

## WSIU Radio Public Inspection File

357 Reports on 29 Issues

April 1 - June 30, 2012

ME = Morning Edition (6:06-6:09am, 7:04-7:09am, 7:30-7:35am, 8:04-8:09am, 8:30-8:35am)

ATC = All Things Considered (3:29-3:35pm, 4:29-4:35pm, 5:04-5:06pm, 5:29-5:35pm, 6:04-6:06pm)

Category	Date	Description	Length	Program
Aging / Seniors	5/10/12	Egyptian Area Agency on Aging Director John Smith on Older Americans Month	:53	ME/ATC
Agriculture	5/30/12	Rendleman Orchards owner Betty Sirls on southern IL farmers' success in peach crop	:55	ME/ATC
	5/30/12	Flamm Orchards owner Mike Flamm says he'll produce 25,000 bushels this season	:58	ATC
	6/13/12	Gardener Chastity Mays on new community garden on NE Side of Carbondale	:57	ME/ATC
	6/13/12	Mays says children will benefit from the community garden project	:57	ME/ATC
Arts	4/12/12	Radio Voices/Cape Storytellers segment "Grandma Rockstar"	7:20	ME
	4/12/12	Radio Voices/Cape Storytellers segment "Anne Dauderman"	4:58	ATC
	4/12/12	Radio Voices/Cape Storytellers segment "Don Greenwood"	8:10	ME
	4/13/12	Radio Voices/Cape Storytellers segment "Jordan Huff"	4:30	ATC
	4/25/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with Adam and Chelsea Stone on spoken word ballet	5:20	ME
	4/25/12	Local Author Adam Stone talks about his spoken word ballet focusing on Alzheimer's	:57	ATC
Athletics & Recreation	4/11/12	Shawnee Forest Spokesperson Manda Patrick on Young Trekkers program for youth	:48	ME/ATC
	4/11/12	Shawnee Forest Spokesperson Amanda Patrick says new improvements help families	:53	ME/ATC
	5/1/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with C'dale Park Dist Director Kathy Renfro	5:17	ME
	5/18/12	Pete Peterson Reading Baseball segment on Pittsburgh Marathon and Pirates	3:41	ME/ATC
	5/18/12	Lt. Gov Sheila Simon says Carbondale is biker-friendly on Bike to Work Day	:43	ATC
	5/18/12	C'dale Mayor Joel Fritzler says the city tries to cater to bicyclists	:49	ATC
	6/8/12	Big Muddy Air Race Coordinator Sam Hoskins on the logistics of the competition	:59	ATC
Children	4/3/12	BGCC Program Coordinator Tina Carpenter on Youth of the Year Lucien Dreux	:58	ME/ATC
	5/1/12	Poshard Foundation Co-Founder Jo Poshard announces awards for 29 local agencies	1:01	ATC
	5/1/12	Night's Shield Spokeswoman Judy Davis says funding helps them help kids	1:10	ATC
	5/17/12	Jr Saluki U Coordinator Jackie Welch on payment structure for students attending	:56	ME
	5/29/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with BGCC Program Director Tina Carpenter	5:00	ME
	5/29/12	Carpenter says club members are already talking about getting outside for this year	:56	ATC
	5/29/12	Carpenter says grant-funded project for high schools will help them with future prep	:53	ATC
Community Events	4/2/12	SIU Junior Calah Brock on upcoming "Out of the Darkness" walk	:55	ME/ATC
	4/4/12	Gaia House Board Member Aur Beck says fundraising options are being explored	1:01	ATC
	4/6/12	SAFE Leader Liz Patula on informational meeting regarding fracking in southern Illinois	:51	ME/ATC
	4/9/12	Patula talks about the process of fracking, and its dangers	:56	ATC
	4/9/12	Patula says radioactive elements can be unleashed in the fracking process	:57	ME
	4/13/12	SIU GLBT Resource Center Coordinator Wendy Weinhold on GLBT Awareness Week	1:00	ME/ATC
	4/18/12	SIH Cancer Center Administrative Director Jennifer Badiu on central location plans	:49	ATC
	4/25/12	Special Olympics Area Director Jo Dodd on athletes' prep work prior to Olympics event	:43	ME/ATC
	4/26/12	Ryan Kinsella Radio Voices Segment on "Hell and Back" Community Cinema	5:32	ME/ATC
	4/27/12	Jackson Co Health Dept's Kerri Gale previews document shredding/recycling event	:49	ATC
	4/30/12	Jeff Williams Morning Conversation with organizers of "11 Days of Compassion"	5:35	ME
	5/1/12	ILAW Executive Director Travis Akin says lawsuit abuse drives up the cost for everyone	:51	ATC
	5/3/12	Arthritis patient Amy Oxford talks about her dealings with the disorder	:59	ME/ATC
	5/4/12	Jenna Buchholz wrap on Dollar General promotion to celebrate moms	1:18	ATC
	5/4/12	Dollar General Spokeswoman Tawn Earnest on promotion to celebrate moms	1:03	ME/ATC
	5/9/12	Camp Little Giant Director Vicki Lang on goals for the program and its kids	1:04	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	Harrisburg High School Senior Jessica Newell on working to save older parts of HHS	1:07	ATC
	5/11/12	C'dale Arthritis Walk Organizer Paula Reeves says walk is beneficial to all	:53	ME/ATC
	6/15/12	Local Foods Expert Ken Meter says the "shop local" movement is important	:58	ATC
