

# Quarterly Program Topic Report

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## Arts

Category: Arts  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/14/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: New Appalachian play

Category: Arts  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/30/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University puppeteer

Category: Arts  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/7/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University arts study

Category: Arts  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/11/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Lincoln scholar on new movie

Category: Arts  
NOLA: AMMS 002503  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Margaret Mitchell: American Rebel  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/14/2012 5:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 4/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:52:17

Discover the Pulitzer Prize-winning author behind *Gone With the Wind*, one of the world's best-selling novels that features two of the world's great lovers—Scarlett and Rhett—and was adapted into one of the most popular films of all time. No ordinary writer—or woman—Margaret Mitchell was a charismatic force who challenged the stifling Southern social order and struggled with the changing role of women and the liberation of African Americans. She suffered from depression and illness and experienced profound identity shifts during her life, until an accident led to her death in 1949.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BWAY 000101  
Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
Episode Title: Give My Regards To Broadway (1893-1927)  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/19/2004 9:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:52:13

When Florenz Ziegfeld Jr. first hits New York in 1893, the intersection of Broadway and 42nd is nobody's idea of "the crossroads of the world." But by 1913, "The Ziegfeld Follies really were an amalgamation of everything that was happening in America, in New York, at that time," says writer Philip Furia. Ziegfeld's story introduces many of the era's key figures: Irving Berlin, a Russian immigrant who becomes the voice of assimilated America; entertainers, such as Jewish comedienne Fanny Brice and African-American Bert Williams, who become America's first "crossover" artists; and the brash Irish-American George M. Cohan, whose song-and-dance routines embody the energy of Broadway. The first half of the episode culminates in Ziegfeld's 1927 production of Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein II's far-sighted masterpiece, *Show Boat*. The second half begins with the advent of Prohibition and the Jazz Age. While brash American women flapped their way to newfound freedoms, heroines of Broadway like Marilyn Miller become a testament to pluck and luck. It's the age of "Whoopee" and the "Charleston," *Runnin' Wild* and George White's *Scandals*. In 1921, a jazz show like no other arrives: *Shuffle Along*, which features a rich, rousing score by Noble Sissle and Eubie Blake, reopening Broadway's doors to black talent. Unique talents like the Marx Brothers and Al Jolson - a Jewish immigrant and Prohibition's biggest star - rocket to stardom. But as the Roaring Twenties come to a close, Broadway's Jazz Age suffers the one-two punch of the "talking picture" and the stock market crash, triggering a massive talent exodus to Hollywood and putting an end to Broadway's feverish expansion.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BWAY 000102  
Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
Episode Title: Syncopated City (1919-1933)  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/14/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/28/2004 12:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Gossip columnist Walter Winchell gives Broadway a nickname that becomes synonymous with all of New York: "It is the Big Apple, the goal of all ambitions, the pot of gold at the end of a drab and somewhat colorless rainbow..." With the advent of Prohibition and the Jazz Age, America convulses with energy and change, and nowhere is the riotous mix of classes and cultures more dramatically on display than Broadway. "There was this period in which everybody was leaping across borders and boundaries," says director/producer George C. Wolfe. "There was this incredible cross-fertilization, cultural appropriation." While brash American women flapped their way to newfound freedoms, heroines of Broadway like Marilyn Miller become a testament to pluck and luck. It's the age of "Whoopee" and the "Charleston," *Runnin' Wild* and the George White *Scandals*. In 1921, a jazz show like no other arrives: *Shuffle Along*, which features a rich, rousing score by Noble Sissle and Eubie Blake, reopening Broadway's doors to black talent. Unique talents like the Marx Brothers and Al Jolson - a Jewish immigrant and Prohibition's biggest star - rocket to stardom. The Gershwin brothers, the minstrels of the Jazz Age, bring a "Fascinating Rhythm" to an entire nation. Innovative songwriting teams like Richard Rodgers and Lorenz Hart ignite a new age of bright, clever lyrics with the massive hit "Manhattan." But as the Roaring Twenties come to a close, Broadway's Jazz Age suffers the one-two punch of the "talking picture" and the stock market crash, triggering a massive talent exodus to Hollywood and putting an end to Broadway's feverish expansion.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BWAY 000103  
Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
Episode Title: I Got Plenty O' Nuttin' (1930-1942)  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/21/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/20/2004 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Great Depression proves to be a dynamic period on Broadway, and a dichotomy in the musical theater emerges. Productions like Cole Porter's *Anything Goes* offer glamour and high times as an escape, while others - such as *Of Thee I*

Sing, which satirizes the American political system, and the remarkable WPA production of *The Cradle Will Rock*, about a steel strike - deal directly with the era's social and political concerns. In the gloom of the Depression, Porter offers Broadway audiences such unforgettable songs as "You're the Top," which serves as an effervescent tonic to a weary nation. In 1935, George Gershwin creates his epic masterpiece, *Porgy and Bess*, which becomes, in the words of one critic, "the most American opera that has yet been seen or heard." The onset of World War II galvanizes the country and America's troubadour, Irving Berlin, rallies the troops with *This Is the Army*. The second hour begins with the partnership of Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II, starting with the record-breaking *Oklahoma!* in 1943. *Carousel* and *South Pacific* then set the standard for decades to come by pioneering a musical in which story is all-important. For challenging the country to confront its deep-seated racial bigotry, *South Pacific* wins the Pulitzer Prize. Irving Berlin triumphs again with *Annie Get Your Gun*, featuring Ethel Merman and the unofficial anthem of the American musical theater, "There's No Business Like Show Business." In shows like *Guys and Dolls*, *My Fair Lady* and *Kiss Me, Kate*, sophisticated adaptations of literary material prevail. In 1956, Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe triumph with *My Fair Lady*, featuring an 18-year-old Julie Andrews.

Category: Arts  
 NOLA: BWAY 000104  
 Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
 Episode Title: Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin' (1943-1960)  
 Length: 60 minutes  
 Airdate: 10/28/2012 10:00:00 PM  
 O.B. Date: 11/11/2004 12:00:00 PM  
 Service: PBS  
 Format: Documentary  
 Segment Length: 00:53:01

The new partnership of Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II changes the face of Broadway forever, beginning with the record-breaking *Oklahoma!* in 1943, featuring a landmark ballet by Agnes De Mille. *Carousel* and *South Pacific* then set the standard for decades to come by pioneering a musical where story is all-important. For challenging the country to confront its deep-seated racial bigotry, *South Pacific* wins the Pulitzer Prize. In *On the Town*, an exuberant team of novices - Leonard Bernstein, Betty Comden, Adolph Green, and Jerome Robbins - capture the energy, humor and pathos of New York City during World War II. Irving Berlin triumphs again with *Annie Get Your Gun*, featuring Ethel Merman and the unofficial anthem of the American musical theater, "There's No Business Like Show Business." In shows like *Guys and Dolls*, *My Fair Lady* and *Kiss Me, Kate*, sophisticated adaptations of literary material prevail. "Cole Porter led the way in writing adult songs about love and sex," says theater historian Robert Kimball. "He defied the censors. He, probably more than any other songwriter in this century, made it possible for the openness that we have in all popular music." In 1956, Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe triumph with *My Fair Lady*, featuring an 18-year-old Julie Andrews. TV's *The Ed Sullivan Show* becomes the most important showcase for Broadway musicals. Yet with the death of Oscar Hammerstein II soon after the premiere of *The Sound of Music* in 1959, the curtain begins to lower on a golden age. The episode features interviews with Julie Andrews, Betty Comden and Adolph Green, choreographer Agnes De Mille, John Raitt, and Jerome Robbins.

Category: Arts  
 NOLA: COSE 018202  
 Series Title: Charlie Rose  
 Length: 60 minutes  
 Airdate: 10/3/2012 11:00:00 PM  
 O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
 Service: PBS-PLUS  
 Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
 Segment Length: 00:30:53

Riccardo Muti, music director of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, discusses the upcoming performance of Orff's 'Carmina Burana' at Carnegie Hall's opening night gala.

Category: Arts  
 NOLA: COSE 018208  
 Series Title: Charlie Rose  
 Length: 60 minutes  
 Airdate: 10/11/2012 11:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:17:23

A conversation with director/producer/screenwriter Lee Daniels, director of *The Paperboy*, a movie about a murder investigation in Florida in 1969.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018211  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:30:09

A conversation with French film icon Anouk Aimée on her life in cinema.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010471  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:01

In 'Joseph Anton,' Salman Rushdie Writes Novelistically About His Own Life: In his new memoir, Salman Rushdie recounts, in the third person, his upbringing as a secular Muslim trying to understand his religion, as well as living under fatwa, a period when he says he discovered his own resilience. Jeffrey Brown talks to the author about recent clashes over free speech and Islamic ideology.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:40

Writer Mo Yan Wins Nobel Prize, Spurs Mixed Reaction from Fellow Chinese: The Nobel Prize in Literature was awarded to celebrated Chinese writer Mo Yan, whose books include "Red Sorghum" and "The Garlic Ballads." Some more politically outspoken Chinese dissidents and intellectuals were critical of the choice, but the Nobel committee was quick to say the prize was awarded solely on literary merit.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:15

For Mo Yan, a Case Study in the Politics of Being a Chinese Literary Figure: Jeffrey Brown talks to Charles Laughlin of the University of Virginia and Xiao Qiang at the University of California, Berkeley about prolific writer and Nobel Laureate Mo Yan, whose detractors cite a cozy relationship with Chinese state media and a savviness about staying away from topics sensitive to the Communist government.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:01

Poet Sharon Olds' New Collection Mourns and Heals the End of a Marriage: Sharon Olds shares work from her latest collection of poetry, "Stag's Leap," a book grieving and healing at the end of a marriage. Olds also talks about her partner's New Hampshire nature retreat where she spends her days, about finding her poetic voice in her 30s, and the "usefulness" of poetry.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: STBO 000000  
Series Title: Sound Tracks: Music Without Borders  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2012 5:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

This musical adventure series roams America and the world in search of compelling music, telling the stories behind the music and the artists who create it. Hosted by public radio's Marco Werman, the magazine-format show features three stories and a special "global hit" performance at the end of the episode. Reporters include Alexis Bloom, Arun Rath and Mirissa Neff. The show combines travel, soul-satisfying music and a sense of humor with top-notch journalism.

"The Jazz Ambassador" – Wynton Marsalis and his Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra are in Chicago, spreading the gospel of jazz — America's music — to young and old. Reporter: Alexis Bloom.

"Brave" – The latest animated movie from Pixar, called Brave, tells the story of a young girl in a fantasy Scotland of the past. SOUND TRACKS goes behind the scenes to introduce the Scottish folk singer, Julie Fowlis, who wrote and sings the movie's theme song. Reporter: Mirissa Neff.

"The Voice of Africa" – Africa's most famous living singer, Youssou N'dour, began his career creating exciting music in his homeland, Senegal. This year, N'dour ran for president of Senegal as a reform candidate. SOUND TRACKS follows the campaign, ending in a grand concert. Reporter: Marco Werman.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002707  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Filmmaker Ava DuVernay: The winner of this year's best director award at the Sundance Film Festival describes her new feature, Middle of Nowhere.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002708  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Classical pianist Lang Lang: The piano virtuoso explains why his latest CD is devoted entirely to the music of Chopin..

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and Game Change author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018213  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/17/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:25

Leonard Slatkin, music director of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, on his book Conducting Business: Unveiling the Mystery Behind the Maestro.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018214  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/19/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:40

Tyler Perry talks about his new film, Alex Cross, in which he plays the titular detective, taking up a role previously played by Morgan Freeman (in 1997's 'Kiss the Girls' and 2001's 'Along Came a Spider'). He discusses his New Orleans childhood, his rise as a writer-director, his audience, and what stories he still wishes to tell.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018214  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/19/2012 00:00:00 AM

O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:39

A conversation with conductor Valery Gergiev, general director and artistic director of the Mariinsky Theatre.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018220  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:09

Dame Judi Dench discusses her role as 'M' in the latest James Bond movie Skyfall.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018221  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:22

Nobel Prize-winning Turkish author Orhan Pamuk discusses his book Silent House, which was written decades ago but has been recently translated into English.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018221  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:14:20

A conversation with famous art dealer and writer Arne Glimcher, founder of The Pace Gallery.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018221  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:13:03

An interview with Lang Lang, a Chinese concert piano sensation, who was in New York City to host a benefit concert for his foundation designed to introduce music to new generations.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018223



Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/01/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

A conversation with director Robert Zemeckis and actor Denzel Washington on their new film, Flight, about an alcoholic pilot who averts an airline disaster.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: EDMT 000000  
Series Title: Ellen DeGeneres: The Mark Twain Prize  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 01:23:14

This special celebrates television icon and entertainment pioneer Ellen DeGeneres, the latest recipient of The Kennedy Center Mark Twain Prize for American Humor. From the stage of The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, DC, some of the biggest names in comedy salute the 15th recipient of the humor prize.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010482  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:09

Collage of Sound, 'Furniture' of Imagination: Philip Glass Classic Gets Revival: On the occasion of a new world tour revival of his breakthrough, abstract 1976 opera "Einstein on the Beach," composer Philip Glass talks to Jeffrey Brown about his love of classical music, his own genre-bending work and finding success in the music world.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010485  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:42

New Erdrich Novel Deals With Crime and Jurisdiction on North Dakota Reservation: Novelist Louise Erdrich examines what happens when crimes are committed on Native American reservations, a decidedly non-fictional problem, through the eyes of her fictional protagonist, a 13-year-old boy named Joe. Jeff Brown talks to Erdrich about her novel "The Round House," set on the N.D. reservation of the Ojibwe tribe.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010486  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:21

Author Bill Ivey Argues for Rediscovering Values at Heart of American Ideal: Bill Ivey, former National Endowment for the Arts chair, says he sees a crisis in our culture where public discourse no longer includes argument over values or why we do what we do as Americans. Jeffrey Brown talks to Ivey about his call for a revived progressive vision, outlined in his new book, "Handmaking America."

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010486  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:11

Photographer Puts New Spin on 'Street' Art Using Google Maps: Photographer Doug Rickard sees artistic possibility in the images of people captured in the photographic drive-bys that make up Google Street View. He has travelled thousands of virtual miles, looking for potential photographs in Google's maps that have more than just utilitarian purpose. KQED's Scott Shafer reports.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: RSMW 000000  
Series Title: Muddy Waters & The Rolling Stones Live  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/21/2012 4:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Performance  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

On November 22, 1981, in the middle of their mammoth American tour, the Rolling Stones arrived in Chicago prior to playing three nights at the Rosemont Horizon. Long influenced by the Chicago blues, the band paid a visit to Muddy Waters' club the Checkerboard Lounge to see the legendary bluesman perform. It didn't take long before Mick Jagger, Keith Richards, Ronnie Wood and Ian Stewart were joining in on stage, and later Buddy Guy and Lefty Dizz also played their part. It was a unique occasion that was fortunately captured on camera.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and Game Change author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002712  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 11:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 10/17/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:36

Author Peter Dreier: The politics professor examines the role of social justice issues in the presidential campaign and discusses his text, *The 100 Greatest Americans of the 20th Century*.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002713  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Behavioral scientist Peter Ubel, M.D.: The Duke University professor explains his groundbreaking work, detailed in the text, *Critical Decisions*.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002714  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/19/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:31

Comedian-actor D.L. Hughley: The veteran funnyman comments on bringing comedy to social commentary on the world.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002717  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Writer T.C. Boyle: The inventive storyteller and English professor explains the premise of his new novel, *San Miguel*.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002722  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:12:02

Musician Robert Glasper: The celebrated keyboardist talks about the release of “The Remix” of his “Black Radio” project.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002723  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley

Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:11:10

Singer-songwriter Luciana Souza: The acclaimed Brazilian singer and composer discusses her two new projects: "The Book of Chet" and "Duos III."

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TTCY 002133  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/28/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

Kathleen Turner: Late Deciders: After Indiana Senate candidate Richard Mourdock makes comments about children conceived through rape, the so-called "waitress moms" are even more important to the presidential candidates. Give Us Women: The European Parliament rejected a male candidate for the Central Bank, saying they want more women. Red Hot Patriot: Actress Kathleen Turner is starring as controversial political journalist Molly Ivins on stage and she wanted to bring the role to DC before the election.

National Council of Negro Women Executive Director Avis Jones-DeWeever  
Independent Women's Forum Policy Analyst Hadley Heath  
SpikeTheWaterCooler.com Founder Marjorie Clifton  
Conservative Blogger Crystal Wright

Category: Arts  
NOLA: AMMS 001903  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Woody Guthrie: Ain't Got No Home  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 7/12/2006 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

Essentially every American who has listened to the radio, or gone to summer camp, knows Woody's "This Land is Your Land." The nation's signature folk singer/song-writer, Woody's music has been recorded by everyone from the Mormon Tabernacle Choir to the Irish rock band U2. Originally blowing out of the Dust Bowl in 1930s Depression Era America, he blended vernacular, rural music and populism to give voice to millions of downtrodden citizens. Woody's prolific music, poetry and prose were politically leftist, uniquely patriotic, and always inspirational. He joined music with traditional oral history and was central to generations of folk music revival. His is a complex story filled with frenetic creative energy and a treasure trove of cultural history -- as well as personal imperfections and profound family tragedy.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BWAY 000105  
Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
Episode Title: Tradition (1957-1979)  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/21/2004 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:53:00

West Side Story not only brings untraditional subject matter to the musical stage, it ushers in a new breed of director/choreographer who insist on performers who can dance, sing and act. But by the time Jerome Robbins' last original musical, Fiddler on the Roof, closes after a record run of 3,242 performances in 1972, the world of Broadway has changed forever. Rock'n'roll, civil rights and Vietnam usher in new talents, many trained by the retiring masters, taking musical theater in daring new directions with innovative productions like Hair, the first Broadway musical with an entire score of rock music. The adult narrative of Stephen Sondheim's Company plunges the musical into a new era. Hal Prince's conceptual staging showcases John Kander and Fred Ebb's dynamic score for Cabaret. Bob Fosse captures a sexuality and cynicism ahead of its time with Chicago, but it is director/choreographer Michael Bennett who spearheads the biggest blockbuster of all — A Chorus Line. "It totally changed the musical theater," says Shubert Organization chairman Gerald Schoenfeld. "It was a catalyst for the improvement of this area, and of course this area is now the most desirable area in New York." With Sondheim's Sweeney Todd, the Broadway musical reaches unexpected new heights in style and material with a tale of slaughter and cannibalism set in 19th-century London. By the end of the 1970s, Broadway becomes the centerpiece of a remarkably successful public relations campaign that will lure tourists to New York for years to come.

The episode features interviews with actor Joel Grey, composer Marvin Hamlisch, actor Jerry Orbach, producer Hal Prince, writer Frank Rich, lyricist Stephen Sondheim, director Julie Taymor and actor Ben Vereen. Highlights include rare footage of Ethel Merman rehearsing for Gypsy and home movies from the original stage production of Chicago.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BWAY 000106  
Series Title: Broadway: The American Musical  
Episode Title: Putting It Together (1980-Present)  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/25/2004 12:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Legendary as the "Abominable Snowman," notorious producer David Merrick re-conquers Broadway in 1980 with a smash adaptation of the movie musical 42nd Street. But soon the biggest hits are arriving from an unexpected source - London. Producer Cameron Mackintosh redefines the business of show business as Cats, Les Miserables, The Phantom of the Opera, and Miss Saigon become international blockbusters. Sondheim's Sunday in the Park With George defies categorization while Jerry Herman's crowd-pleasing La Cage aux Folles has two men sing a love song to each other for the first time on Broadway. The AIDS crisis decimates Broadway. With Julie Taymor's triumphant re-imagining of The Lion King, Disney leads an astonishing resurrection of 42nd Street. Composer Jonathan Larson scores a bittersweet victory with the rock-flavored Rent, and the old-style musical is reborn in Mel Brooks' The Producers, which becomes the first must-see musical comedy in decades, despite a ticket price of \$480 for each VIP seat. After 9/11, Broadway - like the rest of America - emerges from the darkness. Broadway's corporate dominance continues to grow, as evidenced by new shows such as Wicked, the biggest hit of the 2003-04 season with 10 Tony nods. "Oh, I've been hearing about Broadway disappearing ever since I put on long pants," says the illustrator Al Hirschfeld. "I mean, it's been the fabulous invalid. You know, but it survives, it survives."

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018228  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:23:04

A look at the 2012 elections through the lens of history with historian Doris Kearns Goodwin, who also discusses her work on the film Lincoln with actor Daniel Day Lewis.

Category: Arts

NOLA: COSE 018231  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:55

A conversation about the new movie Silver Linings Playbook with director David O. Russell and actors Robert De Niro and Bradley Cooper.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018233  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:32:09

A conversation about the new film Life of Pi with director Ang Lee and actors Irrfan Khan and Suraj Sharma.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018234  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/16/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:29:35

Playwright Tom Stoppard and director Joe Wright discuss their film adaption of Leo Tolstoy's classic novel Anna Karenina.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MAKW 000110  
Series Title: Market Warriors  
Episode Title: Antiquing in Canton, TX  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:51:45

This week on MARKET WARRIORS, pickers Miller, John, Bob and Kevin return to Canton, Texas, home to First Monday Trade Days, a massive monthly market in East Texas. Day two is a challenge for the pickers, working within their fixed budgets to find something from the 19th century. Off-screen host Mark L. Walberg comments on the broad range of finds the pickers bring to the table, including a blue railroad lantern and a pair of carved Chinese figures. Other finds include a Japanese hibachi, a German wall clock and a folk art cabinet. This week one picker's creativity and knowledge provides a winning edge when the items go to auction at Ken Farmer's Auctions in Radford, Virginia.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MAKW 000111  
Series Title: Market Warriors  
Episode Title: Antiquing in New York, NY  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/12/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010496  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:40

Iraq Veteran's War Fiction Taps Personal Experience: Kevin Powers served in the U.S. Army in Iraq in 2004 and 2005. When he returned to the U.S. he turned initially to poetry to work through his own questions about his experience, but found he needed "a larger canvas." Jeffrey Brown talks to Powers about his novel, "Yellow Birds," which is nominated for the National Book Award.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: NASV 000000  
Series Title: National Salute to Veterans  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/11/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Performance  
Segment Length: 00:53:19

Joe Mantegna ("Criminal Minds") and Gary Sinise ("CSI: New York") host the inaugural broadcast of the NATIONAL SALUTE TO VETERANS, celebrating all the heroes who have served throughout America's history. The NATIONAL SALUTE TO VETERANS features new footage shot at the U.S. Capitol with Mantegna and Sinise, as well as the "best of the best" moments from past NATIONAL MEMORIAL DAY CONCERTS. The all-star line-up includes Colin L. Powell USA (Ret.), Forest Whitaker, Pia Toscano, Kris Allen, A.J. Cook, Jason Ritter and Yolanda Adams, accompanied by the National Symphony Orchestra.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002723  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:11:10

Singer-songwriter Luciana Souza: The acclaimed Brazilian singer and composer discusses her two new projects: "The Book of Chet" and "Duos III."

Category: Arts

NOLA: TASM 002724  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor Jack Black: The Golden Globe nominee reflects on his turn in the indie film, *Bernie*—a performance that's getting much Oscar buzz.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002728  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/8/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Talk show host Larry King: The iconic talk show host weighs in on the results of the White House race.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002731  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Journalist Thomas Ricks: The Pulitzer Prize winner explains his new book, *The Generals*, and offers his thoughts on the resignation of Gen. David Petraeus.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002733  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actress Keira Knightley: The Oscar-nominated actress outlines what attracted her to the role of Anna Karenina and talks about her upcoming projects.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002734  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42



Actress Sally Field, Part 1: The two-time Oscar winner describes her role as the first lady in one of this year's most talked about films, Lincoln.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: AMMS 001903  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Woody Guthrie: Ain't Got No Home  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 7/12/2006 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:26:46

Essentially every American who has listened to the radio, or gone to summer camp, knows Woody's "This Land is Your Land." The nation's signature folk singer/song-writer, Woody's music has been recorded by everyone from the Mormon Tabernacle Choir to the Irish rock band U2. Originally blowing out of the Dust Bowl in 1930s Depression Era America, he blended vernacular, rural music and populism to give voice to millions of downtrodden citizens. Woody's prolific music, poetry and prose were politically leftist, uniquely patriotic, and always inspirational. He joined music with traditional oral history and was central to generations of folk music revival. His is a complex story filled with frenetic creative energy and a treasure trove of cultural history -- as well as personal imperfections and profound family tragedy.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: BPMW 000000  
Series Title: Boundless Potential with Mark Walton  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/25/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/18/2012 8:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

What should the generation entering their late 40s, 50s and 60s do with the second half of their lives? Peabody Award-winning former CNN senior correspondent and anchor Mark Walton offers an exciting blueprint showing ways to transform thinking, leverage full potential, explore and re-invent work and futures. He provides practical advice, clear direction and real-world inspiration based on his half-dozen years of research into remarkably re-inventive men and women, as well as the latest breakthroughs in brain science, psychology, human performance, creativity and happiness.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018236  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/19/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:27:11

Actor Julian Sands on his one-man show highlighting the work of playwright Harold Pinter.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018239  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/22/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review

Segment Length: 00:52:40

An hour with author J. K. Rowling, the British author of the famous Harry Potter series, on her new adult novel, The Casual Vacancy.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: DAGE 000000  
Series Title: David Geffen: American Masters  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/20/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:51:18

Notoriously press- and camera-shy, David Geffen reveals himself for the first time in this unflinching portrait of a complex and compelling man. His far-reaching influence — as agent and manager, record industry mogul, Hollywood and Broadway producer, and billionaire philanthropist — has helped shape American popular culture for the past four decades. He launched the early successes of Joni Mitchell, Crosby, Stills and Nash, Jackson Browne, Tom Cruise, and Guns N' Roses; he co-founded DreamWorks, the first new Hollywood studio in more than 50 years; he produced Cats and Dreamgirls; he is one of the largest contributors to the fight against AIDS; and he has become an important political voice. This dealmaker extraordinaire is witty, self-aware and candid. He and everyone from Yoko Ono and Cher, Frank Rich and Maureen Dowd, Stephen Spielberg and Barry Diller, David Crosby and Neil Young, Elton John and Rahm Emanuel illuminate his rich and riveting story.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: DWOD 000000  
Series Title: Doo Wop Discoveries (My Music)  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/18/2012 6:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

DOO WOP DISCOVERIES (MY MUSIC) brings back pivotal R&B and pop vocal groups of the late 50s and 60s through never-before-broadcast archival and new live performances of their most loved hits. Pop music icons Smokey Robinson, Mike Stoller (of the writing team Lieber & Stoller), producers Mitch and Phil Margo of the Tokens, Aaron Neville, Neil Sedaka and more share their favorite doo wop styles and songs of the genre.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: INLE 001108  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Between the Folds  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/17/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/8/2009 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Think origami is just paper planes and cranes? Meet a determined group of theoretical scientists and fine artists who have abandoned careers and scoffed at graduate degrees to forge new lives as modern-day paper folders. Together they reinterpret the world in paper, creating a wild mix of sensibilities towards art, science, creativity and meaning.

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NOLA: MAKW 000111  
Series Title: Market Warriors  
Episode Title: Antiquing in New York, NY

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010503  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:37

Poet Joy Harjo Shares Words of Celebration and Memory for Thanksgiving: Joy Harjo, who was born into the Muscogee Creek Nation in Oklahoma, describes herself as a poet, musician, dreamer and questioner. Her poem "Perhaps the World Ends Here" is particularly fitting as people gather around the table to celebrate Thanksgiving.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010505  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:03

After Sandy, Poet Describes 'What It Means to Stand in the Rubble of Your Life': Jennifer Fitzgerald's family and friends have been greatly impacted by superstorm Sandy, and though she immediately got involved in relief efforts in her Staten Island community, she felt that her poetry would be another way to reach a much larger audience and explain the physical and emotional impact Sandy had on New York.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010509  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:34

Twin Cities Dance Company Celebrates Diversity, Relevancy, Accessibility: Rising to prominence in New York's dance scene, dancers Toni Pierce-Sands and Uri Sands left the Big Apple to start their own company in the Twin Cities, where an arts renaissance offered new chances to carve out their own niche. Fred de Sam Lazaro reports on how Tu Dance company is making dance accessible to a diverse audience.

Category: Arts

NOLA: PNRE 001611  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/16/2012 5:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/18/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Life of Pi: Is this a film aimed at helping audiences find God? "It wouldn't be that easy," says director Ang Lee. "You have to go through suffering and pain. You have to be in awe. You have to go through tests to believe in God—or not believe in God, in some cases." Sistine Chapel Anniversary: "It's such a great painting because you have God very energetic, and the wind pushing his hair back, and he's very determined. He's just created the universe, after all," says art historian Bridget Goodbody. Jewish Community Food Stamp Challenge: Eating the week before Thanksgiving on a food stamp budget is an effort "to deepen our understanding about America," says Rabbi Lenny Gordon.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: RSMW 000000  
Series Title: Muddy Waters & The Rolling Stones Live  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/24/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/21/2012 4:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-SIP  
Format: Performance  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

On November 22, 1981, in the middle of their mammoth American tour, the Rolling Stones arrived in Chicago prior to playing three nights at the Rosemont Horizon. Long influenced by the Chicago blues, the band paid a visit to Muddy Waters' club the Checkerboard Lounge to see the legendary bluesman perform. It didn't take long before Mick Jagger, Keith Richards, Ronnie Wood and Ian Stewart were joining in on stage, and later Buddy Guy and Lefty Dizz also played their part. It was a unique occasion that was fortunately captured on camera.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002734  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actress Sally Field, Part 1: The two-time Oscar winner describes her role as the first lady in one of this year's most talked about films, Lincoln.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002739  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/22/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/23/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:36

Philanthropists Bernard and Shirley Kinsey: The L.A.-based couple explain how "The Kinsey Collection" explores the intersection of art and history.

Category: Arts

NOLA: AMMS 002306  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Lennon NYC  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/22/2010 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Lennon NYC is the story of one of the most famous and influential artists of the 20th century and how he found redemption not in the public adoration he craved as a youth, but in the quiet and simple pleasures of fatherhood. It is also a New York immigrant's tale. Lennon came to New York City in 1971 seeking what every other immigrant has sought: freedom - the freedom to be himself and not "Beatle John", the freedom to live a normal life.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018249  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/6/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:51:54

A conversation about Zero Dark Thirty, the new movie about the hunt for and killing of Osama Bin Laden, with director Kathryn Bigelow and screenwriter Mark Boal.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018252  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/11/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:29:33

A panel discussion on the popular PBS series Downton Abbey with actors Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovern, Jim Carter and Joanne Froggatt.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018252  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/11/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:22:42

A conversation with Garrison Keillor, author and host of the popular radio program A Prairie Home Companion, on aging and the loss of family members, his decision to continue the show and delay his retirement, the joy of writing, his concern about the extreme partisanship of current politics, his admiration for musicians, and his recent performance of his love sonnets at the New York Philharmonic.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018253  
Series Title: Charlie Rose

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/13/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:19:35

Author Ian McEwan discusses his latest novel, *Sweet Tooth*, a tale of espionage and love set in 1970s England.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: COSE 018254  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/13/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:52:52

An hour with actor Jessica Chastain about her new film, *Zero Dark Thirty*, about the hunt for and killing of Osama Bin Laden, and her current Broadway performance in *The Heiress*.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: FRON 002603  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: The Undertaking  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/11/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2007 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

FRONTLINE profiles Thomas Lynch, a poet and undertaker whose family has cared for the dead in a small town in central Michigan for three generations. In *The Undertaking*, a critically acclaimed book, Lynch offered unique and profound insight into what he called the "dismal trade." In an intimate and revealing film, Lynch helps makes sense of the ways Americans cope with death, grief, and life.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: INLE 001108  
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Episode Title: Between the Folds  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010513  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:30

A Musician of His 'Time': Remembering Jazz Great David Brubeck: Jazz pianist Dave Brubeck, who challenged time-signature conventions and brought jazz to a wide audience, has died at the age of 91. His 1959 album "Time Out" was the first jazz record to sell a million copies. Jeffrey Brown talks to George Wein, founder of the Newport Jazz Festival, about Brubeck's life and musical legacy.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010517  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:32

Art, China and Censorship According to Ai Weiwei: Ai Weiwei has spent his career creating art with a direct social and political message. His photos, sculptures and installations highlight issues like Chinese censorship and corruption. Jeffrey Brown reports on Ai's career and "According to What?" -- an exhibition of his work at the Hirshhorn Museum in Washington, D.C.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: MLNH 010518  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:01

Sitar Virtuoso Ravi Shankar, 92, Popularized Indian Music for Western Audiences: Virtuoso sitar player Ravi Shankar inspired a new fascination with and appreciation for classical Indian music in Western popular culture. Judy Woodruff remembers the man who tutored Beatles guitarist George Harrison, performed at Woodstock and won three Grammy awards. Shankar passed away at the age of 92.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002747  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/5/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:05

Nobel laureate Wole Soyinka: The noted Nigerian writer responds to negative stereotypes about his home continent—the motivation for his latest text, *Of Africa*.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002748  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/6/2012  
Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Singer-songwriter Alicia Keys: The multiple Grammy winner talks about her new CD, "Girl on Fire."

