7:20p}$	Zaminy of Elic	to move John Wilkes Booth statue	10.10
4/14	12:30p,	Education	SJ-R's Jason Nevel on test results	8:10
1/ 1 F	$\frac{12.30p}{7:30p}$	<u> </u>	for lead in District 186	0.10
4/14	12:40p,	Quality of Life	The Scene visits Austin McCann of	18:00
7/17	$\frac{12.40p}{7:40}$	Quality of Effe	the Art Theatre Co-op in	10.00
	7.40		Champaign	
4/15	12.200	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	29:00
4/13	12:30p, 7:30p	Budget	Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey and	<u> 29.00</u>
	_	Duugei	Rick Pearson of the Chicago	
	<u>and</u>			
	6:30a on 4/16		Tribune. Topics include Gov. Rauner's statewide tour	
1/10		Economy		5.02
4/18	$\frac{7:45a}{4:45n}$	Economy	Business Report with Tim Landis:	<u>5:02</u>
	4:45p		Pillsbury Mills update, power plant	
A/1 O	7.45-	Education	proposal, Apple Barn adds owners	4.40
<u>4/18</u>	7:45a,	Education	History segment on local reaction to	<u>4:40</u>
	12:20p,		Titanic sinking. Tara McClellan	
4/20	7:20	Г	McAndrew and Patrick Foster	4.00
<u>4/20</u>	7:45a,	Economy	Illinois Issues report on the trouble	<u>4:00</u>
	12:10p,		with temp work. Reporter Daisy	
	4:45p,		Contreras joined us.	
	7:10p			
<u>4/21</u>	12:30p,	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	<u>29:00</u>
	7:30p	Budget	Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey and	
	and		guest Doug Finke of the SJ-R.	
	6:30a		Topics include junk bond status for	
	on 4/22		universities and an abortion flip by	
			the governor.	
	10.11			
<u>4/23</u>	12:40p,	Quality of Life	State Climatologist Jim Angel talks	<u>7:50</u>

	7:40p		long range forecast	
4/23	12:20p,	Education	Sen. Jason Barickman lays out his	8:15
	7:20p		school funding plan	
4/24	7:45a,	Economy	Business Report with Tim Landis:	4:59
	4:45p		I-55 resurfacing plan, New owners	
			for Shea's Rt. 66 museum	
4/26	12:40p,	State Government	AARP Illinois Director Bob Gallo	<u>7:10</u>
	7:40p	Budget	on Enough is Enough campaign	
<u>4/26</u>	12:20p,	Quality of Life	Springfield Women's March	<u>12:00</u>
	<u>7:20p</u>		organizer Jennifer Camille Lee	
<u>4/26</u>	12:10p,	Quality of Life	Reporter Kristy Kennedy talks	<u>7:00</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		Obamacare repeal for her Illinois	
			<u>Issues story</u>	
4/27	<u>12:10p,</u>	Quality of Life	Tara McClellan McAndrew on the	<u>8:14</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		Sultana tragedy for history segment	
<u>4/27</u>	<u>12:30p,</u>	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	<u>29:00</u>
	<u>7:30p</u>	Budget	Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey,	
	<u>and</u>		Amanda Vinicky of WTTW. Topics	
	<u>6:30a</u>		included the women's march and	
	on 4/28		the Governor gives himself an A	
			grade	
4/30	12:10p,	<u>Education</u>	Education Desk on DuBois	<u>7:02</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		Elementary in Springfield tutoring	
			program involving older students	
			working with younger ones	
<u>5/2</u>	7:45a,	<u>Education</u>	UIS faculty goes on strike.	<u>4:10</u>
	<u>4:45p</u>		Includes Prof. Richard Funderburg,	
			Prof. Lynn Fisher	
<u>5/3</u>	<u>7:45a,</u>	Economy	Tim Landis talks SDAT 5 years	<u>5:01</u>
	4:45p		later, Schuyler Co. hog farm	
- · · ·	10.10	0 11 07 10	controversy	15.14
<u>5/4</u>	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Author Bob Hartley on his book	<u>17:14</u>
- · · ·	7:40p	g g	The Dealmakers of Downstate	<b>=</b> 00
<u>5/4</u>	7:45a,	State Government	Daisy Contreras reports for Illinois	7:00
	12:10p,	Budget/Education/	Issues on a legislative checklist	
	4:45p,	Criminal Justice		
E / A	7:10p	and Reform	Chaig Walilla talks at and Marin	0.15
<u>5/4</u>	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Chris Valillo talks about Music at	<u>9:15</u>
5/1	7:40p	Education	the State Museum program Changeller Sugar Mach on LUS	0.00
<u>5/4</u>	7:45a,	Education	Chancellor Susan Koch on UIS	9:00
	$\frac{12:20p}{4:45p}$		faculty strike	
	4:45p, 7:20p			
<u>5/5</u>	12:10p.	State Government	James Kluppelberg, former inmate,	3:00
313	$\frac{12.10p.}{7:10p}$	Budget/Criminal	on how budget impasse in delaying	3.00
	/.10p	Justice and Reform	restitution to those unjustly	
		Justice and Refulli	imprisoned	
5/5	12:30p,	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	29:00
3,3	$\frac{12.30p}{7:30p}$	Budget	Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey,	27.00
	and	244501	Tony Arnold of WBEZ. Topics	
	unu	I	Tony fundicion with L. Topics	