	6/15/12	Meter says increased awareness of local food options could spur further growth	:54	ME
	6/21/12	MS Biker Alex Solomon says he's learned a lot about himself during his ride across US	:51	ME/ATC
	5/21/12	Arbor District's Sandy Litecky says she's hopeful for a give-and-take with C'dale PD	:52	ATC
	5/21/12	Litecky says there are no clear reasons for increases in criminal activity in Arbor District	:54	ME/ATC
Consumer Awareness	5/9/12	Green Peace Marine Biologist John Hocevar on stores selling sustainable fish varieties	:52	ME/ATC
	5/9/12	Hocevar says Sea Bass is still a favorite, though it probably shouldn't be caught	:19	ATC
	5/9/12	Hocevar says most people don't think about the fish they buy, and sustainability	:50	ME
	5/16/12	Ameren Spokeswoman Victoria Busch on utility scam circulating in Southern Illinois	:45	ME/ATC
	5/16/12	Busch says at least 200 customers have been victimized, but Ameren is working on it	:52	ME/ATC

Economic Development	4/16/12	SI Coal Belt Champion Community's Rex Duncan on low-interest loans for local business	1:01	ATC
	4/16/12	Man-Tra-Con Director Kathy Lively says the Champion Communities group brings a lot	:59	ME/ATC
	4/16/12	Rex Duncan says the group wants to work with local banks to provide the business loans	:58	
	5/15/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with Jackson Grown Alliance's Jeff Doherty	4:53	ME
Education & Literacy	3/29/12	Franklin Co EMA Director Ryan Buckingham will teach Storm Spotter Training event	:52	ATC
	5/18/12	Lt. Gov Sheila Simon says Brehm Prep School fills a void for students	:40	ATC
	5/18/12	C'dale Mayor Joel Fritzer says Brehm adds diversity to the city	:59	ME/ATC
Education & Literacy	5/18/12	Lt. Gov Sheila Simon says Classrooms First Commission meeting will focus on public	:51	ATC
	5/18/12	Simon says she's happy with how the Commission's work is progressing	:45	ME/ATC
	5/24/12	JALC President Bob Mees says pension cost shift would hurt to the tune of \$2.5 million	:53	ME/ATC
	5/24/12	New JALC President Mike Dreith will focus on performance-based results and funding	:55	ME/ATC
	6/1/12	Pete Peterson Reading Baseball on Cards/Cubs rivalry	4:22	ME/ATC
	6/18/12	SIUC's Seymour Bryson on closer look at discipline policies in schools statewide	:59	ME/ATC
	6/18/12	Bryson says achievement gaps continue to exist along racial and economic lines	:52	ME/ATC
	6/26/12	JALC President Mike Dreith says he's comforted to know the school's on good footing	:49	ME/ATC
6/26/12	Dreith says he looks forward to continuing tremendous work of JALC in workforce ed	:54	ME/ATC	
Emergency Preparedness	5/21/12	Jackson Co Ambulance Service Asst Director Derek Misener on services provided	:44	ME
	5/21/12	Misener says increased educational requirements make it harder to find EMT's	:59	ATC
	5/24/12	Jackson County EMT Shannon Rice says rescue of teen was all in a day's work	:54	ME
	5/24/12	Lt. Gov Sheila Simon shows respect for people who save lives each and every day	:57	ATC
Environment & Energy	4/2/12	IEPA Spokeswoman Maggie Carson on restrictions at State Pond in Union County	:52	ME
	4/2/12	Carson says EPA has started the cleanup of hazardous materials at the State Pond	:44	ATC
	4/3/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation on Antarctica Project	5:01	ME
	4/11/12	Jacob McClelland on new study showing Birds Point Levee demolition was right decision	1:02	ATC
	4/11/12	Study co-author Ken Olson says floodway would have been inundated either way	:48	ME/ATC
	5/3/12	Vinny Catino on SIU project to help remediate and move parts of Olive Branch	1:20	ME/ATC
	5/11/12	Lt. Gov. Sheila Simon thanks schoolchildren for their help in rebuilding Cache boardwalk	:46	ME/ATC
	5/11/12	Kevin Boucher "Radio Voices" segment "Natural Wonders of the Region"	2:50	ME/ATC
	5/18/12	Clean Water Consultant Tom Pape on working towards higher water quality standards	:56	ATC
	5/18/12	Pape says in this region, part of the problem with water supply is abuse of sinkholes	:58	ME
	5/22/12	Am Coalition for Clean Coal Electricity's Lisa Miller on proposed EPA rule troublesome	:46	ME/ATC
	5/22/12	Miller says the EPA rule is too restrictive	:58	ME/ATC
	5/25/12	Jackson Co HD Recycling Coordinator Kerri Gale on upcoming hazardous waste collection	:47	ATC
	5/25/12	Gale says the collection helps keep hazardous chemicals - like mercury - out of reach	:49	ME
Health & Medicine	4/10/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIH officials regarding potential Medicaid cuts	4:43	ME
