

ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST
WTRFDT MYOV, Wheeling, WV
period covered: October 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

Date: 1/7/2016

ISSUE	PROGRAM TITLE	DATE AND TIME AIRED	DURATION	DESCRIPTION
Political Economy Education	Decision Makers	Sun: 10/4/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Evan Jenkins W.V Representative, Cecil Roberts, President U.M. Workers of America, John Deskins Director WVU Bureau of Business and Economic Research, Michael Martirano W.V Superintendent of Schools, Rahul Gupta W.V. State Health Officer
Political	Decision Makers	Sun: 10/11/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary; Governor Earl Ray Tomblin, Brooks McCabe W.V. Public Service Commission, Jay Goldman, Jay Goldman Associates, Senator Mitch Carmichael, Michael Hissman Bailey & Glasser LLP, Mayor Danny Jones Charleston, WV.
Political Economy	Decision Makers	Sun: 10/18/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Booth Goodwin U.S. Attorney, Representative Evan Jenkins, Steve Williams Mayor of Huntington, W.V., Michael Hissman Bailey & Michael Hissam Bailey & Hissman, Steve Roberts, W.V. Chamber President, Danny Jones Mayor of Charleston
Political Education Health	Decision Makers	Sun: 10/25/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Mike Hissman Bailey & Glasser LLP, Homer Hickman Author/Former NASA Engineer, Dr. E. Gordon Gee W.V.U., Mickey Brown Boone County Commissioner, Dr. Rahul Gupta W.V. State Health Officer, Dr. Robert Rupp Professor W.V. Wesleyan College
Education Economy	Decision Makers	Sun: 11/1/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Wally Thornhill Owner Thornhill Superstore Auto Dealership, Mike Hamrick Athletic Director Marshall University
Political Education	Decision Makers	Sun: 11/8/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Senator Bill Cole W.V. Senate President, David Hartvigsen CEO Adventures on the Gorge, John Musgrave Retiring Director of W.V. Lottery, Bob Huggins W.V.U. Men's Head Basketball Coach, Mike Hissman Bailey and Glasser, LLP, Mayor Danny Jones, Charleston, W.V.
Political Education	Decision Makers	Sun: 11/15/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Senator Jeff Kessler W.V. Senate Minority Leader, Gary White Marshall University Interim President, Ben Bailey Co-Founder Bailey & Glasser LLP, Major General James Hoyer W.V. National Guard, Patrick Morrissey W.V. Attorney General, Mike Hissam Bailey and Glasser LLP
Political	Decision Makers	Sun: 11/22/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Mike Hissam Bailey and Glasser LLP, Nasir Shansab Author Silent Trees, Danielle Waltz Jackson Kelly PLLC, Senator Mitch Carmichael W.V Senate Majority Leader, Mayor Danny Jones Charleston, WV.
Political Economy Health	Decision Makers	Sun: 11/29/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Mike Hissam Bailey and Glasser LLP, Bob Contraguerro Sr. Owner Panhandle Cleaning and Restoration, Annette Santilli Pancreatic Cancer Action Network, John Deskins Director WVU Bureau of Business and Economic Research
Political Economy	Decision Makers	Sun: 12/6/16 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Representative Evan Jenkins W.V. 3rd Congressional District, Dr. E. Gordon Gee President W.V.U., Dr. Michael Matirano W.V. Superintendent of Schools, Chris Hamilton Senior Vice-President W.V. Coal Association, Booth Goodwin U.S. Attorney, Mike Hissam Bailey and Glasser
Political Education Health	Decision Makers	Sun: 12/13/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Dr. Rahul Gupta W.V State Health Officer, Major James Hoyer, Nikki Bumgardner W.V. Challenge Academy Graduate, Blair White Slide to Safety, Ken Hall Secretary-Treasurer International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Mayor Danny Jones Charleston, W.V.
Political Health	Decision Makers	Sun: 12/20/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Senator Bill Cole W.V. Senate President, Dr. Rudy Tanzi Alzheimer's Disease Researcher Harvard Medical School, Major General James Hoyer Adjutant General W.V. National Guard, Maliek Friend W.V. Challenge Academy Graduate, Patrick Morrissey W.V. Attorney General
Political	Decision Makers	Sun: 12/27/15 @ 9AM	1 Hour	Host Bray Cary: Delegate Tim Armstead Speaker of the House, Michael Green President WV State Board of Education, Al Najjar President & CEO The Clay Center, Mike Hissam Bailey & Glasser LLP, Mayor Danny Jones Charleston WV., Senator Mitch Carmichael Senate Majority Leader