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002749  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/7/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-producer Andy Garcia: Garcia shares the backstory of his latest film, the environmental thriller A Dark Truth, which he also co-exec-produced.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002751  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/10/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/11/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actress Kristen Stewart: The Twilight franchise star explains why she committed to the role she plays in the upcoming feature release, On the Road.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002752  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/11/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/12/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-screenwriter-producer Matt Damon, Part 1: The Oscar winner recaps his new feature, Promised Land, in which he stars and also co-wrote and co-produced.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002753  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/13/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-screenwriter-producer Matt Damon, Part 2: The outspoken Hollywood power player discusses his philanthropic work and his pending projects.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002754



Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/13/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:11:06

Musician Jakob Dylan: The singer-songwriter discusses his return to the Grammy-winning band, the Wallflowers, with the new disc, "Glad All Over"—the group's first album in seven years.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002755  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/15/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

The Supremes' Mary Wilson: The Supremes co-founder reflects on the 50th anniversary of the legendary group's first album on the then up-and-coming label called Motown.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002804  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/27/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/28/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actress Keira Knightley: The Oscar-nominated actress outlines what attracted her to the role of Anna Karenina and talks about her upcoming projects.

Category: Arts  
NOLA: TASM 002805  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/28/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/29/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:23:14

Actor-activist Richard Gere: The actor-activist talks about his latest film, the financial thriller Arbitrage, and his human rights work.

## Community/Politics

Category: Community  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/5/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Jack Frech talks about welfare spending

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/8/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Jane Patton talks about the local Red Cross

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/25/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Ron Luce talks about Millfield Mine Disaster

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/25/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Dan Pfeifer talks about low power radio service

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/26/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Molly Wales talks about Birth Circle program

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/30/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Matt Moore talk about Chesterhill Produce Auction

Category: Politics

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 10/4/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Jerry Miller talks about political conversations

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes

Air Date: 11/7/12 5:30pm

Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00

Topic/Issue: Holzer Wound Center

Category: Community

Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/12/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Athens Foundation

Category: Community  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/13/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Sojourners organization

Category: Community  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/20/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Community Food Initiatives

Category: Politics  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/3/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Mike Turner talks about proposed telephone law

Category: Community  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/5/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Silver Bridge History project

Category: Community  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/11/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Sojourners homeless program

Category: Politics  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/12/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: PUCO launches electric study

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: COSE 018201  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 10/2/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:33:14

A discussion about the controversial new Barclays Center in Brooklyn--a billion-dollar arena hosting the Nets basketball team--with Mikhail Prokhorov, owner of the Brooklyn Nets; Irina Prokhorov, head of the Cultural Initiatives Foundation; Bruce Ratner, real estate developer; and Karen Brooks Hopkins, President of BAM.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: COSE 018204  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:14:51

A conversation with Barbara Simons, an expert on electronic voting, on her book Broken Ballots: Will Your Vote Count?

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: HASK 000101  
Series Title: Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/1/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

In a two-night, four-hour special introduced by George Clooney, HALF THE SKY follows stories of challenge and triumph, traveling with New York Times columnist Nicholas Kristof and celebrity advocates America Ferrera, Diane Lane, Eva Mendes, Meg Ryan, Gabrielle Union and Olivia Wilde on a journey to 10 countries, where they meet inspiring individuals and discover how they're confronting the oppression of women and girls. The special, based on the widely acclaimed book Half the Sky by columnist Kristof and Sheryl WuDunn, reveals the real, meaningful solutions being fashioned through health care, education and economic empowerment for women and girls.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: HASK 000102  
Series Title: Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: INLE 001402  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: As Goes Janesville

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/8/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/8/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:52:45

As Goes Janesville reports from ground zero of the recession-ridden heartland - the town of Janesville, Wisconsin. When bankrupt GM shut down the community's century-old plant in 2008 - the oldest GM plant in North America - thousands of jobs were lost. While many workers were forced to leave their families in search of decent jobs, local business leaders worked to bring new companies to town with the promise of lower wages, reduced regulation and tax breaks. They formed a powerful alliance with newly-elected Republican governor Scott Walker, whose pro-business, anti-union stance ripped apart the state, triggering an historic recall election. The recall thrust Wisconsin's boisterous civil war between workers and the business/political power elite onto front pages nationwide.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:38

Pa. Judge Rules Strict Voter ID Law Will Go Into Effect Year After Election: A Pennsylvania judge blocked a law that will require voters to show government ID at the polls from taking effect until after the 2012 elections. Ray Suarez asks Republican Pa. state representative Daryl Metcalfe and Judith Browne-Dianis of Advancement Project if the law addresses voter fraud or merely disenfranchises voters.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:26

News Wrap: New York State Files Mortgage Fraud Lawsuit Against JPMorgan Chase: In other news Tuesday, New York Attorney General Eric Schneiderman filed a major mortgage lawsuit against JPMorgan Chase, claiming that former rival Bear Stearns--which JPMorgan bought in 2008--misled the investors who bought and lost sub-prime mortgage loan securities in 2006 and 2007 after the company collapsed.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:38

North Carolina Up for Grabs in 2012 as Voter Enthusiasm Wanes: In 2008, North Carolina went blue for the first time since 1976, in large part due to a high turnout of African-American voters. But with enthusiasm ebbing over the down economy and unmet expectations among key voting blocs, turnout may be too unpredictable to know which way the state will swing in 2012. Jeffrey Brown reports.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:40

Spanish-Language Election Ad Spending Eight Times Higher in 2012 Than 2008: Judy Woodruff talks to NPR's Greg Allen, who traveled to Raleigh, N.C., to explore how the presidential candidates are spending campaign funds to target Latinos, voters who are generally younger and hard hit by the economic downturn. But some political messages, like on health care reform, may be mismatched to their audience.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010468  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:17

In Battleground Iowa, Where Most Voters Are Decided, Early Voting Turnout Is Key: According to one poll, less than 2 percent of Iowa voters are still undecided. In that state, the candidates have made 30 campaign visits and have barraged the air waves with ads. Hari Sreenivasan reports on how both campaigns are hoping that early voting, now begun, will improve overall turnout and give them a winning edge.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010469  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:09:09

After First Debate, Florida Voters Discuss Convincibility, Consistency: Ray Suarez visits Orlando, Fla., to talk to voters--some decided, some undecided--directly following the first presidential debate. Were the candidates convincing? Did the voters hear what they hoped to from either side? They discuss jobs, President Obama's consistency, Mitt Romney's softer side, and the role of government.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010470  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:56

Missouri Senate Seat in Play as Akin and McCaskill Fight for the Middle: Democrats expected incumbent Sen. Claire McCaskill, D-Mo., to lose her seat come November. But after her challenger Republican Todd Akin made controversial

remarks about rape and abortion, McCaskill has gained a narrow lead. Gwen Ifill reports on the key race, which may dictate which party controls the Senate.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010470  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:51

Shields and Brooks on Close Congressional Races, Obama's Debate Performance: Judy Woodruff talks with NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks on the top political news of the week, including the tight Missouri senate race, as well as other close contests; the latest, more optimistic jobs report; and what factors may have contributed to President Obama's performance at the first debate.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010472  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:55

As Romney Cuts into Obama's Lead, Both Vie for Critical Votes in Swing States: After the first presidential debate the tides were turned for Mitt Romney, who had been trailing President Obama. In almost every post-debate poll Romney is now statistically tied or leading President Obama. Gwen Ifill reports on the candidates' messages on campaign trail post-debate, especially in swing states.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010472  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:31

From Rooftop to Alleyway, Chicago Fights Extreme Urban Heat With Greener Ideas: One of Chicago's most beautiful and hidden gardens is located on top of City Hall, part of an effort to 'green' roofs in order fight rising temperatures. Hari Sreenivasan reports on the actions the city of Chicago is taking to mitigate climate change in an urban landscape.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010473  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:41

News Wrap: Polls Show President Obama Leads in Ohio, But Narrowly: In other news Wednesday, new polls show that President Obama still leads in Ohio. Following the first presidential debate, the gap between the two candidates narrowed, energizing both campaigns' efforts to win over the last undecided voters before Election Day.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010473  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:04

As Goes Jefferson County so Goes Colo.? Candidates Make Appeals, Repeat Visits: Jefferson County, Colo., is comprised of one-third Democrats, one-third Republicans, and those who have yet to decide whether they will vote for Mitt Romney or President Obama. As one of the most populous purple counties in Colorado, both candidates have become repeat visitors, hoping to swing some votes. Gwen Ifill reports.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:57

Medicare is Battle Cry for Both Sides in Tight House Races in Fla., N.Y.: In our new Battleground Dispatches series, Todd Zwillich of Public Radio International's "The Takeaway" reports from Florida and New York, where Medicare is not only a hot topic in the general election, but crucial to clinching some close congressional races.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010476  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:01

In Blue Bay State, Senate Candidates Stress Bipartisanship and Independence: Democrats outnumber Republicans 3-1 in Massachusetts, but rhetoric coming from both sides of the contentious senate race emphasizes moderation and independence--from Washington and from Wall Street. Gwen Ifill reports on the high profile and increasingly nasty contest between Sen. Scott Brown and Democrat Elizabeth Warren.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010476  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:03



Dems Look to Hold Senate Majority, GOP Tries to Wrest Control in Key Races: Republicans and Democrats are looking to muster the votes in key elections to take the Senate majority. Judy Woodruff talks to USA Today's Susan Page and The Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg about campaigns in states like Missouri, Massachusetts and Virginia, and whether the majority is still in play.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010476  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:28

Former Sen. Arlen Specter, 82, Prioritized Law, Policy Over Party Affiliation: Arlen Specter served in the U.S. Senate for nearly 30 years, during which he served as a Democrat and Republican. As a moderate, he frequently ignored party lines, speaking his mind on issues from judicial appointments to health care reform and stimulus spending. Kwame Holman remembers Specter, who died from cancer at age 82.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000256  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:03

In the latest installment of our recurring “Main Street America” series, correspondent John Larson travels to Pueblo, Colorado to assess the mood along Main Street in a once-thriving steel town that now depends on the global economy to make ends meet.

Colorado is a key swing state in the presidential election with polls showing president Obama and Former Governor Mitt Romney neck and neck. Pueblo’s Main Street is also at the center of the renewable energy debate that the two candidates sparred over during the first debate this week. Vestas, a Danish company, set up the largest wind mill tower factory in the world in Pueblo. Romney has stated that if he wins the presidency, he plans to get rid of a wind energy tax credit put in place by Obama. That threat has frozen the wind industry in its tracks and forced the industry to lay off thousands across the country, including in Pueblo. The layoffs have compounded an unemployment rate of 11%, already the highest in Colorado.

Almost everyone we talked to felt that politicians in Washington were out of touch with the realities on their Main Street and didn’t have the ability to solve the country’s most pressing problems. And yet there is an unmistakable air resilience in Pueblo; the city has weathered the steel crash of the 1980’s and will outlast the current economic storm too.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001606  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/14/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/14/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

None of the Above: Who Are They?: “Religion is important. Being spiritual is important. What’s not as important is to join and to go every week,” says Kellen McClure, one of the fast-rising number of Americans who describe their religion as “nothing in particular” or “none of the above” when surveyed by opinion researchers. Minnesota Marriage Amendment: “Many campaigns have run away from religion in the past, trying to say there’s a separation of religion and state, whereas in

Minnesota we have embraced the idea that a person of faith can and should oppose the amendment,” says University of Minnesota Law School professor Dale Carpenter.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: COSE 018222  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:18

Time Magazine's Mark Halperin speculates on Hurricane Sandy's effect on next week's presidential election.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: ELDY 000000  
Series Title: Electoral Dysfunction  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 7:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

After discovering that the Constitution does not guarantee the right to vote, political humorist Mo Rocca sets out on an irreverent road trip to see how voting works in America. Rocca — a correspondent for “CBS Sunday Morning,” panelist on NPR’s “Wait, Wait ... Don’t Tell Me!” and former correspondent for “The Daily Show With Jon Stewart” — heads to Indiana, home to some of the strictest election laws in the country, and meets one Republican and one Democrat who take him inside their efforts to get out every vote. As he progresses on his journey, he searches for the Electoral College; critiques ballot design with Todd Oldham; investigates the debate over voter ID and voter fraud; and explores the case of a former felon who was sentenced to 10 years in prison — for the crime of voting. Eye-opening, engaging and nonpartisan, ELECTORAL DYSFUNCTION is for voters who want their votes to count.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: FRON 003022  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Big Sky, Big Money  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:38

In a special investigation in collaboration with “Marketplace,” FRONTLINE travels to the remote epicenter of the campaign finance debate for a tale of money, politics and intrigue. How has the Supreme Court’s Citizens United decision changed campaigns in America? Ask Montana, which has tried to challenge the ruling in court, is investigating alleged campaign abuses and is playing host to a bitter race that could decide control of the U.S. Senate. FRONTLINE correspondent and “Marketplace” host Kai Ryssdal reports.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010477  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:03:58

News Wrap: Supreme Court Rules on Ohio Voting Law, Won't Block Early Voters: In other news Tuesday, the U.S. Supreme Court sided with President Obama on an Ohio voting matter -- early voting in that state will not be blocked during the three days leading up to Election Day. Also, Americans on Social Security will be receiving an annual inflation-based cost of living adjustment of about \$21 per month.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010479  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:14

Female Candidates Seek Rematches with Male Opponents in N.H., Court Women Voters: New Hampshire is poised to make history if three women running for national political office all win their bids. Anna Sale of WNYC Radio reports from the Granite State, where unemployment is relatively low and independence is highly valued, about how social issues are playing out in local elections and the presidential race.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010480  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/19/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/19/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:12

Campaigns Speak to Growing Hispanic Population Through Spanish-Language Media: With a tight presidential race, growing Hispanic populations in key swing states--Colorado, Nevada, Florida and Virginia--could provide the margin of victory. Ray Suarez reports on the campaigns' efforts, including spanish-language ads, appearances on Univision, and more, to capture Hispanic votes that are up for grabs.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010481  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:15

Florida Voters Share Election Expectations Ahead of Third Presidential Showdown: Voters in Florida have been turned off by the negative tone heard in most political ads and presidential debates thus far. With two weeks left, the candidates seek to appeal to the shrinking number of undecided voters. Judy Woodruff reports on campaigning in Florida, which focuses on women, youth and Hispanics.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010482  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:14:40

With Final Foreign Policy Debate Done, Candidates Start Swing State Sprint: The candidates made an eager return to the campaign trail the day after their final presidential debate in Boca Raton, Fla. Gwen Ifill recaps debate highlights and looks at new ads. Judy Woodruff gets post-debate analysis from Nicholas Burns, former U.S. Ambassador to NATO, and Richard Haass of the Council on Foreign Relations.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:13:23

Congressional Sequestration Squabble Has Local Economic Resonance in Virginia: In the latest installment in our Battleground Dispatches series, Cathy Lewis of WHRO in Hampton Roads, Va., looks at how concern over sequestration is playing out as a local voting issue. Gwen Ifill talks to Roll Call's Steve Dennis and Josh Rogin of Foreign Policy about how congress is working on facing its budget negotiations.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:51

Obama and Romney Barnstorm Swing States in Closing Stage of Presidential Race: The days on the campaign trail have gotten busier. President Obama traveled to Iowa, Colorado, California and Nevada in a single day, while his challenger Mitt Romney visiting Nevada and Iowa to make his case to the last undecided voters. Jeffrey Brown reports on the stepped-up pace in the last 13 days till the election.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:38

Some Senate Candidates Race Toward Photo-Finish Elections in Fight for Majority: The outcome in extremely tight senate races in states like Connecticut, Arizona, Indiana and North Dakota could determine who controls the Senate and the president's agenda come January. Gwen Ifill talks to Roll Call's Shira Toeplitz and The Rothenberg Political Report's Nathan Gonzales for more on just what's on the line.

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NOLA: MLNH 010484  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:09

Battleground Strategy: Candidates Use Huge Funds to Target Ads to Undecideds: Ohio voters greeted visits from Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama, who also made stops in Florida and Virginia. Jeffrey Brown reports on the neck-and-neck polls and the money race -- both to earn and to spend. Margaret Warner talks to NPR's Mara Liason about the money the candidates are spending on ads and in swing states.

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NOLA: MLNH 010485  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:10

As the Economy Booms in Northeast Ohio, Which Candidate Will Reap the Benefit? A resurgence in steel, energy and auto manufacturing has brought over 50,000 jobs back to northeast Ohio. With the economy as the primary issue likely to determine the election, Public Radio International's Todd Zwillich examines whether Mitt Romney or President Obama will gain an advantage from the recent economic boom in Ohio.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:37

Shields and Brooks on the Importance of Ohio, Microtargeting Voters: Judy Woodruff talks with NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for the top political news of the week, including the significant role Ohio is playing this election cycle, microtargeting of key voter blocs and the candidates' last-ditch efforts to break the stalemate and take the advantage.

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NOLA: MLNH 010486  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:02

Hurricane Sandy Could Spell Trouble for Early Voting and Last Campaign Efforts: With nine states declaring states of emergency in preparation for a superstorm, Hurricane Sandy has derailed political campaigning and some early voting this week. Judy Woodruff talks to Dan Balz of the Washington Post and USA Today's Susan Page about the likely effects on the race during the last week before Election Day.

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NOLA: MLNH 010487  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:11

A Week Until Election Day, Campaigns Focus on Disaster Relief: As Hurricane Sandy blew in, President Barack Obama and Mitt Romney turned their focus to storm victims rather than swing voters. Gwen Ifill talks to Politico's Jonathan Allen about the delicate balance of remaining apolitical in the aftermath of a natural disaster while running the last leg of the race to the White House.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:06

Political Campaigns Target Off-the-Grid Voters with Digital Armies of Volunteers: As Americans watch less broadcast television and spend more time online, political campaigns face difficulty reaching voters with traditional methods. Hari Sreenivasan reports how the Romney and Obama campaigns, with the help of new tools to gather data and target voters, may have cracked the code to reach off-the-grid voters.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:55

New Nevada Congressional District Race Unleashes Big Money and Attacks: There's big money, aggressive attacks, a famous family name, racial tensions and a potential, looming bankruptcy, all playing out in a House district that covers half the state of Nevada. Mitch Fox of Vegas PBS reports on the contest between Steven Horsford (D) and Danny Tarkanian (R) in Nevada's new 4th Congressional District.

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NOLA: MLNH 010488  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:54

Is Sandy a 'Cassandra'? How Cities Should Prepare for Future Natural Disasters: Extreme storms of recent history have made local governments take notice both of their preparedness and the likelihood that climate change is making such disastrous events more and more common. Joseph Romm of Center for American Progress and American Enterprise Institute's Kenneth Green share their perspectives with Ray Suarez.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:57

Winning Fiercely-Divided Wisconsin Will Come Down to Candidates' Ground Game: Green Bay residents may love the Packers more than anything else, but politics comes at a close second. With a strong independent electorate, Wisconsin had the most counties in the U.S. vote for Bush in 2004 and then swing to Obama in 2008. Jeffrey Brown reports on the 2012 campaigns' attempts to woo these tough-minded voters.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000259  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:07

The voter fraud debate, opposition research in the digital age and Dean Obeidallah: This week, Need to Know's Rick Karr reports on controversial changes to election rules in the battleground state of Florida—will they root out voter fraud or keep legitimate voters from the polls?

Also, a conversation with James Carter, the man behind the infamous '47%' video, who, like other amateur opposition researchers, is harnessing the power of the Internet to upend campaigns.

And from our "American Voices" series, comedian Dean Obeidallah on one group of voters that no one seems to be courting.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005217  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

With less than two weeks to go, the roundtable takes a look at the candidates' swing-state campaign sprint. Also, we analyze the foreign policy plans of both candidates after the final debate. Plus, we examine the battle for Senate control which rests in the hands of a few states. Joining Gwen: James Kitfield, National Journal; Gloria Borger, CNN; Molly Ball, The Atlantic; Susan Davis, USA Today.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: FRON 003022  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Big Sky, Big Money  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:38

In a special investigation in collaboration with "Marketplace," FRONTLINE travels to the remote epicenter of the campaign finance debate for a tale of money, politics and intrigue. How has the Supreme Court's Citizens United decision changed campaigns in America? Ask Montana, which has tried to challenge the ruling in court, is investigating alleged campaign

abuses and is playing host to a bitter race that could decide control of the U.S. Senate. FRONTLINE correspondent and "Marketplace" host Kai Ryssdal reports.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010489  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:33

Candidates, Spouses, Surrogates Stretch Out Across Seven States in Final Push: National polls show Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama in a dead heat. For every last minute until Election Day, the candidates will be on the trail fighting for an edge in the states considered too close to call. Judy Woodruff gets analysis from Politico's Jonathan Martin and Bloomberg's Margaret Talev.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:44

Outside Groups Outspending Political Campaigns in Competitive Senate Races: For the 2012 elections, Democrats and Republicans are focused on taking control of the Senate by winning a majority of seats. Jeffrey Brown talks to NPR's Tamara Keith, who breaks down the money -- millions of dollars -- being poured into competitive Senate races by political parties and, significantly, by outside groups.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:27

Democrat Has Competitive Chance to Win Open Senate Seat in Arizona: Former U.S. Surgeon Gen. Richard Carmona hopes to achieve what no Arizona Democrat has done in more than 15 years: Win a Senate seat. Special correspondent Axel Gerdau reports on the race between Carmona and Republican challenger Rep. Jeff Flake to win the open seat, which is being vacated by retiring Sen. Jon Kyl.

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NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59



Immigration Is Hot Topic in Iowa, Overlooked by Presidential Campaigns: Hispanics may be only 5 percent of Iowa's population, but that number represents a boom of 110 percent in 10 years, driven partly by the meat industry jobs. While immigration was a big topic for the Republican caucuses, Iowa Public Television's Paul Yeager reports on why the presidential candidates have been quiet on the issue.

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NOLA: MLNH 010491  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:52

Volunteers Hit the Pavement to Sway Last Undecided Voters in Ohio: In an election season colored by the intense negative tone of political ads, infantries of Obama and Romney campaign supporters hope to act as a positive force, making sure that everyone who has not yet voted early or by absentee ballot gets out to the polls on Election Day. Judy Woodruff reports.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:51

How Will Strict, Controversial Voter I.D. Laws Affect Poll Turnout and Access? Lawyers gear up to monitor polling stations on Election Day to ensure voter fraud is limited and voter rights are protected. Jeffrey Brown talks to The Associated Press' Curt Anderson and Brennan Center for Justice's Michael Waldman on what to expect, especially in light of legal battles on early voting and new voter I.D. laws.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:50

Marijuana, Marriage, Gambling and Taxes Are Top Ballot Initiatives to Watch: Judy Woodruff talks to Jennie Bowser of the National Conference of State Legislatures about the top state ballot measures to be decided in the 2012 election. Bowser says the polarized political atmosphere could be one reason why there are more initiatives at stake today than any other presidential election in the last 20 years.

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NOLA: MLNH 010492  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:54:48

This special edition of the PBS NewsHour provided comprehensive coverage of the 2012 presidential and state elections.

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NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:54

Despite Some Upsets by Dems, Party Balance in Congress Relatively Unchanged: The election outcome mostly maintains political status quo in Washington, but certain races were significant. Jeffrey Brown talks to Linda Killian of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and The Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg for what this tells us about what voters want from their elected leaders.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010494  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:15

Long Lines and Ongoing Vote Counts Among Election Day Problems: After the confetti and commotion have cleared, what election troubles remain to be cleaned up? Ray Suarez talks to political writers Marc Caputo of the Miami Herald and Curt Anderson of The Associated Press talk about several hour-long lines at high volume poll stations and precincts that haven't yet finished their vote tallies.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010496  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:29

Does States' Ratification of Same-Sex Marriage Signify Lasting Cultural Shift? Gay rights advocates won ballot measures in three states -- Washington State, Maryland, and Maine -- ratifying by popular vote the legalization of same-sex marriage. For opposing views on the new laws, Ray Suarez talks to National Organization for Marriage's Thomas Peters and Gay and Lesbian Advocates and Defenders' Lee Swislow.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000260  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 8:30:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:17

Dubuque, Iowa: For months now, Americans have been bombarded with more political advertising than ever as the candidates try to convince voters that they understand and know what's best for the people who live and work in "Main Street" America.

This week, Need to Know's John Larson reports from Dubuque, Iowa — a town in a swing state worth six electoral votes in the road to the White House.

Why Dubuque? It's not your average "Main Street" town. Dubuque's been called "Little Rome" because it boasts such a strong Catholic population, that the town is considered a barometer for the Catholic vote nationwide.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: PNEL 000000  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Election Night 2012: A Special Report  
Length: 240 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

NEWSHOUR senior correspondents Gwen Ifill and Judy Woodruff co-anchor live gavel-to-gavel coverage of election results.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010500  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:48

Colo. Voters Legalize Pot, But State Is Anxious Over U.S. Government's Reaction: On Election Day, Colorado voters approved a ballot initiative making recreational marijuana legal, to be regulated and taxed by the state. But law enforcement officials anticipate regulation will be difficult, even with legalization, because pot is still illegal at the federal level. Colorado Public Radio's Megan Verlee reports.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010501  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/19/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/19/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:54

Maine's Incoming Independent Senator Angus King on Caucusing With the Dems: Angus King is one of two Independents in the incoming U.S. Senate, after winning a seat in Maine held for 18 years by retiring Republican Sen. Olympia Snowe. King is expected to caucus with senate Democrats. Jeffrey Brown spoke to the senator-elect after his election win.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010502  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS

Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:48

White House Sets New Insurance Rules for Benefits Coverage: The Obama administration released new rules outlining what insurers on federal- or state-run insurance exchanges must cover as essential health benefits. Ray Suarez talks to Health Affairs' Susan Dentzer about how states are reacting to further implementation of the Affordable Care Act after the president's re-election.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000263  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/23/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/23/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

On a special "Help Wanted" edition, Need to Know updates two reports about innovative state employment programs: the first, in Oregon, to create jobs; the second, in Rhode Island, to preserve them. Scott Simon hosts.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: INLE 001326  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: We Were Here  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/3/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 6/14/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

When AIDS arrived in San Francisco in 1981, it decimated a community, but also brought people together in inspiring and moving ways to support and care for one another and to fight for dignity and a cure. By David Weissman.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010511  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:39

In Chicago, Public Schools and Teachers Work Towards a 'Common Core': Some states, including Illinois, have recently adopted new public school curriculum guidelines called the Common Core State Standards. While some teachers feel relief at having clear guidelines, Elizabeth Brackett of WTTW reports from Chicago on a more contentious aspect of the new implementation: student and teacher evaluation.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010514  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:30

Battleground Dispatches: Norfolk Readies for Future Storms, Sea Level Rise: When Hurricane Sandy hit a week before Election Day, it helped surface the issue of rising sea levels and resulting vulnerability of coastal cities to flooding. In conjunction with WHRO, Mike Melia travels to Norfolk, Va., where the mayor must decide whether or not to rebuild parts of the city that may be unlivable in 15 years.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010516  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:46

Michigan 'Right-to-Work' Laws Spark Heated Debate on Role of Labor Unions: In a lame-duck session, Michigan Republicans approved a pair of bills that would make the Great Lakes State into a "right to work" state. Organized labor was furious, accusing politicians of pushing through legislation with no opportunity for public comment. Gwen Ifill talks to two Michigan lawmakers with differing views.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:08

Lawmakers Consider Cutting Tax Deductions to Bring Down the Deficit: While tax breaks are popular, their future may be limited. Congressional leaders are deliberating on how they can increase revenue in order to bring down the deficit, and deductions may be on the chopping block. Paul Solman explores write-offs for charitable donations, mortgage interest and state and local taxes.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:23

Passage of 'Right-to-Work' Law in Michigan Points to Weakened Labor Union Power: What will the passage of 'right to work' laws in Michigan mean for unions in what had once been a stronghold for organized labor? Judy Woodruff talks to Forbes.com contributor Micheline Maynard in Ann Arbor and Bill Ballenger of Inside Michigan Politics, who explain why unions' political power has weakened.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000265  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/7/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine

Segment Length: 00:25:07

Need to Know examines how the Texas legislature has slashed funding to family planning programs because conservative lawmakers believe these programs may encourage women to get abortions.

Anchor Scott Simon interviews Pam Belluck, a health and science writer for The New York Times, who looks at what's happening to these programs in other states.

And from "American Voices," Judy Norsigian, one of the authors of "Our Bodies, Ourselves," provides an historical account of women's health policy debates over the past 40 years.

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NOLA: NETK 000266  
Series Title: Need to Know  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:07

In the next edition of "Your Money and Your Life," Need to Know travels to Memphis, Tennessee to cover the Family Rewards Program – an initiative that aims to break the intergenerational cycle of poverty by offering cash incentives.

The program rewards low-income families with cash payments for good attendance, good grades, steady employment, and going to the doctor and dentist. The goal is to increase self-sufficiency, create healthy habits and promote savings. Critics ask, why pay families for what they should be doing anyway, and what happens once the money runs out?

The report, which includes an interview with Memphis Mayor A C. Wharton, is followed by an interview with New York Deputy Mayor Linda Gibbs. The broadcast ends with an essay by Memphis-born playwright Katori Hall ("The Mountaintop") on breaking down assumptions about poverty.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001615  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/16/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Christmas Gift Giving: "Christmas is about Jesus' birth and honoring Jesus with the priorities that Jesus would have in the world, especially amongst marginalized people. But what we've done is made it more about us," says Rev. Mike Slaughter. Same-Sex Marriage and the Supreme Court: "A state may enforce and dissolve a couple's marriage, but it cannot sanctify or bless it," according to a New York judge in one of the same-sex marriage cases the High Court will review next year.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002140  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/16/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/16/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:31

Workers' Rights: After Michigan becomes the 24th right-to-work state diminishing the rights of labor unions, women represented by unions are concerned about their future. Protecting Afghan Women: The United Nations criticizes Afghan

government for failing to enact laws that protect women. Women on Corporate Boards: Experts on corporate board diversity explain how to change the way corporate board seats are selected to include more equality.

Women's Campaign Fund president Siobhan 'Sam' Bennett  
Conservative commentator Tara Setmayer  
Democratic commentator Monica Cevallos  
Independent Women's Forum executive director Sabrina Schaeffer

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: COSE 018256  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/18/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/17/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:17:39

New York City mayor Michael Bloomberg shares his strong support for gun control in light of Friday's tragic shooting deaths of twenty students and six children at the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut.

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NOLA: COSE 018256  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/18/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:20:39

A conversation with Julian Castro, mayor of San Antonio, and Joaquin Castro, representative in the Texas Legislature, about their family's history of political activism.

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NOLA: MLNH 010522  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:54

Newtown Community Seeks Meaning, Connection and Change After Mass Shooting: With the tragic events of the mass shooting last week at Sandy Hook Elementary, residents of Newtown, Conn., wanted to create a coalition for substantial change. Hari Sreenivasan meets with community members of Newtown United to listen to their grief, their desire for change and what large-scale action they hope to inspire.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:46

President Obama Declares Gun Control Will Be a 'Central Issue' of Second Term: The White House stepped up its response to Sandy Hook by planning to give Congress recommendations on preventing mass shootings, from mental health services to gun control laws. Gwen Ifill talks to Gov. Pat Quinn, D-Ill., who is pushing for statewide bans in Illinois on assault weapons and high capacity ammunition magazines.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:56

Examining the Efficacy and Limitations of Gun Control Laws to Stop Violence: While lawmakers discuss what legislation could help prevent mass shootings like the one at Sandy Hook Elementary, Ray Suarez talks with UCLA School of Law's Adam Winkler and economist John Lott for debate on what potential legislative action could make a real impact on rates of gun-related crimes and violence.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010524  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:43

North Dakota's Sen.-Elect Heidi Heitkamp on Gun Control, Keystone Pipeline: Former North Dakota attorney general and the first female in that state elected to the Senate, Democratic Sen.-elect Heidi Heitkamp talks to Jeffrey Brown about how she might react as a legislator to the violent events in Newtown, Conn., her support for the Keystone Pipeline and what's ahead for budget negotiations in Congress.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010525  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:57

Education Secretary Arne Duncan on Finding Community Solutions to Gun Violence: A special PBS broadcast called "After Newtown" will air Friday at 8 p.m. ET, continuing a national dialogue about the issues raised by the tragedy in Newtown, Conn. As part of the collaboration, Gwen Ifill spoke with Education Secretary Arne Duncan. Here is the broadcasted excerpt of their conversation.

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NOLA: MLNH 010526  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:45



In Legal Showdown Over Marijuana, Oakland Dispensary Takes Leading Role: In California, the battle between federal and state authorities over legal marijuana is coming to a head in a high-profile legal challenge. Our report comes from special correspondent Jake Schoneker of Media Enterprise Alliance, a PBS NewsHour Student Reporting Lab based in Oakland, Calif.

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NOLA: MLNH 010526  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:03

Congressional Seats Go Unexpectedly Up for Grabs Soon After 2012 Election: Death, resignation and high-profile jobs have resulted in an unusual number of newly competitive Senate openings. Roll Call's Shira Toeplitz and NewsHour political editor Christina Bellantoni walk through with Gwen Ifill the political cause and effect of congressional vacancies in Massachusetts, Hawaii and South Carolina.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:26

Possible Candidates Prime Up for House Races in Illinois, South Carolina: In the second part of our look at 2013 congressional races, NewsHour political editor Christina Bellantoni and Roll Call's Shira Toeplitz parse politics in Illinois (where Rep. Jesse Jackson Jr.'s seat is up for grabs), South Carolina (where former Gov. Mark Sanford many face ex-wife Jenny in a race) and in New Jersey.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:44

Full Implementation a Ways Off, 2013 Will Be Pivotal for Affordable Care Act: Americans won't see the full effect of the Affordable Care Act until 2014, when uninsured people will be eligible for new coverage or get insurance subsidies. But before that can happen, states must decide how they want to make that system happen and if they want federal assistance. Ray Suarez talks to NPR's Julie Rovner.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010528  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:10:15

California Law That Aspires to Improve Mental Health Raises Coercion Concerns: In the wake of several recent shootings, politicians and commentators have called for improved mental health screening and treatment. Spencer Michels reports on a program in California called "Laura's Law," an unfunded mandate that has proven difficult to implement and has drawn concern about involuntary treatment for patients.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: NETK 000266  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:07

In the next edition of "Your Money and Your Life," Need to Know travels to Memphis, Tennessee to cover the Family Rewards Program – an initiative that aims to break the intergenerational cycle of poverty by offering cash incentives.

