



#### **(4) Elsewhere at Texas A&M University and the A&M System**

News stories January 2 and 11 with A&M and state climatologist John Nielsen-Gammon about continuing drought.

News story January 18 reporting the A&M Forest Service made its state funding request to legislative committees.

News story January 21 reporting the A&M President was not among school leaders signing letter opposed to proposed legislation allowing concealed handguns on state college campuses.

News story January 21 and comments played January 28 at 5:15 p.m. from A&M System Chancellor John Sharp to the A&M Faculty Senate reporting goals during the upcoming session of the Texas Legislature.

News story January 23 that A&M and the A&M System announced plans to increase enrollment of the College of Engineering to 25,000 by the year 2025.

News stories January 25 and 30 reporting A&M System Chancellor John Sharp testified before the Senate Finance Committee.

News story January 30 previewing the upcoming A&M Board of Regents meeting.

News stories January 31 reporting the A&M Board of Regents approved a variety of building projects.

News story February 5 reporting a Texas A&M Engineering Extension Study on time wasted while in traffic.

News story February 6 reporting A&M President Bowen Loftin was unexpectedly hospitalized in Austin where he had a kidney stone removed.

News story February 6 reporting a new agreement between the A&M Forest Service and Fort Hood on wildfire response.

Interview February 7 at 5:15 p.m. and news story with A&M Executive Director of Utilities and Energy Services Jim Riley about the new central power plant has receiving an award from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

News story February 14 reporting an A&M study shows the least expensive airfare can be purchased on the weekends.

News story and interview February 20 reporting a bomb threat evacuated Kyle Field offices and nearby athletic facilities.

News story February 22 reporting a bomb threat evacuated the A&M alumni center.

News story March 1 reporting three A&M Corps of Cadets students were involved in a traffic accident northwest of Houston. Two died and the third was critically injured.

News story March 7 of the third bomb threat in two weeks at an unspecified location that resulted in no evacuation.

Interview March 11 at 5:15 p.m. and news story with A&M Observatory Director Don Carona-about watching the PAN-STARRS comet.

News story March 12 and an interview March 18 at 5:15 p.m. about removing bats living under north side of Kyle Field with contractor R.P. Lee.

News story March 13 reporting the retirement of University Police Chief Elmer Schneider following a 42 year career with the department.

News story March 15 announcing the replacement of two members of the A&M System Board of Regents and the reappointment of a third.







News story February 15 reporting the College Station city council approved the design concept of the Lick Creek Park nature center.

Brazos Valley United Way news conference, one year after revelation of financial problems, interviews played March 22 at 5:15 with new President/CEO Andy Martin and 5:45 p.m. with board chairman Will Brown. News stories also composed with Martin and Brown.

**(11) Proposed private landfill west of College Station generates opposition from neighboring homeowners.**

News story January 26 reporting College Station Mayor Nancy Berry is monitoring the landfill application and the council is not taking an official position.

News story January 27 reporting state officials have referred the application to a judge for mediation.

**(12) College Station's new Medical District land use district.**

News story January 10 reporting the College Station city council approved sending proposed state legislation creating two municipal management districts.

**(13) College Station school district begins groundwork for next bond issue.**

Interview January 18 at 5:45 p.m. and news story with Superintendent Eddie Coulson with an update on a community committee related to the next bond issue.

**(14) Changes in Bryan school district high school attendance zones.**

Interview January 8 at 5:45 p.m. and news story with Bryan school district Superintendent Tommy Wallis about proposed changes.

Montage of comments January 15 at 5:15 p.m. and news story from Bryan school board public hearing regarding proposed changes.

Interview January 18 at 5:15 p.m. and news story with James Edge, spokesman for community committee with latest recommendations.

News story January 21 reporting the Bryan school board approved new attendance zones.

News story January 22 reporting the change in high school attendance zones is expected to result in a proposed expansion of Rudder High School in four years.

**(15) 2013-2014 Bryan School District Calendar**

News story February 8 reporting the approaching deadline to vote on calendar options.

News story February 18 reporting the school board delayed action and asked for more student input.

**(16) Other issues in Bryan and College Station public schools.**

News story and interview January 18 at 5:45 p.m. with College Station superintendent Eddie Coulson detailing phase 2 renovation plans at Consolidated High School.

Interview February 4 at 5:45 p.m. with College Station superintendent Eddie Coulson with reaction to state judge's ruling on school finance and news stories February 5 with Coulson and Bryan superintendent Tommy Wallis.

News story and interview February 20 reporting a complaint filed against the Bryan school district by the U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights.

News story and interview February 20 reporting the College Station school board has not considered exercising its right of first refusal to buy the city-owned College Station Conference Center.

Interview March 1 at 5:15 p.m. with Bryan superintendent Tommy Wallis previewing the March 4 school board meeting.

