



WTVP Community Broadcasting Advisory Council

December 7, 2016

Meeting Minutes

- **Introductions**
 - New Staff
 - Colleen Runkle, Director of Development
 - Julie Sanders, Director of Marketing & Content
- **Programming Changes**
 - January 16th – Launch of PBS Kids Channel with live on-air event
 - PBS Kids 24/7 Channel – Reaffirming WTVP's commitment to children's programming
 - World & Create will combine to one channel
 - Create 5 am – 5 pm
 - World 5 pm – 5 am
- **PBS National Programming**
 - Programming Recent
 - Hamilton's America (October 2017)
 - PBS Arts Festival (Fall 2017)
 - Election Coverage (Fall 2017)
 - Programming Upcoming
 - Victoria (February 2017)
 - Sherlock (January 2017)
 - Ken Burns Vietnam (September 2017)
 - The Future of Government Funding
 - Article – Handout and discussed by Moss Bresnahan
- **Local Programming**
 - At Issue, with H. Wayne Wilson (Year-round)
 - Consider This, with Yvonne Greer (Year-round)
 - Illinois Newsroom (Summer Launch)
 - From Distilleries to Stills: Prohibition in Peoria (Fall 2016)
 - State & Water (On-going Season 1)
 - The 1950's, A look back at Peoria during the 1950's (Spring 2017)
 - Emiquon, An up close view of the unique Preserve in Fulton County (Spring 2017)
- **Education**
 - PBS Learning Media
 - New Education Position – Education Outreach Coordinator to be hired in March
- **Feedback and Questions**

PBS is regularly named the most trusted media brand, according to national polls.
At WTVP we do not take that title lightly.