The program rewards low-income families with cash payments for good attendance, good grades, steady employment, and going to the doctor and dentist. The goal is to increase self-sufficiency, create healthy habits and promote savings. Critics ask, why pay families for what they should be doing anyway, and what happens once the money runs out?

The report, which includes an interview with Memphis Mayor A C. Wharton, is followed by an interview with New York Deputy Mayor Linda Gibbs. The broadcast ends with an essay by Memphis-born playwright Katori Hall ("The Mountaintop") on breaking down assumptions about poverty.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001615  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/16/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/16/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Christmas Gift Giving: "Christmas is about Jesus' birth and honoring Jesus with the priorities that Jesus would have in the world, especially amongst marginalized people. But what we've done is made it more about us," says Rev. Mike Slaughter. Same-Sex Marriage and the Supreme Court: "A state may enforce and dissolve a couple's marriage, but it cannot sanctify or bless it," according to a New York judge in one of the same-sex marriage cases the High Court will review next year.

Category: Community Politics, Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002140  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/16/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/16/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:31

Workers' Rights: After Michigan becomes the 24th right-to-work state diminishing the rights of labor unions, women represented by unions are concerned about their future. Protecting Afghan Women: The United Nations criticizes Afghan government for failing to enact laws that protect women. Women on Corporate Boards: Experts on corporate board diversity explain how to change the way corporate board seats are selected to include more equality.

Women's Campaign Fund president Siobhan 'Sam' Bennett

Conservative commentator Tara Setmayer  
Democratic commentator Monica Cevallos  
Independent Women's Forum executive director Sabrina Schaeffer

## Economy

Category: Economy  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/31/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Jonathan Leal talks about Vino de Milo

Category: Economy  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/2/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Connect Ohio project

Category: Economy  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/12/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Center for Entrepreneurship at Ohio University

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018202  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:36

A conversation with David Miliband, former foreign secretary of the United Kingdom, current member of Parliament, and brother of the current head of the Labour Party.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018209  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:58

Live Analysis of the vice presidential debate with Al Hunt, executive Washington editor for Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, political director of CBS News and a correspondent for Slate Magazine; Chuck Todd, chief White House correspondent for NBC News; Gwen Ifill, managing editor and moderator of Washington Week and a senior correspondent for the PBS NewsHour; Rich Lowry, editor of National Review; Katty Kay of BBC World News America; Mark Halperin, senior political analyst for Time Magazine; and John Heilemann of New York Magazine.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: INLE 001402  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: As Goes Janesville  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/8/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/8/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:52:45

As Goes Janesville reports from ground zero of the recession-ridden heartland - the town of Janesville, Wisconsin. When bankrupt GM shut down the community's century-old plant in 2008 - the oldest GM plant in North America - thousands of jobs were lost. While many workers were forced to leave their families in search of decent jobs, local business leaders worked to bring new companies to town with the promise of lower wages, reduced regulation and tax breaks. They formed a powerful alliance with newly-elected Republican governor Scott Walker, whose pro-business, anti-union stance ripped apart the state, triggering an historic recall election. The recall thrust Wisconsin's boisterous civil war between workers and the business/political power elite onto front pages nationwide.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010466  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:07

Candidates Fine-Tune Their Messages Before First 2012 Presidential Debate: Days before the first 2012 presidential debate, Mitt Romney and President Obama work to craft their messages on the economy, health care, the role of government and governing. Judy Woodruff talks to the Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg and Susan Page of USA Today for more on the candidates' preparations.

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NOLA: MLNH 010466  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:29

The Seismic Economic and Political Changes that Transformed the American Dream: For Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist Hedrick Smith, the American Dream depends upon the prosperity of middle class. Ray Suarez talks to Smith about his latest book, "Who Stole the American Dream?" for more on what needs to change to restore the American Dream, economically, politically and culturally.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:38

North Carolina Up for Grabs in 2012 as Voter Enthusiasm Wanes: In 2008, North Carolina went blue for the first time since 1976, in large part due to a high turnout of African-American voters. But with enthusiasm ebbing over the down economy and unmet expectations among key voting blocs, turnout may be too unpredictable to know which way the state will swing in 2012. Jeffrey Brown reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010469  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:04:38

After Denver Duel, Mitt Romney and President Obama Continue to Spar: Though instant polling numbers showed Mitt Romney winning the first presidential debate by a factor of two to one, President Obama charged Romney of misrepresenting his own positions on jobs and taxes. Judy Woodruff reports on their debate performances, as well as reactions to their opponent the day after.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010469  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:10:59

Experts Debate Facts, Outcomes of the Candidates' Approaches to Taxes: Jeffrey Brown gets two political perspectives on the candidates' tax plans from Center on Budget and Policy Priorities' Jared Bernstein, former economist for Vice President Joe Biden, and American Action Forum's Douglas Holtz-Akin, former economics advisor to the McCain campaign.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010469  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:02:13

News Wrap: Wall Street Stocks Rise on New Jobs Numbers: In other news Thursday, stocks rose after data showed that the number of new unemployment claims was smaller than expected. Also, a major federal investigation into Medicare fraud identified more than 90 health care professionals suspected of false billing in seven different cities.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010470  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:39

National Unemployment Falls Below 8 Percent, But Economic Recovery Still Far Off: While President Obama lauded the September job numbers which showed unemployment at 7.8 percent, Mitt Romney remained critical, saying the numbers alone do not paint an accurate picture of the economy. Jeff Brown asks the Washington Post's Neil Irwin and Mesirow Financial's Diane Swonk if the latest report is a sign of recovery.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:37

News Wrap: International Monetary Fund Urges Europe to Deal with Debt Crisis: In other news Thursday, the International Monetary Fund sent mixed messages to the Eurozone this week, urging European leaders to move faster on management of debt crisis, while cautioning against too much austerity in Greece and Spain.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010475  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:28

European Union Honored with the 2012 Nobel Peace Prize: The 27-nation European Union won the 2012 Nobel Peace Prize, for the "advancement of peace, reconciliation, democracy and human rights in Europe." This award stands in contrast with increasingly deep rifts and tensions in the Eurozone over issues like the debt crisis, high unemployment and austerity measures. Jeff Brown reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010475  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:38

European Union Has Power to Address Continental Problems Collectively: Winner of the 2012 Nobel Peace Prize, the European Union was created for its member nations to deal with political, diplomatic and economic problems together. Ray Suarez talks to E.U. Ambassador to the U.S. Joao Vale de Almeida, who says as Europe's economic woes increase, European Union ties will likely deepen, not break.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010476  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:57

News Wrap: U.S. Economists Win Nobel Prize for Innovation in Market Design: In other news Monday, Americans Alvin Roth and Lloyd Shapley won the 2012 Nobel Prize in economics for changing the ways in which the market can match transactions, from choosing schools to donating organs. Also, Pakistan's Malala Yousafzai was flown to the U.K. for medical care after being shot by a Taliban gunman.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: NETK 000256  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:03

In the latest installment of our recurring “Main Street America” series, correspondent John Larson travels to Pueblo, Colorado to assess the mood along Main Street in a once-thriving steel town that now depends on the global economy to make ends meet.

Colorado is a key swing state in the presidential election with polls showing president Obama and Former Governor Mitt Romney neck and neck. Pueblo’s Main Street is also at the center of the renewable energy debate that the two candidates sparred over during the first debate this week. Vestas, a Danish company, set up the largest wind mill tower factory in the world in Pueblo. Romney has stated that if he wins the presidency, he plans to get rid of a wind energy tax credit put in place by Obama. That threat has frozen the wind industry in its tracks and forced the industry to lay off thousands across the country, including in Pueblo. The layoffs have compounded an unemployment rate of 11%, already the highest in Colorado.

Almost everyone we talked to felt that politicians in Washington were out of touch with the realities on their Main Street and didn’t have the ability to solve the country’s most pressing problems. And yet there is an unmistakable air resilience in Pueblo; the city has weathered the steel crash of the 1980’s and will outlast the current economic storm too.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: NETK 000257  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/12/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:08

The Fiscal Cliff: With the presidential election less than four weeks away, all eyes are on President Obama and former Governor Mitt Romney as they frantically campaign across the county. But regardless of who wins on November 6, another political deadline is fast approaching — one that could have dramatic consequences on our nation’s economic security and future.

This deadline is known as the “fiscal cliff” — the confluence of expiring tax cuts and automatic spending cuts that will go into effect should Congress not act before January 1. Many economists have predicted that going over this “cliff” would drive the economy into another recession, increase unemployment and potentially impact many government programs.

So how can we avoid this fiscal cliff and achieve a long-term solution for the economic problems our nation continues to face?

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TASM 002701  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012  
Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:07

Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair: The former FDIC chair talks about her role on the Systemic Risk Council and her assessment of the U.S. financial crisis, as detailed in her book *Bull by the Horns*.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TASM 002702  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

Economist Jeffrey Sachs: The world-renowned economist and co-founder of the nonprofit Millennium Promise Alliance explains his work on economic development and the fight against poverty.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and *Game Change* author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: WWIR 005214  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

The panel analyzes the first of three presidential debates of the 2012 election. Will Romney's dominance influence the campaign? And a deeper look into the numbers and facts presented by Romney and Obama. Plus, a look at the new unemployment numbers. Joining Gwen: Peter Baker, New York Times; Dan Balz, Washington Post; Jeanne Cummings, Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018218  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:27:22

An Editors' Roundtable from The Economist magazine with editor-in-chief John Micklethwait; economics editor Zanny Minton Beddoes; and China business editor Vijay Vaitheeswaran.



Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018219  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:36

An hour with Nancy Pelosi, former speaker of the House of Representatives.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018223  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:23:05

Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair, a key player in the government's response to the financial crisis, discusses the economy and her book Bull by the Horns: Fighting to Save Main Street from Wall Street and Wall Street from Itself.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010477  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:58

News Wrap: Supreme Court Rules on Ohio Voting Law, Won't Block Early Voters: In other news Tuesday, the U.S. Supreme Court sided with President Obama on an Ohio voting matter -- early voting in that state will not be blocked during the three days leading up to Election Day. Also, Americans on Social Security will be receiving an annual inflation-based cost of living adjustment of about \$21 per month.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010477  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:56

What Happens to a Dream 'Betrayed?' Authors Blame Trade for Middle Class Demise: Economic correspondent Paul Solman talks to the authors of "The Betrayal of the American Dream," Donald Barlett and James Steele, who say the drive for free trade has exported so many jobs to China, Brazil and India that American workers may become irrelevant to their own economy, just as other countries gain a middle class.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010478  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/17/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59

Fact-Checking Debate Claims on Libya Attacks, Gas Prices and Tax Policy: Ray Suarez examines charges and counter-charges made during the second presidential debate held at Hofstra University, including disagreements on approaches to addressing the consulate attack in Benghazi, whether gas prices can measure the success of energy policy, and which candidates' tax policies would balance the budget.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010478  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:01

Romney and Obama Argue Over Who Would be Tougher on China Trade Issues: During the second presidential debate in Hempstead, N.Y., the candidates traded accusations over alleged unfair trade practices by China. Upset by the debate, the Chinese said China-bashing in U.S. presidential campaigns "has become a ritual" that negatively affects relations between the U.S. and China. Jeffrey Brown reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010478  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/17/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:22

Recession May Take Wind Out of San Francisco's Economic Hopes for America's Cup: The 2013 America's Cup, an international sailing competition, will be held in San Francisco Bay next September. Hosting the race is all about economics, but with global financial decline San Francisco may not reap the hoped for \$1.4 billion in revenue or 9,000 promised jobs. Spencer Michels reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010479  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:34

More Debt, Fewer Jobs: How the Candidates Plan to Solve Rising Costs of College: Student debt is outpacing credit card debt. With unemployment high for young people, 10 percent of graduates have defaulted on loans within two years of graduation. Judy Woodruff talks American Council on Education's Terry Hartle and Cato Institute's Neal McCluskey about what President Obama and Mitt Romney propose as solutions.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010480

Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:22

Former Regulator Bair Recounts Behind the Scenes of Financial Crisis, Bailouts: Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair says there's plenty of blame to go around for the financial crisis, but the foremost culprit is greed. Judy Woodruff talks to Bair about her new book, "Bull By the Horns," which assesses what role different figures from Wall Street to the White House and the regulatory offices played in the crash.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010482  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:13:23

Congressional Sequestration Squabble Has Local Economic Resonance in Virginia: In the latest installment in our Battleground Dispatches series, Cathy Lewis of WHRO in Hampton Roads, Va., looks at how concern over sequestration is playing out as a local voting issue. Gwen Ifill talks to Roll Call's Steve Dennis and Josh Rogin of Foreign Policy about how congress is working on facing its budget negotiations.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010483  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:30

News Wrap: European Union Nations' Government Debt at Record High: In other news Wednesday, the European Union reported that Europe's financial struggles were far from over. Overall government debt of Eurozone countries reached a record high at 90 percent of total economic output for the year. Five E.U. member countries--Greece, Spain, Italy, Portugal and Cyprus--are officially in recession.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010483  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:56

Housing and the Foreclosure Crisis Are Missing From the Campaign Conversation: Sales of new homes are up this fall, but a third of U.S. homeowners are underwater with their mortgages, and swing states have some of the highest foreclosure rates. Jeffrey Brown talks to The Opportunity Agenda's James Carr and Cato Institute's Mark Calabria for why housing hasn't been discussed in the presidential campaigns.

Category: Economy

NOLA: MLNH 010484  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:05

'Red Ink' in the Federal Budget: Understanding Why the U.S. Has So Much Debt: With a federal budget of \$3.6 trillion, a deficit of \$1 trillion and a total debt of \$16 trillion, it can be difficult to fully comprehend where all this money comes from and what the U.S. government spends it on. Paul Solman talks to The Wall Street Journal's David Wessel about his new book "Red Ink," a primer to the budget.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010484  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:42

Why Hasn't the Euro Debt Crisis Been a More Prominent Campaign Topic? As Europe's economy falters, U.S. exports have declined and the fear of a Eurozone breakup has cast a shadow over Wall Street. Judy Woodruff talks to Zanny Minton Beddoes of The Economist and James Surowiecki of The New Yorker about how Romney and Obama should address Europe's debt crisis in their campaigns.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010485  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:11

The Good, the Bad and the Politics Behind the Latest Government Economic Report: The latest round of economic reports show consumer confidence at its highest level since 2007. Consumer spending and home sales are up, as well defense spending. Jeffrey Brown talks to investment advisor Hugh Johnson about the new data -- good and bad -- including exports decline, job growth rates, and the effect on campaigns.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010485  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:10

As the Economy Booms in Northeast Ohio, Which Candidate Will Reap the Benefit? A resurgence in steel, energy and auto manufacturing has brought over 50,000 jobs back to northeast Ohio. With the economy as the primary issue likely to determine the election, Public Radio International's Todd Zwillich examines whether Mitt Romney or President Obama will gain an advantage from the recent economic boom in Ohio.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010487  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:00:44

News Wrap: Damages From Sandy Estimated at \$20 Billion: In other news Tuesday, Hurricane Sandy ripped through the mid-Atlantic and Northeast regions of the U.S., leaving behind \$20 billion in damage so far. In addition, a forecasting firm has estimated \$10 to 30 billion in lost business. Also, newly released Case-Shiller numbers show housing prices increased 2 percent in August.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010488  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:48

News Wrap: Eurozone Reports Record High Unemployment: In other news Wednesday, the European Union released sobering, new official figures for unemployment across the Eurozone. A record high 11.6 percent of E.U. residents (or 18.5 million people) are out of work, with Spain leading the list at nearly 26 percent unemployed.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: RACT 000000  
Series Title: Race 2012  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

RACE 2012 uses the current presidential election as a lens through which to view America's racial landscape. The program delves into immigrants' reshaping of the American electoral landscape, white voters' reaction to their declining numbers and diminished influence, and the economic imbalance between races that may affect America's political future.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and Game Change author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018233  
Series Title: Charlie Rose

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:19:37

An analysis of President Obama's first post-election press conference with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News; Martha Raddatz, senior foreign affairs correspondent for ABC News; and Julianna Goldman, chief White House correspondent for Bloomberg News.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: INLE 001401  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Park Avenue: Money, Power & the American Dream  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:40

Slow Growth Is Biggest Economic Challenge Facing Incoming President: U.S. employers across various sectors are hiring, signaling slow but steady growth. Still, the unemployment rate rose in October and many Americans continue to leave the labor force completely. Jeffrey Brown talks to two economists, John Taylor and Austan Goolsbee, about what economic challenges the next president will face.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010491  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:05:50

Marijuana, Marriage, Gambling and Taxes Are Top Ballot Initiatives to Watch: Judy Woodruff talks to Jennie Bowser of the National Conference of State Legislatures about the top state ballot measures to be decided in the 2012 election. Bowser says the polarized political atmosphere could be one reason why there are more initiatives at stake today than any other presidential election in the last 20 years.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:38

For President Obama, Little Time to Enjoy Re-election Before Returning to Work: President Barack Obama returned to Washington after winning both the Electoral College and the popular vote in the 2012 election, but there was little time to savor the victory in the face of a potential fiscal crisis at the end of the year. Kwame Holman reports on the day after and Gwen Ifill Talks to Ray Suarez from Chicago.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:07

News Wrap: Nor'easter Hits East Coast With Wind, Rain and Snow: In other news Wednesday, Sandy victims and Northeast residents braced for another storm scheduled to hit the already battered East Coast, bringing powerful wind, heavy rain, and even snow. Hundreds of scheduled flights have been cancelled. Also Wall Street saw one of its worst days of the year.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:01

From Fiscal Cliff to Immigration Reform, What Will the Next Four Years Bring? President Obama has a second term to address major issues, including immigration, the fiscal cliff and health care. But with Congress still divided, compromise and cooperation may remain elusive. Gwen Ifill talks to Third Way's John Cowan and The Wall Street Journal's Naftali Bendavid on the reality for the next four years.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:07:53

Shields and Brooks on Shifting Demographics, Future 'Grand Bargain': Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for post-Election Day analysis about how changing demographics affected the election, plus how some politicians' ideological purity has obstructed necessary negotiations to fix the debt crisis, as well as the potential for a future 'grand bargain.'

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010494  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:04

With Election Over and Time Running Out, Washington Shifts Focus to Fiscal Cliff: Congress returns to Washington next week for a lame duck session to begin to tackle the threat of going over the "fiscal cliff." In the private sector, some business leaders are taking a more vocal stance on the debt crisis and have joined the Campaign to Fix the Debt. Judy Woodruff talks to Aetna CEO Mark T. Bertolini.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010495  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:16:24

Will Taxes Be Sticking Point in Debate Over How to Tackle Federal Budget? President Obama urged lawmakers to avoid a showdown over taxes, spending and debt, and Congress readied to begin negotiations on balancing the federal budget. Jeffrey Brown talks to Sen. Ben Cardin, D-Md., and Sen. Bob Corker, R-Tenn., about whether compromise between Democrats and Republicans will come before the end of 2012.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010495  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:14:10

Shields and Brooks Talk Petraeus, Fiscal Cliff and Obama's Emotional Gratitude: NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the top news of the week, including the legacy of David Petraeus' career, whether taxes need to be increased for the health of the economy, the role President Barack Obama must play to encourage compromise in Congress, and Obama's emotional thanks to campaigners.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010497  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS



Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:58

Congress Returns to Washington to Aim For Balanced Budget in Lame-Duck Session: With the ceremonial welcomes of newly-elected members of Congress, members of the House and Senate hope to find a solution to avert the country from sequestration -- the triggered tax increases of \$500 billion and spending cuts of \$109 billion scheduled for January. Judy Woodruff talks to PRI's Todd Zwillich for more.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010497  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:49

Progressive Groups Weigh In on President Obama's Plans to Prevent Sequestration: President Barack Obama is meeting with conservative and progressive leaders to gather input on how to avoid going over the "fiscal cliff." Jeffrey Brown talks to National Education Association's Dennis Van Roekel and Moveon.org's Justin Ruben, progressive leaders who met with President Obama at the White House this week.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010498  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59

Obama Addresses Press on Budget Concerns, Syria, Immigration and Climate Change: In his first post-election press conference, President Obama addressed the White House Press Corps on a range of issues, including the so-called "fiscal cliff," the resignation of former CIA director David Petraeus, immigration reform, climate change and more. Kwame Holman reports the highlights of the president's remarks.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010498  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:00

President Obama's Second Term Agenda Begins With Stressing Compromise on Budget: With automatic spending cuts and tax increases scheduled to hit in January 2013, President Barack Obama hopes to find a "grand bargain" solution to U.S. budget woes. Gwen Ifill talks to Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill., and Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchinson, R-Texas, about President Obama's latest efforts to push compromise on Capitol Hill.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: PNRE 001610  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/11/2012 2:00:00 PM

Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Election 2012: Religion and the Results: There was more than one message on Election Day when it came to the role of evangelicals, Catholics, and Mormons in politics and the place of economic, social, and cultural issues as the fiscal cliff approaches. Chabad Relief and Hurricane Sandy Aftermath: The Chabad Center of the Five Towns in Cedarhurst, New York has been providing up to 2,000 meals every day. The Mission Continues: Former US Navy SEAL, humanitarian, and nonprofit founder Eric Greitens says the lessons of Judaism have shaped his life and taught him about humanity's duty to repair the world.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: WWIR 005219  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:19

The roundtable analyzes how President Obama was re-elected and how changing demographics played a key role. Also, we examine the looming fiscal cliff crisis. Plus, we look at the resignation of CIA Director David Petraeus after admitting to an affair. Joining Gwen: Jeff Zeleny, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and PBS; Dan Balz, Washington Post; Beth Reinhard, National Journal.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: FRON 003024  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Poor Kids  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/20/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

These are hard times in the Quad Cities, a great American crossroads along the border of Iowa and Illinois, where the Mississippi River intersects Interstate 80. Home to John Deere manufacturing and the nation's breadbasket, it's also an area deeply scarred by the recession. FRONTLINE follows three young girls growing up amidst their families' struggles against financial ruin. This an intimate portrait of the economic crisis as it's rarely seen, through the eyes of children. With one in five American children living below the poverty line, "Poor Kids" is an unflinching and revealing exploration of what poverty means to children — and to the country's future.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: INLE 001401  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Park Avenue: Money, Power & the American Dream  
Length: 60 minutes  
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O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010504  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:48

*No Laughing Matter: A Look at the European Debt Crisis Through Cartoons*: Lee Buchheit, a lawyer who helped mastermind Greece's debt restructuring earlier this year, and investor Hans Humes explain the wrangling behind-the-scenes of Europe's debt crises to economics correspondent Paul Solman, all with a little help from some cartoonists.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010504  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/22/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:55

*How 'Black Friday' Morphed Into 'Gray Thursday'*: Many Americans will head to the mall after Thanksgiving dinner to snag retail deals once reserved for the early morning of "Black Friday." But as retailers fear a sluggish consumer spending holiday season, more are opening on the actual holiday. Hari Sreenivasan talks to Barney Jopson of The Financial Times.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010505  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:48

*Senator-Elect Tim Kaine 'Heartened' by Openness to Bipartisan Budget Solutions*: Judy Woodruff sat down with former Virginia Gov. Tim Kaine, newly elected to the U.S. Senate. The Democratic lawmaker discusses his optimism for Congress being able to work across the aisle, his hopes for finding the right way to balance the budget and making compromises on tax cuts for the wealthiest Americans.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010506  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/26/2012 7:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:54

Cyber Monday Likely to Be Biggest Online Shopping Day in U.S. History: Retailers are advertising online bargains galore for this year's Cyber Monday. Even with an uncertain economy, Americans are expected to spend \$1.5 billion, making it the biggest online sales day in history. Jeffrey Brown talks to three guests about the impact of holiday shopping and the broader economic implications.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010507  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:18

In Efforts to Find a Budget Solution, Lawmakers Debate Tax Hikes, Entitlements: Congress and the White House face an uphill battle in forging a federal budget solution in order to avoid the automatic sequestration cuts in January 2013. Jeffrey Brown talks to House Representatives Keith Ellison, D-Minn., and Tom Price, R-Ga., about the likely proposals, challenges and compromises expected.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010507  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:24

Obama Meets Mexican President-Elect Nieto to Discuss War on Drugs, Immigration: President Obama sat down with Mexican President-Elect Enrique Pena Nieto -- set to take office later this week -- to discuss many subjects, including the uptick in drug violence in Mexico and along the U.S. border, illegal immigration, and economic and trade opportunities between the two countries. Ray Suarez reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010507  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:50

America's Historical Struggle With Debt and the Role of Federal Government: Between paying now or paying later, Americans have just about always preferred debt to taxes. Paul Solman talks to Simon Johnson of the MIT Sloan School of Management about his new book "White House Burning," which chronicles the history -- including the whys and wherefores, virtues and vices -- of U.S. debt.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010508  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/28/2012 7:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 11/28/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:21

Obama Optimistic for Finding a Budget Solution Before the Holidays: President Barack Obama urged Congress to find a solution to averting sequestration before Christmas and both Democrats and Republicans seemed optimistic about doing so. But congressional leaders on both sides of the aisle also seemed to hold firm their established stances on social security and taxes. Jeffrey Brown reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010509  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:25

News Wrap: Lawmakers From Both Parties Charge Lack of Fiscal Fix Specifics: In other news Thursday, House Speaker John Boehner claimed the White House hadn't yet provided details on where spending cuts would come from to balance the budget. The White House responded by charging that Republicans had failed to say what tax increases they could tolerate in order to fix America's long-term deficit.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010509  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:29

Talking Revenue, Filibuster Reform and Transition to Senate With Jeff Flake: Ray Suarez talks to U.S. Representative turned Senator-elect Jeff Flake, R-Ariz., who will take over retiring Jon Kyl's seat in the Senate. Flake reflects on his hopes for the next term, including how he plans to work across party lines in the Senate to find solutions to U.S. budget issues.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010510  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:13

Obama Sticks to His Guns, But Congress Negotiations on Deficit Deal 'Go Nowhere': President Barack Obama took to the road to promote his fiscal agenda, repeating his support for increased taxes on the wealthy. While Democrats in Washington supported the president's proposals, Congressional Republicans warned a deadlock is forming around bipartisan efforts to reach a deficit deal. Margaret Warner reports.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TASM 002738  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/21/2012 11:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 11/22/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:36

Indiana University SPEA Dean John D. Graham: Dr. Graham assesses the potential well-being of the working poor, the near poor and the new poor in an economic recovery.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: TTCY 002137  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/25/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/25/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

Shopping Spree: Despite the looming fiscal cliff, women are still planning to shop strong this holiday season. All Boys Club: The Church of England voted this week against allowing women to serve as bishops, the highest office in the church. Hourly Workers: A look at the challenges and rewards of working in a non-exempt job, with Working Mother Media President Carol Evans.

Panelists:

Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton  
Independent Women's Forum senior policy analyst Hadley Heath  
SpikeTheWaterCooler.com founder Marjorie Clifton  
ConservativeBlackChick.com editor Crystal Wright

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With a looming fiscal cliff, we look at the potential for compromise between President Obama and Congress. Also, former CIA director David Petraeus agreed to testify about the terrorist attacks in Benghazi. Plus, Romney's post-election analysis. Joining Gwen: Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Wessel, Wall Street Journal; Helene Cooper, New York Times; and Charles Babington, Associated Press

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The panelists review the role of the Obama administration in brokering the Israeli-Hamas ceasefire agreement in Gaza. Also, we examine the post-election politics behind the looming fiscal cliff crisis. Plus, what factors could slow down the U.S. economic recovery. Joining Pete Williams of NBC News: Peter Baker, New York Times; Molly Ball, The Atlantic; and Jim Tankersley, National Journal.

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Fiscal cliff negotiations between Congress and the White House have reached a standstill as both sides clash over spending cuts and tax increases. Also, the potential nomination of Susan Rice to succeed Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State has left Obama and Republicans at a political stalemate. Joining Gwen: Gloria Borger, CNN; Michael Viqueira, NBC News; Susan Davis, USA Today.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018248  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
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Airdate: 12/6/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:41

Julianna Goldman of Bloomberg News tells us about her interview with the president, his first since being re-elected, in which he discussed the importance of tax increases for the wealthy and rejected the speaker of the House's most recent counter-proposal.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: COSE 018253  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/13/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:14:04

Norm Ornstein, resident scholar at the American Enterprise Institute, on his book *It's Even Worse than it Looks: How the American Constitutional System Collided with the New Politics of Extremism*.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010511  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:21

White House, House Republicans Face Off Over Competing Deficit Reduction Plans: House speaker John Boehner wrote to President Obama to reject a White House plan to raise tax rates for the wealthiest Americans, suggesting instead a counter-offer that raises Medicare eligibility age. Gwen Ifill talks to Erskine Bowles about his deficit reduction plan and how it differs from current proposals on the table.

Category: Economy

NOLA: MLNH 010512  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:58

Obama Says No Deal If Fiscal Plan Doesn't Include Tax Rate Increase on the Rich: President Obama said there would be no budget deal unless Republicans agreed to tax increases for the wealthiest Americans. Meanwhile, Republicans say their plan would close tax loopholes without rate hikes. Kwame Holman reports on the impasse to avert an economic plunge triggering automatic spending cuts and tax increases.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:40

Paul Krugman: Hasty Fiscal Fix to the Deficit Would Cause 'Austerity Bomb': Though Republicans claim \$2.2 trillion would be saved by their plan for long-term deficit reduction, economist Paul Krugman calls it a "vapor plan," with few details on where savings will come from. Gwen Ifill talks to Krugman about why he thinks reducing the deficit too fast could push the economy back into recession.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:03

Citigroup Plans to Lay Off 11,000 Employees in Financial Crisis Scale Back: In a move to cut costs, increase profits and speed its recovery from financial crisis, Citigroup, Inc., announced 11,000 jobs were to be cut worldwide. Gwen Ifill talks to Bloomberg Businessweek's Roben Farzad for more on what pushed America's third-largest bank to make these sweeping job cuts in the U.S. and overseas.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:13:19

Obama Rejects Future Debt Ceiling Limits as Fiscal Cliff Negotiation Point: Reports of Republicans considering a tax rate hike in exchange for spending cuts next year prompted President Obama to reject linking the fiscal cliff to future debt ceiling limits. Judy Woodruff talks to Sen. Bob Corker, R-Tenn., who is optimistic for positive progress and hopes shared by all parties for a responsible outcome.



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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:49

White House Debt Ceiling Authority Demand Roils Senate Republicans: Though talks progressed as President Obama and House Speaker Boehner spoke on the phone, Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner said the White House would be willing to go over the fiscal cliff if Republicans refused a tax rate hike. The president roiled tempers on Capitol Hill over debt ceiling authority. Judy Woodruff reports.

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NOLA: MLNH 010515  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:45

News Wrap: Boehner Says There's 'No Progress to Report' on Fiscal Deal: In other news Friday, Washington's stalemate continues. House Speaker John Boehner announced that no noteworthy progress had been made in negotiations for a deal between House Republicans and the Obama administration to reduce America's long-term deficit before automatic tax hikes and spending cuts kick in come January.

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NOLA: MLNH 010515  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:59

Shields and Brooks on Jobs Report, 'Fiscal Cliff' Negotiations and Jim DeMint: Judy Woodruff and NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the week's top political news, including the November jobs report, the U.S. budget negotiations and Sen. Jim DeMint's resignation for a job at the Heritage Foundation.

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NOLA: MLNH 010516  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:36

Obama Makes Tax Hike Appeal in Detroit After Weekend Closed-Door Budget Talks: The president and House Speaker Boehner met face-to-face to discuss budget plans, saying "lines of communication" would remain open. Judy Woodruff talks to Washington Post reporter Lori Montgomery, who explains why politicians have chosen to keep deliberations private and what kind of deal may be forming behind closed doors.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:08

Lawmakers Consider Cutting Tax Deductions to Bring Down the Deficit: While tax breaks are popular, their future may be limited. Congressional leaders are deliberating on how they can increase revenue in order to bring down the deficit, and deductions may be on the chopping block. Paul Solman explores write-offs for charitable donations, mortgage interest and state and local taxes.

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NOLA: MLNH 010517  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:42

Fiscally Conservative Democrat Rep. Allyson Schwartz Discusses Budget Options: Socially liberal and fiscally conservative, Rep. Allyson Schwartz, D-Penn., leads the centrist New Democratic Coalition, serving as a go-between between House leaders and moderate lawmakers. Gwen Ifill talks to the congresswoman for an update on budget negotiations and finding a solution before Christmas.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010518  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:32

Anti-Tax Crusader Grover Norquist Compares Balanced Approach to 'Pink Unicorns': Since 1986, the Taxpayer Protection Pledge has been signed by politicians promising to oppose increases to the marginal income tax rate. But some Republicans say they may be willing to break the pledge to avoid the fiscal cliff. Judy Woodruff talks to pledge creator Grover Norquist, president of Americans for Tax Reform.

Category: Economy  
NOLA: MLNH 010519  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:22

Poll Shows Among Public President Obama Has Strong Hand for Budget Negotiations: While Republicans hold fast to the conviction that spending cuts -- not tax increases -- will fix America's debt problems, new polls reveal the public strongly supports President Obama's approach to the budget. Ray Suarez talks to Pew Research Center's Andy Kohut who says what Americans want most is compromise and balance.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:03

Obama and Boehner Meet Again; President Disappointed Over Rice Decision: Judy Woodruff talks to Margaret Talev of Bloomberg News for an update from the latest stories breaking from the White House, including U.N. Ambassador Susan Rice's decision to remove her name from secretary of State consideration, and White House budget discussions between President Obama and House Speaker Boehner.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:09

Shields and Brooks on Gun Control Policy, Susan Rice, 'Fiscal Cliff' Talks: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and New York Times columnist David Brooks talk to Judy Woodruff about the massacre at Sandy Hook Elementary School and ways to approach gun control policy, as well as Susan Rice's decision not to pursue the nomination for Secretary of State and the state of the 'fiscal cliff' conversations.

