

## TRI STATES PUBLIC RADIO – COMMUNITY ISSUES – SECOND QUARTER 2020

### ISSUES

Coronavirus  
Agriculture in the Tri States  
Racial Tension/BLM  
Education  
Local Economy  
Local Government/Politics

### RESPONSIVE PROGRAMMING

#### CORONAVIRUS

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
6/29/20	7-9am	:50	Farm States Still Struggling With Polluted Drinking Water
05/27/20		:50	Fighting the Flood and Coronavirus at the Same Time
05/15/20		4:25	U Of I Report: COVID-19 Has Created Challenges, Highlighted Inequities Within Health Care System
06/22/20		4:25	The Country Has Plenty of Meat, Despite COVID-19 Plant Closures
04/01/20		:45	Pritzker Extends the Stay At Home Order Through April

#### AGRICULTURE

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
6/22/20	7-9am	4 mins	COVID-19 Put Beef Prices On Roller Coaster, And The Ride Isn't Over Yet
06/03/20		4:40	As Farmers Face Increasing COVID-19 Pressure, Some Fear For Their Mental Health
05/22/20		:50	Iowa Joins Program That Lets Local Lockers Sell Meat in Other States
06/14/20		:50	Pork Processing Slowed, But For Now Farmers Largely Spared From Euthanizing Their Pigs
04/24/20		:50	COVID-19 Ag Relief Helps Small and Specialty Farms But Not Ethanol

#### RACIAL TENSION/BLM

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
6/24/20	7-9am	4:30	Western's Interim President on Local Racial Issues: "We Must Do Better"
6/22/20		4:30	Juneteenth 2020 in Macomb
06/04/20		4 mins	Chicago Reps Want Special Session to Deal with Police Reform Issues
06/03/20		4 mins	A Truly Grassroots Demonstration

#### EDUCATION

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
6/22/20	7-9am	:45	U of I Plans To Reopen In The Fall, Professors Fear For Their Safety
6/17/20		:45	U of I Creates Saliva COVID-19 Test; Plans To Use It This Fall
6/9/20		4 mins	Rapid Growth in Size of Macomb Demonstrations

#### LOCAL ECONOMY

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
6/10/20	7-9am	5 mins	This Year's Economic Collapse Different than Those of the Past
6/09/20		:50	Illinois Auto Sales Suffered During Stay At Home Period
04/23/20		:50	Helping Local Businesses Weather the Storm
04/22/20		:50	Staff Cutbacks at Hospitals During Pandemic

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT/POLITICS**

DATE	AIR TIME	DURATION	TITLE/DESCRIPTION
06/03/20	7-9am	:30	Greenfield Wins Democratic Primary Setting Up Senate Contest W/Ernst
05/26/20		4:45	Iowa 2nd District Candidates Spar over Conservative Credentials
05/19/20		:50	Galesburg Interested In Joining "Restore HOI" Reopening Plan
05/11/20		:50	Iowa Gov. Reynolds in 'Modified Quarantine' After Visit With Pence
05/07/20		:50	Illinois Republican Leaders Disapprove of Governor's Reopening Plan, Demand A Late Spring Session
05/04/20		:50	ACLU: Governor's Order on Face Coverings Is Enforceable
04/24/20		:50	Furloughs at Monmouth City Hall
04/03/20		2:50	A Message from Macomb Mayor Michael Inman & WIU Interim President Martin Abraham