	6:30a on 5/6		include efforts to sell Thompson Center	
<u>5/5</u>	12:20p, 7:20p	Education	Dusty Rhodes joins Sean Crawford to talk about education funding	<u>7:10</u>
5/8	7:45p, 4:45p	Education	Dusty Rhodes talks about the deal to end the UIS faculty strike	4:14
<u>5/9</u>	12:20p, 7:20p	Quality of Life	IDNR's Dan Stephenson talks about the reintroduction of the alligator gar	7:50
<u>5/9</u>	7:45a, 4:45p	Economy	Tim Landis on Gander Mountain future, state Coliseum repairs	4:50
5/10	12:20p, 7:20p	State Government Budget	Patty Velasquez interviews House Speaker Michael Madigan	9:10
5/11	7:45a, 12:10p, 4:45p, 7:10p	State Government Budget	Illinois Issues coluknist Charlie Wheeler examines what is a true balanced budget?	8:00
5/12	12:30p, 7:30p and 6:30a on 5/13	State Government Budget	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and John O'Connor of the AP. Topics include an update on budget prospects	29:00
<u>5/15</u>	12:40p, 7:40p	Quality of Life	Heather Sweet of the Mosaic Project talks with Sean Crawford about Mental Health month	9:15
5/16	12:20p, 7:20p	State Government Budget	Samantha Nichols, part of a group marching to Springfield for a budget.	8:42
5/16	7:454a, 12:40p, 7:40p	Education	Dusty Rhodes on a ceremony at the U of I for black grads. She talks with coordinator Ashley Davis.	3:43
5/16	12:10p, 7:10p	Education/State Government Budget	Sean Crawford talks with Sarah Brune of the Campaign for Political Reform on the impact the budget impasse has had on small and mid sized colleges	<u>6:04</u>
<u>5/16</u>	7:45a, 4:45p	Economy	Tim Landis joins us. Home sales drop. Farmer's markets resume.	<u>5:02</u>
5/16	12:40p, 7:40p	State Government Budget	Brian Mackey on Democrats moving a budget in the IL Senate	<u>6:15</u>
5/18	7:45a, 12:10p, 4:45p, 7:10p	Economy	Reporter Jake J. Smith for IL Issues on efforts to get clean energy in Illinois.	7:50
<u>5/18</u>	12:40p, 7:40p	Quality of Life	Rachel Otwell and Scott Faingold preview Pridefest in Springfield. Angelica Sanchez, a Pulse Nightclub shooting survivor, speaks	18:00

			with them.	
5/18	12:20p,	Education	Sen. Andy Manar, Rep. Will Davis	17:00
	7:20p		and Sen. Jason Barickman on	
			school funding discussions	
5/19	12:30p,	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian	29:00
	$\frac{7:30p}{,}$	Budget	Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and Tony	
	$\frac{6:30a}{6:30a}$		Arnold of WBEZ. Topics include	
	on 5/20		lack of trust at statehouse.	
5/19	12:10p,	Economy	Alexia Elejalde-Ruiz of the Chicago	7:07
	7:10p		Tribune on what results of	
			workplace drug tests show in	
			different parts of Illinois	
5/22	12:10p,	Economy/State	Chris Stone on his efforts to get a	<u>7:11</u>
	7:10p	Government	Springfiel casino downtown	
		Budget		
5/23	7:45a,	Economy	Tim Landis: Springfield casino,	4:55
	4:45p		YWCA time capsule	
5/23	12:20p,	Education	Rep. Will Davis and Rep. Bob	10:10
	${7:20p}$		Pritchard on education funding	
5/23	12:30p,	Quality of Life	Patrick Haggerty of what is	8:18
	7:30p		considering the first gay country	
			band Lavendar Country	
5/24	7:45a,	Criminal Justice	Illinois Issues: Should 10 year olds	7:50
	$\frac{12:10p}{12:10p}$	and Reform	be kept in juvenile detention.	
	$\frac{1}{4:45p}$		Sources include George	
	7:10p		Timberlake, Linda Teplin, Betsy	
			Clarke, Justin Slaughter.	
5/25	12:30p,	State government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	29:00
	7:30p	budget	Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey and	
	and		Monique Garcia of the Chicago	
	6:30a		Tribune. Topics include GOP	
	on 5/26		lawmakers balking on tax increase	
5/29	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Eric Dundon, Editor of the	<u>11:36</u>
_	7:40p		Hannibal Courier Post joins us to	
			talk about the Lost Boys mystery	
5/30	7:45a,	Economy	Tim Landis: Population drops, Imax	<u>4:44</u>
	4:45p		theatre screens, time running out on	
			Springfield casino	
5/30	12:40p,	Quality of	Polyvinyl label in Champaign still	<u>12:10</u>
	7:40p	Life/Economy	going strong. Owner Matt Lunsford	
			interviewed	
5/31	12:10p,	State Government	Anna Sekiguchi talks about the end	<u>7:04</u>
	7:10p	Budget	of a capitol march that ended in	
			arrests in Springfield	
6/1	7:45a,	State Government	Brian mackey on Illinois missing a	<u>8:15</u>
-	12:20p,	Budget	key deadline to get a budget	
	7:20p			
6/1	7:45a,	Criminal Justice	Maureen McKinney update on	<u>7:15</u>