The station broadcasts 5 one-hour newscasts Monday through Friday. The one-hour week-day newscasts are broadcast at 10:00PM. On weekends, the station broadcasts half hour newscast on Saturday at 10:00PM. On weekends, the station broadcasts a half hour newscast on Sunday at 10:00PM. The following is a sampling of issues of concern to the community given significant treatment during newscasts. Each segment approximately 1 minute in length: **WTRF-DT, Channel 7.2, Wheeling, WV.**

Program Title: MY OV NEWS

Duration: 10PM-11PM

<u>ISSUE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DATE</u>
Economy	Help could be on the way. Applications are being accepted for a program that helps low-income West Virginia households pay utility bills. The nonprofit Dollar Energy Fund partners with companies across the state to administer the Utility Assistance Program. The program provides grants to maintain or restore gas, electric, and water service. Eligible households can apply once per utility until Sept. 30 th next year to avoid termination or have their service restored. The maximum grant amount is \$500.	10/1/15
Political	With dipping coal and natural gas revenue, Governor Earl Ray Tomblin is cutting most state agency spending by 4 percent, or more than \$100 million total, including canceling holiday parties and continuing a hiring freeze. Tomblin says the 2016 deficit currently exceeds \$250 million, due to a \$190 million shortfall in severance tax collections. One-time money will also help cover the difference. Coal production is down 15 percent compared to last year. Natural gas sales are up about 30%, but prices have dropped.	10/5/15
Crime	The search continues right now for the person responsible for shooting and killing one man and wounding another. The man murdered is Lemroy Coleman, also known as B.G. Coleman, and another man were shot in the 100 Block of 15 th Street in East Wheeling around 1 this morning. Coleman's last known address is out of Cleveland, but officials say he is well known to law enforcement in the Wheeling area. Police also say the surviving victim, who was shot in the leg before walking to the Wheeling Police Station, also has a Cleveland address.	10/9/15
Political	Tomorrow makes just three weeks until election day in Ohio. Issue 3 is something everyone is talking about. A majority "yes" vote on Issue 3 will create ten sanctioned marijuana grow sites across the state, allow anyone over 21 to grow small batches for personal use, as well as allow anyone of any age with a prescription to consume or smoke it for medical reasons.	10/12/15
Education	Two finalists have been named to take over as president of West Liberty University. Dr. Ron Dempsey and Dr. Stephen Greiner were announced as the finalists today at the Board of Governors meeting. At the end of the month the two will go through more interviews. The West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission will then have to approve the man chosen.	10/14/15
Education	In conjunction with October being Farm to School month, students from Glen Dale and Center McMechen Elementary visited the local USDA service center to harvest crops they planted in the spring as fourth graders. JM Horticulture students grew the crops from seeds and then helped the students plant them in the garden in McMechen. Tomorrow the cooks at the two schools will serve the vegetables to the students who grew them.	10/15/15

