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“Fayetteville Focus” is a 30-minute weekly program that looks at issues and newsmakers from Fayetteville and the surrounding area. It airs at 6:30am each Sunday morning. The following Issues have been identified as pertinent to the Fayetteville, NC / North Carolina Sandhills region: Public Health, Public Safety, Economy, Education, Community, Military/Veterans, Politics/City-County-State Governments, Crime, Environment and Downtown Revitalization.

*Military/Veterans *Public Health	10/7	Secretary of Veterans Affairs and Fayetteville native, Robert Wilkie, on his transition from interim secretary and the impact Hurricane Florence had on the VA Medical Centers in Southeast North Carolina. FEMA’s Media Relations Specialist, Rita Egan, on the best ways to get relief and assistance post-Hurricane Florence.
*Education *Community *Economy *Downtown Revitalization	10/14	Cumberland County School Board member Greg West on Hurricane Florence make-up time and other school system issues. Buies Creek Astros GM David Lane updates on the baseball team’s pending name-reveal and move to downtown Fayetteville. Pat Wright and Jan Johnson on the Indigo Moon Film Festival, returning to downtown Fayetteville this weekend.
*Politics *Economy *Community *Education	10/21	Fayetteville City Council member Tisha Waddell on the impact the pending closing of the Walmart on Murchison Road will have on that community. Meet Cumberland County’s 2018 Teacher Of The Year, Amy Stovall. Former North Carolina State Representative Rick Glazier – now head of the North Carolina Justice Center – on the excessively negative tone of local campaigns this election season.
*Downtown Revitalization *Economy *Politics	10/28	Former Fayetteville Mayor and interim CEO of the Cool Spring Downtown District, Tony Chavonne, on the changing landscape in the downtown area. Political analyst and former North Carolina Representative George Breece on the upcoming elections. Operation Christmas Child’s Nicole Nelson on how to get involved with the holiday charity efforts.

*Politics *City/County Government *Community	11/4	Fayetteville City Council member Ted Mohn on the upcoming elections. Comedian and game show host Mark Summers, in Fayetteville to host Double Dare Live at the Crown Theater, on his long career in show business.
*Politics *City/County Government *Community	11/11	REPLAY: Fayetteville City Council member Ted Mohn on the upcoming elections. Comedian and game show host Mark Summers, in Fayetteville to host Double Dare Live at the Crown Theater, on his long career in show business.
*Crime *Downtown Revitalization *Economy *Community	11/18	Fayetteville Police Department officer of the year John Somerindyke on his big case, the “Ramsey Street Rapist.” Mark Zarthar, president of the Fayetteville Woodpeckers baseball team, on the team’s immediate future now that the name is public and marketing is in high gear. Ann Mathis of the Bicycle Man Outreach on the start of this year’s charity bicycle campaign.
*Economy *Politics *Crime *Community	11/25	North Carolina Representative John Szoka on local taxes and the recent elections. Fayetteville Police Chief Gina Hawkins on the latest episodes of gun violence. Ja ‘Maul Johnson, the director of the Gilbert Theater’s production of It’s A Wonderful Life, introduces the cast.
*Economy *Downtown Revitalization *Politics	12/2	Fayetteville City Councilman Jim Arp on the proposed city sports complex, city taxes and downtown growth. Former North Carolina Representative George Breece on the passing of former Fayetteville Mayor Bill Hurley. The Fayetteville Observer’s Paul Woolverton on Mayor Hurley.
*Downtown Revitalization *Politics *Crime *Education *Community	12/9	Fayetteville City Councilman Dan Culliton on downtown issues – trains, crime and parking to name a few. Fayetteville City Council member Tisha Waddell on increasing citizen involvement in city affairs. Cumberland County Schools Superintendent, Dr. Marvin Connelly, on the results of his “listening Tour”

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Public Safety *City/County Governments *Community *Public Health 	12/23	<p>Cumberland County Commissioner Glen Adams on the major local events of 2018, including Hurricane Florence and the tax dispute between the county and the city of Fayetteville. Ken King of Jonah’s Helmet Charity on how his organization’s efforts increase during the holiday season. Local author Annie Francheschi on her best-selling book, <i>Permission To Try</i>.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Public Health *Politics *Downtown Revitalization 	12/30	<p>Executive director of the Highlands Chapter of the American Red Cross Phil Harris looks back at 2018 and lays out needs for the coming year. Ron Pringle, executive director of the Second Harvest Food Bank, on the success of this month’s food drive and what the needs are currently. Fayetteville City Councilman Glen Adams looks back at 2018.</p>