	12:10p, 7;10p	and Reform	Illinois hate crime laws	
6/1	12:40p, 7:40p	Economy	Lindsay Keeney of the Old Capitol Farmers Market and Molly Gleason of the IL Stewardship Alliance on meal kits now available at the market	11:57
6/2	12:20p, 7:20p	Quality of Life	Willa Rae with Girls Rock Champaign	7:20
6/2	12:30p, 7:30p and 6:30a on 6/3	State Government Budget	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and Doug Finke of SJ-R. Topics include session ending without a budget.	29:00
6/2	7:45a, 12:10p, 7:10p	Criminal Justice and Reform	Update on shootings in Springfield. Sources include Robbie Davis, NAACP President Teresa Haley and Springfield police chief Kenny Winslow	4:35
<u>6/5</u>	12:10p, 7:10p	Education	MacMurray College President Mark Tierno on his cross country RV tour	<u>7:00</u>
6/5	12:20P, 7:20P	Criminal Justice and Reform	Springfield Mayor Jim Langfelder on his initiative to end violence	12:00
6/5	12:40p, 7:40p	Education	Diane Rutlege of LUDA, Caryn Valdez of EDRED and Peg Agnos of LEND, all education lobbyists on opposition to property tax freeze	11:02
6/6	7:45a, 4:45p	Economy	Tim Landis: Is Springfield market gambling saturated?	4:40
6/6	12:20p, 7:20p	State Government Budget	Comptroller Susanna Mendoza on state fiscal outlook	12:50
6/7	12:40p, 7:40p	Quality of Life	Brian Galecki on Springfield music event Dumb Fest	10:15
6/8	7:45a, 12:10p, 4:45p, 7:10p	Economy	Illinois Issues: Daisy Contreras discusses efforts to provide equal pay for women in the state	7:00
<u>6/8</u>	12:20p, 7:10p	Education	John Avendana, President of Kankakee Community College, on budget impasse	9:23
6/9	12:30p, 7:30p and 6:30a on 6/10	State Government Budget	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and Greg Hinz of Crains. Topics include concerns over state potential to default on bonds.	29:00
6/13	12:40p, 7:40p	Quality of Life	Jacob Medford on efforts to save the Goldenrod Showboat along the Illinois River	12:42
6/13	7:45a, 4:45p	Economy	Tim Landis: Binny's beverage depot coming,, Piper Glen Golf	4:59

