

**Quarterly Issues and Programs List for Station WTAW-AM/College Station TX
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(1) Changes and updates at Texas A&M University and the A&M System

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/13/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:42	Comments from Bowen Loftin on his last day as President of Texas A&M University.
1/13/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m. 5:40 p.m.	6:40 9:04	Comments from Bowen Loftin on his last day as President of Texas A&M University.
1/15/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:31	A&M Provost Karan Watson reports to Faculty Senate on first meeting with Interim President Mark Hussey and senior leadership.
1/23/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:56	The chief executive of the A&M Health Science Center announces building an \$8 million dollar anatomy lab the start of site work on a \$150 million dollar influenza vaccine plant, and being a finalist for a \$500 million dollar federal contract.
1/23/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:33	A&M announces plans to establish first branch campus of its pharmacy college in Bryan/College Station.
1/28/2014	WTAW News	5:35 p.m.	:50	A&M System Regents consider building projects totaling \$85 million dollars.
1/30/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:60	A&M System Regents approve tuition and fee increases for the 2014-15 school year over student opposition.
2/3/2014	WTAW News	5:35 p.m.	:43	Review of first year of A&M outsourcing contract for maintenance and food service.
2/3/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	6:51	Review of first year of A&M outsourcing contract for maintenance and food service.
2/5/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:41	A&M and IBM enter a joint research agreement bringing a super computer to the College Station campus.
2/6/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:44	A&M no longer accepts cash for student housing payments after an employee is accused of stealing more than \$18,000.
2/7/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:47	Induction of second class of Faculty Fellows at A&M Institute for Advanced Studies.
2/11/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:35	A&M Interim President Mark Hussey speaks to the Faculty Senate for the first time.
2/18/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:32	A&M Regents special meeting hire two interim vice-chancellors on a permanent basis and establish Accelerate Texas Center.

2/18/2014	WTAW News	5:35 p.m.	:42	A&M Police receive vandalism report to the landmark Century Oak tree.
2/19/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:69	A&M System Chancellor and contractors report phase one is on schedule and on budget and changes have been made to traffic flow arriving and departing 2014 home football games.

(2) Blinn College Brazos County campuses addressing space needs

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
2/14/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:90	Blinn Board of Trustees approves \$2 million of projects to address space needs on the Bryan campus for the next 18 months.
2/19/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:25	Blinn Board of Trustees learns 17,000 students on the Bryan campus generated an economic impact of \$187 million last year.
2/19/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	8:51	Interview with Blinn's President of Brazos County campuses Sylvia McMullen, reviewing economic impact report and how it relates to space needs.
3/3/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:46	Blinn Board of Trustees hear two proposals to relocate Bryan campus as a long term solution to space needs..
3/26/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:40	Blinn Board of Trustees direct administrators to negotiate purchase or lease of building space to address space needs on the Brazos County campuses during the next 24 to 48 months.
3/31/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	9:24	Interview with Blinn's President of Brazos County campuses Sylvia McMullen about negotiating purchase or lease of additional space, setting fees and tuition for the 2014-15 school year, and responding to criticism of trading division chairs for academic deans..

(3) Economic Development news in Bryan and College Station

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/15/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:52	The Bryan Business Council announces Headwaters and Bakery Feeds are locating to the Texas Triangle Business Park.
1/15/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:29	The city of College Station has closed on the sale of the Northgate property where the original city hall was built to a Houston developer for a \$25 million dollar mixed use development.
1/17/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:46	The Bryan school board resells the former Carver school for office space and adjoining land to build single family homes.

3/4/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:46	Convention and Visitors Bureau asks the Bryan and College Station city councils for an additional \$150,000 to attract events to Bryan/College Station.
3/13/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:43	Feasibility study signed with Bryan start up company and NASA that could move Johnson Space Center back up operations to downtown Bryan.
3/13/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m.	4:31	Director of Mission Operations at NASA's Johnson Space Center Paul Hall and T-STAR Chief Technology Officer Jose Quintana explain feasibility study that could lead to JSC back up operations moving to downtown Bryan.
3/13/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:51	College Station city council asked to approve a Municipal Utility District to convert the Texas World Speedway into a \$540 million dollar master planned community.
3/13/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	7:31	Interview with College Station Interim Director of Planning & Development Lance Simms about converting the Texas World Speedway into a \$540 million dollar master planned community.
3/25/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:63	Bryan Mayor Jason Bienski comments on lack of activity at new Gunler Foods plant after the city entered an economic development agreement.
3/26/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:42	Brazos County Judge Duane Peters comments on lack of activity at new Gunler Foods plant after the county entered an economic development agreement; and a check of county records shows Gunler is current on property tax payments.
3/26/2014	WTAW News	5:30 p.m.	:28	Bryan City councilwoman Ann Horton announces The Games of Texas are coming to Bryan/College Station. 30,000 visitors and 9,000 competitors are expected the first weekend of August in 2014 and 2015.
3/28/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:52	College Station city council approves a request to form a Municipal Utility District to convert the Texas World Speedway into a \$540 million dollar master planned community.

(4) Capital Improvement Projects in the Bryan School District

1/13/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	1:13	The Bryan school board's engineering consultant recommends a \$140 million dollar facilities plan.
2/25/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:52	The Bryan school board has no opposition to realigning schools as part of a proposed \$140 million dollar facilities plan. The proposal calls for K-4 elementary, 5-6 intermediate, and 7-8 middle school.