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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:13

President Obama and Speaker Boehner remain divided over fiscal cliff specifics as a solution appears distant. Also, Republican Senator Jim DeMint's decision to resign highlights a GOP intra-party squabbles. Plus, is threat of chemical

weapons in Syria a game changer? Joining Gwen: Jackie Calmes, New York Times; Amy Walter, ABC News; Eamon Javers, CNBC; James Kitfield, National Journal.

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Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

Gun control debate is again at the forefront after a tragic Conn. school shooting. Amidst continued fiscal cliff talks, Susan Rice chooses not to pursue the Secretary of State nomination. Plus, the U.S. recognizes the Syrian opposition. Joining Gwen: Reid Wilson, National Journal Hotline; Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Sanger, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

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NOLA: COSE 018258  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/20/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:36:10

George Osborne, Britain's chancellor of the exchequer, discusses his country's troubled economy, the possibility of leaving the European Union, and his current controversial austerity policy.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:23

An update on the new House Republican proposal in the fiscal cliff negotiations and other political issues with Julianna Goldman and Al Hunt of Bloomberg News.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:49

Budget Plan Offers Laid Out in Negotiations, But Deal Remains Elusive: President Obama raised the threshold for higher tax rates to households making \$400,000 annually and offered spending cuts, but Republicans held that the White House's plans don't go far enough on spending cuts. Judy Woodruff talks to The Wall Street Journal's Carol Lee and WNYC's Todd Zwillich about the battle for an agreement.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:05

News Wrap: Obama Urges GOP to 'Peel Off Partisan War Paint' for Fiscal Fix: In other news Wednesday, President Obama said in a press conference that he and John Boehner are close to a budget deal. Mr. Obama said he had offered a compromise to Republicans of raising the tax rate increase threshold to incomes of \$400,000 or more.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:36

Sen. Joe Lieberman Reflects on 24 Years in the Senate, Sandy Hook, Partisanship: Judy Woodruff talks to Sen. Joe Lieberman, I-Conn., who is retiring after 24 years in Congress. Lieberman reflects on the mass shooting at Sandy Hook and his proposal for a commission to review possible gun control laws, as well as the budget deal negotiations and Washington partisanship.

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House GOP Opt for 'Plan B': Little Chance of Agreement Before Christmas: Prospects for a budget agreement before Christmas looked slim as the House moved towards a vote on Speaker John Boehner's plan for limiting tax increases by raising rates only for those making more than \$1 million. Jeffrey Brown talks to Norman Ornstein of American Enterprise Institute and political editor Christina Bellantoni.

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'Tis the Season, But Should We Save or Spend? A Holiday Money Conundrum: Is saving money during the holidays smart or Scrooge-ish? Is shopping a way of forging social bonds and expressing your freedom or is it giving in to crass commercialism? Following the lessons of some "economist Christmas carols," economics correspondent Paul Solman weighs the economic and social theories of both sides.

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North Dakota's Sen.-Elect Heidi Heitkamp on Gun Control, Keystone Pipeline: Former North Dakota attorney general and the first female in that state elected to the Senate, Democratic Sen.-elect Heidi Heitkamp talks to Jeffrey Brown about how she might react as a legislator to the violent events in Newtown, Conn., her support for the Keystone Pipeline and what's ahead for budget negotiations in Congress.

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Congress Goes Home for the Holidays After House GOP Spurns Boehner's Plan: Congress broke for Christmas after conservative House Republicans spurned Speaker John Boehner's so-called "Plan B" budget deal. Boehner's plan would have raised tax rates for households making more than \$1 million. Congressional correspondent Kwame Holman reports on efforts to resolve the fiscal crisis before the new year.

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Shields and Gerson on Cabinet Noms, Gun Laws, Boehner's Leadership: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and Washington Post columnist Michael Gerson discuss the week's top political news with Judy Woodruff, including the president's second-string Secretary of State John Kerry, House Speaker John Boehner's fledgling following and the NRA press conference.

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NOLA: MLNH 010528  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:55

Risk of Sequestration, Economic Uncertainty Haunts Investors, Federal Employees: Returning to Washington after the holiday break, House Republicans called on the Senate to "act first" and avert the fiscal cliff. With prospects still murky for a deal before year's end, Gwen Ifill and guests discuss what government workers, Wall Street investors and taxpayers can expect if lawmakers miss the deadline.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:13

Exit Interview: Barney Frank Reflects on Successes, Regrets, Future Plans: Continuing our series of conversations with retiring lawmakers, economics correspondent Paul Solman speaks with Rep. Barney Frank, D-Mass. Known for his sharp intellect and blunt style, Frank reflects on his successes in financial reform, says he wishes he had come out earlier as a gay man and his plans to write two books.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:55

Congressional Leaders Talk More Politics Than Fiscal Deal as Deadline Nears: Senate and House leaders Harry Reid, D-Nev., and John Boehner, R-Ohio, traded barbs over who's to blame for a lack of consensus for a budget deal. Margaret Warner talks to WNYC's Todd Zwillich about the looming deadline, only five days away, to avert automatic spending cuts and tax increases.

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Under Austerity, Greeks Feel Unfolding Social and Humanitarian Crisis: By the end of 2013, economists estimate Greece's recession will reach levels worse than the Great Depression in the U.S. With huge budget cuts, Greeks have been left with a small safety net even as they struggle to access basic needs. Jeffrey Brown reports how austerity measures have torn apart the social fabric of Greece.

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A Tea Party Take on U.S. Debt, Federal Budget Deal Negotiations: Where does the tea party movement stand on the fiscal decisions being hashed out today? Margaret Warner talks to Matt Kibbe, president and CEO of FreedomWorks, a national organization behind tea party protests and rallies and past congressional campaigns.

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Recession May Take Wind Out of San Francisco's Economic Hopes for America's Cup: The 2013 America's Cup, an international sailing competition, will be held in San Francisco Bay next September. Hosting the race is all about economics, but with global financial decline San Francisco may not reap the hoped for \$1.4 billion in revenue or 9,000 promised jobs. Spencer Michels reports.

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Lawmakers Meet With President in Last-Ditch Effort to Avert the 'Fiscal Cliff': Senior lawmakers met with President Obama, Vice President Biden and Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner at the White House to attempts to bring forward a final budget plan to avoid the fiscal cliff. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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Shields and Brooks on the 'Fiscal Cliff' Precipice, Remembering Gen. Schwarzkopf: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and New York Times columnist David Brooks talk with Jeffrey Brown about last-minute attempts to wrangle a budget deal, what Republicans really want out of the negotiations and the political calculations for the president. Our political commentators also remember the late Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:42

Deadline Day Arrives: Congress 'Very Close' to Tax Deal, Unresolved on Deficit: The last day of 2012 marked the last day for Congress to resolve bitter disagreements over tax and deficit issues and prevent the automatic expiration of tax cuts and major budget spending cuts. Judy Woodruff talks to Todd Zwillich of WNYC about the progress but no last-minute deal on Capitol Hill.



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## Education

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Segment Length: 3:00  
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Topic/Issue: B.J. Bullock talks about Woodrow Wilson Teaching Fellowship

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Topic/Issue: Cindy Birt talks about Help Me Grow program

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Topic/Issue: Carl Martin talks about Athens levy

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Topic/Issue: Campus Martius Civil War Exhibit

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Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: student debt

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/16/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Hunter food donation program

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Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University parenting program

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/29/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University Kids on Campus program

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/4/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Sex education for developmentally disabled

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/6/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University psychology study

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/6/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University nanoscience program

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/10/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University archeology excavation

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/13/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University scientist talks about dark matter

Category: Education  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 12/13/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Appalachian healthcare center

Category: Education  
NOLA: COSE 018206  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/8/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:13:42

Lisa Randall, professor of theoretical physics at Harvard University, discusses her book Knocking on Heaven's Door: How Physics and Scientific Thinking Illuminate the Universe and the Modern World.

Category: Education  
NOLA: COSE 018208  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:41

Author and journalist Stephen Shepard, founding dean of the City of New York's Graduate School of Journalism on his new book, *Deadlines and Disruption: My Turbulent Path from Print to Digital*, about starting a school from scratch during a time of critical disruption in journalism.

Category: Education  
NOLA: HASK 000101  
Series Title: Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/1/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

In a two-night, four-hour special introduced by George Clooney, HALF THE SKY follows stories of challenge and triumph, traveling with New York Times columnist Nicholas Kristof and celebrity advocates America Ferrera, Diane Lane, Eva Mendes, Meg Ryan, Gabrielle Union and Olivia Wilde on a journey to 10 countries, where they meet inspiring individuals and discover how they're confronting the oppression of women and girls. The special, based on the widely acclaimed book *Half the Sky* by columnist Kristof and Sheryl WuDunn, reveals the real, meaningful solutions being fashioned through health care, education and economic empowerment for women and girls.

Category: Education  
NOLA: HASK 000102  
Series Title: Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010468  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 01:31:00

Mitt Romney and President Obama Focus on Domestic Policy Details in First Debate: In the first presidential debate, held in Denver, Colo., and moderated by NewsHour's Jim Lehrer, Gov. Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama presented their cases primarily on domestic policy issues, including tax cuts or increases, job creation, education improvements and health care reform.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010472  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:55

News Wrap: Activist for Girls' Education, 14, Shot by Taliban Gunman in Pakistan: Girls' education activist Malala Yousufzai was shot in the head and the neck by an unknown gunman. After the attack, the Taliban claimed responsibility, saying that the 14-year-old's work promoting schooling for girls was "an obscenity."

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010473  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:16:43

Supreme Court Hears Affirmative Action Challenges by Public College Applicants: The U.S. Supreme Court took up a case on whether race should be considered in college applications. Gwen Ifill talks to National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle who explains the arguments. Ray Suarez talks to NAACP's Debo Adegbile and the Century Foundation's Richard Kahlenberg about potential implications for public institutions.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010473  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:52

While Teenage Activist Remains in Intensive Care, Pakistan Expresses Its Anger: Pakistani teen Malala Yousafzai first gained international attention for her blog advocating for girls' education. This week a allegedly associated with the Taliban shot Yousafzai in the head and neck, and the group vowed to try to kill her again. Judy Woodruff reports on the global condemnation.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010473  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:37

Pakistanis Protest in Support of Yousafzai, Defiance of Taliban Attack: While some Pakistanis protested and military leaders condemned the attack on the teenage activist, many conservative religious figures were conspicuously silent. Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour special correspondent Saima Mohsin from Islamabad about the way average citizens have stood up in anger against the extremist actions.

Category: Education  
NOLA: INLE 001305  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: We Still Live Here - As Nutayunean  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/18/2012 5:00:00 AM

O.B. Date: 11/17/2011 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Wampanoag saved the Pilgrims from starvation — and lived to regret it. Spurred on by their celebrated linguist Jessie Little Doe Baird, the Wampanoag of Cape Cod and Martha's Vineyard are reviving their language more than a century after the last native speaker died. By Anne Makepeace.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010479  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:34

More Debt, Fewer Jobs: How the Candidates Plan to Solve Rising Costs of College: Student debt is outpacing credit card debt. With unemployment high for young people, 10 percent of graduates have defaulted on loans within two years of graduation. Judy Woodruff talks American Council on Education's Terry Hartle and Cato Institute's Neal McCluskey about what President Obama and Mitt Romney propose as solutions.

Category: Education  
NOLA: TASM 002723  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:12:55

Sociologist Sara Lawrence-Lightfoot: The Harvard sociologist explains her new text, *Exit: The Endings that Set Us Free*.

Category: Education  
NOLA: TTCY 002132  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/21/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/21/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

What's the Matter with White People?: Closing Gender Gap: As the third and final presidential debate draws close, a new survey shows GOP Presidential hopeful Mitt Romney pulls even with President Obama among women voters in swing states. Sexual Assault on Campus: A female college student's account of sexual violence goes viral drawing attention to safety of women on college campuses. What's the Matter with White People: Salon columnist Joan Walsh talks about her new book which explores how and why so many white working class families defected from the Democratic Party and became the Republican base.

NAACP Chairman Roslyn Brock  
Conservative Commentator Tara Setmayer  
Former Judge and Federal Prosecutor Debra Carnahan  
Bush White House Aide Mercedes Viana Schlapp

Category: Education

NOLA: INLE 001404  
Series Title: Independent Lens  
Episode Title: Solar Mamas  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:51:48

India's Barefoot College, founded by Bunker Roy, provides impoverished rural women with an education that empowers them to make their communities self-reliant and sustainable. Rafea, a 30-year-old Jordanian mother of four, is traveling outside of her village for the first time to attend Barefoot's solar engineering program. Once there, she will join women from Guatemala, Kenya, Burkina Faso and Colombia in learning concrete skills to change their communities. Directed by Jehane Noujaim and Mona Eldaief; produced by Mette Heide.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010494  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/8/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:49

To Encourage Kids' Health, Pediatricians Add Reading to Essential Check-Up List: National literacy program Reach Out and Read reaches kids in a place where they are almost guaranteed to visit: the doctor's office. Special correspondent John Merrow meets a new breed of pediatrician -- part doctor, part teacher -- who help parents share books with their children to improve and encourage cognitive development.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010496  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:03

While Schools Are Closed, N.J. Teachers Provide Support for Young Storm Victims: The town of Belmar was among New Jersey's hardest hit communities in the wake of Hurricane Sandy and a fall nor'easter. With schools still closed, special correspondent John Tulenko tells the story of the teachers coming to the rescue of families by turning their efforts from education to storm relief.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010497  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:49

Progressive Groups Weigh In on President Obama's Plans to Prevent Sequestration: President Barack Obama is meeting with conservative and progressive leaders to gather input on how to avoid going over the "fiscal cliff." Jeffrey Brown talks to

National Education Association's Dennis Van Roekel and Moveon.org's Justin Ruben, progressive leaders who met with President Obama at the White House this week.

Category: Education  
NOLA: TASM 002723  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:12:55

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Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010502  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:25

High School Coach Tells Football Team, 'Don't Go to Study Hall, You Don't Play': Natalie Randolph is one of the first women to head a high school football team, but to her students she is more than a coach. At Coolidge High School in Washington, Coach Randolph prioritizes academics by ensuring athletes attend study hall before practice. Jeffrey Brown talks to Randolph about success on and off the field.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010509  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:49

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Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010509  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:17

College Teams Play Game of Musical Chairs Switching Conferences for TV Contracts: In college sports, geography, academics and competitive levels have been thrown out in part in favor of money and television ratings. Jeffrey Brown talks to sportswriter John Feinstein about why over 30 teams, especially in football, have changed leagues or conferences in order to gain a larger profit share.



Category: Education  
NOLA: TASM 002737  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/21/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:16

Writer Paul Tough: Tough challenges the belief that intelligence is the sole indicator of value in the education system.

Category: Education  
NOLA: FRON 003015  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Fast Times at West Philly High  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 7/17/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Students and teachers from West Philadelphia High School, a public high school serving one of the most disadvantaged neighborhoods in Philadelphia, defy expectations as they design and build two super-hybrid cars for international competition and compete for the chance to be part of a technological revolution. In summer 2010, the high school's EVX Team raced against mega-sized auto manufacturers, multimillion-dollar start-ups, and university teams from around the world in the Progressive Insurance Automotive X PRIZE competition. The challenge: build an affordable, 100 miles-per-gallon car. The prize: \$10 million dollars. In Fast Times at West Philly High, FRONTLINE explores the viability of these cars, the potential that exists within our young people, and the prospects of effective innovation in public education. Also in this hour, a growing body of evidence suggests that the make-or-break moment for high school dropouts may actually be in middle school. And yet middle schools, with their vulnerable population, have long been overlooked. Now a group of dedicated educators are thrusting middle school onto center stage. They want to use data to find the answer to the middle school malaise. What's more, they insist this data already exists, has enormous power to help repair a broken school system and to predict and prevent dropouts before they happen.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010511  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:39

In Chicago, Public Schools and Teachers Work Towards a 'Common Core': Some states, including Illinois, have recently adopted new public school curriculum guidelines called the Common Core State Standards. While some teachers feel relief at having clear guidelines, Elizabeth Brackett of WTTW reports from Chicago on a more contentious aspect of the new implementation: student and teacher evaluation.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010514  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS

Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:15

School Reform Program Targets Students at Risk of Falling Behind, Dropping Out: Currently implemented in 44 U.S. schools, a data-driven dropout prevention program called Diplomas Now targets students who start to fall behind in middle school, and offers them nurturing, mentoring relationships. Ray Suarez reports on how a Baton Rouge middle school was able to turn itself around by adopting this approach.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010520  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:55

Offering Protection and Comfort for Kids in the Wake of Latest Shooting Tragedy: How can parents and schools keep kids safe, and how can they reassure them when tragedies occur? Judy Woodruff speaks with a panel of experts, including Stephen Brock of California State University, Dewey Cornell of University of Virginia and Mo Canady of the National Association of School Resource Officials.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010520  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:17

More Than 100,000 Young Immigrants Granted Temporary Reprieve From Deportation: When Congress failed to pass the DREAM Act, President Obama issued the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program. The federal initiative has given young people, brought to the U.S. illegally before the age of 16, the chance to defer deportation. Ray Suarez profiles three young immigrants who have applied for the program.

Category: Education  
NOLA: WWIR 005224  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

Gun control debate is again at the forefront after a tragic Conn. school shooting. Amidst continued fiscal cliff talks, Susan Rice chooses not to pursue the Secretary of State nomination. Plus, the U.S. recognizes the Syrian opposition. Joining Gwen: Reid Wilson, National Journal Hotline; Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Sanger, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010525  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:57

Education Secretary Arne Duncan on Finding Community Solutions to Gun Violence: A special PBS broadcast called "After Newtown" will air Friday at 8 p.m. ET, continuing a national dialogue about the issues raised by the tragedy in Newtown, Conn. As part of the collaboration, Gwen Ifill spoke with Education Secretary Arne Duncan. Here is the broadcasted excerpt of their conversation.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010525  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:30

My Mom Grabbed Me and Held Me as Tight as She Could': Kids React to Newtown: As young people across the country began to mourn and process the mass shooting in Newtown, Conn., the NewsHour asked students from the 45 schools participating in its Student Reporting Labs to talk with their classmates about their initial reactions. Here are some of their stories.

Category: Education  
NOLA: MLNH 010531  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:15

Why After-School Jobs Keep Young Adults in School: Jobs can provide teenagers with an exciting glimpse of economic freedom, as well as a new set of responsibilities and money, often for the first time. But education experts say part-time and after-school jobs also play a pivotal role in keeping young people on the path toward high school graduation. Hari Sreenivasan reports.

Category: Education  
NOLA: WWIR 005224  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/16/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

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## Environment

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch

Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/9/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Al Blaze vicious talks about fracking

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/17/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Thomas Watters talks about mussel restoration project

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/24/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Nate Jester talks about Trees to Textbooks program

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/9/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Woolly Adelgid infestation

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/15/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio University acid mine drainage project

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/26/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Hocking Hills woodland plan

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/27/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Timber rattlesnake endangered

Category: Environment  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/28/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview

Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Ohio EPA anniversary

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: COSE 018208  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:18:01

Author Robert Kaplan on his book, *The Revenge of Geography: What the Map Tells us About Coming Conflicts and the Battle Against Fate*, and his focus on geography's impact on the balance of world power and how it can affect future foreign policy.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010467  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:51

Storms, Starfish and Warmer Waters Wiped out Half of Great Barrier Reef Coral: A new study finds that in the last 27 years, half of Australia's Great Barrier Reef coral has died. Gwen Ifill talks to Nancy Knowlton, a coral reef biologist and chair of Marine Science at the Smithsonian Institution, about ecological and economic consequences of the collapse, as well as measures to help mediate the decline.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010472  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:31

From Rooftop to Alleyway, Chicago Fights Extreme Urban Heat With Greener Ideas: One of Chicago's most beautiful and hidden gardens is located on top of City Hall, part of an effort to 'green' roofs in order fight rising temperatures. Hari Sreenivasan reports on the actions the city of Chicago is taking to mitigate climate change in an urban landscape.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010474  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:55

Demand for Illegal Ivory Explodes in Asia, Where Industry Expands Despite Ban: Despite a 1990 global treaty illegalizing the sale of elephant tusks, religious faiths across Asia value ivory and are willing to pay for it. In China, demand has been

met with the construction of major factories to process and produce religious icons. Hari Sreenivasan talks to National Geographic reporter Bryan Christy.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002609  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Kilauea: Mountain of Fire  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 3/29/2009 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Kilauea, on Hawaii's Big Island, is the world's most active volcano. Its latest eruption began in 1983 and it hasn't stopped since. Since that time, it has created 544 acres of new land and consumed 200 homes. But as we watch nature's own fireworks display and witness the devastation wrought by flowing lava, we've also been able to observe a process that's central to life on these islands. The most spectacular moment of creation is when lava pours into the ocean creating new land; it is here that filmmaker Paul Atkins finds himself getting a shot few have ever filmed -- the cataclysmic meeting of 2,000-degree lava and 75-degree ocean water -- a sight to behold.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 003001  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Siberian Tiger Quest  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/10/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:37

Conservation ecologist Chris Morgan ("Bears of the Last Frontier") has tracked large predators in some of the wildest and most remote places on earth. He now embarks on a challenge that will fulfill a lifelong dream — to find and film a Siberian tiger living wild and free in Russia's far eastern forests. The film features the work of Korean cameraman Sooyong Park, the first individual ever to film Siberian tigers in the wild. Park spent years in the forest tracking and filming the world's biggest cat. Park's tracking technique was unconventional, but produced more than a thousand hours of wild tiger footage and captured the saga of a Siberian tiger dynasty. Morgan spends time with Park, learning firsthand just how hard it was for him to achieve his remarkable accomplishment.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NETK 000256  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:03

In the latest installment of our recurring "Main Street America" series, correspondent John Larson travels to Pueblo, Colorado to assess the mood along Main Street in a once-thriving steel town that now depends on the global economy to make ends meet.

Colorado is a key swing state in the presidential election with polls showing president Obama and Former Governor Mitt Romney neck and neck. Pueblo's Main Street is also at the center of the renewable energy debate that the two candidates sparred over during the first debate this week. Vestas, a Danish company, set up the largest wind mill tower factory in the world in Pueblo. Romney has stated that if he wins the presidency, he plans to get rid of a wind energy tax credit put in place

by Obama. That threat has frozen the wind industry in its tracks and forced the industry to lay off thousands across the country, including in Pueblo. The layoffs have compounded an unemployment rate of 11%, already the highest in Colorado.

Almost everyone we talked to felt that politicians in Washington were out of touch with the realities on their Main Street and didn't have the ability to solve the country's most pressing problems. And yet there is an unmistakable air resilience in Pueblo; the city has weathered the steel crash of the 1980's and will outlast the current economic storm too.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: RSAN 000000  
Series Title: Ribbon of Sand  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2012 03:30:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 2/25/2008 10:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Outer Banks of North Carolina are a slim and moving line of sand in the open Atlantic. Many travelers think they know these islands, but south of Ocracoke Inlet there rises a luminous bar of sand 60 miles in extent, with no roads, no bridges and no hotels. These are the wild beaches of Cape Lookout -- one of the few remaining natural barrier islands in the world. At once an exaltation and elegy, "Ribbon of Sand" profiles this seascape and the transitory islands that are doomed to disappear. Meryl Streep reads excerpts from Rachel Carson's writings.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: TASM 002702  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

Economist Jeffrey Sachs: The world-renowned economist and co-founder of the nonprofit Millennium Promise Alliance explains his work on economic development and the fight against poverty.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: COSE 018222  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:18

Time Magazine's Mark Halperin speculates on Hurricane Sandy's effect on next week's presidential election.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: FRON 003021  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Climate of Doubt  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Four years ago, climate change was hot. Politicians from both parties, pressed by an anxious public, seemed poised to act. But that was then. Today, public opinion about the climate issue has cooled, and politicians either ignore the issue or loudly proclaim their skepticism of scientific evidence that human activity is imperiling the planet. What's behind this reversal? FRONTLINE correspondent John Hockenberry of PRI's "The Takeaway" goes inside the organizations that fought the scientific establishment, environmental groups and lawmakers to shift the direction of debate on climate issues and redefined the politics of global warming.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010484  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:36

News Wrap: Hurricane Sandy Beats Path Through Cuba, Heads Toward Florida: In other news Thursday, Hurricane Sandy hit Cuba and the eastern Bahamas, bringing heavy rains and winds topping out at 105 miles per hour. Four deaths have been attributed to the storm so far. Tropical storm conditions are likely to hit southeast Florida, while the Northeast may get hit with a wintery superstorm.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010485  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:33

News Wrap: Hurricane Sandy Could Spawn Super Storm on East Coast Next Week: In other news Friday, Hurricane Sandy is heading towards the east coast of the U.S., as Florida is already facing strong winds and heavy surf along the coastline. From the Mid-Atlantic to New England, authorities and residents prepare for what could be a super storm expected to hit early next week.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010486  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:13:56

Hurricane Sandy Hits East Coast, Expected to Affect 50 Million-Plus Americans" Over 50 million Americans brace for heavy flooding, blizzard conditions, wind gusts of up to 90 miles per hour and resulting power outages and evacuations, as Hurricane Sandy approaches the East Coast. NewsHour talks to National Hurricane Center's James Franklin and Newark Mayor Cory Booker.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010486  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/29/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS



Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:02

Hurricane Sandy Could Spell Trouble for Early Voting and Last Campaign Efforts: With nine states declaring states of emergency in preparation for a superstorm, Hurricane Sandy has derailed political campaigning and some early voting this week. Judy Woodruff talks to Dan Balz of the Washington Post and USA Today's Susan Page about the likely effects on the race during the last week before Election Day.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010487  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:23:55

Sandy Aftermath Affects Millions in New York and Along New Jersey's Coast: The brunt of Hurricane Sandy's powerful winds, surf and rain hit the New Jersey coastline and the nation's most populous city. NewsHour examines the situation in New York and in the greater Northeast region, where schools and public transportation closed down, flights were canceled and an estimated 6.2 million people lost power.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010487  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:00:44

News Wrap: Damages From Sandy Estimated at \$20 Billion: In other news Tuesday, Hurricane Sandy ripped through the mid-Atlantic and Northeast regions of the U.S., leaving behind \$20 billion in damage so far. In addition, a forecasting firm has estimated \$10 to 30 billion in lost business. Also, newly released Case-Shiller numbers show housing prices increased 2 percent in August.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010487  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:11

A Week Until Election Day, Campaigns Focus on Disaster Relief: As Hurricane Sandy blew in, President Barack Obama and Mitt Romney turned their focus to storm victims rather than swing voters. Gwen Ifill talks to Politico's Jonathan Allen about the delicate balance of remaining apolitical in the aftermath of a natural disaster while running the last leg of the race to the White House.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010488  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:01

Northeast Copes With Devastating Damage, Widespread Power Outages After Sandy: Though foul weather cleared in the Northeast, the death toll rose to at least 63, people faced property destruction and suspension of transportation and millions still had no power. Judy Woodruff reports on Sandy's aftermath and Gwen Ifill talks to Warren Levinson of The Associated Press for more on the situation in New York.

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NOLA: MLNH 010488  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:54

Is Sandy a 'Cassandra'? How Cities Should Prepare for Future Natural Disasters: Extreme storms of recent history have made local governments take notice both of their preparedness and the likelihood that climate change is making such disastrous events more and more common. Joseph Romm of Center for American Progress and American Enterprise Institute's Kenneth Green share their perspectives with Ray Suarez.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002804  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Wolverine: Chasing the Phantom  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:56:46

Its name stirs images of the savage, the untamable. Legend paints it as a solitary, blood-thirsty killer that roams the icy heart of the frozen north, taking down prey as large as moose, crushing bones to powder with its powerful jaws. But there is another image of the wolverine that is just beginning to emerge, one that is far more complex than its reputation suggests. This film will take viewers into the secretive world of the largest and least-known member of the weasel family to reveal who this dynamic little devil truly is. Hard-wired to endure an environment of scarcity, the wolverine is one of the most efficient and resourceful carnivores on Earth.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002907  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Raccoon Nation  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 2/8/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:22

Are human beings, in an effort to outwit raccoons, actually making them smarter and unwittingly contributing to their evolutionary success? Are the ever more complex obstacles that our fast-paced urban world throws at them actually pushing the development of raccoon brains? In this film, scientists from around the world share their thoughts and work to explore this scientific theory. Attempting to do something that has never been done before, they closely follow a family of urban raccoons as they navigate the complex world of a big city.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 003002  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Magic of the Snowy Owl  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:38

NATURE takes an intimate look at the snowy owl, a bird made popular by Harry Potter's faithful companion, Hedwig. "Snowies" stand out for their magical beauty, intelligence and charm. Filmmakers take us deep into the owl's tundra home on the North Slope of Alaska to observe the daily struggles involved in raising a family of helpless owlets until they're able to fly. Viewers discover that these strikingly beautiful Arctic owls have a range of skills far more impressive than those required of magical messengers.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: TASM 002721  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

POLITICO's Jonathan Martin: Martin assesses the state of the presidential race—one week out—and the impact of Hurricane Sandy on the campaign.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: ACPE 000000  
Series Title: Ferrets: The Pursuit of Excellence  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 5:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 7/18/2007 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

"Ferrets: The Pursuit of Excellence" offers an endearing and amusing glimpse at America's most playful, mischievous pets -- not to mention their distinctive owners. At the annual Ferret Buckeye Bash in Columbus, Ohio, the largest and most popular ferret show in the country, hundreds of top breeders, seasoned experts and ferret enthusiasts pamper and parade their pets in a quest for prizes and prestige. FERRETS offers a quirky contrast to the common animal show -- these curious creatures lack the regal air of show cats or the respectable nature of pedigreed dogs -- yet these ferrets are trained, pampered and primed by their doting owners in the hope of taking the top prize in the biggest ferret show in the country.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: COSE 018224  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:26

A panel discussion on the impact of Hurricane Sandy, which devastated the northeast U.S., with Bryan Walsh of Time Magazine, Paul Barrett of Bloomberg Businessweek and Steve Coll of The New Yorker.