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Economy	A local park is expanding and creating opportunities for adventure lovers and job seekers. Officials at Grand Vue Park say the new additions will make the park one of the top tourist attractions in the Mountain State.	10/19/15
Economy	East Coast Metal will be building an all new warehouse near the current Silgan Warehouse. East Coast is part of Kalkreuth Roofing and Sheet Metal, and will provide jobs for 125 employees in the 57,000 square foot building. Blue Racer Oil and Gas will be moving into an open office in the current AT&T building. The company, based in Marshall County, is expected to bring jobs for roughly 12-15 employees. The 8,400 square foot Sears store will be transformed by OVMC into a physical therapy studio, which will also provide several job opportunities. East Coast Metal hopes to have the new building built within the first quarter of next year. They are also looking into a possible training center next to the building.	10/20/15
Healthcare	More than 500 walkers came out to Heritage port this morning to get active and support heart health with the American Heart Association. One special little boy got to lead the walk, which raised thousands of dollars for others fighting heart disease and congenital heart defects just like him.	10/24/15
Economy	Looking Across the Mountain State, Hunters Helping the Hungry is accepting donations of money and harvested deer. Hunters can donate legally harvested deer by delivering them to the nearest participating meat processor. Food banks will pick up the venison and distribute it to more than 500 food programs.	10/28/15
Political	In Belmont County, voters took full advantage of early voting, up to the last possible moment. The cut-off for early voting was mid afternoon, and up to the last minute, the Belmont County Election Board lobby was packed. Five thousand people have already voted.	11/2/15
Political	The marijuana legalization battle is not over yet in our region, despite a major defeat in Ohio last night. Advocates in Ohio and in West Virginia, are assessing what went wrong, in hopes of brining the issue back to voters again. The group, Responsible Ohio, which sponsored the marijuana legalization effort, says it may have the issue back on the ballot during next year's presidential election.	11/4/15
Political	Our Ohio State Senator is being recognized for the work he is doing in the Legislature to increase job and education opportunities for veterans. Earlier today, Senator Lou Gentile was given a letter of recognition by the Jefferson County Veterans Service Commission. He tells us that the idea for one of those passed bills, actually came to him after he was approached at a memorial Day parade by a veteran.	11/5/15
Education	The Ohio County Board of Education unanimously approved the use of Wheeling Island Stadium for the Super Six Football Championship. The games are taking place on Friday, December 4 and Saturday, December 5. Each year, the WVSSAC requests use of the facility for the end of the high school football season.	11/9/15

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Healthcare	An expansion of the smoking ban in the Friendly City and Ohio County will now make even more areas smoke-free. The Wheeling-Ohio County Health Department voted today to expand the current smoking ban set in place back in 2005. The expansion makes outdoor seating at restaurants, 20 feet from all buildings, all healthcare property, and government owned property including Heritage Port smoke-free in the county. The new regulations also ban e-cigarettes in the smoke-free zones.	11/10/15
Economy	West Virginia Congressman David McKinley is standing by the Mountain State's decision to gradually increase wages which are currently at \$8 per hour. On January 1 st wages are set to increase to \$8.75 an hour, which is more than both Pennsylvania and Ohio's minimum wage.	11/11/15
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Crime	A Wheeling man lands himself behind bars for not holding up his end of the bargain after being arrested for possessing drugs. Jay Scott Smith was pulled over on Route 2 in Marshall County for faulty registration back on October 18 th . During the stop, West Virginia State Police searched Smith's car and reportedly found several prescription pills and marijuana seeds. Troopers say Smith offered to do buys for the Drug Task Force. Smith was given the chance to, but did not cooperate, so a warrant was issued for his arrest.	11/13/15
Political	In West Virginia, a petition has been filed to prevent un-checked Syrian refugees from entering the state. Today the West Virginia Chair of Veteran Affairs, Joshua Nelson, sent the formal request to Governor Tomblin requesting that background checks be done on every person wanting to enter the Mountain State. Nelson argues that some of the refugees could cause significant problems.	11/16/15
Healthcare	Dr. Roland Chalifoux of Valley Pain Management has been cleared of any wrongdoing in an investigation by the West Virginia Board of Osteopathic Medicine. It was alleged that Doctor Chalifoux failed to follow proper sterile techniques with needles. But following an investigation, the board determined there is no probable cause to believe he acted unprofessionally, and the case against him has been dropped.	11/17/15
Political/Economy	Is tobacco the answer to some of West Virginia's money problems? That's a question lawmakers will face in the upcoming legislative session when they will likely consider boosting the cigarette tax.	11/19/15
Education	In the wake of Pro-ISIS messages painted on a rock at Youngstown State University, Wheeling Jesuit hosted an open discussion for students and the community to get informed about the issues involving terrorism and terrorist groups all around the world, not just in the middle east.	11/23/15