	4/10/12	MHC ER Doctor Joseph Haake says his dept would feel the pinch of Medicaid cuts	:50	ME/ATC
	4/10/12	SIH VP Woody Thorne says one in four patients uses Medicaid, which is already a drain	1:01	ME/ATC
	4/18/12	Jeff Williams Morning Conversation on new SIH Cancer Center	5:12	ME
	4/25/12	Citizen Action's William McNary on other options to proposed budget cuts in Illinois	:55	ATC
	4/27/12	Dr. Matt Longjohn on "Healthy Kids Day" to celebrate health and well-being in kids	:48	ME
	5/1/12	CPKD Director Kathy Renfro on activities planned for Life Center Open House	:44	ATC
	5/2/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation on Skin Cancer with Dr. Aisha White	5:19	ME
	5/2/12	Desiree Ramirez wrap on Herrin Hospital Chest Pain Center	1:09	ATC
	5/2/12	Herrin Hosp RN Pam Shadowens on the new Chest Pain Unit at the hospital	1:00	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	CPKD Director Kathy Renfro says they're ready to get started on Aquatic Center planning	:56	ATC
	5/15/12	Dr. Roshini Raj on goals of Women's Health Week	:58	ME
	5/15/12	Dr. Raj says there are several things that are beneficial to women at ANY age	:56	ATC
	5/18/12	Dr. Lynda Schneider says HAE affects about 10,000 people in the US	:50	ME
	5/18/12	HAE Sufferer Shari Starr says symptoms progressed as she grew older	:50	ME/ATC
	5/18/12	Schneider says victims range in age when suffering from HAE	:56	ATC
	5/30/12	IDPH Spokeswoman Melaney Arnold on positive tests for WNV-mosquitos in Gallatin Co	:48	ME/ATC
	5/31/12	Egyptian Health Dept's Jamie Byrd says WNV mosquitos are being found early this year	:43	ME/ATC
	5/31/12	Byrd says finding sick birds is an early indication WNV is in your area-	:50	ATC
	6/13/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIH CEO Rex Budde on Medicaid reform	5:28	ME
6/13/12	SIH CEO Rex Budde says Medicaid has been in trouble for a while, but this won't fix it	1:06	ATC	
6/13/12	Budde says he's hopeful the change will mean a difference in the way people access care	1:02	ME	
6/13/12	VA Spokesperson Peggy Willoughby on new Carbondale VA Clinic	1:00	ME/ATC	
6/19/12	Campaign for Better Health Care Exec Dir Jim Duffelt on health exchange tax credit	:56	ATC	
6/20/12	Eileen Waldron feature on SIU Student Veterans returning, with PTSD	3:27	ME/ATC	
6/26/12	Red Cross Communication Mgr Dan Fox on early spring and its effect on donations	1:02	ME	
6/26/12	Fox says there is a blood shortage of all types affecting the region	:46	ATC	
6/27/12	St. Louis District Dairy Council's Kelly Maher on helpful summer dairy snacks	:45	ME	
6/27/12	Maher says milk is an excellent way to replenish fluids in the summer heat	:46	ATC	

History	4/11/12	Radio Voices Preview of Cape Girardeau Storytellers Festival	3:50	ME/ATC
	4/17/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with local author Herb Russell on his new book	5:17	ME
	6/15/12	Pete Peterson Reading Baseball Commentary on how Stan Musial stacks up	4:09	ME/ATC
	6/19/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation on Smithsonian Exhibit in Jefferson County	4:23	ME
	6/22/12	Paul Simon Museum President Regina Hendrickson on closure, and where items will go	:55	ATC
International & National	6/19/12	Army Corps of Engineers Spokesperson Jim Pogue says no timetable for Birds Point work	:56	ATC
	4/2/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with Burmese political prisoner Bo Kyi	4:01	ME
	4/10/12	Families USA Exec Dir Ron Pollack on budget legislation to raise Medicare eligibility age	:50	ATC
	4/10/12	Pollack cautions little change might happen this year (election year), but next year isn't	:55	ME
	4/10/12	Sen Dick Durbin says disaster declaration criteria must be revised to help places like Harrisburg	:56	ME/ATC
Judiciary		I-Law's Travis Akin says people should pay attention to judicial candidates and vote in judicial elections		ATC
	5/1/12		:51	
Judiciary	6/28/12	SIU Law Prof William Schroeder says tax/no tax question in ACA muddies the waters	:55	ME/ATC
	6/28/12	Schroeder says people miss several key points when it comes to the constitution	:48	ATC
	6/28/12	Schroeder expects the ACA and SCOTUS decision will be a factor in fall 12 elections	:44	ME/ATC
	6/28/12	US Rep John Shimkus says he's disappointed in SCOTUS ACA decision	:50	ME
	6/28/12	Shimkus expects a vote to repeal the ACA in the house after 4th of July recess	1:00	ATC
	6/28/12	Families USA Director Ron Pollack says the ruling changes insurance company rules	:57	ME/ATC
	6/29/12	SIH CEO Rex Budde says ACA decision doesn't effect SIH's overall mission	1:02	ME/ATC