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NOLA: COSE 018224  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:18:47

A conversation with Dr. Jonathan LaPook, medical correspondent for CBS News, who witnessed the evacuation of 200 patients from NYU Langone Medical Center after its backup generators failed.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: COSE 018233  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:32:09

A conversation about the new film Life of Pi with director Ang Lee and actors Irrfan Khan and Suraj Sharma.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010489  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:17:52

Sandy Devastation Leaves N.J. Reeling as Normal Life Gets Slow Restart in N.Y.: Up and down the New Jersey coast, towns begin what is expected to be a long process of recovery and rebuilding in the wake of devastating destruction from Hurricane Sandy. Jeffrey Brown and Ray Suarez report on challenges for affected communities. Plus, Hari Sreenivasan reports from Manhattan on the storm's impact on businesses.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:38

Northeast Storm Victims Begin to Lose Patience at Lack of Basic Needs: Extensive damage to infrastructure and buildings in the Northeast has limited access to critical supplies of gasoline, electricity and clean water up and down the Jersey coastline and in New York City. Ray Suarez talks to New York Times' Patrick McGeehan about the state of New York's five boroughs, where patience wears thin.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour

Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:59

Shields and Brooks on Latino Voters, Last-Minute Election Factors: Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for analysis on the top news of the week, including the chances of immigration reform being addressed in the next presidential term, the latest jobs numbers and the political aftermath of superstorm Sandy.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010491  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:58

Hundreds of Thousands in N.J. and N.Y. Lack Power in Slow Post-Sandy Recovery: In New York and New Jersey, access to basic supplies remain limited and hundreds of thousands of people went without power or heat as temperatures dropped into the 30s. Kwame Holman reports. Then, special correspondent Rick Karr examines how the Red Hook neighborhood in Brooklyn is coping with damage from superstorm Sandy.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:07

News Wrap: Nor'easter Hits East Coast With Wind, Rain and Snow: In other news Wednesday, Sandy victims and Northeast residents braced for another storm scheduled to hit the already battered East Coast, bringing powerful wind, heavy rain, and even snow. Hundreds of scheduled flights have been cancelled. Also Wall Street saw one of its worst days of the year.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010495  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:38

New Jersey Residents Suffer Cold and Dark as Many Still Lack Power After Storms: The homes of some New Jersey residents have been without power or heat more than 10 days after superstorm Sandy struck. And even with support from out-of-state utility workers untangling downed lines, erecting polls, and repairing the grid, many may remain in the dark for days to come. Special correspondent Rick Karr reports

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010496  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/12/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:03

While Schools Are Closed, N.J. Teachers Provide Support for Young Storm Victims: The town of Belmar was among New Jersey's hardest hit communities in the wake of Hurricane Sandy and a fall nor'easter. With schools still closed, special correspondent John Tulenko tells the story of the teachers coming to the rescue of families by turning their efforts from education to storm relief.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010498  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59

Obama Addresses Press on Budget Concerns, Syria, Immigration and Climate Change: In his first post-election press conference, President Obama addressed the White House Press Corps on a range of issues, including the so-called "fiscal cliff," the resignation of former CIA director David Petraeus, immigration reform, climate change and more. Kwame Holman reports the highlights of the president's remarks.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010499  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:15

BP to Pay Largest Fine in U.S. History, Admit Guilt in Gulf Oil Spill Settlement: Two years after a rig operated by British Petroleum exploded, spilling oil into the Gulf of Mexico, the company agreed to plead guilty to felony charges and is expected to pay \$4.5 billion in fines. Jeffrey Brown talks to ProPublica's Abrahm Lustgarten and John Young, president of Jefferson Parish, La., for their reactions.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010499  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:50

'Occupy Sandy' Movement Focuses on Offering Help to Storm Victims in New York: FEMA is still working hard to help get relief for storm victims in the Northeast -- not a small task considering the size and scope of that natural disaster. To help fill in the gap, volunteers from a movement called Occupy Sandy are trying to reach residents in need who live in New York City's boroughs. Ray Suarez reports.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002907  
Series Title: Nature

Episode Title: Raccoon Nation  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 2/8/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:22

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Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 003003  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Animal Odd Couples  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:40

Despite the odds, there are countless stories of the most unlikely cross-species relationships imaginable: a goat guiding a blind horse; a doe who regularly visits her Great Dane surrogate mother; a juvenile gibbon choosing to live with a family of capuchins, and so on. Instincts gone awry? The subject has mystified scientists for years. Now, NATURE investigates why animals form these special bonds. Informed by the observations of caregivers and noted scientists Temple Grandin and Marc Bekoff, the film explores what these relationships suggest about the nature of animal emotions.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 003004  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: An Original DUCKumentary  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Ducks fly through the air on short stubby wings — traveling in large, energy-efficient formations over thousands of miles. There are some 150 species of them, representing a wide variety of shapes, sizes and behaviors. Some are noisy and gregarious, others shy and elusive. They are familiar animals we think we know. But most of us don't really know these phenomenal, sophisticated creatures at all. This program follows a wood duck family as a male and female create a bond, migrate together across thousands of miles, nurture and protect a brood of chicks, then come full circle as they head to their wintering grounds.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NOSN 000605  
Series Title: NOVA scienceNOW  
Episode Title: What Are Animals Thinking  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:25

Have you ever wondered what's going on inside an animal's head? How do they see the world — and us? Is your dog really feeling guilty when it gives you that famous “guilty look?” Do pigeon brains possess “superpowers” that allow them to find their way home across hundreds of unfamiliar miles? David meets — and competes — with a menagerie of smart critters that challenge preconceived notions about what makes “us” different from “them,” expanding our understanding of how animals really think.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: PNRE 001609  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/4/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Southern Baptist Relief and Hurricane Sandy: The destruction caused by Hurricane Sandy “is just as much a physical crisis as it is a spiritual and emotional crisis for people,” says Mike Ebert of the Southern Baptist Convention’s relief arm. Religion in the 2012 Election: The God gap was alive and well this year in American politics, according to one professor of political science. White evangelicals, Catholics, Mormons, and a growing number of religiously unaffiliated voters all played a part in Election 2012. Black Churches and Same-Sex Marriage: Is the same-sex-marriage debate in black churches really about religion, the Bible, or equal rights? The issue has divided many pastors and their congregations. Vigil of All Saints: “Not only are we pointing to these different saints and celebrating all of the good things during their lives, but we're hopefully encouraging one another to become the saints of this age,” says Fr James Cuddy, formerly of the Dominican House of Studies and now the chaplain of Providence College.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: PNRE 001610  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/11/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Election 2012: Religion and the Results: There was more than one message on Election Day when it came to the role of evangelicals, Catholics, and Mormons in politics and the place of economic, social, and cultural issues as the fiscal cliff approaches. Chabad Relief and Hurricane Sandy Aftermath: The Chabad Center of the Five Towns in Cedarhurst, New York has been providing up to 2,000 meals every day. The Mission Continues: Former US Navy SEAL, humanitarian, and nonprofit founder Eric Greitens says the lessons of Judaism have shaped his life and taught him about humanity’s duty to repair the world.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: SSGS 000000  
Series Title: Sesame Street Gets Through a Storm  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 10:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 10:00:00 AM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Feature Film/Video Drama  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

A Hurricane has swept through Sesame Street and everyone is working together to clean up the neighborhood. When Big Bird checks on his home, he is heartbroken to find that the storm has destroyed his nest. Big Bird's friends and neighbors gather to show their support and let him know they can fix his home, but it will take time. While everyone on Sesame Street spends the next few days cleaning up and making repairs, Big Bird still has moments where he is sad, angry, and confused. His friends help him cope with his emotions by talking about what happened, drawing pictures together, and giving him lots



of hugs. They also comfort Big Bird by offering him temporary places he can eat, sleep, and play. Big Bird remembers all the good times he had at his nest and realizes that once it is rebuilt, there are more good times and memories to come. Finally the day has come where most of the repairs to Big Bird's home are done and his nest is complete. As he is about to try it out, though, the city nest inspector says it not safe, yet, because the mud isn't dry. Big Bird is sad that he has to wait another day, but Snuffy comes to the rescue and blows the nest dry and he passes the test! Big Bird thanks everyone for being his friend and helping to rebuild his nest and his home.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: WWIR 005218  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:20

In our last show before Election Day, we take a look at the final campaign sprint in a close election. Also, Hurricane Sandy hit the eastern United States and influences the last week of the race. Also, a look at the new unemployment numbers. Joining Gwen: Jackie Calmes, New York Times; John Harris, Politico; John Harwood, CNBC and New York Times; Amy Walter, ABC News.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: DUSB 000101  
Series Title: Dust Bowl; The  
Episode Title: The Great Plow Up  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/18/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/18/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:48:24

Survey the causes of the worst man-made ecological disaster in American history, when the frenzied wheat boom of the "Great Plow-Up," followed by a decade-long drought during the 1930s, nearly swept away the breadbasket of the nation. See vivid interviews with 26 survivors of those hard times, combined with dramatic photographs and seldom-seen movie footage, that bring to life stories of incredible human suffering and equally incredible perseverance. The documentary is also a morality tale about our relationship to the land that sustains us — a lesson we ignore at our peril.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: DUSB 000102  
Series Title: Dust Bowl; The  
Episode Title: Reaping the Whirlwind  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Reaping the Whirlwind: In the second episode of Ken Burns's DUST BOWL, experience the gradual relief as the families of the plains seek new lives in California and government conservation efforts — and a break in the drought in 1939 — eventually stabilize the soil and bring the farms back to life, but with dangers of another Dust Bowl facing future generations.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010501  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/19/2012 7:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 11/19/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:56

Future Unclear for Superstorm Sandy Victims Dealing with Insurance Woes: Despite a history of hurricanes, there were many storm victims in New York without flood insurance thinking the risk for damage was low. But after Sandy hit, many residents are faced now with huge damage bills and no idea how they'll recover. Economics correspondent Paul Solman reports from New York's Long Island.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010502  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/20/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:40

Protecting New York From Future Superstorms as Sea Levels Rise: As thousands of residents continue to clean up from Hurricane Sandy, many are anticipating future disasters and considering how New York will cope with rising seas and potentially more devastating flooding. Hari Sreenivasan reports on options like barriers that could protect the region from future storm surges.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010503  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:02

Climate Change Causes Insurers to Rethink Price of Risk After Hurricane Sandy: The insurance industry looks at historical data, old and new, in order to assess the risk for potential disasters and put a price on premiums. But when Sandy hit the Northeast, some insurance companies reconsidered if they priced insurance high enough for the greater risks brought on by climate change. Paul Solman reports.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010505  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/23/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:03

After Sandy, Poet Describes 'What It Means to Stand in the Rubble of Your Life': Jennifer Fitzgerald's family and friends have been greatly impacted by superstorm Sandy, and though she immediately got involved in relief efforts in her Staten Island community, she felt that her poetry would be another way to reach a much larger audience and explain the physical and emotional impact Sandy had on New York.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010506  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes

Airdate: 11/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:27

Quileute 'Twilight' Tribe Deals With Rising Sea Levels That Threaten Way of Life: Located west of Olympic National Park, La Push, Wash., is idyllic at first glance. But the beauty of the place is matched by danger and vulnerability. Located at sea level, La Push lies directly in a flood and tsunami zone. Hari Sreenivasan reports on how the Quileute tribe culture is adapting to new climate challenges.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010507  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:19

Utah Makes Deal For Private Gas Drilling on Pristine Public Land: White River, Utah, attracts adventurers for its gorgeous vistas and rare solitude. But proposals to drill for natural gas on the public land worry environmentalists and Native American tribes. Ray Suarez tells of efforts by energy companies and the federal government to strike a deal to drill and protect the environment.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010510  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/30/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:14

Grand Canyon May Be 60 Million Years Older Than Previously Thought: A newly published study renews an old debate about the age of the Grand Canyon, positing a possibility that the geographical formation could be tens of millions of years older than current wisdom suggests, dating back to the time of dinosaurs. Margaret Warner talks to science correspondent Miles O'Brien about its significance.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002607  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Drakensberg: Barrier of Spears  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/28/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 2/8/2009 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:51:01

The Drakensberg Mountains are southern Africa's Alps, rising more than 11,000 feet into the sky. But beneath their shimmering beauty lies an incredibly hostile environment for the creatures that manage to live there. Each Spring, drenching rains destroy the grasslands at the base of the mountains, and those who would survive must climb up sheer cliffs of volcanic rock, through gauntlets of storms and snow, to reach the carpets of new grass on the plateau. The baboons that make their home halfway up the heights may have the advantage of agility, but eland, the world's largest antelope, have long, spindly legs and heavy bodies, which make their climb to the top all but unbelievable. All have babies at their sides. And the vultures circle overhead.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 003004  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: An Original DUCKumentary  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Ducks fly through the air on short stubby wings — traveling in large, energy-efficient formations over thousands of miles. There are some 150 species of them, representing a wide variety of shapes, sizes and behaviors. Some are noisy and gregarious, others shy and elusive. They are familiar animals we think we know. But most of us don't really know these phenomenal, sophisticated creatures at all. This program follows a wood duck family as a male and female create a bond, migrate together across thousands of miles, nurture and protect a brood of chicks, then come full circle as they head to their wintering grounds.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NOVA 003916  
Series Title: NOVA  
Episode Title: Inside the Megastorm  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/18/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Was Hurricane Sandy a freak combination of weather systems? Or are hurricanes increasing in intensity due to a warming climate? How did this perfect storm make search and rescue so dangerous? "Inside the Megastorm" takes viewers moment-by-moment through Hurricane Sandy, its impact and the future of storm protection. Through first-person accounts from survivors and from experts and scientists, the program gives scientific context to a new breed of storm.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: ACPE 000000  
Series Title: Ferrets: The Pursuit of Excellence  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 5:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 7/18/2007 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

"Ferrets: The Pursuit of Excellence" offers an endearing and amusing glimpse at America's most playful, mischievous pets -- not to mention their distinctive owners. At the annual Ferret Buckeye Bash in Columbus, Ohio, the largest and most popular ferret show in the country, hundreds of top breeders, seasoned experts and ferret enthusiasts pamper and parade their pets in a quest for prizes and prestige. FERRETS offers a quirky contrast to the common animal show -- these curious creatures lack the regal air of show cats or the respectable nature of pedigreed dogs -- yet these ferrets are trained, pampered and primed by their doting owners in the hope of taking the top prize in the biggest ferret show in the country.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010511  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/3/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:07:31

World Faces a Fight from Behind to Keep Up With Rising Rate of CO2 Emissions: For 18 years, the U.N. was intent on cutting global emissions to prevent a rise in the earth's average temperature of more than two degrees. But new data shows the earth is on track to reach this point of no return. Gwen Ifill talks to National Journal's Coral Davenport on the implications of rising emissions and temperatures.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010512  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/4/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:38

Long After Earthquake, Haiti Still Feels Devastating Effects of Cholera Epidemic: Ten months after Haiti struggled to recover from a devastating 7.0 magnitude earthquake, the nation suffered a public health epidemic. Cholera appeared for the first time in 100 years, making 600,000 Haitians ill and leaving 7,500 dead so far. Special correspondent Fred de Sam Lazaro reports.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010513  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:36

News Wrap: Typhoon Hits Southern Philippines, Killing Nearly 300: In other news Wednesday, Typhoon Bopha battered much of the Southern Philippines, causing devastating floods, landslides, and many Filipinos without power or shelter. Disaster relief officials reported nearly 300 people dead, with hundreds more still missing.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010513  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:44

Endangered Coral Reefs Die as Ocean Temperatures Rise and Water Turns Acidic: In addition to negative consequences caused by overfishing and pollution, coral reefs face another major existential threat: increased acidity from warming oceans. Hari Sreenivasan reports from Florida about the dire outlook for coral reefs, as well as efforts and research to try and save them.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010514  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:02:18

News Wrap: After Typhoon, Hundreds of Filipinos Still Missing as Floods Continue: In other news Thursday, rescue workers continued to search for nearly 400 people still missing after Typhoon Bopha hit the Southern Philippines. Flooding persisted in the Compostela Valley, one of the hardest hit areas in the country.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010514  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:30

Battleground Dispatches: Norfolk Readies for Future Storms, Sea Level Rise: When Hurricane Sandy hit a week before Election Day, it helped surface the issue of rising sea levels and resulting vulnerability of coastal cities to flooding. In conjunction with WHRO, Mike Melia travels to Norfolk, Va., where the mayor must decide whether or not to rebuild parts of the city that may be unlivable in 15 years.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010515  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:08

Trouble in the Water: Acidifying Oceans Hinder Health of Northwest Shellfish: The world's oceans are absorbing carbon dioxide at an unprecedented rate and the resulting acidification is transforming marine ecosystems. Hari Sreenivasan reports on how ocean acidification is already affecting oysters and other shellfish in the U.S.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010516  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/10/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:33

Industrial Residue From Receding Sandy Flood Waters Raise Concerns for Residents: New York's waterways, like the Gowanus Canal, are home to major industry and major pollution. For homes and businesses near the coast, flooding from Hurricane Sandy left greasy residue and worries about long term risks and effects. Special correspondent Rick Karr reports on how officials are testing to check for safety concerns.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002606  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Is That Skunk?  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/5/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 1/25/2009 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary

Segment Length: 00:56:46

It's a familiar but mysterious creature in woods and neighborhoods all across America. Its infamous weapon is one of the most awful scents in all of nature. Now, intrepid researchers and cameramen track skunks day and night across California, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Ohio, and even Martha's Vineyard, uncovering how they hunt, forage, mate and raise amazingly cute babies - all the things they're up to when they're not spraying the local dog. And yes, the remarkable secrets of that stink will be revealed!

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002805  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Revealing the Leopard  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/21/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: RSAN 000000  
Series Title: Ribbon of Sand  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/9/2012 03:30:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 2/25/2008 10:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Outer Banks of North Carolina are a slim and moving line of sand in the open Atlantic. Many travelers think they know these islands, but south of Ocracoke Inlet there rises a luminous bar of sand 60 miles in extent, with no roads, no bridges and no hotels. These are the wild beaches of Cape Lookout -- one of the few remaining natural barrier islands in the world. At once an exaltation and elegy, "Ribbon of Sand" profiles this seascape and the transitory islands that are doomed to disappear. Meryl Streep reads excerpts from Rachel Carson's writings.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: TASM 002749  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/6/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/7/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-producer Andy Garcia: Garcia shares the backstory of his latest film, the environmental thriller A Dark Truth, which he also co-exec-produced.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: TASM 002752  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/11/2012 11:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 12/12/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-screenwriter-producer Matt Damon, Part 1: The Oscar winner recaps his new feature, Promised Land, in which he stars and also co-wrote and co-produced.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: TASM 002753  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/13/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Actor-screenwriter-producer Matt Damon, Part 2: The outspoken Hollywood power player discusses his philanthropic work and his pending projects.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: COSE 019001  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/25/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 12/24/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Director Juan Antonio Bayona and Actors Ewan McGregor and Naomi Watts discuss their new film, The Impossible.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010528  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/26/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:53

Post-Holiday Storm Unleashed Tornadoes, Blizzard and Caused at Least 6 Deaths: A massive winter storm that spawned tornadoes and record snow in some parts of the South and Midwest caused the death of at least six people, fouled flight schedules and ruined road conditions. Gwen Ifill reports on the huge weather system now beating a destructive trail into the Northeast.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010529  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:16



News Wrap: White House Urges Shippers, Dockworkers to Settle Contract Dispute: In other news Thursday, a White House spokesperson spoke in favor of reconciliation between shippers and union dockworkers to avoid a strike that would cripple ports on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. Also, a severe winter storm that plowed through the South and Midwest reached the Northeast, bringing the death toll to 16.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010529  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/27/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:22

As EPA Chief Steps Down, an Evaluation of Obama's Environmental Policy So Far: Environmental Protection Agency administrator Lisa Jackson announced she is stepping down after almost four years. Jeffrey Brown talks to Kenneth Green of the Fraser Institute and Michael Brune of the Sierra Club for debate on whether President Obama's environmental agenda and record have been successful or disappointing.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: MLNH 010531  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/31/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:52

What Will History Books Have to Say About 2012? Judy Woodruff talks to presidential historians Michael Beschloss and Richard Norton Smith about the events from 2012 that will live on in the history, including Hurricane Sandy, the 2012 elections, a mass shooting in Newtown, Conn., China's new leadership, and North Korea's missile launch.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002403  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Christmas in Yellowstone  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/19/2006 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Other  
Segment Length: 00:00:01

As snow falls and Christmas lights glow in Jackson Hole, a holiday season of a different sort settles in just beyond the town, in the great winter world of Yellowstone. Breathtaking landscapes frame intimate scenes of wolves and coyotes, elk and bison, bears and otters as they make their way through their most challenging season of the year. NATURE journeys in the footsteps of the men who first explored the park, and travels with their modern-day counterpart on his own journey of discovery. From the unique crystals of individual snowflakes to the grand sweep of Yellowstone's Hayden Valley, this is a Christmas like no other.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002707  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Wild Balkans  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/26/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 1/31/2010 8:00:00 PM

Service: PBS  
Format:  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

The Balkan Peninsula is notorious for being one of the great battlegrounds of history. And yet, it possesses another side unknown to many, where ancient forests and vast wetlands harbor pristine wilderness, and sheer cliff walls and desolate plateaus preserve a seemingly unchanged past. Surveying these striking and stark landscapes, one might think they've ventured into the Middle-earth of J.R.R. Tolkien's Lord of the Rings. Indeed the Balkan Peninsula is home to a variety of regions that border on mythical. In Croatia's Kopacki Rit Wetlands, land mines keep people away, but enable native wildlife to thrive. Further south, Montenegro's Tara River carves through Europe's longest and deepest canyon, and neighboring forests provide refuge to rare animals such as the Balkan Lynx. To the east, millions of birds flock to the Danube Delta to feast on swarms of mosquitoes. And at the west of the Balkans is Skadar Lake, a remarkable landscape of peaks and water.

Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: NAAT 002805  
Series Title: Nature  
Episode Title: Revealing the Leopard  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/12/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/21/2010 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

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Category: Environment/Nature/Natural Disasters  
NOLA: SKYI 000000  
Series Title: Sky Island  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/19/2012 5:30:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 7/10/2011 10:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

In Northern New Mexico a range of mountains rises up from the high desert, a wild, rugged land of the Faraway Nearby. The volcanic Jemez Mountains are isolated from all other ranges -- an island in the sky, surrounded by a desert sea. In Sky Island, filmmaker John Grabowska profiles this enchanting landscape and our place within it, with climate change effects already dramatically altering the desert and alpine ecosystems. The film features narration by Pulitzer Prize winner N. Scott Momaday and acclaimed actress Meryl Streep, with a sweeping orchestral score by Academy Award winner Todd Boekelheide.

## National Politics

Category: National Politics  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 10/1/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Katherine Jillison talks about First Ladies

Category: National Politics

Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/5/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: OU history professor talks about political polling

Category: National Politics  
Series Title: Newswatch  
Length: 30 minutes  
Air Date: 11/6/12 5:30pm  
Format: live interview  
Segment Length: 3:00  
Topic/Issue: Kevin Mattson talks about the election

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018201  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:19:05

A conversation with Anders Fogh Rasmussen, secretary general of NATO and former prime minister of Denmark--in town for the United Nations General Assembly--about NATO's shift toward a primary role of fighting world terrorism.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018202  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:36

A conversation with David Miliband, former foreign secretary of the United Kingdom, current member of Parliament, and brother of the current head of the Labour Party.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018203  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/4/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:54:17

This program featured live analysis of the presidential debate with Al Hunt, executive Washington editor for Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, political director of CBS News and correspondent for Slate Magazine; Chuck Todd, chief White House correspondent for NBC News; Gwen Ifill, managing editor and moderator of Washington Week and a senior correspondent for the PBS NewsHour; Katty Kay of BBC World News America; Mark Halperin, senior political analyst for Time Magazine; and John Heilemann of New York Magazine.

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Chris Matthews of NBC and MSNBC on the previous night's presidential debate, in which Republican candidate Mitt Romney was widely seen as the winner.

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Analysis of the previous night's presidential debate with Mark Halperin of Time Magazine, David Leonhardt of The New York Times and lawyer Ben Brafman.

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:14:51

A conversation with Barbara Simons, an expert on electronic voting, on her book Broken Ballots: Will Your Vote Count?

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:19:08

A conversation on Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney's proposed foreign policy with David Sanger, White House correspondent for The New York Times and author of Confront and Conceal: Obama's Secret Wars and Surprising Use of American Power; and Richard Haass, president of the Council on Foreign Relations.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:18:20

Thomas L. Friedman of The New York Times on Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney's speech on foreign policy.

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NOLA: COSE 018207  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/10/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:20:52

Evan Thomas of Princeton University on his latest book, *Ike's Bluff: President Eisenhower's Secret Battle to Save the World*, and his effort to avoid wars through the threat of massive nuclear retaliation.

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NOLA: COSE 018208  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:18:01

Author Robert Kaplan on his book, *The Revenge of Geography: What the Map Tells us About Coming Conflicts and the Battle Against Fate*, and his focus on geography's impact on the balance of world power and how it can affect future foreign policy.

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NOLA: COSE 018209  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:58

Live Analysis of the vice presidential debate with Al Hunt, executive Washington editor for Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, political director of CBS News and a correspondent for Slate Magazine; Chuck Todd, chief White House correspondent for NBC News; Gwen Ifill, managing editor and moderator of Washington Week and a senior correspondent for the PBS NewsHour; Rich Lowry, editor of National Review; Katty Kay of BBC World News America; Mark Halperin, senior political analyst for Time Magazine; and John Heilemann of New York Magazine.

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NOLA: DENR 000201  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Debates 2012: A Special Report  
Episode Title: Presidential Debate  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Live coverage of the 2012 presidential and vice presidential candidates debates. The NewsHour coverage also includes analysis.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: DENR 000202  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Debates 2012: A Special Report  
Episode Title: Vice Presidential Debate  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/11/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Live coverage of the 2012 presidential and vice presidential candidates debates. The NewsHour coverage also includes analysis.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003101  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: The Choice 2012  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 9:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Barack Obama and Mitt Romney have crafted their campaign narratives, telling you who they are, what they've done and how they would lead America. But there's more to their stories. In "The Choice 2012," acclaimed FRONTLINE producer Michael Kirk ("Money, Power and Wall Street," "Top Secret America") documents the places, people and decisive moments that made the men who are competing for the presidency. Hundreds of hours of research and dozens of original interviews reveal new details and fresh insights about the two candidates — and our choice this November.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:39

New Session of Supreme Court Expects Cases on Voting Rights, Same-Sex Marriage: The U.S. Supreme Court begins its fall session and is expected to review cases on hot issues including same-sex marriage, voting rights and affirmative action. Jeffrey Brown talks to The National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle for more on the important cases and the impact of the Supreme Court's potential rulings.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:07

Candidates Fine-Tune Their Messages Before First 2012 Presidential Debate: Days before the first 2012 presidential debate, Mitt Romney and President Obama work to craft their messages on the economy, health care, the role of government and

governing. Judy Woodruff talks to the Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg and Susan Page of USA Today for more on the candidates' preparations.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:21

What's at Stake in the Candidates' Different Visions for Medicaid: The firestorm over how to make Medicare more sustainable has consumed the health care debate this election season, but Medicaid, its counterpart for low-income, disabled and elderly Americans, actually covers more people. Hari Sreenivasan looks at how the candidates' two drastically different proposals offer reform.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:40

Spanish-Language Election Ad Spending Eight Times Higher in 2012 Than 2008: Judy Woodruff talks to NPR's Greg Allen, who traveled to Raleigh, N.C., to explore how the presidential candidates are spending campaign funds to target Latinos, voters who are generally younger and hard hit by the economic downturn. But some political messages, like on health care reform, may be mismatched to their audience.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:57

Congress Charges that Requests to Improve Security in Libya Were Rejected: In a letter sent to the State Department, Congressmen Darrell Issa, R-Calif., and Jason Chaffetz, R-Utah, blamed the administration for allegedly rejecting requests for more security made by the U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya, prior to the fatal Sept. 11 attack there. Margaret Warner reports.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:40

FBI Investigation Continues on Benghazi Attacks, Searching for Alleged Suspects: After officially announcing that terrorists were responsible for attacks on a U.S. consulate in Benghazi, the U.S. intelligence community is pursuing alleged suspects. Margaret Warner talks to The Wall Street Journal's Siobhan Gorman and Greg Miller of The Washington Post for more on the state of security in Libya.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:34

Mitt Romney and President Obama to Square Off in First Debate: NewsHour's Jim Lehrer will moderate what will be the first of three official debates between the two presidential candidates going into the 2012 elections. Judy Woodruff gets pre-debate analysis from NewsHour's political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks on what to expect.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:17

In Battleground Iowa, Where Most Voters Are Decided, Early Voting Turnout Is Key: According to one poll, less than 2 percent of Iowa voters are still undecided. In that state, the candidates have made 30 campaign visits and have barraged the air waves with ads. Hari Sreenivasan reports on how both campaigns are hoping that early voting, now begun, will improve overall turnout and give them a winning edge.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:02

'Tension City' Reflects on Jim Lehrer's Decades Moderating Presidential Debates: In his new book, "Tension City: Inside the Presidential Debates, from Kennedy-Nixon to Obama-McCain," NewsHour Executive Editor Jim Lehrer looks back at more than 40 years of televised political debates in America. Jeffrey Brown and Lehrer discuss his unique front-row seat to history as a 10-time presidential debate moderator.

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Mitt Romney and President Obama Focus on Domestic Policy Details in First Debate: In the first presidential debate, held in Denver, Colo., and moderated by NewsHour's Jim Lehrer, Gov. Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama presented their cases primarily on domestic policy issues, including tax cuts or increases, job creation, education improvements and health care reform.

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Shields and Brooks: First Debate Focused on Details Rather than Larger Themes: Judy Woodruff, Gwen Ifill and Christina Bellantoni discuss the candidates' performances in the first debate with NewsHour's political analysts David Brooks and Mark Shields. For Shields and Brooks, the most interesting part of the debate were the topics the candidates did not bring up and the comments that went unchallenged.

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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:04:38

After Denver Duel, Mitt Romney and President Obama Continue to Spar: Though instant polling numbers showed Mitt Romney winning the first presidential debate by a factor of two to one, President Obama charged Romney of misrepresenting his own positions on jobs and taxes. Judy Woodruff reports on their debate performances, as well as reactions to their opponent the day after.

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:10:59

Experts Debate Facts, Outcomes of the Candidates' Approaches to Taxes: Jeffrey Brown gets two political perspectives on the candidates' tax plans from Center on Budget and Policy Priorities' Jared Bernstein, former economist for Vice President Joe Biden, and American Action Forum's Douglas Holtz-Akin, former economics advisor to the McCain campaign.

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:09:09

After First Debate, Florida Voters Discuss Convincibility, Consistency: Ray Suarez visits Orlando, Fla., to talk to voters--some decided, some undecided--directly following the first presidential debate. Were the candidates convincing? Did the voters hear what they hoped to from either side? They discuss jobs, President Obama's consistency, Mitt Romney's softer side, and the role of government.

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:05:24

Debate Was 'Watershed' Moment of Multiple Screen Use by Viewers: Daily Download's Lauren Ashburn and Howard Kurtz talk with Margaret Warner about the explosion of Twitter use during the first presidential debate, the use of Google by viewers to research aspects of the candidates' arguments, the most frequently mentioned terms on Facebook, and Xbox's decision to stream the debate to players.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:39

National Unemployment Falls Below 8 Percent, But Economic Recovery Still Far Off: While President Obama lauded the September job numbers which showed unemployment at 7.8 percent, Mitt Romney remained critical, saying the numbers alone do not paint an accurate picture of the economy. Jeff Brown asks the Washington Post's Neil Irwin and Mesirow Financial's Diane Swonk if the latest report is a sign of recovery.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:56

Missouri Senate Seat in Play as Akin and McCaskill Fight for the Middle: Democrats expected incumbent Sen. Claire McCaskill, D-Mo., to lose her seat come November. But after her challenger Republican Todd Akin made controversial remarks about rape and abortion, McCaskill has gained a narrow lead. Gwen Ifill reports on the key race, which may dictate which party controls the Senate.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:51

Shields and Brooks on Close Congressional Races, Obama's Debate Performance: Judy Woodruff talks with NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks on the top political news of the week, including the tight Missouri senate race, as well as other close contests; the latest, more optimistic jobs report; and what factors may have contributed to President Obama's performance at the first debate.

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Segment Length: 00:04:43

Candidates Trade Attacks on Foreign Policy, Handling of Libya Attacks: At a campaign event in Virginia, Mitt Romney criticized President Obama's handling of the Middle East, including the Syrian conflict, the withdrawal from Iraq and the attacks on the U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya. The president accused Romney of injecting politics into a tragedy and criticized Romney's remarks on Israel.

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Assessing Differences Between Obama's, Romney's Foreign Policy Platforms: President Obama and Mitt Romney have traded barbs on foreign policy while remaining vague about specific proposals. Judy Woodruff talks to former Undersecretary of Defense for Policy Michele Flournoy and Duke University's Peter Feaver on how the United States should move forward on foreign policy priorities.

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Format: News  
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News Wrap: Investigation Continues on Security Factors in Libya Embassy Attack: In other news Monday, the investigation of terrorist attacks on the U.S. consulate continues, with media reports surfacing that the State Department rejected requests for more security personnel made by American officials in Libya. Deputy national security adviser John Brennan will visit Libya to review the inquiry.

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Format: News

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Tainted Steroid Drugs Caused Deadly Meningitis Outbreak In Nine States: More than 100 cases of a rare form of meningitis have been traced to a tainted batch of steroid injections. Jeffrey Brown talks to Dr. John Jernigan of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for more on the investigation, and to Boston University's Kevin Outterson on the difficulties for the FDA to prevent outbreaks.

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Romney-Obama Race Tightens Up, Raising Stakes for Vice Presidential Debate: Margaret Warner talks to the Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg, USA Today's Susan Page and Pew Research Center's Andy Kohut about the latest election polls coming out of the first presidential debate, and what that means for the stakes in this week's vice presidential debate.

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Report Suggests Potential for Spying, Stealing by Chinese Tech Companies in U.S.: Two of the largest telecom companies in the world are looking to expand to the U.S. market. But the House Intelligence Committee has charged that Huawei and ZTE have ties to the Chinese government and run a potential cyber-security risk, recommending their products and services should be avoided. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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Opposing Views on Congress' Claims Huawei Technologies Enables Chinese Spying: Jeffrey Brown discusses the House Intelligence Committee's report with Rep. Dutch Ruppersberger, D-Md., which suggests Chinese telecoms pose a national security threat. Then Brown talks to Huawei Technologies spokesman William Plummer who refutes any claims of an inappropriate relationship between Huawei and China's government.

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As Romney Cuts into Obama's Lead, Both Vie for Critical Votes in Swing States: After the first presidential debate the tides were turned for Mitt Romney, who had been trailing President Obama. In almost every post-debate poll Romney is now statistically tied or leading President Obama. Gwen Ifill reports on the candidates' messages on campaign trail post-debate, especially in swing states.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:16:43

Supreme Court Hears Affirmative Action Challenges by Public College Applicants: The U.S. Supreme Court took up a case on whether race should be considered in college applications. Gwen Ifill talks to National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle who explains the arguments. Ray Suarez talks to NAACP's Debo Adegbile and the Century Foundation's Richard Kahlenberg about potential implications for public institutions.

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Segment Length: 00:04:41

News Wrap: Polls Show President Obama Leads in Ohio, But Narrowly: In other news Wednesday, new polls show that President Obama still leads in Ohio. Following the first presidential debate, the gap between the two candidates narrowed, energizing both campaigns' efforts to win over the last undecided voters before Election Day.

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At Politically Charged Hearing, Congress Probes Security Failures in Libya: The House Oversight Committee examined the Sept. 11, 2012, attack on the U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya, at a hearing where several State Department staff and former members of the security team in Libya testified. Judy Woodruff reports.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:04

As Goes Jefferson County so Goes Colo.? Candidates Make Appeals, Repeat Visits: Jefferson County, Colo., is comprised of one-third Democrats, one-third Republicans, and those who have yet to decide whether they will vote for Mitt Romney or President Obama. As one of the most populous purple counties in Colorado, both candidates have become repeat visitors, hoping to swing some votes. Gwen Ifill reports.

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Segment Length: 00:08:29

In VP Debate, Shields, Brooks Predict Ryan to Show Bipartisanship, Biden Resolve: While the Romney-Ryan ticket gained momentum in the last debate, Obama-Biden still has a narrow lead. The pressure is now on Rep. Paul Ryan and Vice President Joe Biden as they go head-to-head in the 2012 VP debate. Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks about what to expect.

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Medicare is Battle Cry for Both Sides in Tight House Races in Fla., N.Y.: In our new Battleground Dispatches series, Todd Zwillich of Public Radio International's "The Takeaway" reports from Florida and New York, where Medicare is not only a hot topic in the general election, but crucial to clinching some close congressional races.