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Economy	After all of the chaos from Black Friday dies down, there is a great opportunity to support local businesses. Small Business Saturday is a day when cities and towns all over the country encourage people to support their privately owned businesses in their communities. City officials in Wheeling say local businesses are the cornerstone of the local economy. They say there is a wide variety of choices in the area and they hope people will take advantage of what area businesses have to offer.	11/25/15
Education	Today U.S. Senator Joe Manchin announced he will nominate 40 West Virginia students from 20 counties to the US Service Academies, which include the US Air Force, US Naval, US Military, and the Merchant Marine Academy. Locally 7 students were among those nominated. Final admission is determined by the respective academy.	11/28/15
Education	According to the family of Roy Stevens, the State of West Virginia has said that Wetzel County Schools broke the law by removing Roy from his current school. The 17 year old student with down syndrome was forced out of Hundred High School by the Board of Education because students with "severe" special needs are placed at Magnolia, regardless of where they live. The Stevens family now says they have all the official papers from the state and are going through the interview and investigation process with an assigned specialized case manager from the state. The family says the Board of Ed. Has received a letter saying they violated the Individual Education Program process and compromised the integrity of the entire IEP. A new IEP will have to be drawn by the state by Dec. 16 th .	11/30/15
Economy	The federal government is stepping in to help hundreds of people in Wetzel County who lost money after a business suddenly closes. Budget Finance Company shut its doors in New Martinsville a few weeks ago and now the state and federal government are stepping in to help people pick up the pieces. At the meeting, Wetzel County Prosecutor Tim Haught urged people to file a claim if they think they've lost money.	12/1/15
Economy	The Health Plan is heading back to the Friendly City. This major announcement means the corporation won't only bring their more than 300 current employees into the city, but they'll look to hire an estimated 100 additional workers within their first two years. With this relocation of the Health Plan's corporate offices from Ohio into Wheeling, city officials say there will be more people working in downtown than ever before in the history of the city. With increased jobs, means increased tax revenue for the city and more money being spent at downtown stores and restaurants, but the project wouldn't have been possible with the ongoing work of several organizations.	12/2/15

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Education/Crime	Amid an increase in reports of domestic violence and stalking, West Virginia University's governing board is broadening its definition of sexual harassment. Proposed changes involve recent amendments to federal regulations as well as additional guidance. In 2014, 23 cases of domestic violence were reported at WVU. They included 14 on campus and seven at fraternities and sororities. Two were off-campus.	12/6/15
Education	As jobs in technology continue to be the wave of the future, Woodsdale Elementary School is preparing its students with classes in computer coding and for that they've received a handsome reward. Today they've received a handsome reward. Today they received \$10 thousand dollars from code dot org. The contest is open to any school that wishes to participate and submit a plan. Only one school from each state is selected for the money, and this year Woodsdale Elementary has been selected and the school says they plan to keep expanding their program.	12/7/15
Economy	The Highlands just continues to grow and tonight we are learning that a home improvement store and a Pittsburgh-based restaurant are among the list of new businesses making the Highlands their new home. The Ohio County Authority approved the purchase agreement for Menards, a Wisconsin based home improvement store that they anticipate will bring nearly 150 jobs. This will be the first Menards in the state of West Virginia. What stands out the most about them is the variety of products they sell. Tonight the Development Authority also approved a Pittsburgh based restaurant that will move into the old Indigo Joes location. The restaurant has not yet been named.	12/8/15
Political/Education	One West Virginia Senator is doing his part to help students across the country. Today the senate passed a bill that would return a significant portion of control over school accountability and testing back to the states. Senator Joe Manchin supported these changes. In this bill, federally mandated reading and math exams will still take place but with less pressure. The new bill would stop federal influence with national academic standards like common core, along with replacing the long outdated No Child Left Behind law made back in 2002.	12/9/15
Crime	The search for an East Wheeling murder suspect and his accomplice is expanding. There is a nation wide search right now for Dallas Acoff and Rocco Pandoli. Acoff is the man police believe fired the shot that killed BG Coleman in October, and Pandoli is said to be an accomplice. Sergeant Gregg McKenzie with the Wheeling Police Department says both men have been entered into the National Crime Information Center database. If either of them has an encounter with police in the US and their information is run through the database, information will be returned to the officer showing they are wanted for the murder.	12/10/15