Law Enforcement	4/5/12	Lis Wheel - Fox News Analyst - on "Stand Your Ground" laws all over the nation	:54	ME/ATC
	4/4/12	Advanced Energy Solutions' Aur Beck on educational video focused on alternative energy	:59	ATC
	4/23/12	Cape Girardeau County Prosecutor Morley Swingle on multiple agency (Waller) case	:40	ME/ATC
	4/23/12	Jacob McClelland wrap on murder charges filed against Clay Waller	:40	ATC
	4/23/12	Jackson County State's Attny Mike Wepseic on murder charges in child death	:53	ATC
	4/23/12	Wepseic says the death of a toddler due to abuse is very troubling	1:04	ME
	5/2/12	IDOT Secretary Ann Schneider says more motorcycles on the road require attention	1:02	ME/ATC
Minorities	5/22/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation on "Strong!" with Bobbi Knapp and Jen Sewell	5:02	ME
Miscellaneous	4/10/12	US Sen. Dick Durbin says DuQuoin Solar Panel project is a way to move beyond coal	:52	ATC
	4/11/12	SIH Nurse Emily York on her work with the World Pediatric Project	:57	ME/ATC
	4/27/12	Pete Peterson Reading Baseball celebrating his 150th Edition, and his wife's contribution	3:23	ME/ATC
	6/29/12	Pete Peterson Reading Baseball Commentary on how his personality differs from wife's	3:32	ME/ATC
Municipal Government	5/2/12	C'dale Mayor Joel Fritzier on decision to end funding for C'dale Convention/Tourism Bureau	:47	ME
	5/2/12	C'dale Businessman Thomas Black says past CCTB experiences are not good	1:01	ME
	5/2/12	C'dale Councilwoman Corene McDaniel says CCTB is getting a bad deal	1:05	ME
	5/2/12	Fritzier on other organizations that are still promoting the city to outsiders	1:04	ATC
	5/2/12	CPKD Director Kathy Renfro says city needs to think about who will provide services	1:02	ATC
	5/2/12	Councilman Lee Fronabarger says the CCTB issue has garnered a lot of attention	1:01	ATC
	5/2/12	Fritzier says he's not sure what the future will hold for organizations aligned with CCTB	1:04	ME
	5/2/12	State Sen. Bill Haine says many Reg'l Supt duties can't be performed by local districts	:50	ME/ATC
Politics & Elections	6/11/12	MO U.S. Rep. Jo Ann Amerson on women's issues in IL 12th Dist. Race (Plummer)	:47	ATC
	6/11/12	12th Dist GOP Candidate Jason Plummer addresses women's issues	:48	ME
	6/11/12	Plummer says choice of new Dem opponent will be made by pols in St. Clair County	:52	ATC
	6/11/12	Emerson says IL 12th will be one of the most-watched races in the country	:54	ME/ATC
	6/26/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with PSPPI Political Scientist John Jackson re: 12th	5:23	ME
	6/29/12	PSPPI Director David Yepsen on 12th race being most expensive in the 2012 election cycle	:53	ME
	5/29/12	GOP Congressional Candidate Jason Plummer on news Brad Harriman is dropping out	:54	ATC
	5/29/12	Plummer says the announcement is not a time to focus on politics, but people	:48	ME
	5/29/12	US Rep Jerry Costello says he won't be a candidate for reelection, despite Harriman	:43	ATC
	5/29/12	Costello says his son won't run for the seat, either	:58	ME
	5/29/12	PSPPI Scientist John Jackson believes the district will be competitive no matter what	:52	ME/ATC
	5/29/12	Jackson says St. Clair County is largest, but other counties will have a say in selection	:50	ATC
	6/4/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with PSPPI Director David Yepsen	4:49	ME
	6/4/12	PSPPI Director David Yepsen says the legislature got a lot done (Medicaid, budget cuts)	1:00	ATC
	6/4/12	Yepsen says the next several days/weeks are critical to democrats filling Harriman's slot	:54	ME/ATC
6/5/12	Jackson County GOP Chair Gloria Compos on announcing new slate of candidates	:51	ATC	
6/5/12	Incumbent County Board member Dan Bost says power shouldn't be in just one party	1:03	ME	

	6/5/12	Incumbent County Board member Will Stephens says it's more than just having a slate	1:01	ATC
	6/5/12	Compos says only four Republicans hold office in Jackson County	:53	ME
	6/7/12	William Enyart announces retirement from IL Nat Guard, could run for 12th Cong seat	:51	ME/ATC
	6/7/12	Enyart says his first step was to retire from his military position	:56	ME/ATC
Public Safety	6/5/12	Shawnee Group Sierra Club's Terry Treacy on fracking water sampling events	:52	ME
	6/5/12	Treacy says she'd like to see a moratorium on fracking in this region for further study	:41	ATC
	5/10/12	Army Corps of Engrs Spokesman Jim Pogue on Birds Point/New Madrid Floodway work	:42	ME
	5/10/12	Jacob McClelland wrap on work to rebuild/restore Birds Point/New Madrid Floodway	:57	ATC
	5/14/12	SIUC Architecture Assoc Prof Craig Anz on partnership to relocate/rebuild Olive Branch	:52	ME/ATC