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Biden and Ryan Square Off in 2012 Vice Presidential Debate: Vice President Joe Biden and Rep. Paul Ryan, went head-to-head in the 2012 vice-presidential debate in Danville, Ky. Moderated by Martha Raddatz, the candidates talked about domestic and international issues, including the attacks on Libya, Medicare, taxes and the deficit their Catholic faith, and the Afghanistan withdrawal.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:22:37

Shields and Brooks: Joe Biden Brings Passion, Paul Ryan Keeps Cool: Post-debate, NewsHour Political analysts Marks Shields and David Brooks go in-depth on their take of the candidates performance, including the gaffes, the body language and the responses from Joe Biden and Paul Ryan on issues ranging from the attacks on Libya to how their Catholic faith informs their views on abortion.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:58

Both Campaigns Claim Victory After Spirited Match Between Biden and Ryan: Republicans and Democrats were both upbeat and energized by the performances of Vice President Joe Biden and Rep. Paul Ryan, R-Wis., in the only vice presidential debate for the 2012 elections. Instant polls conflicted on who won the debates and both campaigns claimed victory. Judy Woodruff reports.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Segment Length: 00:07:19

How Are Women Responding to Candidates' Debate Policy, Tone and Body Language? Coming off the vice presidential debate, Jeffrey Brown talks to Democratic pollster Celinda Lake and Republican pollster Kellyanne Conway about the ways the presidential candidates and their running mates have or haven't addressed issues that are important to female voters, paying particular attention to the debate performances.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:38

European Union Has Power to Address Continental Problems Collectively: Winner of the 2012 Nobel Peace Prize, the European Union was created for its member nations to deal with political, diplomatic and economic problems together. Ray Suarez talks to E.U. Ambassador to the U.S. Joao Vale de Almeida, who says as Europe's economic woes increase, European Union ties will likely deepen, not break.

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Format: News

Segment Length: 00:09:57

Political Polls, Professors and Election Markets Predict the Presidential Race: With such a close presidential race, many would like to look to pollsters and their political crystal balls for predictions. But what stats are the most reliable and accurate for predicting what will happen come Election Day? Paul Solman examines how polls and election markets parse data to come up with a winner.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:27

Shields and Brooks on Polls, Biden and Ryan Debate Style, and State of the Race: NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks talk to Judy Woodruff about the reliability of polls to gauge voter behavior, body language and debate style from Joe Biden and Paul Ryan, what topics weren't discussed at the 2012 vice presidential debate and the state of the race post-debate.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:48

Super PACs Wage Political Ad Wars with Hundreds of Thousands of TV Spots: Judy Woodruff reports on the candidates' preparation for what many expect to be a high stakes presidential debate in Hempstead, N.Y., while Ray Suarez and NPR's Peter Overby examine how September campaign ad spending has been boosted by hundreds of thousands of television commercials funded by Super PACs.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:01

In Blue Bay State, Senate Candidates Stress Bipartisanship and Independence: Democrats outnumber Republicans 3-1 in Massachusetts, but rhetoric coming from both sides of the contentious senate race emphasizes moderation and independence--from Washington and from Wall Street. Gwen Ifill reports on the high profile and increasingly nasty contest between Sen. Scott Brown and Democrat Elizabeth Warren.

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Service: PBS



Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:03

Dems Look to Hold Senate Majority, GOP Tries to Wrest Control in Key Races: Republicans and Democrats are looking to muster the votes in key elections to take the Senate majority. Judy Woodruff talks to USA Today's Susan Page and The Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg about campaigns in states like Missouri, Massachusetts and Virginia, and whether the majority is still in play.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:00

Rebels Choose to Work with Jihadists to Expedite Assad Ouster: Weapons crossing the Turkish border into Syria are primarily aiding Islamist fighters, a condition that has made the U.S. wary of giving military support to rebels. Ray Suarez talks to former CIA analysts Philip Mudd and Paul Pillar on whether the U.S. should aid extremist rebels to accelerate the removal of President Assad.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:28

Former Sen. Arlen Specter, 82, Prioritized Law, Policy Over Party Affiliation: Arlen Specter served in the U.S. Senate for nearly 30 years, during which he served as a Democrat and Republican. As a moderate, he frequently ignored party lines, speaking his mind on issues from judicial appointments to health care reform and stimulus spending. Kwame Holman remembers Specter, who died from cancer at age 82.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: NETK 000256  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:30:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:03

In the latest installment of our recurring "Main Street America" series, correspondent John Larson travels to Pueblo, Colorado to assess the mood along Main Street in a once-thriving steel town that now depends on the global economy to make ends meet.

Colorado is a key swing state in the presidential election with polls showing president Obama and Former Governor Mitt Romney neck and neck. Pueblo's Main Street is also at the center of the renewable energy debate that the two candidates sparred over during the first debate this week. Vestas, a Danish company, set up the largest wind mill tower factory in the world in Pueblo. Romney has stated that if he wins the presidency, he plans to get rid of a wind energy tax credit put in place by Obama. That threat has frozen the wind industry in its tracks and forced the industry to lay off thousands across the country, including in Pueblo. The layoffs have compounded an unemployment rate of 11%, already the highest in Colorado.

Almost everyone we talked to felt that politicians in Washington were out of touch with the realities on their Main Street and didn't have the ability to solve the country's most pressing problems. And yet there is an unmistakable air resilience in Pueblo; the city has weathered the steel crash of the 1980's and will outlast the current economic storm too.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: NETK 000257  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/12/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:08

The Fiscal Cliff: With the presidential election less than four weeks away, all eyes are on President Obama and former Governor Mitt Romney as they frantically campaign across the country. But regardless of who wins on November 6, another political deadline is fast approaching — one that could have dramatic consequences on our nation's economic security and future.

This deadline is known as the “fiscal cliff” — the confluence of expiring tax cuts and automatic spending cuts that will go into effect should Congress not act before January 1. Many economists have predicted that going over this “cliff” would drive the economy into another recession, increase unemployment and potentially impact many government programs.

So how can we avoid this fiscal cliff and achieve a long-term solution for the economic problems our nation continues to face?

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001605  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 1:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/7/2012 2:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Judicial Elections: “We have a movement afoot to politicize our courts,” says political science professor Rachel Caufield, “and that undermines the quality of justice in America.” Food Deserts : More and more churches and faith-based groups are creating small farms to feed the urban poor, especially children, in places like the Ninth Ward of New Orleans. Simchat Torah: “It's an expression of the love for our Torah, our teachings. It's also a great way to begin the New Year,” says Rabbi David Shneyer, spiritual leader of Kehila Chadasha and the Am Kolel Jewish Renewal Center of Greater Washington.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: SBEF 000000  
Series Title: Standing Bear's Footsteps  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 5:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/15/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

This is the story of an Indian chief who went to court to prove he was a person ... and in the process redefined what it means to be an American. The documentary traces one man's journey from his Nebraska homeland to the malaria-infested plains of Indian Territory and finally to a trial that made front page news across America. Standing Bear's odyssey began in 1877, when the Ponca tribe was exiled from the Niobrara valley to Indian Territory in present-day Oklahoma, a place they called death country. As Standing Bear's son was dying, he begged his father to take his body home for burial with his ancestors. In January of 1879, Standing Bear began the long walk north to keep his promise. Before he and his small band could make it home, they were arrested and imprisoned at Fort Omaha. With the secret support of a famous army general, Standing Bear

sued the U.S. government for his freedom. The film weaves interviews, re-creations and present-day scenes to tell a powerful story about human rights.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002701  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/1/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/2/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:07

Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair: The former FDIC chair talks about her role on the Systemic Risk Council and her assessment of the U.S. financial crisis, as detailed in her book *Bull by the Horns*.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002702  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/2/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/3/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

Economist Jeffrey Sachs: The world-renowned economist and co-founder of the nonprofit Millennium Promise Alliance explains his work on economic development and the fight against poverty.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002703  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/3/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/4/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:06

Political journalist Ari Berman: The Nation magazine's political correspondent assesses the impact of Voter ID laws and the new era of politics.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002706  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/8/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:13:02

Writer Joan Walsh: Salon.com's editor-at-large weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002709  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/11/2012 11:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 10/12/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Foreign policy expert Phyllis Bennis: The director of the Institute for Policy Studies' New Internationalism Project assesses the impact of foreign policy on the presidential campaign.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and Game Change author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002130  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/7/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/7/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:30

Women in Drug Cartels: Reaffirming Affirmative Action: The Supreme Court gets ready to hear its first affirmative action case in a decade, brought by a white female against the University of Texas. Voto!: Despite having 24 million eligible voters, Latino/as are not expected to show up in November. Women in Drug Cartels: An in-depth look at the rise of women as fighters and leaders in Mexico's most notorious drug cartels.

Rep. Donna Edwards (D-MD)  
Republican Commentator Mercedes Viana Schlapp  
Democratic Strategist Monica Cevallos  
Republican Strategist Cheri Jacobus

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002131  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/14/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/14/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:30

Wage Theft: Women for Romney: GOP Presidential candidate Mitt Romney surges ahead after moving in a more moderate position on women's issues. Child Brides: As a part of International Day for the Girl Child, United Nations focuses on the tragedy of child brides. Wage Theft: This little known problem costs workers millions of dollars per year. The Department of Labor is fighting to get that money back.

Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC)  
Conservative commentator Tara Setmayer  
Feminist Majority Foundation's Kim Gandys

The Heritage Foundation's Jennifer Marshall

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005214  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/5/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/5/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

The panel analyzes the first of three presidential debates of the 2012 election. Will Romney's dominance influence the campaign? And a deeper look into the numbers and facts presented by Romney and Obama. Plus, a look at the new unemployment numbers. Joining Gwen: Peter Baker, New York Times; Dan Balz, Washington Post; Jeanne Cummings, Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005215  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/12/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/12/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:20

The roundtable analyzes the vice-presidential debate as Vice President Joe Biden and his Republican opponent Rep. Paul Ryan traded sharp words over domestic and foreign policy. Also, with both political parties happy with their candidate's performance, who came out on top? Joining Gwen: Jeff Zeleny, New York Times; Karen Tumulty, Washington Post; Doyle McManus, Los Angeles Times; Alexis Simendinger of Real Clear Politics.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: CMIC 000000  
Series Title: Cuban Missile Crisis - Three Men Go to War  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Explore the inside story of the Cuban Missile Crisis in October 1962, when the world teetered on the brink of nuclear holocaust. With unprecedented access to participants on all three sides of the crisis, the film brings to life the three central characters — Kennedy, Castro and Khrushchev — and explores how the world's most powerful men fell into an abyss of their own making and outlines the courage and luck it took to climb out again.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018212  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/17/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:47

Live Analysis of the Presidential Debate with Al Hunt, executive Washington editor of Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, political director of CBS News; Chuck Todd, chief White House correspondent for NBC News; Katty Kay of BBC World

News America; Jon Meacham, executive editor and executive vice president at Random House; David Leonhardt, Washington bureau chief of The New York Times; Mark Halperin, senior political analyst for Time Magazine; and John Heilemann of New York Magazine.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018213  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/18/2012 00:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/17/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:42

John Harris, editor in chief of Politico, on the previous evening's presidential debate.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018216  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/22/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:51:35

Live analysis of the foreign policy focused third and final presidential debate with Al Hunt, executive Washington editor of Bloomberg News; John Dickerson, political director of CBS News; Chuck Todd, chief White House correspondent for NBC News; Martha Raddatz, ABC News senior foreign affairs correspondent; Tina Brown, editor-in-chief of The Daily Beast and Newsweek; Mark Halperin, senior political analyst for Time Magazine; and John Heilemann of New York Magazine.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018217  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:38:38

In light the previous evening's presidential candidate debate on foreign policy, a panel discussion about the future of foreign policy with Zbigniew Brzezinski, former national security advisor; David Ignatius of The Washington Post; Michael Mazarr, professor of national security strategy at the U.S. National War College; and General Jim Jones, former United States national security advisor.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018218  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:27:22

An Editors' Roundtable from The Economist magazine with editor-in-chief John Micklethwait; economics editor Zanny Minton Beddoes; and China business editor Vijay Vaitheeswaran.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/25/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/24/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:25

Vanity Fair editor Graydon Carter and Carol Blue, widow of Christopher Hitchens, on "Mortality," a series of essays Hitchens wrote for Vanity Fair while undergoing treatment for cancer.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018219  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:36

An hour with Nancy Pelosi, former speaker of the House of Representatives.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018222  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:18

Time Magazine's Mark Halperin speculates on Hurricane Sandy's effect on next week's presidential election.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018222  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/31/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:58

Statistician Nate Silver of FiveThirtyEight.com discusses his new book, The Signal and the Noise, and his controversial predictions about the upcoming presidential election.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018223  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:23:05

Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair, a key player in the government's response to the financial crisis, discusses the economy and her book *Bull by the Horns: Fighting to Save Main Street from Wall Street and Wall Street from Itself*.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: DENR 000203  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Debates 2012: A Special Report  
Episode Title: Presidential Debate  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Live coverage of the 2012 presidential and vice presidential candidates debates. The NewsHour coverage also includes analysis.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: DENR 000204  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Debates 2012: A Special Report  
Episode Title: Presidential Debate  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/22/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/22/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Live coverage of the 2012 presidential and vice presidential candidates debates. The NewsHour coverage also includes analysis.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: ELDY 000000  
Series Title: Electoral Dysfunction  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/18/2012 7:30:00 AM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

After discovering that the Constitution does not guarantee the right to vote, political humorist Mo Rocca sets out on an irreverent road trip to see how voting works in America. Rocca — a correspondent for “CBS Sunday Morning,” panelist on NPR’s “Wait, Wait ... Don’t Tell Me!” and former correspondent for “The Daily Show With Jon Stewart” — heads to Indiana, home to some of the strictest election laws in the country, and meets one Republican and one Democrat who take him inside their efforts to get out every vote. As he progresses on his journey, he searches for the Electoral College; critiques ballot design with Todd Oldham; investigates the debate over voter ID and voter fraud; and explores the case of a former felon who was sentenced to 10 years in prison — for the crime of voting. Eye-opening, engaging and nonpartisan, *ELECTORAL DYSFUNCTION* is for voters who want their votes to count.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003021  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Climate of Doubt  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 10:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 10:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS



Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Four years ago, climate change was hot. Politicians from both parties, pressed by an anxious public, seemed poised to act. But that was then. Today, public opinion about the climate issue has cooled, and politicians either ignore the issue or loudly proclaim their skepticism of scientific evidence that human activity is imperiling the planet. What's behind this reversal? FRONTLINE correspondent John Hockenberry of PRI's "The Takeaway" goes inside the organizations that fought the scientific establishment, environmental groups and lawmakers to shift the direction of debate on climate issues and redefined the politics of global warming.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003022  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Big Sky, Big Money  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:38

In a special investigation in collaboration with "Marketplace," FRONTLINE travels to the remote epicenter of the campaign finance debate for a tale of money, politics and intrigue. How has the Supreme Court's Citizens United decision changed campaigns in America? Ask Montana, which has tried to challenge the ruling in court, is investigating alleged campaign abuses and is playing host to a bitter race that could decide control of the U.S. Senate. FRONTLINE correspondent and "Marketplace" host Kai Ryssdal reports.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003101  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: The Choice 2012  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/09/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Barack Obama and Mitt Romney have crafted their campaign narratives, telling you who they are, what they've done and how they would lead America. But there's more to their stories. In "The Choice 2012," acclaimed FRONTLINE producer Michael Kirk ("Money, Power and Wall Street," "Top Secret America") documents the places, people and decisive moments that made the men who are competing for the presidency. Hundreds of hours of research and dozens of original interviews reveal new details and fresh insights about the two candidates — and our choice this November.

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NOLA: MLNH 010477  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 01:37:49

Mitt Romney and Barack Obama Spar in Town Hall Ring and Get Aggressive: With Mitt Romney and President Obama tied in the polls leading up to the 2nd presidential debate, the candidates were both on offense while answering questions from uncommitted voters from Long Island, N.Y. They addressed questions ranging from U.S. response to Libya and energy policy to immigration reform and women's rights.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:58

News Wrap: Supreme Court Rules on Ohio Voting Law, Won't Block Early Voters: In other news Tuesday, the U.S. Supreme Court sided with President Obama on an Ohio voting matter -- early voting in that state will not be blocked during the three days leading up to Election Day. Also, Americans on Social Security will be receiving an annual inflation-based cost of living adjustment of about \$21 per month.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:28

More Drugs May Have Been Tainted, Linked to Meningitis Outbreak: More sick patients raise concerns of the spreading effect of a New England compounding company's tainted medicine, which has caused meningitis in several people. Judy Woodruff talks to USA Today's Dan Vergano about the public health effort to warn doctors, as well as the regulatory authority of the FDA.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
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Republicans Use Benghazi Attack as Critique of President Obama's Mideast Policy: In an interview, Secretary of State Hillary Clinton said she claims responsibility for the consulate attack in Benghazi, Libya. Meanwhile, echoing claims made by Mitt Romney and Rep. Paul Ryan on the campaign trail, congressional Republicans chastised the White House and the president's security team. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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Experts Urge Candidates to Debate Foreign Policy Seriously, Not Play Blame Game: Zbigniew Brzezinski, former national security adviser, and Walter Russell Mead of Bard College say that the U.S. position in the Middle East is unraveling, from the Syrian war to the stalled Israeli-Palestinian peace effort. They discuss with Jeffrey Brown the need for a substantive presidential debate on foreign policy.

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Analysis After Town Hall: Obama Takes Aggressive Stance in Debate: NewsHour gets post-debate analysis from political analysts in the studio and in Hempstead, N.Y., at the conclusion of the 2nd presidential debate. President Obama's style starkly contrasted his performance in the first debate, voters were turned off by the candidates' interrupting , and women voters targeted in many responses.

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After Brisk Debate, Romney and Obama Appeal to Female Voters in Swing States: Mitt Romney flew to Virginia and President Obama to Iowa, but distance didn't stop attacks between the two the day after the second presidential debate. Gwen Ifill reports on the presidential candidates' campaign stops. Judy Woodruff gets analysis from the Washington Post's Karen Tumulty and The Associated Press' Julie Pace.

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Fact-Checking Debate Claims on Libya Attacks, Gas Prices and Tax Policy: Ray Suarez examines charges and counter-charges made during the second presidential debate held at Hofstra University, including disagreements on approaches to addressing the consulate attack in Benghazi, whether gas prices can measure the success of energy policy, and which candidates' tax policies would balance the budget.

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Romney and Obama Argue Over Who Would be Tougher on China Trade Issues: During the second presidential debate in Hempstead, N.Y., the candidates traded accusations over alleged unfair trade practices by China. Upset by the debate, the

Chinese said China-bashing in U.S. presidential campaigns "has become a ritual" that negatively affects relations between the U.S. and China. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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More Debt, Fewer Jobs: How the Candidates Plan to Solve Rising Costs of College: Student debt is outpacing credit card debt. With unemployment high for young people, 10 percent of graduates have defaulted on loans within two years of graduation. Judy Woodruff talks American Council on Education's Terry Hartle and Cato Institute's Neal McCluskey about what President Obama and Mitt Romney propose as solutions.

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Female Candidates Seek Rematches with Male Opponents in N.H., Court Women Voters: New Hampshire is poised to make history if three women running for national political office all win their bids. Anna Sale of WNYC Radio reports from the Granite State, where unemployment is relatively low and independence is highly valued, about how social issues are playing out in local elections and the presidential race.

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Daily Download: Social Media and Mobile Devices Key to Viewer Debate Digestion: A third of adult viewers under 40 who watched the second presidential debate were "double screening," meaning they both watched the debate and used an additional form of digital media. Ray Suarez talks to the Daily Download's Lauren Ashburn and Howard Kurtz about the "binders full of women" meme and politicized search terms.

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New Collection Listens in on President Kennedy's Secret White House Tapes: A new book, "Listening In: The Secret White House Recordings of John F. Kennedy," shares a treasure trove of the president's secretly-recorded phone calls, meetings and private reflections. Gwen Ifill talks to Ted Widmer, historian and librarian of Brown University, who edited and annotated the tape transcripts.

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Campaigns Speak to Growing Hispanic Population Through Spanish-Language Media: With a tight presidential race, growing Hispanic populations in key swing states--Colorado, Nevada, Florida and Virginia--could provide the margin of victory. Ray Suarez reports on the campaigns' efforts, including spanish-language ads, appearances on Univision, and more, to capture Hispanic votes that are up for grabs.

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Former Regulator Bair Recounts Behind the Scenes of Financial Crisis, Bailouts: Former FDIC chair Sheila Bair says there's plenty of blame to go around for the financial crisis, but the foremost culprit is greed. Judy Woodruff talks to Bair about her new book, "Bull By the Horns," which assesses what role different figures from Wall Street to the White House and the regulatory offices played in the crash.

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Shields and Brooks Debrief on the Town Hall Debate, George McGovern's Legacy: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and New York Times columnist David Brooks discuss the week's top political news, including how Mitt Romney and President Obama fared in the second presidential debate, the political fight for key demographic groups and the long career and legacy of George McGovern, as the politician nears death.

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Shields and Brooks Preview 2012 Presidential Debate on Foreign Policy: As the third and final 2012 presidential debate nears, polls show President Obama losing his edge over Mitt Romney on the question of who would be a better commander-in-chief. Gwen Ifill talks with NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for what to expect from both candidates, with 15 days till Election Day.

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Florida Voters Share Election Expectations Ahead of Third Presidential Showdown: Voters in Florida have been turned off by the negative tone heard in most political ads and presidential debates thus far. With two weeks left, the candidates seek to appeal to the shrinking number of undecided voters. Judy Woodruff reports on campaigning in Florida, which focuses on women, youth and Hispanics.

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Foreign Policy Debate May Help Voters Discern Candidates' Differences: Though the economy has been the priority for voters in this election, the consulate attack in Libya and concern about Iran's nuclear ambitions have renewed some urgency and emphasis on foreign policy in the national dialogue. Jeffrey Brown talks to the Washington Post's David Ignatius and the Philadelphia Inquirer's Trudy Rubin.

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Remembering McGovern, WWII Hero, Politician, and Vietnam War Challenger: A longtime Democratic legislator from South Dakota and a three-time presidential candidate, George McGovern was a proud liberal well-known for his vehement opposition of the Vietnam War who mobilized and inspired young voters. Judy Woodruff talks to former Colorado Sen. Gary Hart who helps remember his close friend.

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In Debate, Romney Touts 'Peace Through Strength,' Obama Focuses on Alliances: President Obama and former Gov. Mitt Romney met in Boca Raton, Fla., for one final debate on foreign policy, moderated by Bob Schieffer of CBS News. While Obama emphasized international alliances and coalition building, Romney touted peace through strength in their broader visions for U.S. foreign policy.

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Shields and Brooks Post-Debate: Obama, Romney Fail to Distinguish Policy Visions: Mark Shields and David Brooks disagree a lot but the political analysts were united when they said the candidates, "felt they had to disagree, even when there wasn't any disagreement." In NewsHour's post-debate analysis, Judy Woodruff and Gwen Ifill review the highlights, remarks and gaffes from the last presidential debate.

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With Final Foreign Policy Debate Done, Candidates Start Swing State Sprint: The candidates made an eager return to the campaign trail the day after their final presidential debate in Boca Raton, Fla. Gwen Ifill recaps debate highlights and looks at new ads. Judy Woodruff gets post-debate analysis from Nicholas Burns, former U.S. Ambassador to NATO, and Richard Haass of the Council on Foreign Relations.

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From 'Apology Tour' to Bayonets: Fact-Checking the Debate on Foreign Policy: Margaret Warner fact-checks different debate highlights, including Mitt Romney's characterization of President Obama's early overseas trips, what the candidates said about their opponent's and their own defense spending proposals, and the ideal scope and size of the Navy.

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Congressional Sequestration Squabble Has Local Economic Resonance in Virginia: In the latest installment in our Battleground Dispatches series, Cathy Lewis of WHRO in Hampton Roads, Va., looks at how concern over sequestration is playing out as a local voting issue. Gwen Ifill talks to Roll Call's Steve Dennis and Josh Rogin of Foreign Policy about how congress is working on facing its budget negotiations.

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Obama and Romney Barnstorm Swing States in Closing Stage of Presidential Race: The days on the campaign trail have gotten busier. President Obama traveled to Iowa, Colorado, California and Nevada in a single day, while his challenger Mitt Romney visiting Nevada and Iowa to make his case to the last undecided voters. Jeffrey Brown reports on the stepped-up pace in the last 13 days till the election.

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Some Senate Candidates Race Toward Photo-Finish Elections in Fight for Majority: The outcome in extremely tight senate races in states like Connecticut, Arizona, Indiana and North Dakota could determine who controls the Senate and the president's agenda come January. Gwen Ifill talks to Roll Call's Shira Toeplitz and The Rothenberg Political Report's Nathan Gonzales for more on just what's on the line.

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Housing and the Foreclosure Crisis Are Missing From the Campaign Conversation: Sales of new homes are up this fall, but a third of U.S. homeowners are underwater with their mortgages, and swing states have some of the highest foreclosure rates. Jeffrey Brown talks to The Opportunity Agenda's James Carr and Cato Institute's Mark Calabria for why housing hasn't been discussed in the presidential campaigns.

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Alternative Presidential Candidates Face Off in Third Party Debate in Chicago: Four alternative candidates to Mitt Romney and President Obama--Gary Johnson, Jill Stein, Virgil Goode and Rocky Anderson--met in Chicago for a third party debate to discuss everything from halting the war on drugs to reducing military spending to curbing the influence of money in politics. Kwame Holman reports.

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Battleground Strategy: Candidates Use Huge Funds to Target Ads to Undecideds: Ohio voters greeted visits from Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama, who also made stops in Florida and Virginia. Jeffrey Brown reports on the neck-and-neck polls and the money race -- both to earn and to spend. Margaret Warner talks to NPR's Mara Liason about the money the candidates are spending on ads and in swing states.

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'Red Ink' in the Federal Budget: Understanding Why the U.S. Has So Much Debt: With a federal budget of \$3.6 trillion, a deficit of \$1 trillion and a total debt of \$16 trillion, it can be difficult to fully comprehend where all this money comes from and what the U.S. government spends it on. Paul Solman talks to The Wall Street Journal's David Wessel about his new book "Red Ink," a primer to the budget.

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Why Hasn't the Euro Debt Crisis Been a More Prominent Campaign Topic? As Europe's economy falters, U.S. exports have declined and the fear of a Eurozone breakup has cast a shadow over Wall Street. Judy Woodruff talks to Zanny Minton Beddoes of The Economist and James Surowiecki of The New Yorker about how Romney and Obama should address Europe's debt crisis in their campaigns.

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The Good, the Bad and the Politics Behind the Latest Government Economic Report: The latest round of economic reports show consumer confidence at its highest level since 2007. Consumer spending and home sales are up, as well defense spending. Jeffrey Brown talks to investment advisor Hugh Johnson about the new data -- good and bad -- including exports decline, job growth rates, and the effect on campaigns.

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As the Economy Booms in Northeast Ohio, Which Candidate Will Reap the Benefit? A resurgence in steel, energy and auto manufacturing has brought over 50,000 jobs back to northeast Ohio. With the economy as the primary issue likely to determine the election, Public Radio International's Todd Zwillich examines whether Mitt Romney or President Obama will gain an advantage from the recent economic boom in Ohio.

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Shields and Brooks on the Importance of Ohio, Microtargeting Voters: Judy Woodruff talks with NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for the top political news of the week, including the significant role Ohio is playing this election cycle, microtargeting of key voter blocs and the candidates' last-ditch efforts to break the stalemate and take the advantage.

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News Wrap: Supreme Court Hears Arguments Challenging Surveillance Law: In other news Monday, the U.S. Supreme Court heard arguments challenging parts of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act. The case was brought to the court over an expansion of the law that some are concerned gives government too much power to eavesdrop and spy on innocent U.S. citizens when targeting foreign suspects.

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Hurricane Sandy Could Spell Trouble for Early Voting and Last Campaign Efforts: With nine states declaring states of emergency in preparation for a superstorm, Hurricane Sandy has derailed political campaigning and some early voting this week. Judy Woodruff talks to Dan Balz of the Washington Post and USA Today's Susan Page about the likely effects on the race during the last week before Election Day.

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How Campaigns Amass Your Personal Information to Deliver Tailored Political Ads: Political advertisers now have unprecedented access to online browsing data, and the presidential campaigns are using gathered information to slice and dice the electorate and engage with voters on issues that are most relevant to their lives. Hari Sreenivasan reports in collaboration with Frontline, Marketplace and Pro Publica.

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Author Bill Ivey Argues for Rediscovering Values at Heart of American Ideal: Bill Ivey, former National Endowment for the Arts chair, says he sees a crisis in our culture where public discourse no longer includes argument over values or why we do what we do as Americans. Jeffrey Brown talks to Ivey about his call for a revived progressive vision, outlined in his new book, "Handmaking America."

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A Week Until Election Day, Campaigns Focus on Disaster Relief: As Hurricane Sandy blew in, President Barack Obama and Mitt Romney turned their focus to storm victims rather than swing voters. Gwen Ifill talks to Politico's Jonathan Allen about the delicate balance of remaining apolitical in the aftermath of a natural disaster while running the last leg of the race to the White House.

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Political Campaigns Target Off-the-Grid Voters with Digital Armies of Volunteers: As Americans watch less broadcast television and spend more time online, political campaigns face difficulty reaching voters with traditional methods. Hari Sreenivasan reports how the Romney and Obama campaigns, with the help of new tools to gather data and target voters, may have cracked the code to reach off-the-grid voters.

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Winning Fiercely-Divided Wisconsin Will Come Down to Candidates' Ground Game: Green Bay residents may love the Packers more than anything else, but politics comes at a close second. With a strong independent electorate, Wisconsin had the most counties in the U.S. vote for Bush in 2004 and then swing to Obama in 2008. Jeffrey Brown reports on the 2012 campaigns' attempts to woo these tough-minded voters.

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Supreme Court Devotes Day to Hear Cases on Drug-Sniffing Dogs and Privacy Rights: The Supreme Court heard two cases on police use of drug-sniffing dogs for criminal searches. At the heart of the debate is if officers can search a car or house without a warrant if a dog detects alleged drugs. Judy Woodruff talks to The National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle for a breakdown of the Supreme Court's recent session.

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Yo decido: Just two and a half weeks before the election, the presidential campaign remains very tight. Both candidates are on the road this week trying to round up every last vote. One of the more coveted groups in this election is the record 24 million Latino voters nationwide. They're one of the fastest growing voting blocks in the nation, and as their numbers grow, so too does their political power.

While recent national polls show Latinos leaning heavily towards Obama, Hispanic voters are not a monolith. This week, Maria Hinojosa visits central Florida and talks with a wide range of Latino voters in that crucial swing state.

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The voter fraud debate, opposition research in the digital age and Dean Obeidallah: This week, Need to Know's Rick Karr reports on controversial changes to election rules in the battleground state of Florida—will they root out voter fraud or keep legitimate voters from the polls?

Also, a conversation with James Carter, the man behind the infamous '47%' video, who, like other amateur opposition researchers, is harnessing the power of the Internet to upend campaigns.

And from our "American Voices" series, comedian Dean Obeidallah on one group of voters that no one seems to be courting.

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None of the Above: Political Implications: How will the Democratic Party appeal to religious voters without alienating the rising numbers of religiously unaffiliated voters? Greg Smith on Politics and the Unaffiliated: "In our data for 2012 we are finding that the religiously unaffiliated outnumber white mainline Protestants, white Catholics, and even black Protestants among Democratic and Democratic-leaning registered voters." Father Shay Cullen: He arrived in the Philippines in 1972, inspired by the Second Vatican Council to "get out of the rectory and into the streets" to fight human trafficking.

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RACE 2012 uses the current presidential election as a lens through which to view America's racial landscape. The program delves into immigrants' reshaping of the American electoral landscape, white voters' reaction to their declining numbers and diminished influence, and the economic imbalance between races that may affect America's political future.

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Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

This is the story of an Indian chief who went to court to prove he was a person ... and in the process redefined what it means to be an American. The documentary traces one man's journey from his Nebraska homeland to the malaria-infested plains of Indian Territory and finally to a trial that made front page news across America. Standing Bear's odyssey began in 1877, when the Ponca tribe was exiled from the Niobrara valley to Indian Territory in present-day Oklahoma, a place they called death country. As Standing Bear's son was dying, he begged his father to take his body home for burial with his ancestors. In January of 1879, Standing Bear began the long walk north to keep his promise. Before he and his small band could make it home, they were arrested and imprisoned at Fort Omaha. With the secret support of a famous army general, Standing Bear sued the U.S. government for his freedom. The film weaves interviews, re-creations and present-day scenes to tell a powerful story about human rights.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: SEDE 001201  
Series Title: Secrets of the Dead  
Episode Title: The Man Who Saved the World  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/23/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:51:25

This film explores the dramatic and little-known events that unfolded inside a nuclear-armed Soviet submarine during the Cuban Missile Crisis. While politicians desperately sought a solution to the stand-off, Vasili Arkhipov, an officer aboard the submarine, refused to fire a nuclear torpedo, thus averting disaster. The program combines tense drama with eyewitness accounts and expert testimony about a critical event during the Cold War.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002711  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/16/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:40

Journalist John Heilemann: The New York magazine's national affairs editor and Game Change author weighs in on the presidential campaign.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002712  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/16/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/17/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:36

Author Peter Dreier: The politics professor examines the role of social justice issues in the presidential campaign and discusses his text, The 100 Greatest Americans of the 20th Century.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002716  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/22/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/23/2012  
Service: PBS

Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Journalist Adam Nagourney: Following the final presidential debate, the veteran political journalist examines how the rest of the race for the White House might play out.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002718  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/24/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/25/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Documentary filmmaker Peter Nicks: The Emmy-winning filmmaker shares lessons learned in making his new documentary on healthcare in the U.S., The Waiting Room.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002721  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/29/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:46

POLITICO's Jonathan Martin: Martin assesses the state of the presidential race—one week out—and the impact of Hurricane Sandy on the campaign.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002722  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/31/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:13:22

Radio talk show host Fernando Espuelas: The Univision radio show host and internet media pioneer examines the battle for the Latino vote in the presidential election.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002132  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/21/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/21/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

What's the Matter with White People?: Closing Gender Gap: As the third and final presidential debate draws close, a new survey shows GOP Presidential hopeful Mitt Romney pulls even with President Obama among women voters in swing states. Sexual Assault on Campus: A female college student's account of sexual violence goes viral drawing attention to safety of women on college campuses. What's the Matter with White People: Salon columnist Joan Walsh talks about her new book

which explores how and why so many white working class families defected from the Democratic Party and became the Republican base.