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Education	The West Virginia House Education Committee has met with the State Board of Education president to talk more about changes in required curriculum. It comes after recommendations that the state drops the educational standards based on Common Core. The State Department of Education is now considering changes to the state's K through 12 math and English language arts standards. The department has recommended new standards that include handwriting instructions in grades K through 4 and the expectation for students to learn multiplication tables by the end of third grade.	12/14/15
Crime	In Belmont County, today Joe Barton's defense started their case in his murder trial. Barton is accused of killing 69-year-old Julian Townsend of Wegee Road. In court this morning, Detective Ryan Allar was called to the stand to recount the investigation and the days he spent at the crime scenes back in 2012. The defense cross examined Allar and asked about a number of pieces of evidence found, but the most interesting thing was the defense questioning the detective about why it took so long for the case to be presented to the grand jury.	12/15/15
Crime	The man wanted in the shooting death of Lemroy Coleman back in October was found late last night. According to Wheeling Police Chief Shawn Schwertfeger, Dallas Acoff was arrested in Cleveland. The investigation revealed Acoff had been traveling to and from Wheeling to avoid arrest. After conducting surveillance video last night, police found and arrested Acoff who was reportedly found with a firearm. He is expected to be extradited back to Wheeling to face charges.	12/16/15
Economy	After nearly a year's worth of work, the newest housing complex in Wheeling is open to the public. The WODA group has been hard at work on a number of projects here in Wheeling, investing millions of dollars to provide many new exciting living opportunities. The ribbons were just cut at their latest project, Capital Greene, which has transformed this area of Elm Grove into a premier senior citizen living community.	12/21/15
Education	One local university has been named as one of the top 50 best values for private schools. Kiplinger's Personal Finance says Franciscan University is 45 th in the nation when it comes to academic quality at an affordable cost. Three of the top 5 schools on the list are Ivy League Schools, which are known for their financial aid packages for students who qualify to attend, but cannot afford it.	12/22/15
Healthcare	We are working to keep you healthy this holiday season. The good news is you can still eat the things you want like desserts, as long as you're limiting yourself to how many you have. Today we talked to a registered dietician who says the most important thing to do is plan ahead. Start by eating a balanced breakfast, drink plenty of water, don't make excuses, and limit your portions so you don't overstuff yourself.	12/23/15

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Political	Developing news across the Mountain State tonight, as we're learning United States Attorney Booth Goodwin is stepping down. Goodwin has been in service for 5 years as US Attorney, and had a 15 year career with the office. Goodwin has cited a desire to return to his family's private law practice. This has fueled speculation that Goodwin may launch a bid for the Democratic nomination for Governor.	12/28/15
Crime	In Belmont County, Joe Barton will spend the rest of his life behind bars or the murder of Julian Townsend. Prosecutor Dan Fry said Joe Barton would never again walk the earth as a free man. The judge reviewed the acts that Julian Townsend was beaten, shot, stabbed, cut into pieces then burned, all at the hands of Joe Barton.	12/29/15

