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Public Issues identified by community leaders and the general public important to Marshfield 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 3, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :24 Gas prices are still creeping up in Wisconsin, The Triple-"A's" statewide average for regular unleaded held about steady from yesterday at 3.25 per gallon. That's up by three-and-a-half cents from a week ago, and it's up a dime over the past month. Experts say part of the increase is due to a reduction in fuel inventories, to help oil companies cut their tax bills for last year.

Date Aired: January 3, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 The White House continues to pressure Congress to extend long-term unemployment benefits. About 1-point-3 million Americans lost their benefits last weekend. The chief economist at the White House says the expiration will hurt the national economy in the long term. The Senate will vote next Monday on extending those benefits retroactively.

Date Aired: January 7, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 A report from the U.S. Department of Commerce indicates companies are growing more confident. U.S. factory orders increased 1-point-8 percent in November, led by a surge in demand for airplanes.

Date Aired: January 10, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 A national report shows U.S. job reductions have reached a 13-year low. The number of planned layoffs for the last month dropped by 32 percent. Meanwhile, the federal government reports applications for first-time unemployment benefits claims are falling. A total of 330 thousand initial claims were filed, down by 15 thousand from the previous week.

Date Aired: January 13, 2014 Time: 6, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :22 74,000 jobs were created by the US economy in December. The US unemployment rate fell to a five-year low of 6.7 percent, but that was in part due to a drop in the number of Americans searching for work. Figures do, however, indicate that spending, trade, and factory input are all strong.

Date Aired: January 16, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :19 J-C Penney will close five stores in Wisconsin, and 33 nationwide, to try and turn its struggling department store chain around. The company said yesterday that stores in Wausau, Rhinelander, Rice Lake, Janesville, and Fond du Lac are under-performing and will close by early May. Two-hundred-55

jobs will be eliminated from those stores.

Date Aired: January 20, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 Fewer Wisconsinites are filing for bankruptcy as the economy improves. Almost 23-thousand state residents sought protections in federal bankruptcy court last year. That's down by almost 10-percent from 2012 and 25-percent lower than in 2010.

Date Aired: January 21, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 Wisconsin Realtors sold almost 11-percent more houses last year than in 2012. That's according to the state's Realtors Association. Board chairman Steve Lane said 2013 was a robust year for the housing market. He said home sales rose in each region of Wisconsin during the past year.

Date Aired: January 24, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 After three straight months of declining numbers, the sales of existing homes were up by one percent in December. The National Association of Realtors reported almost 4-point-9 million home sales showing growth again in the housing market.

Date Aired: January 24, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Wisconsin's new unemployment rate is the lowest since November of 2008. State officials said yesterday that the jobless rate for December was six-point-two percent on a seasonally-adjusted basis. That's down one-tenth of a percent from November.

Date Aired: January 30, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 Unemployment went down slightly in half of Wisconsin's 12 metro areas last month. State figures showed that the Milwaukee area added three-thousand jobs in December -- almost half the state's total of 62-hundred new jobs. However 50 of Wisconsin's 72 counties had increases in their jobless rates in December.

Date Aired: January 31, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :19 The U.S. economy grew at a solid 3-point-2 percent in the fourth quarter of last year. Stocks closed up yesterday with the Nasdaq and S-and-P 500 both gained more than a percentage point. The government report showed consumer spending was up 3-point-3 percent. That is a big jump from the two percent growth in the third quarter.

Date Aired: March 11, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :27 A quarterly survey by Milwaukee's Manpower Incorporated shows that 21-percent more state companies plan to add employees from April through June than those expecting layoffs. That's better than the national outlook. Manpower says that figure is 13-percent. Federal figures show that the Badger State has created new jobs at only half the national pace in the government's latest quarterly employment census.

Date Aired: March 20, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :27 The number of private sector jobs in Wisconsin grew by one-point-two percent during the year ending in September. That's the 35th slowest job growth among the 50 states and is just over half the national increase of two-percent. The U-S Labor Department report shows that construction jobs have grown at a rate of five-point-six percent. But manufacturing, the state's largest employment sector, continues to struggle with a growth rate of just two-tenths of one-percent.

Date Aired: March 26, 2014 Time: 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :20 An Ohio-based cheese company is expanding in north central Wisconsin. The Biery Cheese Company will move from the town of Sherry in Wood County to a bigger facility in Portage County. The company will expand to an old Basic American Foods food plant in Plover. Biery Cheese plans to pour almost \$20M into the area and create 31 new jobs.

Date Aired: March 26, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :16 According to the latest government estimates, Wisconsin's personal net earnings have rebounded — but at an average annual rate that lags that of the nation. Personal net income in the Badger State rose at an average annual rate of 3.2 percent that ranks 35th out of the 50 states.