NAACP Chairman Roslyn Brock  
Conservative Commentator Tara Setmayer  
Former Judge and Federal Prosecutor Debra Carnahan  
Bush White House Aide Mercedes Viana Schlapp

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002133  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/28/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/28/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

Kathleen Turner: Late Deciders: After Indiana Senate candidate Richard Mourdock makes comments about children conceived through rape, the so-called "waitress moms" are even more important to the presidential candidates. Give Us Women: The European Parliament rejected a male candidate for the Central Bank, saying they want more women. Red Hot Patriot: Actress Kathleen Turner is starring as controversial political journalist Molly Ivins on stage and she wanted to bring the role to DC before the election.

National Council of Negro Women Executive Director Avis Jones-DeWeever  
Independent Women's Forum Policy Analyst Hadley Heath  
SpikeTheWaterCooler.com Founder Marjorie Clifton  
Conservative Blogger Crystal Wright

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005216  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:19

As President Barack Obama and Mitt Romney prepare for their final debate, the roundtable analyzes the feisty second debate, the ever-tightening poll numbers, and the issues that are most important in the countdown to Election Day. Joining Gwen: Peter Baker, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine; Amy Walter, ABC News; Charles Babington, Associated Press.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005217  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 10/26/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/26/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:16

With less than two weeks to go, the roundtable takes a look at the candidates' swing-state campaign sprint. Also, we analyze the foreign policy plans of both candidates after the final debate. Plus, we examine the battle for Senate control which rests in the hands of a few states. Joining Gwen: James Kitfield, National Journal; Gloria Borger, CNN; Molly Ball, The Atlantic; Susan Davis, USA Today.



Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018226  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:43:30

An election preview with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News; Mark Halperin of Time Magazine; John Harris of Politico; John Heilemann of New York Magazine; Cokie Roberts of NPR and ABC News and Matt Dowd of ABC News and Bloomberg News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018227  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/6/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:54

On the night of the presidential election, a discussion about America in 2012 with Amy Gutmann, president, the University of Pennsylvania; David Brooks of The New York Times; Jon Meacham, executive editor and executive vice president at Random House; Thomas L. Friedman of The New York Times; and Tom Brokaw of NBC.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018228  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:23:04

A look at the 2012 elections through the lens of history with historian Doris Kearns Goodwin, who also discusses her work on the film Lincoln with actor Daniel Day Lewis.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018228  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:29:58

A conversation with former White House chief of staff Bill Daley on the election and the challenges facing President Obama in his second term.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018229  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 00:00:00 AM

O.B. Date: 11/8/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:53:54

A rebroadcast of the November 6 discussion about America in 2012 with Amy Gutmann, president, the University of Pennsylvania; David Brooks of The New York Times; Jon Meacham, executive editor and executive vice president at Random House; Thomas L. Friedman of The New York Times; and Tom Brokaw of NBC.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018232  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/14/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:45:28

A discussion about the scandal surrounding general David Petraeus and his affair with his official biographer, Paula Broadwell, with David Ignatius of The Washington Post; Martha Raddatz, senior foreign affairs correspondent for ABC News; Norah O'Donnell of CBS This Morning; and John Miller, senior correspondent at CBS News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018233  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:19:37

An analysis of President Obama's first post-election press conference with Al Hunt of Bloomberg News; Martha Raddatz, senior foreign affairs correspondent for ABC News; and Julianna Goldman, chief White House correspondent for Bloomberg News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018234  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/16/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:58

A conversation about the changing Chinese leadership, its evolving economy and its relationship with the United States with Ian Bremmer, president and founder of The Eurasia Group; Richard McGregor of the Financial Times and author of The Party; and Jim Fallows of The Atlantic and author of China Airborne.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: EWAS 000000  
Series Title: Election 2012: What's at Stake  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:00:00

This special focuses on the most important issues at stake in the 2012 election. The program is a collaboration between Need to Know, PBS NewsHour, Frontline and Washington Week.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003022  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: Big Sky, Big Money  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/30/2012 9:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:50:38

In a special investigation in collaboration with “Marketplace,” FRONTLINE travels to the remote epicenter of the campaign finance debate for a tale of money, politics and intrigue. How has the Supreme Court’s Citizens United decision changed campaigns in America? Ask Montana, which has tried to challenge the ruling in court, is investigating alleged campaign abuses and is playing host to a bitter race that could decide control of the U.S. Senate. FRONTLINE correspondent and “Marketplace” host Kai Ryssdal reports.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: FRON 003101  
Series Title: Frontline  
Episode Title: The Choice 2012  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 10/9/2012 9:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 10/9/2012 9:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Barack Obama and Mitt Romney have crafted their campaign narratives, telling you who they are, what they’ve done and how they would lead America. But there’s more to their stories. In “The Choice 2012,” acclaimed FRONTLINE producer Michael Kirk (“Money, Power and Wall Street,” “Top Secret America”) documents the places, people and decisive moments that made the men who are competing for the presidency. Hundreds of hours of research and dozens of original interviews reveal new details and fresh insights about the two candidates — and our choice this November.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010489  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/1/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:33

Candidates, Spouses, Surrogates Stretch Out Across Seven States in Final Push: National polls show Mitt Romney and President Barack Obama in a dead heat. For every last minute until Election Day, the candidates will be on the trail fighting for an edge in the states considered too close to call. Judy Woodruff gets analysis from Politico’s Jonathan Martin and Bloomberg’s Margaret Talev.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:44

Outside Groups Outspending Political Campaigns in Competitive Senate Races: For the 2012 elections, Democrats and Republicans are focused on taking control of the Senate by winning a majority of seats. Jeffrey Brown talks to NPR's Tamara Keith, who breaks down the money -- millions of dollars -- being poured into competitive Senate races by political parties and, significantly, by outside groups.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:02

Campaigns Push Last-Minute Pleas on Twitter, Track Voter Online Browsing History: The campaigns are pushing their last get-out-the-vote drive on social media and via email. If you're online, you are probably being tracked by the Romney and Obama campaigns, who use browsing history to target voters. Margaret Warner gets the scoop from Daily Download's Howard Kurtz.

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NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:40

Slow Growth Is Biggest Economic Challenge Facing Incoming President: U.S. employers across various sectors are hiring, signaling slow but steady growth. Still, the unemployment rate rose in October and many Americans continue to leave the labor force completely. Jeffrey Brown talks to two economists, John Taylor and Austan Goolsbee, about what economic challenges the next president will face.

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NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:13

News Wrap: EPA Charges Korean Automakers Overstated Cars' Fuel Economy: In other news Friday, Korean companies Kia and Hyundai could be expected to pay car owners hundreds of millions of dollars for falsely advertising the fuel economy of 13 car models. Owners of nearly 900,000 vehicles, all sold in the last three years, could receive compensation.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59

Immigration Is Hot Topic in Iowa, Overlooked by Presidential Campaigns: Hispanics may be only 5 percent of Iowa's population, but that number represents a boom of 110 percent in 10 years, driven partly by the meat industry jobs. While immigration was a big topic for the Republican caucuses, Iowa Public Television's Paul Yeager reports on why the presidential candidates have been quiet on the issue.

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NOLA: MLNH 010490  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:12:59

Shields and Brooks on Latino Voters, Last-Minute Election Factors: Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for analysis on the top news of the week, including the chances of immigration reform being addressed in the next presidential term, the latest jobs numbers and the political aftermath of superstorm Sandy.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010491  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/5/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:06

A Day Before Election, Presidential Candidates Make Final Push in Battlegrounds: The candidates and their running mates made final stops in key battleground states to claim the last undecided voters. Ray Suarez reports on the Obama campaign's focus on getting supporters to the polls. Then Margaret Warner reports on the Romney campaign, which is counting on supporters' enthusiasm for an election win.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:52

Volunteers Hit the Pavement to Sway Last Undecided Voters in Ohio: In an election season colored by the intense negative tone of political ads, infantries of Obama and Romney campaign supporters hope to act as a positive force, making sure that everyone who has not yet voted early or by absentee ballot gets out to the polls on Election Day. Judy Woodruff reports.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:17

On Eve of Election, Making Campaign Assessments and Early Predictions: Gwen Ifill talks to Pew Research Center's Andy Kohut, the Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg and USA Today's Susan Page about the momentum leading into Election Day, plus historical trends that tend to signal which candidate will win a presidential election.

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NOLA: MLNH 010491  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:51

How Will Strict, Controversial Voter I.D. Laws Affect Poll Turnout and Access? Lawyers gear up to monitor polling stations on Election Day to ensure voter fraud is limited and voter rights are protected. Jeffrey Brown talks to The Associated Press' Curt Anderson and Brennan Center for Justice's Michael Waldman on what to expect, especially in light of legal battles on early voting and new voter I.D. laws.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010492  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/6/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:54:48

This special edition of the PBS NewsHour provided comprehensive coverage of the 2012 presidential and state elections.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:59

Mitt Romney Concedes Defeat: 'This Election Is Over but Our Principles Endure': Former Gov. Mitt Romney, Republican presidential candidate, concedes the 2012 election to Democratic incumbent President Barack Obama at a rally of his supporters at the Boston Convention Center in Massachusetts. Romney lost key swing states including Ohio, Colorado, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Wisconsin and Virginia.

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NOLA: MLNH 010493  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/7/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:20:37

President Barack Obama Wins Second Term, Says 'Best Is Yet to Come': Barack Obama accepts re-election as President of the United States at a rally of his supporters at the McCormick Place convention center in Chicago. President Obama led the 2012 election against Republican challenger former Massachusetts Gov. Mitt Romney after claiming victory in several swing states.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:38

For President Obama, Little Time to Enjoy Re-election Before Returning to Work: President Barack Obama returned to Washington after winning both the Electoral College and the popular vote in the 2012 election, but there was little time to savor the victory in the face of a potential fiscal crisis at the end of the year. Kwame Holman reports on the day after and Gwen Ifill Talks to Ray Suarez from Chicago.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:41

How They Did It: Political Tactics That Helped Obama Win a Second Term: President Obama secured a second term by building a massive ground game to move voters, and by running negative ads early in the campaign. Judy Woodruff talks to the Washington Post's Philip Rucker, The Wall Street Journal's Carol Lee and Slate's Sasha Issenberg about which tactics worked or failed in the costly 2012 elections.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:54

Despite Some Upsets by Dems, Party Balance in Congress Relatively Unchanged: The election outcome mostly maintains political status quo in Washington, but certain races were significant. Jeffrey Brown talks to Linda Killian of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and The Rothenberg Political Report's Stu Rothenberg for what this tells us about what voters want from their elected leaders.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News

Segment Length: 00:07:53

Shields and Brooks on Shifting Demographics, Future 'Grand Bargain': Judy Woodruff talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks for post-Election Day analysis about how changing demographics affected the election, plus how some politicians' ideological purity has obstructed necessary negotiations to fix the debt crisis, as well as the potential for a future 'grand bargain.'

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NOLA: MLNH 010494  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:04

With Election Over and Time Running Out, Washington Shifts Focus to Fiscal Cliff: Congress returns to Washington next week for a lame duck session to begin to tackle the threat of going over the "fiscal cliff." In the private sector, some business leaders are taking a more vocal stance on the debt crisis and have joined the Campaign to Fix the Debt. Judy Woodruff talks to Aetna CEO Mark T. Bertolini.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:22

Will the Republican Party Learn to Adapt and Appeal to a Changing Electorate? Election exit polls show that Republicans failed to earn votes from the growing demographics of minorities and young people. Jeffrey Brown talks to strategist Leslie Sanchez, FreedomWorks' Matt Kibbe and super PAC Y-G Action Fund's Brad Dayspring about how the GOP needs to change the way it explains its platform.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010495  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:16:24

Will Taxes Be Sticking Point in Debate Over How to Tackle Federal Budget? President Obama urged lawmakers to avoid a showdown over taxes, spending and debt, and Congress readied to begin negotiations on balancing the federal budget. Jeffrey Brown talks to Sen. Ben Cardin, D-Md., and Sen. Bob Corker, R-Tenn., about whether compromise between Democrats and Republicans will come before the end of 2012.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS



Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:23

News Wrap: Supreme Court to Review Challenge of Voting Rights Act of 1965: In other news Friday, the U.S. Supreme Court announced it will hear a constitutional challenge to part of the Voting Rights Act of 1965. The law as it stands now, requires all or parts of 16 states with a history of racial discrimination to get federal approval for changes to election rules or districts.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:37

David Petraeus Resigns From CIA After Revealing Extramarital Affair: In a surprise resignation, CIA director and retired four-star General David Petraeus announced he would step down after admitting to an extramarital affair. Ray Suarez talks to the Washington Post's Greg Miller and retired Army Col. Peter Mansoor about Petraeus' career and the sensitive nature of leading the CIA.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:14:10

Shields and Brooks Talk Petraeus, Fiscal Cliff and Obama's Emotional Gratitude: NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the top news of the week, including the legacy of David Petraeus' career, whether taxes need to be increased for the health of the economy, the role President Barack Obama must play to encourage compromise in Congress, and Obama's emotional thanks to campaigners.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:14:47

As Details Emerge on Petraeus Affair, Fallout May Echo Far Beyond Resignation: After David Petraeus resigned from his post as director of the CIA last week, details of his extramarital affair with biographer Paula Broadwell continued to materialize. Jeffrey Brown reports on the affair, the FBI investigation and the fallout. Gwen Ifill talks to three guests about national implications of the scandal.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:52

Top U.S. Commander in Afghanistan Investigated as Part of Petraeus Affair: Another high-ranking military officer may somehow be involved in the Petraeus affair scandal. Jeffrey Brown talks to the Washington Post's Sari Horowitz about an investigation into messages sent by Gen. John Allen to Jill Kelley, the woman who received harassing emails from Paula Broadwell, David Petraeus' lover and biographer.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:14:25

Should Lawmakers and White House Have Been Warned of Petraeus Investigation? When the Petraeus news hit, congressional leaders bemoaned not being notified beforehand. Gwen Ifill talks to Jane Harman, former ranking Democrat on the House Intelligence Committee, and former Justice Department official Matthew Miller about when and if Congress and the president should be briefed on such investigations.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:20

News Wrap: U.S. General Demoted for Spending Thousands on Lavish Expenses: In other news Tuesday, Defense Secretary Leon Panetta demoted Gen. William "Kip" Ward from a four-star to three-star Lt. General after an investigation found Ward had spent \$82,000 on extravagant travel and other expenses, including using military vehicles to transport his wife for shopping trips.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:58

Congress Returns to Washington to Aim For Balanced Budget in Lame-Duck Session: With the ceremonial welcomes of newly-elected members of Congress, members of the House and Senate hope to find a solution to avert the country from sequestration -- the triggered tax increases of \$500 billion and spending cuts of \$109 billion scheduled for January. Judy Woodruff talks to PRI's Todd Zwillich for more.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:49

Progressive Groups Weigh In on President Obama's Plans to Prevent Sequestration: President Barack Obama is meeting with conservative and progressive leaders to gather input on how to avoid going over the "fiscal cliff." Jeffrey Brown talks to National Education Association's Dennis Van Roekel and Moveon.org's Justin Ruben, progressive leaders who met with President Obama at the White House this week.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:59

Obama Addresses Press on Budget Concerns, Syria, Immigration and Climate Change: In his first post-election press conference, President Obama addressed the White House Press Corps on a range of issues, including the so-called "fiscal cliff," the resignation of former CIA director David Petraeus, immigration reform, climate change and more. Kwame Holman reports the highlights of the president's remarks.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:00

News Wrap: Rep. Nancy Pelosi Will Retain Role as House Minority Leader: In other news Wednesday, Rep. Nancy Pelosi announced she would run again for the position of House Minority Leader, with Democrats backing her leadership. Also, word broke that former CIA director David Petraeus will testify about the attacks on the U.S. Consulate in Benghazi, Libya at an upcoming Senate hearing.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:29

What Happens When U.S. Military Leaders Fail to Live Up to High Expectations: Americans hold U.S. military officers to a high ethical standard and propriety. Judy Woodruff talks to Richard Kohn of the University of North Carolina and retired Col. Andrew Bacevich on whether these standards are reasonable and why the U.S. is fascinated by the recent scandals of Generals like David Petraeus and John Allen.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:00

President Obama's Second Term Agenda Begins With Stressing Compromise on Budget: With automatic spending cuts and tax increases scheduled to hit in January 2013, President Barack Obama hopes to find a "grand bargain" solution to U.S. budget woes. Gwen Ifill talks to Sen. Dick Durbin, D-Ill., and Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchinson, R-Texas, about President Obama's latest efforts to push compromise on Capitol Hill.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:10:41

In One Family's Tragic Meningitis Story, Support for More Policing of Pharmacies: Diana Reed, a 56-year-old Tennessee woman who was caretaker for her husband Wayne, died suddenly of fungal meningitis after receiving tainted steroids for neck pain. Cases like Reed's have put regulatory oversight on compounding pharmacies into question, with the FDA saying it needs more authority to help keep consumers safe.

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NOLA: MLNH 010499  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/15/2012 7:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:29

News Wrap: Former CIA Director Petraeus Denies Leaking Classified Materials: In other news Thursday, former CIA director David Petraeus denied he gave any classified information to Paula Broadwell, with whom he had an extramarital affair. The CIA announced it would investigate Petraeus' conduct, and Defense Secretary Leon Panetta said the military was reviewing its training for senior commanders.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: NETK 000260  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 8:30:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 8:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:17

Dubuque, Iowa: For months now, Americans have been bombarded with more political advertising than ever as the candidates try to convince voters that they understand and know what's best for the people who live and work in "Main Street" America.

This week, Need to Know's John Larson reports from Dubuque, Iowa — a town in a swing state worth six electoral votes in the road to the White House.

Why Dubuque? It's not your average "Main Street" town. Dubuque's been called "Little Rome" because it boasts such a strong Catholic population, that the town is considered a barometer for the Catholic vote nationwide.

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NOLA: NETK 000261  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 8:30:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:08

Now that the election is over — what comes next? Need to Know anchor Jeff Greenfield looks at the policy implications of President Obama winning a second term in office.

Among those interviewed are former New York Times columnist Bob Herbert and Time magazine columnist Rana Foroohar.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNEL 000000  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour Election Night 2012: A Special Report  
Length: 240 minutes  
Airdate: 11/6/2012 8:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/6/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

NEWSHOUR senior correspondents Gwen Ifill and Judy Woodruff co-anchor live gavel-to-gavel coverage of election results.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001609  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 1:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Southern Baptist Relief and Hurricane Sandy: The destruction caused by Hurricane Sandy "is just as much a physical crisis as it is a spiritual and emotional crisis for people," says Mike Ebert of the Southern Baptist Convention's relief arm. Religion in the 2012 Election: The God gap was alive and well this year in American politics, according to one professor of political science. White evangelicals, Catholics, Mormons, and a growing number of religiously unaffiliated voters all played a part in Election 2012. Black Churches and Same-Sex Marriage: Is the same-sex-marriage debate in black churches really about religion, the Bible, or equal rights? The issue has divided many pastors and their congregations. Vigil of All Saints: "Not only are we pointing to these different saints and celebrating all of the good things during their lives, but we're hopefully encouraging one another to become the saints of this age," says Fr James Cuddy, formerly of the Dominican House of Studies and now the chaplain of Providence College.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001610  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/11/2012 1:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine

Segment Length: 00:00:00

Election 2012: Religion and the Results: There was more than one message on Election Day when it came to the role of evangelicals, Catholics, and Mormons in politics and the place of economic, social, and cultural issues as the fiscal cliff approaches. Chabad Relief and Hurricane Sandy Aftermath: The Chabad Center of the Five Towns in Cedarhurst, New York has been providing up to 2,000 meals every day. The Mission Continues: Former US Navy SEAL, humanitarian, and nonprofit founder Eric Greitens says the lessons of Judaism have shaped his life and taught him about humanity's duty to repair the world.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002726  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/5/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/6/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Oliver Stone; Peter Kuznick, Part 1: The Oscar-winning filmmaker and noted historian explain their collaboration on the text and companion Showtime project, The Untold History of the United States, and bring some historical perspective to this year's presidential race.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002728  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/7/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/8/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Talk show host Larry King: The iconic talk show host weighs in on the results of the White House race.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002729  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/8/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/9/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

'Democracy Now!' host Amy Goodman: The Democracy Now! host looks ahead to the next four years, particularly for progressives, and discusses her book on politics, The Silenced Majority.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002731  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/12/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/13/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Journalist Thomas Ricks: The Pulitzer Prize winner explains his new book, *The Generals*, and offers his thoughts on the resignation of Gen. David Petraeus.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TASM 002732  
Series Title: Tavis Smiley  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/13/2012 11:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/14/2012  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:26:42

Writer Frank Rich: The former New York Times Op-Ed columnist gives his take on election 2012.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002134  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/4/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 11/4/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

Election 2012 Preview: Election 2012 Preview: We ask which candidate is better for women from two of the women who know the candidates best, Former U.S. Treasurer Bay Buchanan and Obama campaign insider Karine Jean-Pierre. Marriage Equality: Voters in four states will decide whether to take the plunge and vote on same sex marriage this election season

Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC)  
The Heritage Foundation's Genevieve Wood  
National Organization for Women Vice President Erin Matson  
Hispanic Leadership Network Executive Director Jennifer Sevilla Korn

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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:30

Returning Women Veterans: Women Make History: As record number of women take office in Senate and the House this January, we look at what their win means to women. The Women's Vote: Women who are 54% of the electorate voted in record numbers and they voted overwhelmingly for President Barack Obama this election. Coming Home: The challenges faced by disabled women veterans as they transition from active duty to civilian life.

Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC)  
FOX News Political Analyst Angela McGlowan  
Women's Campaign Fund President Siobhan "Sam" Bennett  
Republican Commentator Mercedes Viana Schlapp

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005218  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/2/2012 8:00:00 PM

O.B. Date: 11/2/2012 8:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:20

In our last show before Election Day, we take a look at the final campaign sprint in a close election. Also, Hurricane Sandy hit the eastern United States and influences the last week of the race. Also, a look at the new unemployment numbers. Joining Gwen: Jackie Calmes, New York Times; John Harris, Politico; John Harwood, CNBC and New York Times; Amy Walter, ABC News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005219  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/9/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:19

The roundtable analyzes how President Obama was re-elected and how changing demographics played a key role. Also, we examine the looming fiscal cliff crisis. Plus, we look at the resignation of CIA Director David Petraeus after admitting to an affair. Joining Gwen: Jeff Zeleny, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and PBS; Dan Balz, Washington Post; Beth Reinhard, National Journal.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018236  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/20/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/19/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:15:15

A conversation with The Washington Post's David Ignatius on the ongoing controversy over the U.S. response to the terrorist attack on the U.S. embassy in Benghazi, Libya.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018237  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/21/2012 00:00:00 AM  
O.B. Date: 11/20/2012 11:00:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:29:41

Continued coverage of the Israel and Hamas conflict with Rashid Khalidi of Columbia University; Elliot Abrams of the Council on Foreign Relations; and Dennis Ross of The Washington Institute for Near East Policy.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: DUSB 000102  
Series Title: Dust Bowl; The  
Episode Title: Reaping the Whirlwind  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 11/19/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS



Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Reaping the Whirlwind: In the second episode of Ken Burns's DUST BOWL, experience the gradual relief as the families of the plains seek new lives in California and government conservation efforts — and a break in the drought in 1939 — eventually stabilize the soil and bring the farms back to life, but with dangers of another Dust Bowl facing future generations.

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NOLA: MLNH 010500  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:10

How Did Latest Escalation Between Israel and Hamas Begin? Jeffrey Brown talks to Al Arabiya's Hisham Melham and University of Haifa's Dan Schueftan about how the latest escalation between Israel and Hamas got started and what the U.S. role in the conflict should be.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:48

Colo. Voters Legalize Pot, But State Is Anxious Over U.S. Government's Reaction: On Election Day, Colorado voters approved a ballot initiative making recreational marijuana legal, to be regulated and taxed by the state. But law enforcement officials anticipate regulation will be difficult, even with legalization, because pot is still illegal at the federal level. Colorado Public Radio's Megan Verlee reports.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:18

Campaigns Get Lower Scores From Americans Grading 2012 Presidential Race: Following the 2012 presidential campaign, the Pew Research Center surveyed 1,200 voters to grade the performance of the candidates and the media and to assess public opinion on the outcome. Hari Sreenivasan talks to Pew Research Center's Andy Kohut about the poll results, which show voters were largely pessimistic.

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Format: News

Segment Length: 00:11:42

Brooks and Marcus on Campaign Negativity, Government 'Gifts' and Gaza Conflict: Judy Woodruff talks to the New York Times' David Brooks and the Washington Post's Ruth Marcus about the lack of substantive rhetoric in the 2012 presidential election, comments by Mitt Romney that voters chose President Obama for "gifts," chances of fiscal cliff compromise and the violent conflict between Israel and Hamas.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:55

Daily Download: Obama Spent 10 Times as Much on Social Media as Romney: Ray Suarez talks to Daily Download's Howard Kurtz and Lauren Ashburn about a 10-to-1 spending gap on social media between the Obama and Romney campaigns, as well as the shifting role Facebook and Twitter played in how voters expressed their political leanings in their communities.

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NOLA: MLNH 010501  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:08

President Obama Travels to Myanmar, Saluting a Long Struggle for Freedom: For nearly 50 years, Myanmar was ruled by military dictatorship. But the country's leadership has made a rapid about-face in the last two years, pressing sweeping reforms transitioning towards democracy, reducing corruption and increasing transparency. Ray Suarez reports on President Obama's historic trip to the country.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:10

With President Obama's Visit, Myanmar Looks Towards Greater Democracy: President Obama's trip is the first time that a U.S. president has visited Myanmar. Ray Suarez talks to retired foreign service officer Priscilla Clapp and Human Rights Watch's Tom Malinowski for analysis on whether reforms are aggressive enough to establish a strong democracy and reduce ethnic conflict in Myanmar.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS

Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:54

Maine's Incoming Independent Senator Angus King on Caucusing With the Dems: Angus King is one of two Independents in the incoming U.S. Senate, after winning a seat in Maine held for 18 years by retiring Republican Sen. Olympia Snowe. King is expected to caucus with senate Democrats. Jeffrey Brown spoke to the senator-elect after his election win.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:54

Hillary Clinton Arrives in Mideast Intent on Brokering End to Escalated Violence: Secretary of State Hillary Clinton arrived in Jerusalem to reaffirm U.S. support for Israel and to press for immediate cease-fire. Independent Television News' John Ray and John Irvine report from Gaza and southern Israel on more airstrikes and rocket fire despite efforts by Egypt and others to support a diplomatic solution.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:09:02

Players in Israel-Gaza Truce Talks Face 'Complicating' Regional Realities: As the Israel-Hamas conflict continues and pressure for peace rises, some factors complicate the negotiation process. Jeffrey Brown talks to Washington Institute for Near East Policy's Dennis Ross and Brookings Institution's Khaled Elgindy about Egypt's prominent role, failures of old U.S. policy and the rise of political Islam.

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Segment Length: 00:05:58

U.S. House Race Results Lacked Surprise, But May Have Psychological Impact: Though Democrats won a net gain of eight U.S. House seats during the 2012 elections, Republicans maintained their majority control and, for the most part, the status quo. Judy Woodruff talks to Rothenberg Political Report's Nathan Gonzales about why the results of U.S. House seat bids lacked major surprises and drama.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:48

White House Sets New Insurance Rules for Benefits Coverage: The Obama administration released new rules outlining what insurers on federal- or state-run insurance exchanges must cover as essential health benefits. Ray Suarez talks to Health Affairs' Susan Dentzer about how states are reacting to further implementation of the Affordable Care Act after the president's re-election.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: MLNH 010503  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 11/21/2012 7:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:28

With Cease-fire, Examining Prospects for Lasting Peace in Middle East: Will the cease-fire reached Wednesday between Israel and Hamas hold? Ray Suarez talks to former State Department official Nicholas Burns and Hisham Melham of Al Arabiya about the prospects for long-term peace and the crucial diplomatic roles played by the United States, Egypt and other Middle Eastern neighbors.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:45

Big Donors Saw Diminishing Returns in Most Expensive Election in History: What can we learn from the record-breaking \$6 billion spent by candidates, parties and outside groups in the 2012 election? Judy Woodruff talks to Roll Call's Eliza Newlin Carney and Matea Gold of the Los Angeles Times about where all that money came from, who saw the best investment return and the future of campaign spending.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:48

Senator-Elect Tim Kaine 'Heartened' by Openness to Bipartisan Budget Solutions: Judy Woodruff sat down with former Virginia Gov. Tim Kaine, newly elected to the U.S. Senate. The Democratic lawmaker discusses his optimism for Congress being able to work across the aisle, his hopes for finding the right way to balance the budget and making compromises on tax cuts for the wealthiest Americans.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Shields and Brooks on Mideast Turmoil, Obama in Asia, Giving Thanks for Politics: Jeffrey Brown and NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the week's top political news, including the U.S. role in an evolving and conflicted Middle East, President Obama's trip to Asia, criticism of Ambassador Susan Rice, Jesse Jackson Jr.'s resignation and what they are thankful for in U.S. politics.

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Hinging on Supervisor Definition, Supreme Court Reviews Work Harassment Case: The Supreme Court heard arguments in a case about work harassment that depends on defining who is considered a supervisor and who is considered a co-worker. Jeffrey Brown talks to The National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle about the case and how the ruling will likely affect how liabilities are measured by employers.

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Young Voters Played Critical Role in Obama Re-Election Despite Dip in Support: A new study shows that despite a dip in support since the last election, young voters were crucial in helping propel President Barack Obama to re-election. Ray Suarez talks to Michael Dimock of the Pew Research Center about who makes up the so-called "youth vote" and what factors played into that demographic's election choices.

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In Efforts to Find a Budget Solution, Lawmakers Debate Tax Hikes, Entitlements: Congress and the White House face an uphill battle in forging a federal budget solution in order to avoid the automatic sequestration cuts in January 2013. Jeffrey Brown talks to House Representatives Keith Ellison, D-Minn., and Tom Price, R-Ga., about the likely proposals, challenges and compromises expected.

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News Wrap: Ambassador to the U.N. Susan Rice Addresses Senate Critics: In other news Tuesday, U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations Susan Rice met with Sens. Lindsey Graham, John McCain and Kelly Ayotte, who have been critical of Rice's initial explanation of the attacks on a U.S. Consulate in Benghazi, Libya. The Republican lawmakers said their impressions had not changed after their meeting.

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Obama Meets Mexican President-Elect Nieto to Discuss War on Drugs, Immigration: President Obama sat down with Mexican President-Elect Enrique Pena Nieto -- set to take office later this week -- to discuss many subjects, including the uptick in drug violence in Mexico and along the U.S. border, illegal immigration, and economic and trade opportunities between the two countries. Ray Suarez reports.

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How U.S.-Mexico Relations May Shift Under President-Elect Enrique Pena Nieto: Pressing agenda items for President Obama's second term and incoming Mexican President Enrique Pena Nieto will include economic relations, energy cooperation and security, especially drug trafficking and violence. Ray Suarez talks to Shannon O'Neil of Council on Foreign Relations and Michael Shifter of Inter-American Dialogue.

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America's Historical Struggle With Debt and the Role of Federal Government: Between paying now or paying later, Americans have just about always preferred debt to taxes. Paul Solman talks to Simon Johnson of the MIT Sloan School of Management about his new book "White House Burning," which chronicles the history -- including the whys and wherefores, virtues and vices -- of U.S. debt.

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Utah Makes Deal For Private Gas Drilling on Pristine Public Land: White River, Utah, attracts adventurers for its gorgeous vistas and rare solitude. But proposals to drill for natural gas on the public land worry environmentalists and Native American tribes. Ray Suarez tells of efforts by energy companies and the federal government to strike a deal to drill and protect the environment.

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Obama Optimistic for Finding a Budget Solution Before the Holidays: President Barack Obama urged Congress to find a solution to averting sequestration before Christmas and both Democrats and Republicans seemed optimistic about doing so. But congressional leaders on both sides of the aisle also seemed to hold firm their established stances on social security and taxes. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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Palestinians Seek United Nations Status Upgrade Despite U.S. Qualms: The Palestinian Authority -- with support from its militant Islamist rival, Hamas -- will ask for a status upgrade at the United Nations, stopping short of full recognition. Margaret Warner reports on the international reaction and U.S. fears that this development will diminish chances of productive peace efforts with Israel.

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As Immigration Reform Returns to Agenda, Republicans Counter With 'Achieve Act': Two retiring Republican senators have introduced a new plan for immigration reform that grants legal status but not citizenship to young illegal immigrants brought to the U.S. by their parents. Ray Suarez talks to Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchinson, R-Tex., one of the authors of the plan, and Rep. Luis Gutierrez, D-Ill.

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Daily Download: How Obama Is Reusing Digital Info Gathered During Campaign: Jeffrey Brown talks to Daily Download's Howard Kurtz and Lauren Ashburn, who explain how the White House is using the massive amounts of digital information gathered by the Obama re-election campaign to promote the president's fiscal agenda.

