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Quarterly Issues Report. The following is a list of some of the more significant community issues addressed by these stations for the quarter specified. This is by no means a complete list, nor is the order in which these issues appear intended to imply any degree of priority or significance of these issues.

For the first quarter 2018.

| Issue Description | Program title/Time | Date/time | Duration | Description of segment |
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| 1. Lt. Governor Controversy. Ice Palace. Holiday Retail Sales. | Almanac | 1/5/18 | 60min | A look at the controversy into whether or not Michelle Fischbach can be both Lt. Governor and state senator at the same time. Ice castle historian Bob Olsen talks about this year's ice palace in St. Paul. Star Tribune reporter Kavita Kumar talks about holiday sales at Best Buy and Target. |
| 2. Gretchen Carlson. Mayor Jacob Frey. Minnesota's Newest Senator. | Almanac | 1/12/18 | 60min | Gretchen Carlson and Lauren Leader-Chivee talk about their national push to end harassment. New Minneapolis Mayor Jacob Frey outline his vision for the Mill City. Senator Tina Smith talks about a possible government shutdown. |
| 3. Political Panel. Duluth. Exploring Immigration From Africa. | Almanac | 1/19/18 | 60min | Panel discussion about the congress deadline to avoid a government shutdown and key senate races. Kaomi Goetz has a "One Greater Minnesota" story about Duluth's efforts to tout recreation. Tom Gitaa from the publication "Mshale" talks about African immigration. |
| 4. Sex Harassment Guidelines. Elder Abuse Update. Paul Douglas. | Almanac | 1/26/18 | 60min | State Commissioners Myron Frans and Emily Piper outline new recommendations and guidelines on sexual harassment. Will Phillips from AARP addressed what can be done to limit abuse in nursing homes. Paul Douglas talks about this week's big storm and next week's big chill were on the agenda. |
| 5. Controversial Congressional Memo. Super Bowl Hype. Larry Fitzgerald. | Almanac | 2/2/18 | 60min | David Shultz gives his take on the four-page memo release Friday in Washington. Dave Mona – who worked the 1992 Super Bowl – gave his thoughts on the big game's impact. Larry Fitzgerald previews the big game at U.S. Bank Stadium. |

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| 6. Grand Juries Explained. Rural Health Care Delivery. Republican Candidates for Governor. | Almanac | 2/9/18 | 60min | Ramsey County Attorney John Choi explains the secretive grand jury process. A story about a Muslim doctor who practices in Dawson, Minnesota. Republican candidates for Governor; Jeff Johnson, Keith Downey, Phillip Parrish and Mary Giuliani Stephens debate. |
| 7. Rep Carlos Mariani (DFL). Rep Jim Nash (R). | Your Legislators | 2/15/18 | 60min | Session Priorities. DMV software issues. Bonding bill. Gun control/mental health issues. Opioid crisis. Appleton prison. Constitutional amendments. Mental health care funding |
| 8. Opioid Crisis. Previewing the Legislature. DFL Candidates. | Almanac | 2/16/18 | 60min | Rep. Dave Baker discusses why he supports a new effort to combat opioid addiction. Governor Dayton and legislative leaders talk about the upcoming 2018 session. DFL Governor candidates, Tim Walz, Rebecca Otto, Erin Murphy and Tina Liebling debate. |
| 9. Sen Carolyn Laine (DFL). Sen Michelle Benson (R). Rep Rena Moran (DFL). Rep Tony Albright (R). | Your Legislators | 2/22/18 | 60min | Session priorities. Opioid crisis. Solar power. Nursing home costs. Special education funding. Body grip traps. Clean water & infrastructure issues. Transportation. Military retirement tax. |
| 10. Gun Law Debate. Paul Douglas. 3M Settlement Explained. | Almanac | 2/23/18 | 60min | Two lawmakers debate whether or not to change gun laws. Paul Douglas details the big snow storm forecasted this weekend. Kirsti Marohn from MPR News talks about the 3M trial that turned into a big settlement. |