Date Aired: March 28, 2014 Time: 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 The state's unemployment rate took a slight dip in February. The state Department of Workforce Development figures show the state's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate in February dropped from 6.2 percent in January to 6.1 percent. The report shows a net decrease of 1,600 private sector jobs between January and February.

Government: Date Aired: January 9, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi says extending jobless benefits pumps money right back into the country's economy. Pelosi and other Democrats are pushing hard for the extension on Capitol Hill. About 1-point-3 million Americans lost their unemployment benefits when they expired December 28th.

Date Aired: January 14, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length : 22 Wisconsinites will have their say tomorrow on a bill to ban cell-phone use while driving through construction zones. The Senate's transportation panel will hear testimony on a bill introduced last month by Marathon Republican Jerry Petrowski. Over 15 lawmakers from both parties have co-sponsored the measure.

Date Aired: January 16, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :26 Wausau Mayor Jim Tipple vetoed a law yesterday that would require bartenders to be sober or nearly sober while working. The city council passed the Server's Ordinance Tuesday night with an 8-2 vote. Under the proposal, bartenders could not have a blood alcohol content of more than .04. Mayor

Tipple says he thinks the council needed more community input before voting. The council can override the mayor's veto with a two-thirds vote at their next council meeting on January 28th.

Date Aired: January 17, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Ron Johnson was one of 26 Senate Republicans who voted against the federal budget that got final congressional approval yesterday. Seventeen other Republicans joined all Democrats including Tammy Baldwin in okaying the one-point-one trillion dollar package which is designed to keep Washington in business through end of the fiscal year.

Date Aired: January 17, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :23 Wisconsin state senator Kathleen Vinehout says she will not run for governor this year. Citing injuries she received in a car crash last month, Vinehout says, the time required to recover and rehabilitate make it impossible for me to run the kind of campaign necessary to win. In a statement, Vinehout thanked her supporters and offered best wishes to current democratic gubernatorial candidate Mary Burke.

Date Aired: January 17, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :26 A report from the Legislative Fiscal Bureau indicates state revenue projections for the biennium are much higher than previously anticipated, due largely to an almost 893-million-dollar increase in estimated tax collections. The debate is on over how to use the surplus. Assembly Speaker Robin Vos said he wanted the money to be used for reducing the local tax levies for technical colleges. Democrats said some of the money should be used for worker training -- and any tax cuts should help the middle class.

Date Aired: January 22, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :18 Wisconsin homeowners would get their property-and-income taxes cut by an average of 150-dollars a year, under a plan Governor Walker will spell out tonight during the annual State-of-the-State address. The Governor said yesterday that he'll devote just over half of the projected budget surplus to tax relief.

Date Aired: January 28, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 Governor Walker is making eight-and-a-half million more dollars available to help low-income Wisconsinites get the

propane fuel they need to stay warm. The Governor announced more aid for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, after he met with industry leaders yesterday on the propane shortage. He also granted eight-million-dollars in temporary lines of credit to propane distributors, so they can pay for their own supplies.

Date Aired: January 29, 2014 Time 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 The Wausau City Council has voted for a second time to join a handful of other Wisconsin cities that make sure bartenders don't get as drunk as their customers. The council voted 8-to-2 last night to override a veto from Mayor Jim Tipple -- who claimed that the aldermen rammed through the measure without input from the affected bars.

Date Aired: January 31, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :25 Low-income Wisconsinites who use propane to heat their homes will get an extra 14-million dollars under the federal fuel assistance program. Senator Tammy Baldwin announced the allocation yesterday, as state residents continue to struggle with a propane shortage that has raised prices beyond five-dollars a gallon. Governor Walker made a similar request to President Obama earlier this week.

Date Aired: February 4, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :19 Wisconsin Republicans want to join their national tea party brethren in pushing for a balanced-budget amendment to the U-S Constitution. The state Assembly Elections Committee has scheduled a vote for late this morning, to ask Congress to approve a state convention to propose the amendment.

Date Aired: February 4, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :21 Congress is preparing to send President Obama a massive, five-year farm bill. The Senate is expected to pass the almost \$100 billion-a-year compromise bill today after the House passed it last week. The bill provides a financial cushion for farmers who face unpredictable weather and market conditions and makes a limited cut to food stamps.

Date Aired: February 12, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30 and 8AM Segment Length :23 Wausau

will soon become the latest Wisconsin city to make it against the law to drive while holding a cell phone. The City Council approved the ban on a 11-to-nothing vote last night, Violators will face 40-dollar fines. The new ordinance still allows hands-free devices. Surrounding communities like Schofield and Weston are expected to approve identical bans.