			Course sold	
6/13	12:10p,	State Government	Brian Mackey talks about court	<u>7:14</u>
<u> </u>	$\frac{7:10p}{7:10p}$	Budget	cases that could determine if state	7.1.
	7.100	24454	workers can be paid during impasse	
6/14	12:20p,	Economy	Bret Bender, who runs the Marbis	17:22
0/11	$\frac{7:10p}{7:10p}$	<u> zvenemj</u>	marijuana dispensary in Grandview	<u> </u>
	7.100		on the future of the medical pot	
			program	
6/14	12:40p,	Quality of Life	Tiffany Lowers of Memorial's Be	8:12
0/11	$\frac{12.10p_{3}}{7:40p}$	Quality of Enc	Aware Women's Fair on the event	0.12
6/14	12:48p,	Quality of Life	Sean Gregory, who is organizing	9:09
0/14	$\frac{12.46p}{7:48p}$	Quality of Life	the Springfield Juneteenth event	2.02
6/15	7:45a,	State Government	Illinois Issues columnist Charlie	7:50
0/13	1	Budget	Wheeler on What will it take to get	7.30
	12:10p,	Duugei	a budget?	
	4:45p		<u>a budget!</u>	
	7:10p			
6/16	12.200	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford,	29:00
0/10	$\frac{12:30p}{7:30p}$		Charlie Wheeler, Brian Mackey,	<u>29.00</u>
	7:30p	Budget		
	and 6:30a		Andrew Maloney of Daily Law Bulletin	
			<u>Bulleull</u>	
6/16	on 6/17	Education	Con Josep Davidsman on Chicago	7.01
<u>6/16</u>	12:10p,	Education	Sen. Jason Barickman on Chicago	<u>7:01</u>
	7:10p		schools and how they plan into	
6/10	10.00	O 1'' CI 'C	school funding legislation	16.26
<u>6/19</u>	12:20p,	Quality of Life	IL Audubon Society's Jim Herkert	<u>16:36</u>
6/20	7:20p	G G	on 120 <sup>th</sup> anniversary.	12.00
<u>6/20</u>	12:20p,	State Government	Sen. Bill Brady on budget impasse	<u>13:09</u>
6 (2.0	7:20p	Budget	D 1 D 1 AVIII 1 V	10.55
<u>6/20</u>	12:40p,	Economy	Bob Palmer of Illinois Housing	<u>12:57</u>
	7:40p		Action on new study that finds low	
			wage workers have trouble making	
- 15.0		_	rent	
<u>6/20</u>	$\frac{7:45a}{1:45a}$	Economy	Tim Landis: Road construction	4:34
	<u>4:45p</u>		stopping, fairground naming rights	
<u>6/22</u>	7:45a,	State Government	Daisy Contreras for Illinois Issues	<u>7:47</u>
	<u>12:10p,</u>	Budget	on a legislative checklist	
	4:45p,			
	7:10p			
<u>6/22</u>	12:20p,	State Government	Angela Bertoni, CEO of Sojourn	<u>14:34</u>
	7:20p	Budget	Shelter, on budget impasse and her	
			<u>organization</u>	
<u>6/23</u>	12:30p,	State Government	State Week: Sean Crawford, Brian	<u>29:00</u>
	7:30p	Budget	Mackey, Charlie Wheeler and Tony	
	<u>and</u>		Arnold of WBEZ on special session	
	<u>6:30a</u>		beginning	
	on 6/24			
<u>6/23</u>	<u>12:10p,</u>	<u>Education</u>	Paul Zavitovsky with urban	<u>7:15</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		Education Leadership Program with	
			report on student achievement in	

			state	
6/27	7:45a,	Economy	Tim Landis: First fracking permit	<u>4:20</u>
	<u>4:45p</u>		filed, Kidzeum to begin	
			construction	
<u>6/27</u>	<u>12:40p,</u>	Quality of Life	Erin Svendson, Immanuel Ahiable	<u>7:59</u>
	<u>7:40p</u>		and Lisa Clemmons Stott on Art	
			Alley Pop Up event downtown	
<u>6/27</u>	<u>12:10p,</u>	State Government	Brian mackey reports on the budget	<u>3:43</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>	Budget	talks. Sources include Michael	
			Madigan, Jim Durki, John Cullerton	
			and Christine Radogno	
<u>6/29</u>	<u>12:20p,</u>	Education	No budget could mean lost	<u>7:55</u>
	<u>7:10p</u>		accreditation for higher ed. Randy	
			Dunn, SIU president, is	
			<u>interviewed.</u>	
<u>6/30</u>	12:30p,	State Government	State Week: Brian Mackey, Charlie	<u>29:00</u>
	<u>7:30p</u>	Budget	Wheeler, Amanda Vinicky. Topics	
	<u>and</u>		include special session and GOP	
	<u>6:30a</u>		Senate Leader Christine Radogno	
	<u>on 7/1</u>		resigns	

## **Responsive Programs**

The station broadcast the following significant programs to deal with above-referenced issues.

Newscast pieces aired among daily casts at 6:04 a.m. 6:20 a.m. 6:40 a.m. 7:04 a.m. 7:20 a.m. 7:40 a.m. 8:04 a.m. 8:20 a.m. 8:40 a.m. 12:06 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 4:04 p.m. 4:30 p.m. 5:04 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:04 p.m.

The station produces a daily magazine show "Illinois Edition" at noon. The 7 p.m. airing has been replaced by a special airing of the show "Indivisible."

WUIS also produces State Week, a political roundtable at 12:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Fridays and 6:30 a.m. Saturdays.

## **Engagement events**

WUIS produced, in conjunction with AARP, three Illinois Issues budget forums. Both involved a panel of experts and questions from the crowd.

Dates: April 27 in Springfield. May 27 in Urbana, May 23 in Glen Ellyn.