

Issues-Program List, January - March, 2018

From the News Department

All stories ran multiple times in newscasts on the date noted.

Infrastructure needs – North Dakota’s needs and issues. By Dave Thompson. 2:48 1/5/18

Business expansions and using ND crops to make products. By Todd McDonald. 2:15 3/21/18

Governor Burgum’s “Main Street” initiative, and government reinvention. By Todd McDonald. 2:25 1-23-18

Crime Victim Rights – ND v. SD. By Dave Thompson. 2:39 3/2/18

Rural Development – By Grant Gerlock, Harvest Public Media. 4:00 3/2/18

From *Main Street* (public affairs show on weekdays at 3 and 7 pm)

### **Wednesday, January 3**

**306pm**

**21 minutes**

Could geoengineering mitigate the effects of climate change? It’s an approach inspired by volcanic eruptions that cause cooling by injecting sulfur dioxide into the stratosphere. Joining us is Dr. Douglas MacMartin, a senior research associate at Cornell University.

### **Wednesday, January 24**

**306pm**

**19 minutes**

Jode Freyholtz-London, founder and executive director of Wellness in the Woods in Verndale, Minnesota, presented to landlords today in Fargo on the subject of mental health first aid. The idea is to help landlords deal with tenants who experience a crisis. She joins us to share some of that advice.

### **Tuesday, February 6**

**306pm**

**25 minutes**

We visit with Paul Sum, UND professor and department chair in the Department of Political Science and Public Administration; and Mike Jacobs, former editor and publisher of the Grand Forks Herald, and current columnist for the Herald. They recently hosted a conversation at UND titled “What is Good Government in North Dakota. They join us to reprise that discussion.

### **Tuesday, February 20**

**306pm**

**17 minutes**

Janakate Walker is with [Project LAUNCH](#). It helps children on the Standing Rock Reservation reach physical, social, emotional, behavioral, and cognitive health. Walker is a Young Child

Wellness Coordinator and Behavioral Health Support Specialist.

**Wednesday, March 14**

**306pm**

**14 minutes**

Kirsten Baesler, the ND superintendent of the Department of Public Instruction, joins us to discuss a number of issues facing education in the state.

**Thursday, March 29**

**306 pm**

**11 minutes**

UND journalism professor Mark Trahan is moving on, having accepted a new job as editor of Indian Country Today. But before he goes, he'll be participating in a symposium on the Standing Rock pipeline protests that sparked conversations on campus about academic freedom. He joins us to discuss his new job and offers a preview of the symposium.