

WNIN-FM Standardized Radio Disclosure Form (Program/Topic Report)
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There follows a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by WNIN, Evansville, IN, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period 04/01/16 to 06/30/16. This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Issue	Program	Date	Time	Duration	Type/Description
Government: State Supreme Court Reviews Opening of Legislative E-mails.	WNIN News	4/19/16 4/20/16	4:30 p.m. 7:06 a.m.	1:30 1:30	The Indiana Supreme Court ruled it will not force Indiana lawmakers to release their emails under the state's public records law. The Court says to do so would violate the state constitution's separation of powers:
Education: Indiana University wins grant for Air Stream flow research.	WNIN News	4/20/16 4/21/16	3:30 p.m. 7:30 a.m.	1:00 1:00	IU scientist wins a grant to create a data set characterizing the water temperature and stream flow for US and Canada.
Law enforcement: Bloomington police say it's unlikely human remains discovered are connected to the Lauren Spierer case.	WNIN News	4/26/16 4/27/16	7:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	1:30 1:30	Authorities couldn't provide specifics but say preliminary information from anthropologists leads investigators to believe there's no link to the Lauren Spierer case. The IU student went missing in 2011.
Law Enforcement: Indiana has second highest percentage of children with jailed parents.	WNIN News	4/27/16 4/28/16	3:00 p.m. 7:00 a.m.	1:30 1:30	Indiana has the second highest percentage in the nation of children who have a parent who's been incarcerated which can have long lasting effects on a child's wellness.
Education and Taxes: Taxpayers in eight Indiana school districts will pay higher taxes to help fund local schools.	WNIN News	5/4/16 5/5/16	4:00 p.m. 6:00 a.m.	1:30 1:30	Ballot questions about school funding are a hot topic on primary ballots across the state and will continue to be in the future.
Health: New findings published in the medical journal BMJ list medical errors as the third leading cause of death in the US.	WNIN News	5/5/16 5/6/16	3:00 p.m. 7:30 a.m.	1:00 1:00	The new report in the BMJ brings together evidence from multiple studies and determines that over 400,000 people die every year because of medical mistakes, placing the cause third behind heart disease and cancer.

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Health: A federal judge has set a June hearing to consider a bid to block Indiana's new abortion law.	WNIN News	5/6/16 5/7/16	3:00 p.m. 6:30 a.m.	1:00 1:00	ACLU executive director Jane Henegar says the law is unconstitutional and violates privacy rights. She says between now and the June 14th hearing parties on both sides will gear up.
Education: Indiana's standardized assessment, the ISTEP, is getting a major re-write.	WNIN News	5/6/16 5/7/16	4:00 p.m. 8:00 a.m.	1:30 1:30	Lawmakers mandated the ISTEP rewrite during this past legislative session and created a 22-person panel to refigure the test. The panel has the ability to change the format of the test, the school accountability measures.
Agriculture: Hoosier farmers didn't make much progress planting corn in the past week, after a strong early start.	WNIN News	5/09/16 5/10/16	7:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	1:00	Heavy spring rainfall didn't stop Indiana farmers from planting twice as much corn by the start of May as they had in 2015. They were on their way to planting a projected 2.6 percent more acres of corn than last year, despite a glut of the crop worldwide. But now, their pace has slowed.
Health: The ninth annual American Fitness Index is out today and while Indianapolis lands in last place it's not all bad news.	WNIN News	5/17/16 5/18/16	4:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m.	1:30 1:30	Indianapolis area residents saw a 15 percent increase in the percentage of people who reported physical activity within a month and an eight percent increase in the number of farmer's markets.
Law Enforcement: Human Trafficking and the 500. Federal, state and local law enforcement warn to be on the lookout for human Trafficking at Indy 500.	WNIN News	5/19/16 5/20/16	7:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	1:00 1:00	Increasing public awareness and enforcement efforts surrounding human trafficking as Indiana prepares for the Indianapolis 500.
Government/Education: Governor Mike Pence sends letter to the U.S. Department of Education requesting more information about federal pre-k programs.	WNIN News	6/2/16 6/3/16	5:30 p.m. 8:00 a.m.	1:30 1:30	Some say the effort is a political move to deflect criticism that he should have sought federal pre-k money in 2014.

WNIN maintains a local-programming survey on the web page to ascertain local topics. Viewer/listener suggestions are shared with the production staff of both TV and radio.