Date Aired: March 7, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :20 Another effort is reportedly underway to end the 30-year-old practice of letting Wisconsin voters register at the polls on Election Day. Wis-Politics-Dot-Com says Senate Republican Glenn Grothman is asking his colleagues to sponsor a bill that could speed through the Legislature in the final weeks of its two-year session. Republicans have tried several times to end Election Day registration. They scrapped the idea in 2012 due to the costs of making such a change.

Date Aired: March 12, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Wisconsin senators agreed to let schools open for less than 180 days a year, as long as they get their required class hours in. Senators also okayed bills to increase weight limits for farm equipment on Wisconsin roads, and create a new class of ag commercial vehicles.

Date Aired: March 24, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :19 Wisconsin taxes will be cut by over a half-billion dollars, under a new bill Governor Walker will sign into law today. The tax cut package also adds over 100-million dollars to the state's coffers, and cuts spending by 38-million dollars to avoid a deficit to start the next state budget in mid-2015.

Date Aired: March 28, 2014 Time: 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :27 Governor Walker signed into law a measure that limits in-person absentee voting to no later than 7 p.m. during the week and no weekend hours and to prohibit early voting on weekends. Democrats strongly opposed the measures and Scot Ross of the group One Wisconsin Now, says the law is unconstitutional and likely will be challenged in court. The bill was among 29 the Governor signed privately in Milwaukee yesterday.

Environment: Date Aired: January 6, 2014 Time: 5:30, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM
Segment Length : 40 Its the coldest weather across Wisconsin in almost 18 years this morning. Hundreds of schools, businesses, and government offices are closed today. Marshfield had the state's coldest wind chill at seven o'clock -- 53-below, with an actual temperature of minus-25. Phillips in Price County remained the state's cold spot with 30-below. Wind-chills were in the minus-30's-and-40's statewide. Much of the U-S is freezing, weather officials blame it on a "polar vortex" -- a whirlpool of dense, frigid air. The temperatures forced schools across several states to close for the day.

Date Aired: January 13, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :14 The Wisconsin Natural Resources Board will consider tighter restrictions on moving firewood, in an effort to slow the spread of the tree-killing emerald ash borer which has been spreading more rapidly throughout the state.

Date Aired: January 20, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Deer hunters and businesses are both crying foul over a plan to end deer registrations at places like bars and gas stations. On Wednesday, the state Natural Resources Board will consider a proposal to start registering deer over the phone and online. It would save 182-thousand dollars the D-N-R now spends to run 626 deer reporting stations.

Date Aired: January 23, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 Natural Resources Board has revamped Wisconsin's deer hunting rules. The board unanimously approved a host of changes including elimination of in-person deer registrations at places like bars and gas stations. Starting in 2015, they'll all be reported on line or by phone. Other changes are a reduction in deer management units, and the creation of county committees to advise state wildlife experts on deer population goals.

Date Aired: February 6, 2014 Time: 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :18 The cold winter has us paying more to heat our homes. Wisconsin Power-and-Light gas customers in the south central region are paying about 30-percent more this year. The National Weather Service said Wausau is shivering through its 10th coldest winter since the 1890's.

Date Aired: February 7, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :24 President Obama will sign the new Farm Bill into law today in neighboring Michigan. For Wisconsin dairy farmers, the new package replaces government price supports with a new margin insurance program. Wisconsin cranberry growers will also find a lot to like. Tom Lochner of the state Cranberry Growers Association cites a crop insurance plan and a continued market assistance program which helps boost cranberry exports.

Date Aired: February 25, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :18 Farmers in Wisconsin and four other Midwest states could soon get federal funds to make their pastures more attractive to honey-bees. The U-S-D-A is reportedly focusing on Wisconsin Minnesota, Michigan, and the Dakotas because two-thirds of the nation's 30-thousand commercial bee-keepers bring their hives to the Midwest for at least part of the year.

Date Aired: February 28, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :28 Ice fishing enthusiasts are supposed to get their shanties off Wisconsin lakes about now -- but that's easier-said-than-done, thanks to our cold winter. The D-N-R says people have been asking for advice about moving shanties which are frozen in. Officials are asking people to do their best to follow the removal deadlines -- and if they can't, they should report their situations to the D-N-R.

Date Aired: March 5, 2014 Time: 7, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :20 Wisconsin farmers will soon be able to use drones to get a better look at their fields. One of the state's largest John Deere dealer chains, Riesterer and Schnell, is teaming up with Precision Drone of Indiana. They'll soon unveil a hexa-copter that can take digital images of fields and crops from 400-feet in the air.