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News Wrap: Lawmakers From Both Parties Charge Lack of Fiscal Fix Specifics: In other news Thursday, House Speaker John Boehner claimed the White House hadn't yet provided details on where spending cuts would come from to balance the budget. The White House responded by charging that Republicans had failed to say what tax increases they could tolerate in order to fix America's long-term deficit.

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Talking Revenue, Filibuster Reform and Transition to Senate With Jeff Flake: Ray Suarez talks to U.S. Representative turned Senator-elect Jeff Flake, R-Ariz., who will take over retiring Jon Kyl's seat in the Senate. Flake reflects on his hopes for the next term, including how he plans to work across party lines in the Senate to find solutions to U.S. budget issues.

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Obama Sticks to His Guns, But Congress Negotiations on Deficit Deal 'Go Nowhere': President Barack Obama took to the road to promote his fiscal agenda, repeating his support for increased taxes on the wealthy. While Democrats in Washington supported the president's proposals, Congressional Republicans warned a deadlock is forming around bipartisan efforts to reach a deficit deal. Margaret Warner reports.

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Senators Spar Over Filibusters, Blaming Rules for Constant Partisan Gridlock: Going into a high-stakes confrontation over the federal deficit and fiscal cliff, Democrats have begun to push for filibuster reform, citing it as a barrier to progress. Kwame Holman looks back at the history of the filibuster, how that strategy has evolved and what it may mean for congressional progress and bipartisanship.

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2012 World AIDS Day: Strides Taken Towards Cure, But Daunting Hurdles Remain: In 2012, 34 million people are living with AIDS worldwide. That's both good news and bad news. Ray Suarez talks to National Institutes of Health's Dr. Anthony Fauci about accomplishments by the medical and public health communities to address HIV/AIDS and what must be done in the future to continue curtailing transmission.

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Shields and Brooks on Obama's Bargaining Skills, Fiscal Mandates and Filibusters: Jeffrey Brown talks to NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks about President Obama's repeated push to increase revenue by taxing the wealthy, the lack of constructive debate in Congress to solve America's long-term deficit, possible filibuster reform and continued criticism of UN Ambassador Susan Rice.

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NOLA: NETK 000262  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:24:38

The election was more than a week ago, but the debate continues about the extraordinary amount of money spent during the campaign season, an estimated \$6 billion.

Of course the huge increase in campaign spending follows the Supreme Court's 2010 Citizens United ruling, that 5-4 decision written by Justice Anthony Kennedy said restrictions on independent spending by corporations and unions to support candidates violated their constitutional guarantees of free speech. In his dissent Justice John Paul Stevens warned then that the ruling threatens to undermine the integrity of elected institutions across the nation.

So has it? Will it? And are there other electoral reforms we should consider? That's our focus this week.

Panelists include Monica Youn, David Keating, Richard Brookhiser and Scott Murphy.

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Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:13

Need to Know rebroadcasts a report documenting the death of an illegal immigrant who was beaten and tased by U.S. border patrol agents. The story prompted a federal grand jury investigation and a review by the Department of Homeland Security about the use of force by border patrol agents. Scott Simon hosts.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002102  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/2012 12:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Women's History Month Special: In honor of Women's History Month, watch our specials from the past including interviews with Academy Award winning actress Meryl Streep on her Oscar winning role as British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and Justice Sandra Day O'Connor speaks about her historic appointment to the Supreme Court. Also featuring interviews with Nancy Pelosi, when she was the first female Speaker of the House, and the most honored African-American woman in the civil rights movement, Dr. Dorothy Height. And the story of a female Pharaoh.

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:29

Women Win Big: Flanked by the record number of Democratic women in the House of Representatives, Rep. Nancy Pelosi says she wants to remain House minority leader. Birth Control Economics: A new United Nations report on population says access to contraception could boost the world's economy by almost six billion dollars. Marianne Williamson: The bestselling author and motivational speaker wants to change the way women talk about politics.

Panelists:

Former U.S. treasurer Bay Buchanan  
Women's Campaign Fund president Siobhan "Sam" Bennet  
Conservative commentator Tara Setmayer  
National Council of Negro Women executive director Avis Jones-DeWeever

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NOLA: WWIR 005220  
Series Title: Washington Week

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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
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With a looming fiscal cliff, we look at the potential for compromise between President Obama and Congress. Also, former CIA director David Petraeus agreed to testify about the terrorist attacks in Benghazi. Plus, Romney's post-election analysis. Joining Gwen: Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Wessel, Wall Street Journal; Helene Cooper, New York Times; and Charles Babington, Associated Press

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NOLA: WWIR 005221  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:44

The panelists review the role of the Obama administration in brokering the Israeli-Hamas ceasefire agreement in Gaza. Also, we examine the post-election politics behind the looming fiscal cliff crisis. Plus, what factors could slow down the U.S. economic recovery. Joining Pete Williams of NBC News: Peter Baker, New York Times; Molly Ball, The Atlantic; and Jim Tankersley, National Journal.

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NOLA: WWIR 005222  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:43

Fiscal cliff negotiations between Congress and the White House have reached a standstill as both sides clash over spending cuts and tax increases. Also, the potential nomination of Susan Rice to succeed Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State has left Obama and Republicans at a political stalemate. Joining Gwen: Gloria Borger, CNN; Michael Viqueira, NBC News; Susan Davis, USA Today.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: AMMS 002306  
Series Title: American Masters  
Episode Title: Lennon NYC  
Length: 120 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Lennon NYC is the story of one of the most famous and influential artists of the 20th century and how he found redemption not in the public adoration he craved as a youth, but in the quiet and simple pleasures of fatherhood. It is also a New York immigrant's tale. Lennon came to New York City in 1971 seeking what every other immigrant has sought: freedom - the freedom to be himself and not "Beatle John", the freedom to live a normal life.

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NOLA: COSE 018246  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/4/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
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An update on the conflict in Syria and reports of heightened activity in that country's chemical weapons sites with Eric Schmitt of The New York Times.

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NOLA: COSE 018247  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
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An hour with Robert Gates, the former secretary of defense, on his current book project and the foreign policy challenges facing America, including the possibility of the use of chemical weapons in Syria, his concern about the welfare of American veterans, the proliferation of weapons technologies, Iran's pursuit of nuclear capability, the unintended consequences of military actions, the unsteady regime leading China, the U.S. battle of ideas with terrorist groups, the changing role of the CIA, and his experience of the dramatic killing of Bin Laden.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
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An interview with Stuart Stevens, Mitt Romney's controversial top campaign strategist in the presidential elections, who argues that the election was less about media strategy than the differences between Republican and Democratic principles.

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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:41

Julianna Goldman of Bloomberg News tells us about her interview with the president, his first since being re-elected, in which he discussed the importance of tax increases for the wealth and rejected the speaker of the House's most recent counter-proposal.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes

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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:22:42

A conversation with Garrison Keillor, author and host of the popular radio program A Prairie Home Companion, on aging and the loss of family members, his decision to continue the show and delay his retirement, the joy of writing, his concern about the extreme partisanship of current politics, his admiration for musicians, and his recent performance of his love sonnets at the New York Philharmonic.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:14:04

Norm Ornstein, resident scholar at the American Enterprise Institute, on his book It's Even Worse than it Looks: How the American Constitutional System Collided with the New Politics of Extremism.

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Segment Length: 00:11:21

White House, House Republicans Face Off Over Competing Deficit Reduction Plans: House speaker John Boehner wrote to President Obama to reject a White House plan to raise tax rates for the wealthiest Americans, suggesting instead a counter-offer that raises Medicare eligibility age. Gwen Ifill talks to Erskine Bowles about his deficit reduction plan and how it differs from current proposals on the table.

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News Wrap: U.N. Pulls Out Non-essential Staff From Syria Due to Safety Concerns: In other news Monday, the United Nations announced plans to remove all non-essential staff from Syria as concerns grow over safety given that country's civil war. Meanwhile, President Obama warned the Assad regime against crossing a "red line" of using its increased stockpiles of chemical weapons in the current conflict.

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Israel's West Bank Settlement Expansion Prompts Diplomatic Frustration: A day after the United Nations voted to grant Palestinians non-member "observer" status, Israel announced it was going to begin construction on additional settlements in the West Bank. Ray Suarez reports on the response from the State Department and leaders in Europe, who voiced concern the move would jeopardize peace prospects.

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Format: News  
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Obama Says No Deal If Fiscal Plan Doesn't Include Tax Rate Increase on the Rich: President Obama said there would be no budget deal unless Republicans agreed to tax increases for the wealthiest Americans. Meanwhile, Republicans say their plan would close tax loopholes without rate hikes. Kwame Holman reports on the impasse to avert an economic plunge triggering automatic spending cuts and tax increases.

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Paul Krugman: Hasty Fiscal Fix to the Deficit Would Cause 'Austerity Bomb': Though Republicans claim \$2.2 trillion would be saved by their plan for long-term deficit reduction, economist Paul Krugman calls it a "vapor plan," with few details on where savings will come from. Gwen Ifill talks to Krugman about why he thinks reducing the deficit too fast could push the economy back into recession.

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Obama Rejects Future Debt Ceiling Limits as Fiscal Cliff Negotiation Point: Reports of Republicans considering a tax rate hike in exchange for spending cuts next year prompted President Obama to reject linking the fiscal cliff to future debt ceiling limits. Judy Woodruff talks to Sen. Bob Corker, R-Tenn., who is optimistic for positive progress and hopes shared by all parties for a responsible outcome.

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Preventing Syrian Chemical Weapons Threat From Becoming Deadly Reality: Though the White House and State Department made statements about the possibility of Syria deploying chemical weapons against rebels, much remains unknown about when, how and what combination of chemicals might be used by Assad's forces. Jeffrey Brown talks to Leonard Spector of the Monterey Institute of International Studies.

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White House Debt Ceiling Authority Demand Roils Senate Republicans: Though talks progressed as President Obama and House Speaker Boehner spoke on the phone, Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithner said the White House would be willing to go over the fiscal cliff if Republicans refused a tax rate hike. The president roiled tempers on Capitol Hill over debt ceiling authority. Judy Woodruff reports.

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An Argument Against Seeking Fiscal Fix in Cuts to Medicare and Social Security: Republicans have proposed changes to so-called entitlements such as social security and Medicare to reduce the U.S. deficit. But Max Richtman of the National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare says these aren't entitlements, but earned benefits. He tells Judy Woodruff why these programs shouldn't be changed.

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Secretary of State Meets with Russian Official to Push for End to Syria's War: Secretary of State Hillary Clinton held surprise talks with Russia's foreign minister to discuss continued unrest in Syria. While Russia stated that no hard decisions were made, these discussions may be the first sign of unified diplomatic action to stop violence between rebels and government troops. Jeffrey Brown reports.

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Syrian Opposition, International Community Strategize for Ending War, Transition: As time seems to be running out for President Assad's government, how prepared is the Syrian opposition to take over? Jeffrey Brown talks to Fred Hof, former special adviser to Secretary of State Clinton, about the potential roles played by the U.N., the U.S. and Russia to end Syria's war and inspire a transition of leadership.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:11:36

Should U.S. Extend Unemployment Insurance Amid Federal Fiscal Uncertainty? Businesses added 146,000 jobs in November, but Paul Solman reports the 7.7 percent unemployment rate was partially driven by Americans leaving the workforce. Jeffrey Brown talks to National Employment Law Project's Judy Conti and Heritage Foundation's Bill Beech, who debate the pros and cons of extending unemployment insurance.

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News Wrap: Boehner Says There's 'No Progress to Report' on Fiscal Deal: In other news Friday, Washington's stalemate continues. House Speaker John Boehner announced that no noteworthy progress had been made in negotiations for a deal between House Republicans and the Obama administration to reduce America's long-term deficit before automatic tax hikes and spending cuts kick in come January.

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Supreme Court Agrees to Review Laws Banning Same-Sex Marriage: The Supreme Court announced plans to review challenges to two laws regarding same-sex marriage: a California state law and the federal Defense of Marriage Act's provision, which both define marriage as between a man and a woman. Margaret Warner looks at what's at stake with National Law Journal's Marcia Coyle.

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Shields and Brooks on Jobs Report, 'Fiscal Cliff' Negotiations and Jim DeMint: Judy Woodruff and NewsHour political analysts Mark Shields and David Brooks discuss the week's top political news, including the November jobs report, the U.S. budget negotiations and Sen. Jim DeMint's resignation for a job at the Heritage Foundation.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:36

Obama Makes Tax Hike Appeal in Detroit After Weekend Closed-Door Budget Talks: The president and House Speaker Boehner met face-to-face to discuss budget plans, saying "lines of communication" would remain open. Judy Woodruff talks to Washington Post reporter Lori Montgomery, who explains why politicians have chosen to keep deliberations private and what kind of deal may be forming behind closed doors.

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Segment Length: 00:08:08

Lawmakers Consider Cutting Tax Deductions to Bring Down the Deficit: While tax breaks are popular, their future may be limited. Congressional leaders are deliberating on how they can increase revenue in order to bring down the deficit, and deductions may be on the chopping block. Paul Solman explores write-offs for charitable donations, mortgage interest and state and local taxes.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:27

Secretary of Homeland Security Janet Napolitano Discusses Immigration Agenda: President Obama and Congress have stated immigration reform will be a top priority in the president's second term. Ray Suarez speaks with Secretary of Homeland Security Janet Napolitano about border security, comprehensive immigration reform and the role of Homeland Security to shape political agenda and legislation in Congress.

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News Wrap: Russia Unlikely to Pressure Syrian President Assad to Resign: In other news Tuesday, Russia seems to be resisting appeals made by the U.S. to apply pressure on Syrian President Bashar al-Assad to resign. A Russian newspaper reported that Moscow officials are convinced Assad will not leave office voluntarily, no matter what kind of pressure is applied.

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Segment Length: 00:08:42

Fiscally Conservative Democrat Rep. Allyson Schwartz Discusses Budget Options: Socially liberal and fiscally conservative, Rep. Allyson Schwartz, D-Penn., leads the centrist New Democratic Coalition, serving as a go-between between House leaders and moderate lawmakers. Gwen Ifill talks to the congresswoman for an update on budget negotiations and finding a solution before Christmas.

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Segment Length: 00:08:32

Art, China and Censorship According to Ai Weiwei: Ai Weiwei has spent his career creating art with a direct social and political message. His photos, sculptures and installations highlight issues like Chinese censorship and corruption. Jeffrey Brown reports on Ai's career and "According to What?" -- an exhibition of his work at the Hirshhorn Museum in Washington, D.C.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:02

U.S., International Governments Formally Recognize Syrian Rebel Coalition: The U.S. and more than 100 other countries formally recognized a new coalition of Syrian rebel groups known as the Syrian National Council. Meanwhile, rebels launched more attacks around the capital city Damascus and elsewhere. Gwen Ifill reports.

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As Syrian Rebels Receive Endorsement, Will They Also Get Military Assistance? While the endorsement of the Syrian National Council could pave the way for more international aid, questions remain over whether countries such as the U.S. will provide military assistance to rebels. Gwen Ifill talks to Atlantic Council's Fred Hof and National Defense University's Murhaf Juejati about what's next for Syria.

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Format: News  
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Anti-Tax Crusader Grover Norquist Compares Balanced Approach to 'Pink Unicorns': Since 1986, the Taxpayer Protection Pledge has been signed by politicians promising to oppose increases to the marginal income tax rate. But some Republicans say they may be willing to break the pledge to avoid the fiscal cliff. Judy Woodruff talks to pledge creator Grover Norquist, president of Americans for Tax Reform.

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Format: News  
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Alan Simpson's Social Media Appeal for Budget Discussion; Pope Joins Twitter: Gwen Ifill talks to the Daily Download's Howard Kurtz and Lauren Ashburn about news via social media, including a video by Alan Simpson calling on Americans to use social media to express their views on budget deal negotiations. Plus the Pope -- someone with a lot of followers even before joining Twitter -- starts tweeting.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:03:54

News Wrap: Susan Rice Withdraws From Consideration for Secretary of State: In other news Thursday, U.S. Ambassador to the U.N. Susan Rice withdrew her name from consideration as a replacement for outgoing Secretary of State Hillary Clinton. Rice received criticism from leading Republicans in Congress for what they cited as her poor response to attacks on a U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya.

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Segment Length: 00:06:22

Poll Shows Among Public President Obama Has Strong Hand for Budget Negotiations: While Republicans hold fast to the conviction that spending cuts -- not tax increases -- will fix America's debt problems, new polls reveal the public strongly supports President Obama's approach to the budget. Ray Suarez talks to Pew Research Center's Andy Kohut who says what Americans want most is compromise and balance.

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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:09

Lawmakers Consider Raising Medicare Age of Eligibility as Budget Compromise: Attempting to find a compromise for a budget deal, President Obama indicated he would be open to a GOP proposal to raise the Medicare eligibility age for future retirees from 65 to 67. Ray Suarez talks to Center for American Progress president Neera Tanden and Tevi Troy of the Hudson Institute, who debate the potential impact.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:02:39

Afghan and Pakistani Officials Meet to Discuss Border Conflicts and the Taliban: Defense Secretary Leon Panetta met with Afghan President Hamid Karzai to discuss a timeline for the withdrawal of U.S. troops from the region by 2014, putting pressure on Afghanistan to rectify its relationship with Pakistan and find a political solution to the ongoing conflict between the two countries. Margaret Warner reports.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:04:03

Obama and Boehner Meet Again; President Disappointed Over Rice Decision: Judy Woodruff talks to Margaret Talev of Bloomberg News for an update from the latest stories breaking from the White House, including U.N. Ambassador Susan Rice's decision to remove her name from secretary of State consideration, and White House budget discussions between President Obama and House Speaker Boehner.

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Format: News  
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President Obama Honors Shooting Victims, Families: 'Our Hearts Are Broken Today': A gunman entered Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Conn., and opened fire, killing at least 27, among whom 20 were children. In a press conference at the White House, President Obama spoke emotionally of the nation's sorrow for the many victims of the deadly shooting and their families.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:01:47

News Wrap: U.S. Contributes Troops, Missiles to NATO Protection for Turkey: In other news Friday, Defense Secretary Leon Panetta announced the United States will send patriot missiles and 400 U.S. troops to Turkey. American soldiers will be part of a larger NATO force meant to protect Turkey from possible Syrian missile attacks.

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More Than 100,000 Young Immigrants Granted Temporary Reprieve From Deportation: When Congress failed to pass the DREAM Act, President Obama issued the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program. The federal initiative has given young people, brought to the U.S. illegally before the age of 16, the chance to defer deportation. Ray Suarez profiles three young immigrants who have applied for the program.

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Shields and Brooks on Gun Control Policy, Susan Rice, 'Fiscal Cliff' Talks: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and New York Times columnist David Brooks talk to Judy Woodruff about the massacre at Sandy Hook Elementary School and ways to approach gun control policy, as well as Susan Rice's decision not to pursue the nomination for Secretary of State and the state of the 'fiscal cliff' conversations.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: NETK 000264  
Series Title: Need to Know  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/2012 8:30:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:25:13

Need to Know rebroadcasts a report documenting the death of an illegal immigrant who was beaten and tased by U.S. border patrol agents. The story prompted a federal grand jury investigation and a review by the Department of Homeland Security about the use of force by border patrol agents. Scott Simon hosts.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001615  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/16/2012 1:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:00:00

Christmas Gift Giving: "Christmas is about Jesus' birth and honoring Jesus with the priorities that Jesus would have in the world, especially amongst marginalized people. But what we've done is made it more about us," says Rev. Mike Slaughter. Same-Sex Marriage and the Supreme Court: "A state may enforce and dissolve a couple's marriage, but it cannot sanctify or bless it," according to a New York judge in one of the same-sex marriage cases the High Court will review next year.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005222  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 11/30/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:21:43

Fiscal cliff negotiations between Congress and the White House have reached a standstill as both sides clash over spending cuts and tax increases. Also, the potential nomination of Susan Rice to succeed Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State has left Obama and Republicans at a political stalemate. Joining Gwen: Gloria Borger, CNN; Michael Viqueira, NBC News; Susan Davis, USA Today.

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NOLA: WWIR 005223  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/7/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:13

President Obama and Speaker Boehner remain divided over fiscal cliff specifics as a solution appears distant. Also, Republican Senator Jim DeMint's decision to resign highlights a GOP intra-party squabbles. Plus, is threat of chemical weapons in Syria a game changer? Joining Gwen: Jackie Calmes, New York Times; Amy Walter, ABC News; Eamon Javers, CNBC; James Kitfield, National Journal.

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NOLA: WWIR 005224  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

Gun control debate is again at the forefront after a tragic Conn. school shooting. Amidst continued fiscal cliff talks, Susan Rice chooses not to pursue the Secretary of State nomination. Plus, the U.S. recognizes the Syrian opposition. Joining Gwen: Reid Wilson, National Journal Hotline; Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Sanger, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: AFNE 000000  
Series Title: After Newtown  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/21/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Event Coverage  
Segment Length: 00:56:28

After the tragedy at Sandy Hook Elementary School, PBS continues to analyze and illuminate the issues of access to guns and the politics of gun laws, mental illness in young adults, the science of detecting violent impulses, and how communities react to unspeakable tragedy and begin to heal. The special brings together the resources of the PBS NEWSHOUR, FRONTLINE, WASHINGTON WEEK, NEED TO KNOW and NOVA. Gwen Ifill anchors the broadcast, which will include studio interviews and insightful discussion with regular contributors to WASHINGTON WEEK.

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NOLA: COSE 018256  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/18/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:17:39

New York City mayor Michael Bloomberg shares his strong support for gun control in light of Friday's tragic shooting deaths of twenty students and six children at the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut.

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Series Title: Charlie Rose  
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Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:20:39

A conversation with Julian Castro, mayor of San Antonio, and Joaquin Castro, representative in the Texas Legislature, about their family's history of political activism.

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NOLA: COSE 018258  
Series Title: Charlie Rose

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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:36:10

George Osborne, Britain's chancellor of the exchequer, discusses his country's troubled economy, the possibility of leaving the European Union, and his current controversial austerity policy.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: COSE 018258  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/20/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:10

Richard Stengel, the managing editor of Time Magazine, discusses Time's decision to declare president Barack Obama person of the year for the second time.

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NOLA: COSE 018259  
Series Title: Charlie Rose  
Length: 60 minutes  
Airdate: 12/22/2012 00:00:00 AM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:16:23

An update on the new House Republican proposal in the fiscal cliff negotiations and other political issues with Julianna Goldman and Al Hunt of Bloomberg News.

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NOLA: FIRF 000000  
Series Title: First Freedom: The Fight for Religious Liberty  
Length: 90 minutes  
Airdate: 12/18/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Documentary  
Segment Length: 01:21:38

Hear the story of how the Founding Fathers raised the ideal of religious freedom to the level of a fundamental human right — told through re-enactments, the Founding Fathers' own words and the commentary of key experts. The documentary profiles the lives and times of the colonial Americans — including Jefferson, Franklin and Washington — who codified freedom of conscience for the first time in human history as an inalienable right protected by law.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Format: News



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Funerals Begin for Shooting Victims of Sandy Hook, New Details on Shooter Lanza: Funerals have begun for victims of last week's shooting at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Conn. Ray Suarez reports on President Obama's visit to the community and vigil address over the weekend, new details revealed about shooter Adam Lanza and how this tragic event is shaping discussion in Washington.

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Sen. Dianne Feinstein Readies to Reintroduce Expired Assault Weapons Ban: Sen. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif, has pledged to revive a law banning assault weapons at the opening of the next session of Congress. Gwen Ifill talks to Feinstein about the chances a new ban will pass after its 2004 expiration, and how it might eventually make weapons like those used in the Sandy Hook shooting less available.

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Revisiting U.S. Policy on Mental Health, Gun Control After Sandy Hook Tragedy: In the aftermath of the Sandy Hook shootings, Americans are discussing national policy on guns and mental health. Judy Woodruff gets four perspectives from gun control advocate Dan Gross, gun rights supporter David Kopel, psychologist and mental health expert Dr. Katherine Nordal and Columbia University's Dr. Irwin Redlener.

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Budget Plan Offers Laid Out in Negotiations, But Deal Remains Elusive: President Obama raised the threshold for higher tax rates to households making \$400,000 annually and offered spending cuts, but Republicans held that the White House's plans don't go far enough on spending cuts. Judy Woodruff talks to The Wall Street Journal's Carol Lee and WNYC's Todd Zwillich about the battle for an agreement.

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Gun Rights Supporter Sen. Mark Warner Says Tighter Firearms Laws Needed: As funerals continued for shooting victims in Newtown, Conn., the White House and congressional leaders called for new gun legislation. Gwen Ifill speaks with Sen. Mark Warner, D-Va., a strong supporter of the Second Amendment, who explained that while there may be no easy solution, "Enough is enough."

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Remembering Sen. Daniel Inouye, 88, Hawaii Statesman Since State's Birth: Since the state of Hawaii was admitted to the union in 1959, Daniel Inouye represented its constituents. A senator for nearly 50 years, Inouye died at the age of 88. Jeffrey Brown reports on the life and legacy of statesman, remembered as a life-long civil servant, World War II hero and consensus builder in Congress.

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President Obama Declares Gun Control Will Be a 'Central Issue' of Second Term: The White House stepped up its response to Sandy Hook by planning to give Congress recommendations on preventing mass shootings, from mental health services to gun control laws. Gwen Ifill talks to Gov. Pat Quinn, D-Ill., who is pushing for statewide bans in Illinois on assault weapons and high capacity ammunition magazines.

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Examining the Efficacy and Limitations of Gun Control Laws to Stop Violence: While lawmakers discuss what legislation could help prevent mass shootings like the one at Sandy Hook Elementary, Ray Suarez talks with UCLA School of Law's Adam Winkler and economist John Lott for debate on what potential legislative action could make a real impact on rates of gun-related crimes and violence.

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News Wrap: Obama Urges GOP to 'Peel Off Partisan War Paint' for Fiscal Fix: In other news Wednesday, President Obama said in a press conference that he and John Boehner are close to a budget deal. Mr. Obama said he had offered a compromise to Republicans of raising the tax rate increase threshold to incomes of \$400,000 or more.

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Report Finds State Dept. at Fault for 'Systemic Failures' of Benghazi Security: An outside accountability review board has released its report on the deadly Sept. 11, 2012, attack on the U.S. consulate in Benghazi, Libya. Jeffrey Brown examines the report, which blames the State Department for "systemic failures" in security that led to the deaths of four Americans.

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Providing Appropriate Security at Embassies and Preventing Future Attacks Abroad: The State Department was held responsible for the lack of embassy security and accurately measuring risks that led to attacks on the U.S. consulate in Libya. Jeffrey Brown talks to Reps. Ed Royce, R-Calif., and Eliot Engel, D-N.Y., who say what's important is not who is to blame but how to prevent such attacks in the future.

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Sen. Joe Lieberman Reflects on 24 Years in the Senate, Sandy Hook, Partisanship: Judy Woodruff talks to Sen. Joe Lieberman, I-Conn., who is retiring after 24 years in Congress. Lieberman reflects on the mass shooting at Sandy Hook and his proposal for a commission to review possible gun control laws, as well as the budget deal negotiations and Washington partisanship.

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Remembering Robert Bork: Law-and-Order Conservative, Supreme Court Nominee Judge: Federal judge and former solicitor general Robert H. Bork died at age 85 of complications from heart disease. A World War II and Korean War veteran, he is best known for his failed nomination for a U.S. Supreme Court and his conviction that judges should interpret the Constitution with the founders' "original intent" in mind.

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House GOP Opt for 'Plan B': Little Chance of Agreement Before Christmas: Prospects for a budget agreement before Christmas looked slim as the House moved towards a vote on Speaker John Boehner's plan for limiting tax increases by raising rates only for those making more than \$1 million. Jeffrey Brown talks to Norman Ornstein of American Enterprise Institute and political editor Christina Bellantoni.

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News Wrap: Sen. Daniel Inouye Lies in State at Capitol Rotunda: In other news Thursday, members of the House and Senate paid final respects to the late Sen. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, who passed away this week. His body lay in state in the Capitol Rotunda, an honor that has been bestowed on just 31 people in history.

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Hearings on Benghazi Attack Focus on Painful Lessons, Priorities, Party Politics: Congress heard testimony on the "painful lessons" of the Sept. 11 attacks on the U.S. Consulate in Benghazi after a report on systemic security failures made by State Department. Kwame Holman reports on the tough questions by Republicans on the early characterizations made by Susan Rice and other members of the administration.

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North Dakota's Sen.-Elect Heidi Heitkamp on Gun Control, Keystone Pipeline: Former North Dakota attorney general and the first female in that state elected to the Senate, Democratic Sen.-elect Heidi Heitkamp talks to Jeffrey Brown about how she might react as a legislator to the violent events in Newtown, Conn., her support for the Keystone Pipeline and what's ahead for budget negotiations in Congress.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:08:57

The Remaking of Obama Foreign Policy Team: Sen. John Kerry Up for Sec. of State: President Obama nominated Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., to replace Hillary Clinton as Secretary of State. The announcement came after U.N. Ambassador Susan Rice withdrew her name after some political contention. Jeffrey Brown discusses the upcoming Cabinet changes with journalist James Mann and The Washington Post's David Ignatius.

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News Wrap: On Eve of Final Referendum Vote, Opponents Clash in Alexandria: In other news Friday, the streets of Egypt's Alexandria were filled with clashing Islamists and their opponents. It was the eve of a final-round vote on a draft constitution that's backed by Islamists and President Mohammed Morsi. Also, North Korea has detained an American citizen and says he confessed to unspecified crimes.

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Congress Goes Home for the Holidays After House GOP Spurns Boehner's Plan: Congress broke for Christmas after conservative House Republicans spurned Speaker John Boehner's so-called "Plan B" budget deal. Boeher's plan would have raised tax rates for households making more than \$1 million. Congressional correspondent Kwame Holman reports on efforts to resolve the fiscal crisis before the new year.

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Segment Length: 00:12:05

Shields and Gerson on Cabinet Noms, Gun Laws, Boehner's Leadership: Syndicated columnist Mark Shields and Washington Post columnist Michael Gerson discuss the week's top political news with Judy Woodruff, including the president's second-string Secretary of State John Kerry, House Speaker John Boehner's fledgling following and the NRA press conference.

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Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:05:57

Education Secretary Arne Duncan on Finding Community Solutions to Gun Violence: A special PBS broadcast called "After Newtown" will air Friday at 8 p.m. ET, continuing a national dialogue about the issues raised by the tragedy in Newtown, Conn. As part of the collaboration, Gwen Ifill spoke with Education Secretary Arne Duncan. Here is the broadcasted excerpt of their conversation.

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NOLA: MLNH 010526  
Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
Length: 60 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:06:45

In Legal Showdown Over Marijuana, Oakland Dispensary Takes Leading Role: In California, the battle between federal and state authorities over legal marijuana is coming to a head in a high-profile legal challenge. Our report comes from special correspondent Jake Schoneker of Media Enterprise Alliance, a PBS NewsHour Student Reporting Lab based in Oakland, Calif.

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Series Title: PBS NewsHour  
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Service: PBS  
Format: News  
Segment Length: 00:07:03

Congressional Seats Go Unexpectedly Up for Grabs Soon After 2012 Election: Death, resignation and high-profile jobs have resulted in an unusual number of newly competitive Senate openings. Roll Call's Shira Toeplitz and NewsHour political editor Christina Bellantoni walk through with Gwen Ifill the political cause and effect of congressional vacancies in Massachusetts, Hawaii and South Carolina.

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NOLA: PNRE 001616  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:24:01

Look Back 2012: Watch a panel of reporters discuss the most significant religion and ethics news of 2012, including the recent tragedy in Newtown, the presidential election, the rising number of people with no religious affiliation, and ongoing turmoil in the Middle East.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: PNRE 001617  
Series Title: Religion & Ethics NewsWeekly  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/30/2012 1:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Magazine  
Segment Length: 00:24:10

Look Ahead 2013: From faith-based expectations for the second Obama term to major court cases on gay marriage to turmoil in the Middle East, we look ahead to the top religion and ethics stories we expect to be covering in the year 2013.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: TTCY 002141  
Series Title: To the Contrary with Bonnie Erbe  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/23/2012 12:00:00 PM  
O.B. Date: 12/23/2012 2:30:00 PM  
Service: PBS-PLUS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:25:31

Future of Guns: After the tragic shooting at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut, the future of guns remains up in the air. 2012 Year in Review: A look back at the stories that kept us talking all year and a glance at what's ahead for women in 2013.

Panelists:

Del. Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC)  
Center for Equal Opportunity chair Emeritus Linda Chavez  
Women's Campaign Fund board member Jenifer Rajkumar  
The Heritage Foundation's Genevieve Wood

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005224  
Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
Airdate: 12/14/2012 8:00:00 PM  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:21

Gun control debate is again at the forefront after a tragic Conn. school shooting. Amidst continued fiscal cliff talks, Susan Rice chooses not to pursue the Secretary of State nomination. Plus, the U.S. recognizes the Syrian opposition. Joining Gwen: Reid Wilson, National Journal Hotline; Martha Raddatz, ABC News; David Sanger, New York Times; John Dickerson, Slate Magazine and CBS News.

Category: National Politics/Government  
NOLA: WWIR 005226

Series Title: Washington Week  
Length: 30 minutes  
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Service: PBS  
Format: Interview/Discussion/Review  
Segment Length: 00:24:12

In our final show of 2012, we explore the year's significant stories including President Obama's re-election victory over Mitt Romney; Congress' tumultuous battles with the White House; and the administration's challenges abroad. Joining Gwen: Karen Tumulty, Washington Post; John Harwood, CNBC & New York Times; Michael Duffy, TIME Magazine; Doyle McManus, Los Angeles Times.