Science & Technology	4/24/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with Researcher Beth Ellison on Olive Branch project	5:04	ME
Southern IL University	4/2/12	Gov. Pat Quinn on allegations campaign \$\$ played a role in Roger Herrin SIU BOT Appt	:54	ME/ATC
	4/2/12	SIU Wellness Center Director Jason Gillman on town hall meeting focused on alcohol	:56	ATC
	4/4/12	SIU Wellness Center Director Jason Gillman says town hall meeting garnered info	:57	ME
	4/4/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIU Trustee Don Lowery (ATC version)	4:43	ATC
	4/4/12	SIU Trustee Don Lowery says he's spent several months asking lots of questions	:56	ATC
	4/4/12	SIU President Glenn Poshard says leadership lines are being blurred with Trustees	:51	ME
	4/4/12	Poshard thinks Trustees are too involved in day-to-day business of the university	:54	ME
	4/4/12	Trustee Don Lowery says he was never contacted by Gov. Quinn or his staff- but doesn't think its wrong to be contacted by governor.	1:02	ME
	4/11/12	Desiree Ramirez wrap previewing SIU Saluki Pow-Wow	1:11	ME/ATC
	4/11/12	SIU Native American Student Organization's Nichole Boyd on Pow-wow experience	:46	ME/ATC
	4/13/12	SIU Library Affairs Dean David Carlson details the plan to move books back into Morris	:59	ME
	4/13/12	SIU College of Business Undergrad Coordinator Ann Pearson on on-line class offering	:58	ME/ATC
Southern IL University	4/16/12	SIU President Glenn Poshard says new Student Services Building adds to experience	:55	ME
	4/16/12	SIUC Chancellor Rita Cheng says the new facility will improve campus aesthetics	:54	ATC
	4/16/12	Cheng says the building's single purpose is to make life better for students	:55	ME
	4/16/12	SIU Trustee Jesse Clair says Student Services Building creates more centralized campus	:54	ME
	4/16/12	Assoc Vice Chancellor Peter Gitau says the new building is strategically located	1:00	ME
	4/16/12	Cheng says fees of students past, present and future are paying for the building	1:15	ATC
	4/18/12	PSPPI Director David Yepsen is pleased by Alan Dixon and Jim Thompson visits	1:00	ME/ATC
	4/20/12	SIU Plant, Soil, Science and Ag Professor Karen Midden on the rooftop garden benefits	1:03	ME/ATC
	4/23/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIU President Glenn Poshard	5:03	ME
	4/23/12	SIU President Glenn Poshard says absorbing pension contributions is tough to swallow	:45	ME/ATC
	4/23/12	Poshard says he's heard employees' concerns about pensions, but change is necessary	:45	ATC
	4/23/12	SIU Ag Prof Karen Midden says rooftop garden is an example of urban agriculture	:57	ME/ATC
	4/25/12	SIU President Glenn Poshard is pleased with the candidates vying for SIUE Chancellor	:51	ME
	4/25/12	Poshard says Vaughn Vandegrift has been a tremendous leader of SIUE	:44	ATC
	4/26/12	Julie Furst-Bowe is new SIUE Chancellor - she says she was sold on her first visit	:58	ME/ATC
	5/4/12	Nick Compton wrap on "Hot Dawgs" trip to Walt Disney World	1:11	ATC
	5/8/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIUC Chancellor Rita Cheng	4:54	ME
	5/8/12	SIUC Chancellor Rita Cheng says budget uncertainty is troubling for everyone	1:04	ME/ATC
	5/8/12	Cheng explains the process of drafting tuition/fee increase proposal for next year	1:02	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	SIU Trustee Roger Herrin on his decision to vote "no" on tuition/fee increase proposal	1:08	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	SIU President Glenn Poshard says cuts all over the university have had an effect	:54	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	SIU Trustee Don Lowery says he's troubled by rising costs for students and their families	:52	ATC
	5/10/12	SIU Trustee Ed Hightower says boosting tuition and fees is critical to the future	1:08	ATC
	5/11/12	UW-Stout Provost Julie Furst-Bowe says she can't wait to be a part of the community	:55	ME
	5/11/12	Outgoing SIUE Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift expresses gratitude to the region	1:02	ME
	5/11/12	SIUC Design Professor Kay Zivkovich on Blue Barracks being past their useful life	:56	ATC
	5/21/12	Jennifer Fuller morning conversation with SIU President Glenn Poshard	5:08	ME
	5/23/12	New SIU Coal Research Center Director Tomasz Wiltowski on bright future for coal	:58	ME/ATC
	6/5/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with Randy Steidl and Mike Callahan on Innocence	5:02	ME
	6/7/12	SIUC Ed/Human Svc Assoc Dean Shane Koch on new VA/SIU partnership	1:01	ME