(5) Retirement of College Station School District Superintendent and Hiring of Successor

1/30/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:52	CSISD Superintendent Eddie Coulson announces his retirement.
1/30/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m.	3:17	Comments from CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen following retirement announcement.
1/30/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~7:00	Portion of CSISD Superintendent Eddie Coulson's retirement announcement.
2/21/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	6:46	Interview with CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen updating the search process.
3/14/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:49	One application was received for the CSISD superintendent's opening, that candidate will be interviewed 3/17 by the Board of Trustees and the board could name a lone finalist 3/18.
3/19/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:59	CSISD Board of Trustees names a lone finalist for the superintendent's job.
3/19/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~2:00	Portion of interview with CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen following the board vote naming a lone finalist for the superintendent's job.

(6) Rezoning College Station elementary schools to add a ninth campus

1/23/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~2:00	Portion of interview with CSISD spokesman Chuck Glenewinkel covering timeline for rezoning to accommodate ninth elementary school.
2/25/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:36	Story previewing first of three community forums held by CSISD Board of Trustees to receive input on the parameters the rezoning committee will consider in developing recommendations.
3/6/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	1:06	CSISD Board of Trustees holds final community forum to receive input on the parameters the rezoning committee will consider in developing recommendations.
3/10/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	5:10	Interview with CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen following the final public hearing gathering input on rezoning committee parameters.
3/19/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:52	CSISD board of trustees decides parameters for the elementary school rezoning committee.
3/19/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~2:00	Portion of interview with CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen included approving parameters for the elementary school rezoning committee.

(7) Proposed Regional Natatorium

3/18/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:53	Convention and Visitors Bureau starts asking local school boards and city councils for financial assistance for consultant study on feasibility of new aquatic center to serve both cities.
3/19/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~2:00	Portion of interview with CSISD Board of Trustees President Valerie Jochen included Convention and Visitors Bureau request to participate in feasibility study.
3/24/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	5:29	Interview with Convention and Visitors Bureau President Shannon Overby about the proposed feasibility study.

(8) Leadership Changes Continue at United Way of the Brazos Valley

1/8/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	:42	For the second time in less than two years, the President of the United Way of the Brazos Valley (UWBV) resigns.
1/24/2014	WTAW News	5:30 p.m.	:40	UWBV executive board names an interim president during the search process.

(9) Public Safety

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25, 3-4, 3/11, 3/18, and 3/25/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Bryan Police Officer Kelley McKethan covering department events and public safety topics.
1/10, 2/28, 3/7, and 3/21/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m.	~5:00	Interviews with members of the College Station Police Department covering agency events and public safety topics.
1/9, 1/23, 2/13, 2/27, and 3/27/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Bryan Fire Department Inspector and Fire Marshal William Bouse updating case investigations and fire safety reminders.
1/6, 2/17, and 3/17/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Department of Public Safety Trooper Master Sgt. Jimmy Morgan covering traffic laws and other public safety topics.
3/18/2014	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:51	Retired College Station Assistant Police Chief Larry Johnson now Police Chief in Prairie View but will resign if he is elected as a Brazos County Justice of the Peace.

(10) Local politics

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/31/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	10:40	Comments of the primary candidates for 361 st District Judge at a forum sponsored by the Brazos County Bar Association.

2/21/2014	WTAW News	5:30 p.m.	:42	Update on early voting activity for the March 4 primary and early voting locations.
2/24/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:40	Number of people who participated in early voting for the March 4 primary.
2/26/2014	WTAW News	5:06 p.m.	1:13	Bryan citizens start petition signature drive proposing three changes to the city charter in the November 2014 election and response from Mayor Jason Bienski..
2/28/2014	Live broadcast 6 until 8 p.m. of WTAW/Chamber of Commerce forum featuring primary candidates for 361 st District Judge, Brazos County Commission precinct four, and Texas House of Representatives District 12.			
3/4/2014	Election Night results	90 second reports between 7:30 p.m. and midnight, twice per hour.		
3/5/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:46	Results of primary election races in Brazos County.
3/5/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	7:36	Interviews with primary election night winners 361 st District Judge Steve Smith and Texas House District 12 Representative Kyle Kacal.
3/20/2014	WTAW News	6:06 a.m.	:36	Preview of Brazos County Democratic Party Convention.
3/20/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:15 p.m.	6:10	Interview previewing Brazos County Democratic Party convention with county chair Maggie Charlton.
3/20/2014	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	6:58	Interview previewing Brazos County Republican Party convention with county chair Paul Rieger.
3/21/2014	WTAW News	5:30 p.m.	:55	Preview of Brazos County Republican Party Convention.

(11) National political updates from Congressman Bill Flores (R-Bryan)

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/8, 1/15, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19, and 3/26/2014	Infomaniacs	7:40 a.m.	~7:00	Live interviews with the latest information of issues on Capitol Hill.

(12) College Station city updates from elected officials

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/8, 1/25, 2/19, 3/5, and 3/19/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Mayor Nancy Berry.
2/21/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interview with Councilman John Nichols.
3/21/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interview with Councilwoman Julie Schultz.

(13) Bryan city updates from elected officials

Date:	Program Name:	Time:	Duration:	Summary:
1/15, 1/29, 2/26, and 3/26/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Mayor Jason Bienski.
2/12 and 3/12/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interviews with Councilman Chuck Konderla.
1/30/2014	Infomaniacs	8:20 a.m.	~5:00	Interview with Councilman Rafael Pena.