Date Aired: March 20, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :24 Governor Walker signed a bill yesterday that requires all snowmobiles on Wisconsin's trail system, have a state trail pass. Snowmobile Clubs Members will pay \$10. Non-members will pay \$30 and out of state snowmobilers will pay \$50 for their trail pass. The registration sticker will be valid for three years and, under the legislation, the additional revenue is to be used to help maintain 18,000 miles of snowmobile trails.

Education: Date Aired: January 8, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 Wisconsin's two major teachers' unions are thinking about merging. Members of The Wisconsin Education Association Council and the American Federation of Teachers will vote on a possible merger April 26th in Green Bay. It comes about two-and-a-half years after the state's Act-10 law that limited public union bargaining.

Date Aired: January 14, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :17 Free fishing weekend is this Saturday and Sunday in Wisconsin. Department of Natural Resources

says the free fishing weekend is an opportunity for people of all ages to go out and enjoy some ice fishing. More information is available at DNR-dot-WI-dot-GOV.

Date Aired: January 28, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Republicans say a higher minimum wage would be a job-killer -- but over six of every 10 Wisconsinites want to see an increase anyway. Sixty-two percent of the 802 voters surveyed in the new Marquette Law School poll want something higher than the current minimum wage of 7.25-an-hour. But only a quarter of voters want it raised to 10-dollars-an-hour.

Date Aired: January 30, 2014 Time: 6, 7:30 and 8AM Segment Length :28 The Weston couple convicted of second degree reckless homicide in the death of their daughter is due in court Thursday. It's been almost 6-years since 11-year old Kara Neumann died of untreated diabetes in 2008. Dale and Leilani Neumann prayed for the girl instead of taking her to a doctor. The Neumanns were sentenced to a month in jail once a year for 6-years, 10-years probation and community service and now after appeals have run out they may finally have to start serving their sentence.

Date Aired: February 10, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 7:30 and 8AM Segment Length :20 In a major milestone for gay rights, the United States government plans to expand recognition of same-sex marriages in federal legal matters, including bankruptcies, prison visits and survivor benefits. Attorney General Eric Holder said the Justice Department will issue a memo later today.

Date Aired: February 18, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :22 More Wisconsin communities are asking their residents to leave a faucet on 24-7 to keep their water pipes from freezing. Abbotsford, Greenwood and Medford are among central Wisconsin communities to join the group. Officials say the problem is the deep frost that has surrounded underground service pipes.

Date Aired: February 20, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :25 Last year set a new record for Wisconsin agricultural exports. State Ag Secretary Ben Brancel said over three-point-two billion dollars of Wisconsin farm-related products were shipped overseas in 2013. That's up nine-percent

from the previous year. Dairy products, eggs, and honey led the way. Over 150 nations bought Wisconsin products. The Top-Five customers were Canada, China, Mexico, Korea, and Japan

Date Aired: February 20, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Marquette University says it's eliminating 25 staff positions in order to cut costs and keep tuition affordable at the Milwaukee Jesuit school. Interim president Robert Wild refused to identify the departments affected. Wild said the laid-off staffers would get extended pay-and-benefits, plus transition help.

Date Aired: March 6, 2014 Time: 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :26 Wisconsin school superintendents are in Madison today, to oppose a bill that could have lawmakers setting academic standards. The Senate Education Committee will hold a public hearing at 10 a-m on the proposed creation of a state board to set new standards. Governor Walker says Wisconsin needs its own academic requirements. School administrators and others say it would politicize the process of determining what kids should learn.

Date Aired: March 7, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30 and 8AM Segment Length :26 Dozens of Wisconsin school officials jammed a State Capitol hearing room yesterday to oppose a bill that could eventually eliminate the Common Core standards. Superintendents argued that the three-year-old math and reading standards work. Other school leaders say they've spent too much on Common Core to scrap it. They asked where the money would come from to replace it. Senate Majority Leader Scott Fitzgerald says the bill would most likely need changes in order for it to pass.

Date Aired: March 18, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 Food stamps are feeding tens of millions of children in the U-S. The annual report from the Department of Agriculture shows about 45-percent of SNAP benefits went to people under the age of 18 in the just completed fiscal year. About four in 10 recipients are in a household with one working member.

Date Aired: March 19, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 Wisconsin public schools would no longer have to open their classrooms for 180 days a year, under a bill passed by the state

Assembly. The measure was sent to Governor Walker yesterday on a voice vote, after the Senate approved it earlier. Schools would still have minimum classroom hours that vary according to grade levels.