	6/7/12	Koch says faculty may not be as familiar with veterans' issues as they return to school	:24	ATC
	6/8/12	VA Psych coordinator Thomas Kadela on the partnership with SIU, one of 19 in USA	:57	ME/ATC
	6/8/12	Kadela says the funding is for one year, but he hopes the partnership will continue	:49	ATC
	6/12/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIUC Chancellor Rita Cheng	4:52	ME
	6/12/12	SIUC Chancellor Rita Cheng says while they planned for a budget cut, it'll still be tough	:59	ME
	6/12/12	Cheng says high number of retirements this year prompts a "brain drain" at SIUC	:56	ATC
	6/12/12	Cheng says high number of retirements this year at SIUC makes budget cut a bit easier	:48	ATC
	6/25/12	Jennifer Fuller Morning Conversation with SIU President Glenn Poshard	5:30	ME
	6/25/12	Poshard says because of budget troubles, jobs have been left open and that could grow	:58	ME

	6/25/12	Poshard says a six-percent cut in state funding is already putting a pinch on things	:51	ATC
State of Illinois	4/2/12	State Rep. John Bradley says budget will be a difficult process this year	:46	ME
	4/2/12	Bradley says it's time to make tough choices to put the state on better financial footing	:56	ATC
	3/30/12	State Rep. Mike Bost supports a bill to freeze property tax rates for homes destroyed	:59	ME
	4/2/12	State Rep. Brandon Phelps on potential property tax increases for Harrisburg storm victims	:50	ME/ATC
	4/2/12	IEMA Asst Director Joe Klinger says his agency is giving \$1.5 million for tornado recovery	:49	ME/ATC
	4/3/12	Jacob McClelland wrap on COGFA Hearing regarding Tamms Prison closure proposal	1:14	ATC
	4/3/12	Rose Sifuentes, who visits her son at Tamms, criticizes solitary confinement there	:51	ATC
	4/3/12	Gov. Pat Quinn says Illinois needs to come through for the Harrisburg Tornado victims	:52	ME
	4/5/12	Illinois State Bar Association President John Locallo on disaster guide and tips	:58	ME
	4/13/12	Lt. Gov. Sheila Simon on releasing financial information - says it's her responsibility	:57	ME/ATC
	4/13/12	Simon says transparency needs to be a higher priority in Illinois	:51	ATC
	4/16/12	Illinois Comptroller Judy Baar Topinka says she's pleased with "The Ledger" site so far	:55	ME/ATC
	4/16/12	Topinka says finding public records is much easier, thanks to her new website	:54	ATC
	4/18/12	State Rep. Mike Bost on support for a plan requiring more votes for pension changes	:52	ME/ATC
	4/19/12	Bost says Democrats won't allow debate on a measure to increase taxes	:51	ATC
	4/18/12	Bost criticizes IL Dept of Juv Justice for proposing closure of IYC-Murphysboro	:55	ME
	4/19/12	Murray (Devel Ctr) Parents Association President Rita Winkler on proposed closure	:53	ATC
	4/20/12	Winkler says DHS Director admits he'd be afraid to move his child from Murray	:52	ME
	4/20/12	Winkler says she's afraid her son will be uprooted out of the region and away from family	:49	ME/ATC
	4/24/12	SIH CEO Rex Budde no healthcare system in the world can support the obesity epidemic	:53	ME/ATC
	4/24/12	Budde says Medicaid proposal could force the loss of \$3-4 million for his organization	:55	ATC
	4/27/12	State Sen. John O Jones is advocating for a bill to allow "fracking" in Illinois	:54	ME/ATC
	4/27/12	Union County State's Attorney Tyler Edmonds on how cuts to pre-k affect older kids	:56	ATC
	4/27/12	State Rep. Mike Bost details priorities for legislature, including Medicaid, Pensions, etc	:56	ME
	5/1/12	Murray Parents Association President Rita Winkler on COGFA no-closure decision	1:08	ME/ATC
	5/1/12	Winkler says they're still working on a face-to-face meeting with Gov. Pat Quinn	:55	ATC
	5/1/12	State Rep. Mike Bost says COGFA made the right decision on IYC-M'boro and Murray	:43	ATC
	5/1/12	State Rep. Patti Bellock (COGFA Co-Chair) voted against Tamms Closure	:53	ME/ATC
	5/2/12	Jennifer Fuller wrap on shortfall in DHS funding resulting in lost money for daycares	:58	ATC
	5/3/12	Heartland Kids' Owner Bonnie Bracket on possibility of losing three months' DHS funding	1:10	ME/ATC
	5/2/12	Bracket says cuts coupled with child-to-caregiver rules mean a difficult situation	:50	ME/ATC
	5/2/12	Centralia Mayor Tom Ashby on the potential economic pain if Murray Center closes	:55	ATC
State of Illinois	5/3/12	State Rep. Mike Bost thanks parents whose children made the ultimate sacrifice	1:02	ATC
	5/7/12	State Sen. Gary Forby acknowledges critics to his natural disaster property tax bill	:52	ME
	5/7/12	Forby wants to cap property taxes for homeowners whose homes were destroyed Feb 29	:56	ATC
	5/7/12	DCEO Acting Director David Vaught says pension/Medicaid systems are at critical stage	:53	ATC
	5/7/12	Vaught says government needs business, and vice-versa. Says cuts are necessary	:58	ME
	5/7/12	Sierra Club Illinois' Terri Treacy on potential for bill to benefit IDNR and keep services	:48	ME/ATC
	5/7/12	Giant City/Trail of Tears Supt Bob Martin on effects of budget cutbacks and reductions	:52	ME/ATC
	5/9/12	State Rep. Mike Bost supports reappointment of Bill Holland as State Auditor	:51	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	State Sen. Gary Forby says Tamms Prison provides good paying jobs for constituents	:54	ME/ATC
	5/10/12	State Rep. Mike Bost says vote to do away with free retiree healthcare was a tough one	1:02	ME/ATC
	5/11/12	State Rep. Jerry Costello II on legislation to make a technical change for ammo dealers	1:10	ME/ATC
	5/11/12	State Rep. Mike Bost says Medicaid changes need to focus on the truly needy	:55	ME/ATC
	5/14/12	Lt. Gov. Sheila Simon says rural communities lack resources to maintain healthy lives	:42	ME/ATC
	5/15/12	Frank/Wilmsn Reg'l Supt Matt Donkin says there are districts that may consolidate	:53	ME/ATC
	5/15/12	Donkin says superintendents have proven they're willing to do what it takes to save money	:59	ME/ATC
	5/16/12	State Rep. Mike Bost supports a bill to restore \$70 million in funding for child care	:56	ME/ATC
	5/17/12	USPS Spokeswoman Valerie Welsch on fluidity of Carbondale's processing center plans	:54	ME/ATC
	5/17/12	Welsch says the USPS is trying to find ways to cover a loss of \$6.5 billion this year alone	1:06	ME/ATC
	5/17/12	Nina Wargel with CCR&R on the services provided by the center at John A Logan College	1:13	ME/ATC
	5/17/12	Wargel says she believes lawmakers want to do the right thing on daycare funding	1:17	ME/ATC
	5/21/12	Jennifer Fuller wrap on state funding with SIU President Glenn Poshard	:57	ME/ATC
	5/21/12	Poshard says with the potential for Higher Education cuts, things could get bad	:53	ME/ATC
	5/22/12	State Rep Mike Bost supports reforming legislative scholarship program, not scrapping it	:45	ME/ATC
	5/22/12	Jacob McClelland wrap on John Howard Association study of Tamms Supermax	:51	ME/ATC
	5/22/12	JHA Executive Director John Maki says the state can no longer afford Tamms	:53	ME/ATC
	5/23/12	Amanda Vinicky (IPR) feature on Health Exchange portion of Nat'l Healthcare law	4:24	ME
	5/24/12	Simon says when it comes to Medicaid reform, Hospital Association is agreeing	:45	ATC
	5/24/12	Simon says it makes sense to keep Tamms and IYC-M'boro open because of their age	:59	ME
	5/29/12	Franklin-Wilmsn Reg'l Supt Matt Donkin says new ROE streamlining will look like the old one	1:01	ME/ATC
	5/29/12	IDOC Major Jeff Dennison on Shawnee Corr Ctr Recycling project, and his future plans	:54	ME/ATC

	5/29/12	Shawnee Dir of Ops Brett Neighbors says the program gives prisoners useable skills	:59	ME/ATC
	5/29/12	Jackson says the Democratic County Chairs will decide who the new candidate will be	:45	ME/ATC
	5/30/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps on budget negotiations and the possibility of saving Tamms	:58	ME/ATC
	5/30/12	State Rep David Reis talks about his early voting legislation	1:01	ME/ATC
	5/31/12	State Rep Mike Bost says allowing private companies to contract for prisons might help	1:10	ME
	5/31/12	State Rep David Reis says converting Tamms to a medium-security prison would help overcrowding.	:50	ATC
	6/1/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps is leery about pension changes because of union contracts	:54	ME/ATC
	6/1/12	State Sen Dave Luechtefeld expects Speaker Madigan to wait for votes on pension plan	1:01	ME/ATC
	6/1/12	State Rep Mike Bost hopes Gov Quinn will "do the right thing" and keep facilities open	:53	ATC
	6/1/12	State Sen Dave Luechtefeld thinks positive strides were made in legislative session	:52	ME/ATC
	6/1/12	State Sen John O Jones says Illinois needs to stop overtaxing its residents	:54	ME/ATC
	6/8/12	Eileen Waldron Feature on deteriorating Giant City Park, and potential funding cuts	3:44	ME/ATC
	6/8/12	Atheist Rob Sherman on court ruling against his Bald Knob Cross lawsuit	:53	ME/ATC
	6/8/12	Sherman says despite the ruling, one important fact of the case remains	:58	ME/ATC
	6/13/12	Murray Developmental Center Parents Association President Rita Winkler on letter to Gov	1:01	ME
	6/13/12	Winkler says residents at Murray are scared of what will happen to them if it closes	:54	ATC
	6/15/12	UN Torture Investigator Juan Mendez on his potential investigation into Tamms	1:00	ME/ATC