Date Aired: March 24, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 Authorities say phone scammers are targeting senior citizens. A Shawano County couple lost thousands recently in what is being called Grandparent Scam. They say the caller told them their grandson was in jail. To help him, the caller said they needed to wire transfer \$2,000 in cash to Florida. Authorities say scams like this are common throughout the state.

Health: Date Aired: January 6, 2014 Time 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :18 The virus that caused a swine flu pandemic in Wisconsin four years ago has made a comeback – but doctors at the Marshfield Clinic say it's not nearly as prevalent as it was in 2010. Still, they say the H-1-N-1 virus has become the predominant flu strain in the region this winter. It's among the strains that are covered in this winter's flu vaccine.

Date Aired: January 9, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :17 State health leaders say they are seeing more hospitalizations reported due to the flu. Officials are seeing more H1N1. It's the same virus we saw during the pandemic of 2009. Health experts say it is not too late to get vaccinated.

Date Aired: January 10, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :20 Nearly half of all Americans who have employer-paid health insurance say they are paying higher premiums than they were last year. A new Bankrate study reveals people making between 50 and 75 thousand dollars per year are being hurt by higher out-of-pocket expenses and deductibles.

Date Aired: January 14, 2014 Time: 6 and 7AM Segment Length :25 Almost 41-thousand Wisconsinites signed up for health insurance by the end of December under the federal government's purchasing exchange. That's way more than the five-thousand state residents who had signed up by the end of November. However, just six-percent of the expected 700-thousand Wisconsinites who need coverage have signed up for it. This year's deadline for getting coverage through the exchanges is March 31st.

Date Aired: January 15, 2014 Time: 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :27 The Food and Drug Administration is asking doctors to stop prescribing combination drugs with more than 325 mg of acetaminophen, citing the risk of liver damage. The FDA says there is no available data to show that taking more than 325 mg of acetaminophen per dosage unit provides additional benefit that outweighs the added risks for liver injury. According to the National Institutes of Health. Acetaminophen overdose is one of the most common poisonings worldwide.

Date Aired: January 15, 2014 Time: 7 and 8AM Segment Length :22 Wisconsin adults age-18-to-64 have one of the nation's lowest flu vaccination rates -- and they're the ones most likely to be hospitalized this winter. The Trust for America's Health said Wisconsin ranks 47th among the 50 states in the percentage of young and middle-aged adults with flu shots. State health officials said almost 600 people were hospitalized with the flu from October fifth through January ninth.

Date Aired: February 11, 2014 Time 6 and 7AM Segment Length :23 The Food and Drug Administration has issued a warning against eating some Uncle Ben's rice products. Children in three states had skin reactions and other health problems connected to the rice. The FDA says its warning applies only to rice served at schools, restaurants, hospitals and similar food service operations. Uncle Ben's products in grocery stores have not been recalled.

Date Aired: February 12, 2014 Time: 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :22 Graco is recalling nearly 3.8 million car safety seats because children can get trapped by buckles that may not unlatch. The recall covers 11 models sold from 2009 through 2013. Owners who didn't register their seats but want free replacement buckles can call the company's consumer hotline or visit its website.

Date Aired: February 28, 2014 Time: 6, 6:30, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :26 Lane Home Furniture is urging people to check if they own a cedar chest it stopped making nearly 30 years ago. The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission said a latch on the chest automatically locks when closed. The commission says a total of nine children have suffocated to death inside the chests. Lane originally recalled about 12 million of the chests in 1996, but they are still being bought at second-hand stores or handed down by families.

Date Aired: March 11, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :17 Wisconsinites who are about to lose their state-funded health insurance are being reminded to sign up for Federal health-care by the end of March. Claire Smith of the state Health Services agency says there will not be a gap in coverage for those who buy insurance on the federal exchange by March 31st.

Date Aired: March 24, 2014 Time: 6, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :21 Thousands of Wisconsinites still need to sign up for Health-care before the deadline a week from today. That's when the open enrollment period ends on the federal government's online exchange. Those not covered after next Monday could face penalties from 95-dollars to one-percent of their incomes or whichever is greater.

Date Aired: March 26, 2014 Time: 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30AM Segment Length :22 Monday is the deadline for people to enroll or face penalties under the Affordable Care Act. The Obama administration will give more time to people who try to apply but encounter difficulty, administration officials said the move will accommodate people who face special circumstances or complex cases and need extra time to complete their enrollment.

Date Aired: March 31, 2014 Time: 6, 7 and 8AM Segment Length :15 A big deadline looms at midnight tonight for Wisconsinites who either don't have health insurance, or will soon lose their state-funded coverage. Today is the last day that most uninsured people can enroll for insurance under the Affordable Care Act without facing penalties.