	6/19/12	IHDA Spokesperson Rebecca Boykin on new rehab funds available for Harrisburg victims	:51	ME
	6/19/12	Boykin says a million dollars has been made available to help with storm victims	:40	ATC
	6/19/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps says closing Tamms Prison would be a big mistake	:47	ME/ATC
	6/20/12	State Rep Mike Bost says there was an unspoken agreement on keeping Tamms open	:54	ME
	6/20/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps says closing Tamms is an attack on Southern Illinois	:57	ATC
	6/20/12	Tamms Union VP Kurt Dutton says they're not giving up the fight	:58	ME/ATC
	6/20/12	State Sen Gary Forby says he and other area elected officials will continue their fight	1:03	ME/ATC
	6/20/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps says closing Tamms puts everyone at risk	1:01	ME
	6/20/12	Tamms Officer Toby Oliver says the potential closure goes against other legislation	:55	ATC
	6/20/12	State Rep Brandon Phelps says it's possible Quinn wants union contract concessions	:49	ATC
	6/20/12	Laborers Local 773's Kevin Starr says using jobs as leverage is a dangerous game	:59	ME
	6/21/12	Brian Mackey (IPR) wrap on one group happy with the potential closure of Tamms	:59	ME
	6/21/12	Tamms Year Ten Organizer Laurie Jo Reynolds on effects of solitary confinement	:40	ME/ATC
	6/21/12	Amnesty International's Debra Erenberg says closing Tamms is good for Human Rights	:42	ME/ATC
	6/22/12	State Sen Dave Luechtefeld says IDOC has been moving inmates to make population low	:56	ME/ATC
	6/28/12	IL Sec of State Jesse White has tips for what to do if you encounter a drunk driver	:57	ME
	6/28/12	White cautions drivers that law enforcers will be out conducting DUI patrols this 4th of July	:46	ATC
	6/29/12	Harrisburg Resident Miki Pavelonis on new law to protect disaster victims from tax bump	1:02	ME/ATC
Tourism	6/6/12	Former C'dale Councilman Sam Goldman says losing CCTB could mean lost revenue	:56	ATC
	6/6/12	Current Councilman Chris Wissman says he doesn't agree with "lost revenue" estimates	:51	ATC
	6/6/12	Wissman says the council believes it's time to find new ways to do business	:45	ME
	6/6/12	CCTB Interim Exec Director Robert Morris says audit shows a clean slate	:56	ME
Transportation	5/4/12	US Rep. John Shimkus on conference committee's task to iron out Transportation Bill	:53	ATC
Transportation	5/25/12	Automotive expert James Bell says summer travel requires a checkup of your car's parts	:15	ME
	5/25/12	Bell says taking along plenty of activities can help keep everyone in the car happy	:45	ATC
	5/25/12	Bell says following the speed limit helps to increase fuel efficiency	:51	ME
	6/13/12	Williamson Co Reg'l Airport Manager Doug Kimmel on plans for new terminal building	:55	ATC
	6/13/12	Kimmel says increased opportunities for travel are creating a demand for more space	1:02	ME
Unemployment	5/31/12	Pulaski County Board Chair Monte Russell says Oil-Dri layoffs are monumental	:57	ATC
	5/31/12	Mounds Mayor Wayman Butler says the Oil-Dri layoffs came out of the blue	:59	ME/ATC
	6/21/12	Murphysboro Mayor Ron Williams says closure of IYC will affect the whole region	:57	ME/ATC
	6/21/12	Williams says people will be forced to move if Quinn goes through with closure plans	:52	ME
Utilities	6/26/12	Ameren Spokeswoman Victoria Busch says there are ways to cut down energy costs	:56	ME
	6/26/12	Busch says washing your A/C unit can help it run more efficiently	:57	ATC
Weather	4/10/12	Sen Dick Durbin says scientists tell him weather patterns are definitely changing	:57	ME
	5/23/12	Jacob McClelland wrap on Olive Branch residents waiting for FEMA buyout information	:48	ME/ATC
	5/23/12	Alexander Co Engineer Jeff Denny on designing the rebuilding effort in Olive Branch	:59	ATC
	5/31/12	NWS Meteorologist Pat Spoden talks about process of becoming a storm spotter	:52	ME
	5/31/12	Spoden says NWS uses storm spotters to get a better picture of a storm	:52	ATC
	5/31/12	Spoden says people will learn what Wall Clouds look like, and formations of tornadoes	:50	ME
	5/31/12	Spoden says it's critical to get the information right	:45	ATC
	6/29/12	Olney Farmer Lee Scherer describes the conditions of his corn/bean crop in drought	:52	ME/ATC

6/29/12	Flora A/C Biz owner Randy Zimdars says he's shifting duties in A/C repairs in high heat	:58	ME/ATC
6/29/12	Zimdars says there is a bright side to this heat wave	:55	ATC
6/29/12	NWS Meteorologist Rick Shanklin says heat is the number one wather killer	:58	ATC